



Newsletter

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Dear Mazenod Community,

For most people being woken by jackhammers on your day off or interrupting your class might seem at the very least a little annoying yet the sound, which seems to be invading every part of the College, is actually more like a Choir of Angels. After a six month delay, progress, even though a little disruptive is great. Demolition was completed this week with the front and back of the Chapel along with the garden and front of the O'Rourke Building. Classes were moved to accommodate the Choir of Angels, and while disruptions will continue to some degree over the next 18 months, we are hoping it will not be anything like those experienced in the last week. On a funny note, while I was preaching on the topic of communicating the message of the Good News at this morning Mass, I was drowned out by the Choirs of Angels.

In the midst of all of the demolition, life continues at Mazenod with this week dominated by Naplan Testing for students in Year 7 and Year 9. As I am sure you are all well aware the National Assessment Program – Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN) is an assessment program for Students in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9. This program is run Australia wide, and students are assessed on the same days using national tests in Reading, Writing, Language Conventions (Spelling, Grammar, and Punctuation) and Numeracy. I would like to thank all the Staff involved, in particular, the Co-ordinators of Year 7 & 9, for the organisation and smooth running of these exams.

In the lead up to Founder's Day Mass, to be held on the 26th May, our regular morning Masses each week have been dedicated to the Patrons of our College Houses. At the end of Mass, a representative from each House will share a reflection. This coming week we will celebrate the lives of:

Br Anthony Kowalczyk OMI (1866-1947), a Polish Oblate working in Edmonton Canada known for his great faith and hospitality, especially to the poor.

Fr Jozef Cebula OMI (1902-1941), who suffered under Nazi occupation of Poland for practicing his faith and serving the people. He was incarcerated in Mauthausen concentration camp and was ultimately executed for his faith.

Caroline Chisholm (1808-1877), a little closer to home Caroline, a new arrival in Australia herself, discovered the deplorable treatment of women arriving on their own in a new country and did something about it by setting up a home to receive women.

St Mary MacKillop (1842 – 1909), is an amazing person who is not only the founder of the Sisters of Saint Joseph (Josephites) but was also the founder of the Catholic Education System in Australia. Her motto is an example for us all, "Never see a need without doing something about it."

Next weekend the joint Founder's Day Carnival with Mazenod Old Collegians Football Club, Mazenod United Football Club, Mazenod Volleyball Club and assisted by the Mazenod Old Collegians Cricket Club will be held at the College on Saturday, 20th May 2017.

This is the last chance to book in the for the special Founder's Day Lunch on Saturday, 20th May from 11.30 am – 2.00 pm where Archie Thompson, Matt Boyd, and Ash Hansen will be Guest Speakers. Tickets to the lunch are very limited. They are \$50 for a catered lunch and drinks can be purchased at the bar. Tickets are available the following link <https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/founders-day-luncheon-2017-tickets-33135749920> This will be a family-friendly day, and there will also be BBQ's and food available along with a jumping castle and face painting.

Traditionally May is the Month of Mary. It is fitting that May, Mary's month, is also the time for the celebration of Mother's Day on the second Sunday of the Month. In the same way, we are called to honour and acknowledge the special place of our mums in our lives for what they have given us, life, care, and love, we honour our Heavenly Mother Mary.

I would like to wish all the mothers in our community a Happy Mother's Day.

There has been a great deal of media coverage concerning school funding with the Governments latest Budget. While at first, it seems reasonable if examined over the 10 year period, it does seem to be disadvantaging the Catholic System. Over the coming weeks, more information will be released to help all of us navigate this complex matter. It was unfortunate that even though the Victorian Catholic Education System alone educates over 210,000 students, or 1 in 4, that the Government failed to consult with the Catholic System. Stay tuned for more information.

God Bless,
Fr Christian Fini OMI
Rector

"If Christ is not risen your faith is in vain" - Saint Paul

Why does God not intervene in human affairs? Is the bible true? Did Jesus really walk on water? Did Moses part the Red Sea or was it a natural occurrence? These are genuine questions that intrigue our students, your sons!

At the very centre of the answer to each of these questions lies the assertion of Christianity since its inception – Jesus rose from the dead! Jesus Christ, the Eternal Son of God made man, who was brutally executed on a cross by the Roman Empire, and whose historical reality is attested to by the Roman naturalist Pliny and the Jewish historian Josephus, rose from the tomb. He appeared on a number of occasions to his disciples, mostly very personal encounters.

Where do we stand in relation to that testimony? Because if we do not believe that Jesus is truly risen from the dead, risen in the body as well as the spirit, then we are at odds with Christianity. As Saint Paul summarized, "If Christ is not risen your faith is in vain" (1 Cor 15:14).

Of course, if one does not accept the bodily resurrection of Jesus, one might not expect to believe that He walked on water, nor changed water to wine, nor that he changes bread and wine into His Eucharistic Body and Blood so as to be intimately close to each of us today! One might also then struggle to accept many stories from the bible, which depend on the belief in miracles.

Do miracles happen? This Saturday is the one hundredth anniversary of the first appearance of Our Lady to the three children in Fatima, Portugal, 13 May 1917, the first of six monthly apparitions that culminated in the most public miracle in the history of the world. On that day, 13 October 1917, between 80,000 -100,000 people viewed what is called the "miracle of the sun," which Mary had promised would happen, hence the size of the anticipating crowds. They saw the sun spinning; pulsating, spiraling, and then growing so large that it seemed to them that they thought it was the end of the world. Even the secular Lisbon daily newspaper, which had previously been scathing in its criticisms of the reported appearances, reported in glowing terms attesting to its truthfulness.

If the miracle at Fatima happened as has been testified by tens of thousands, then why could not Moses part the Red Sea? If Jesus rose from the dead then surely he could walk on water? If we cannot depend on the testimony of those who handed on the accounts about Jesus and wrote the Gospels, those who established the Church by going to the corners of the globe to testify to Christ's resurrection - and mostly died painful deaths doing it - then we should surely abandon the Church?

As C.S Lewis put it, "Jesus is either liar, lunatic or Lord." Which is He for you?

Mr Stephen Lawrence
Director of Faith and Mission

ENHANCEMENT

Students in Years 7 to 9 who have demonstrated excellent achievement in their academic studies are involved in Mazenod's Enhancement program. They are withdrawn from mainstream classes once a week and provided with learning opportunities designed to develop and challenge their individual strengths and interests. Outlined in this report are a selection of the learning experiences that Mazenod's Enhancement students are currently undertaking.

A highlight of the Year 7 General Enhancement program is the da Vinci Decathlon. This competition is designed to challenge the minds of students across the state, as they respond to questions drawn from a range of disciplines. Sixteen students have been enthusiastically preparing for the day which takes place next Thursday 18th May at St Leonard's College. We wish them all the best.

Students in the Year 8 and 9 General Enhancement classes have just submitted their first assignments for the year. Each member of the Year 8 General Enhancement class prepared a 'Biographical' on a famous person of their choice. Initially students thought this would be a straightforward task. However, when they learnt the focus of their project would be on the childhood influences of the individual they were researching, the biography suddenly became more challenging. Student presentations were certainly interesting and offered fascinating insights into the early lives of the achievers they focussed on.

Year 9 General Enhancement students have been Investigative Journalists over the last month. A range of intriguing reports ranging from 'The Beginnings of the Fourth Industrial Revolution' to 'Mining Asteroids' have just been filed and are about to go to press.

Over in the world of History, Enhancement students were recently presented with an open ended topic which they researched, discussed and debated. Students were then challenged to present their ideas and arguments together with supporting evidence in a written response. All wonderful skills for life. Currently, as part of their open ended topic research Year 7 students are examining whether 'Alexander the Great' lived up to his name. Using an interactive computer program they are following his travels and examining ten of his decisions. Another interesting historical figure, 'Richard the Lion Heart' is being put on trial by Year 8 Enhancement students, watched closely by Monash University Law students. Based on the students' presentations, their mission is to decide whether he was a hero or villain.

Meanwhile, Year 9 Enhancement History students have been busy exploring and researching social issues and displaying their lateral thinking skills by proposing detailed solutions to the problems presented. They have also conducted formal and informal debates and in doing so honed their ability to argue and to structure their ideas. During the second half of the term, students will be writing an academic essay based on one of these social issues. No doubt, the skills developed during these enhancement classes, will transfer to interesting, opinionative and thought provoking writing.

The Mathematic Enrichment classes have been undertaking weekly sessions that aim to enrich and enhance the students' knowledge and experience of Mathematics. Students have participated in challenging activities that engage abstract mathematical concepts in novel and interesting ways. Finally, they have also focussed on the creative use of mathematical operations, the use of critical thinking skills to solve real world conundrums and the applications of creative thinking within a mathematical area of their own choice.

Mr James Tranter
Enhancement Coordinator

UNIFORM SHOP

The Uniform Shop is open every Tuesday & Thursday 12.30pm - 4pm, during school terms. Enquiries 0434 742 560.

MAZENOD WEBSITE QUESTIONNAIRE

How do you feel about our College Website? Please complete this short online questionnaire as we would love to hear your feedback.
<https://goo.gl/forms/1P8KB9rs1hfrezHw1>

CANTEEN

Monday 15th May

Carmel Sullivan, Vera Moretti, Antonella Grech, Denise D'Rozario

Tuesday 16th May

Sina Palermo, Uma Carbone, Andrea Zapedowski, Samantha Zsolt

Wednesday 17th May

Jennifer Valadon, Jenny Perdiekis, Rosanna Costanzo, Bridget Kihara

Thursday 18th May

Christine Morgan, Natalie Vassiliadis, Simone Dutton, Susie Leach

Friday 19th May

Lisa Elliott, Bernadette Vincent, Hend Matti, Jennifer De Korte

Vegetarian Meals available

We now have macaroni cheese and spinach and ricotta rolls available in the canteen. The cost will be \$3.50 each. These items will be cooked to order so if you would like one of these vegetarian options at lunch time only please write your name on a paper bag and drop it off at the canteen between 8am - 8.30 am.

We will continue to offer all our current menu items including toasties at breakfast and morning tea and chicken fried rice at lunch time.

Help Needed - THURSDAYS

Thank you to everyone who volunteers their time to help at canteen, we are so grateful for all you do.

Due to changing work schedules we are especially desperate for people to help out at canteen duty on a Thursday. If you are ever free on a Thursday please call Emma 04238624568.

You can nominate a date or two if that makes things easier to work around your other commitments.

Thank you

MAZENOD MOTHERS ASSOCIATION

Our next meeting will be next Wednesday 24th May commencing at 7.30pm. This is a combined Mothers and Fathers Association event - all welcome. Please RSVP to mothers.mazenodcollege@gmail.com

Mazenod Mothers Association Annual Mother's Day Dinner

When: TONIGHT - Friday 12 May 2017 at 7pm

Where: Waverley Golf Club, 82 Bergins Road Rowville

Guest Speaker: Lynn Berry "5000 Poppies"
<https://5000poppies.wordpress.com/>

Entertainment Books 2017/18

Please support the Mothers Association by purchasing a digital version (or hard copy) - Only \$70! Order your Entertainment Book via the Mazenod College personalized order page: www.entbook.com.au/188765g

Hard copies of the book are available for collection at reception/student counter.

Thank-you to those who have already purchased a book/digital membership.

Thank you to those families who have already purchased an entertainment book via our web link.

FATHERS ASSOCIATION

The 2017 Annual Father Son Communion Dinner will be held on Friday 2 June beginning with Mass at 7pm followed by dinner in the Founder's Complex.

This year we will have a number of guest speakers taking us through Mazenod's 50 years, no doubt some great stories. More details to follow in the coming weeks.

To book your place please go to <https://www.trybooking.com/PTLY>
For more information please call Andrew O'Hara on 0425 870 451 or Damian Mannix on 0411 479 589.

Cyber Safety Presentation

All fathers and guardians are invited to a combined Mazenod Fathers Association and Mothers Auxiliary meeting on 24 May at 7.30pm in the conference room next to the main office.

Camilla Elliot, Head of Library and e-learning coordinator, will be providing an information session to parents on the IT framework at the College and Cyber Safety.



ACC OPEN BADMINTON

Over the past 2 weeks the ACC has conducted the Junior and Open Badminton events. Both days were hugely successful and more importantly very enjoyable for students and staff. The Juniors were the first to compete last Thursday week and thanks to Mr Phibbs and Vincent Nguyen for their guidance and support of the boys over the day. The team did exceptionally well finishing second overall. I would like to congratulate the following students from Years 7 and 8 who represented Mazenod on the day:

Tyson Tran, Jason Truong, Brennan Ewe, Jeslin Mendez, Patrick Hajduk, James Chen, Charlie Nguyen, Jaimme Lim, Tony Hoang, Kevin Ngo, Daniel Chen, Danny Le, Finian Ewe and Peter Nguyen.

On Wednesday our Senior boys had their chance to shine on the big stage and the boys did exceptionally well finishing in second place to Salesian whom we congratulate. A big thanks to Mr Clement and Vincent again for preparing and guiding the boys over the tournament. Congratulations to the following students:

Aathavan Kuthanandha, Kanna Srilakshmanan, Prithish Salian, Thang Hoang, Marcus Nguyen, Sanjeeve Thyriar, Ronald Wong, Martin Chau, Peter Nguyen, Anthony Boling, Andy Ngoi, Jeremy Luk and Hoan Tran. The Intermediate boys will compete on Tuesday the 27th of May.

The Senior Open Golf which is open to all students in the College will be hosted by Northern Golf Club on Monday the 16th of May.

CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPS AND TRAINING

Two weeks ago on a beautiful Saturday morning Mazenod entered a relay team in the U/16 Victorian All Schools and Jells Park. 3 students make up a team with every student running 3 kms. Our team led by Will Collins did a fantastic job finishing in 6th place amongst many of the large APS and AGS Colleges across Melbourne. Congrats also to Dharam Deol, Patrick Kelly and Finn Sullivan for also doing their part. Mr Pearson has also begun our weekly training session for Cross Country on Friday mornings. The boys enjoyed magnificent egg and bacon rolls this morning after clocking up a number of kilometres. All students are invited to attend regardless of ability starting at the Oblate Hall at 7:30am.

ACC SOCCER & FOOTBALL UNIFORMS

By the end of next week all Mazenod ACC Teams will be in action. The College fully understands that students at this stage of life can grow quickly without warning and therefore we do ask parents to purchase jumpers or tops for their sons. In most cases students will be issued a top with the number recorded by the coach for collection. We ask that the top be looked after and washed before returning at seasons end. In regards to junior football students are asked to purchase royal blue socks and shorts. These can be purchased at the College for cost price and senior football can also purchase the new shorts and socks directly from the sports department. Soccer teams also in the junior (Yrs 7-10) wear the royal blue socks however they wear black soccer shorts.

TERM 2 ACC RESULTS

TEAM	OPPO	RESULTS
SNR XVIII	STBM	Maz 3.4.22 lost STBM 12.14.86
2NDS XVIII	PAR	Maz lost Par
SNR SOCCER	WHTFRS	Maz 8 def WHTFRS 0
2NDS SOCCER	STBE	Maz 0 lost STBE 2
YEAR 10 FOOTBALL	DLS	Maz 6.3.39 lost DLS 16.5.101
YEAR 10 SOCCER	STBM	Maz 6 def STBM 1
YEAR 9A FOOTBALL	STJFG	Maz 8.8.56 lost STJFG 12.4.76
YEAR 9B FOOTBALL	PAR	Maz 7.1.43 lost Par 16.21.117
YEAR 9A SOCCER	STJFG	Maz 9 def STJFG 4
YEAR 9B SOCCER	PAR	Maz 1 lost Par 5
YEAR 8A FOOTBALL	STBM	Maz lost STBM
YEAR 8B FOOTBALL	WHTFRS	Maz 9.8.52 lost WHTFRS 12.10
YEAR 8A SOCCER	WHTFRS	Maz 7 def WHTFRS 0
YEAR 8B SOCCER	SAL	Maz lost SAL

YEAR 7A FOOTBALL	STBM	Maz 2.1.13 lost STBM 18.9.117
YEAR 7B FOOTBALL	STBE	Maz lost STBE
YEAR 7A SOCCER	SAL	Maz 1 lost SAL 4
YEAR 7B SOCCER	SAL	Maz 0 lost Sal 2

ACC FIXTURE TERM 2

Term 2 ACC Sport begins first week back with Yr 9 & 10 commencing on the first day of term. It will be a busy time as we host 2 senior football matches on the Wednesday and get our Year 7 teams under way on the Thursday. Most fixtures begin at 1:30pm. Parents can always check details on the ACC Website at www.accmelb.com.au for all details.

DATE	TEAM	H/A	OPPO	VENUE	RTN
16-May	Yr 10 Football	A	STJG	Elderslie Res Gee-long	6:30
16-May	Yr 9 D 1 Football	A	STJFG	St Joseph's Ferntree Gully	4:15
16-May	Yr 9 D 2 Football	H	DLS 2/late start	Mazenod College	3:30
16-May	Yr 10 Soccer	H	DLS	Mazenod College	3:10
16-May	Yr 9 (1) Soccer	BYE			
16-May	Yr 9 (2) Soccer	A	SAL		3:30
17-May	Sen XVIII Football	H	STBE	Central Reserve	3:30
17-May	Sen 2nds XVIII Football	H	CBC	Mazenod College	3:30
17-May	Sen XI Soccer	A	STBE	St Bernard's College	4:00
17-May	Sen 2nd XI Soccer	H	WHITE	Mazenod College	3:10
18-May	Yr 8 D 1 Football	H	Par - 12:45pm	Mazenod College	3:10
18-May	Yr 8 D 3 Football	H	Par - 2:00pm	Mazenod College	3:10
18-May	Yr 7 D 1 Football	A	ST-	St Bernard's College	3:10
18-May	Yr 7 D 2 Football	H	PAR	Lumb Rd Reserve	3:10
18-May	Yr 8 (1) Soccer	A	CBC	Alma Park	4:00
18-May	Yr 8 (2) Soccer	H	WHITE - 2:15pm		3:30
18-May	Yr 7 (1) Soccer	H	PAR - 1pm		3:10
18-May	Yr 7 (2) Soccer	A	WHITE	Whitefriars College	3:30



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From the Archives...

Uniforms through the years

The uniform, along with hairstyles, have changed somewhat through the years at Mazenod College.

The original uniform included a cap, the winter uniform (pictured far left) comprised of long trousers and a blazer. In summer it was a requirement to wear shorts and long socks, however, in 1973 this became optional (much to the relief of some students!).



By 1995, the uniform had settled into something more comfortable yet still formal, our year 8 students from this year (pictured top right), shows a natural comradery that often isn't captured in the earlier images of the 60s. Now we maintain a professional look that allows our students to be identified as uniquely Mazenodian.

Do you have an old uniform that you would like to donate to our archives?

Please contact our School Archivist Archivist Marianne O'Hara at archives@mazenod.vic.edu.au or on 9560 0911 or visit us at <https://goo.gl/forms/vO6fjZkerVnHksoz1>

 <http://cdm20043.contentdm.oclc.org/cdm/>

 <https://www.facebook.com/mazenodVIC/>

 <https://twitter.com/MazenodVIC>

 <https://www.instagram.com/mazenodvic/>

As students and parents would be aware parking around Mazenod has been difficult, particularly since areas have been blocked by our building program. Just a friendly reminder that when waiting to pick up your son please be aware of the rights of others. Private driveways have been blocked, traffic flow has been restricted and parents have been parking in No Standing Zones. Parents can pick up students in the back carpark of the Monash Community Centre, off Wellington Rd which may help to alleviate the congestion that is being experienced along Monash Drive. Thank You

50TH ANNIVERSARY LITERARY CELEBRATIONS

Last week we held a number of events to direct a literary focus into Mazenod's 50th Anniversary Celebrations.

Our Annual 'Reading for Life' Parents Evening featured Sean M Elliott, science communicator. His message to students and parents was simple:

- 1. Take a map or a guide, if you need one. (Reading together can help you get into a book.)**
 - 2. Reading is not a race. (Take as long as you need.)**
 - 3. If you're not enjoying a book...STOP!**
 - 4. Read anything. You have my permission to read whatever you want. However...**
 - 5. You need to do it every day.**
- As a combined evening of science and reading, it was a great success for those attending.**

Sean returned on Thursday to present a workshop to Year 9 students studying the science fiction Isaac Asimov novel I, Robot, written in 1950. He put the novel in context explaining the ideas around robot development, science fiction writing in the 1950s and the ethical situations the novel presents.

On Tuesday, writer Kelly Gardiner conducted writing short story workshops with selected Year 8 students. This was an opportunity to provide extra support to students with a talent for story writing. Book Club members also enjoyed sharing a morning tea conversation with Kelly.

The message doesn't change as we continue to pursue the growth of our community of readers here at Mazenod. Parents, you are welcome to come to the Library any time for support in helping you son to select a title he will enjoy reading. Readers succeed!

Camilla Elliott/eLearning Coordinator
Head of Library

CALENDAR

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| Mon 15th May | Anthony House Day |
| Tues 16th May | Year 8 Grandparents Day 2 |
| Tues 16th May | Cebula House Day |
| Wed 17th May | Victorian Premier's Reading Challenge - halfway |
| Wed 17th May | Chisholm House Day |
| Thur 18th May | Mackillop House Day |
| Sat 20th May | Founder's Day Sports Carnival |
| Sun 21st May | Feast of St Eugene de Mazenod |
| Mon 22nd May | Albini House Day |
| Mon 22nd May | Yr 12 Reflection Day 3 |
| Mon 22nd May | ACC Vocal/ Percussion at CBC St Kilda |



EVERY DROP COUNTS

ways to save water

* Use a shut-off nozzle on your hose which can be adjusted down to a fine spray, so that water flows only as needed. When finished, turn it off at the tap instead of at the nozzle, to avoid leaks.



* Consider using a commercial car wash that recycles water. If you wash your own car, park on the grass and use a hose with an automatic shut-off nozzle.

CAREERS AND PATHWAYS

FOCUS ON MELBOURNE

The Focus on Melbourne information evenings give students and parents the opportunity to explore study options and choose a pathway to success.

Register now to get all your questions answered and make an informed choice.

- Explore majors, breadth options, electives, internships and research opportunities in your chosen faculty
- Map out your pathway to graduate study and career possibilities
- Work out how to see the world while studying overseas
- Enrich your degree with a Concurrent Diploma in an area you're passionate about
- Hear from current students and staff, and get a glimpse of university life first hand
- Learn about employment prospects after graduation and Melbourne's impressive graduate outcomes
- Confirm prerequisite subjects and entry requirements, including for Special Entry and Access Schemes

MORE INFO

Detailed program information and registration is available online [here](#).

Date: 16 May – 21 June 2017

Time: 6.30pm – 8:30pm

Where: Parkville & Southbank

2018 PROSPECTUS HAS ARRIVED

The 2018 Undergraduate Prospectus has arrived in the Careers Office. Year 12 students may collect a copy of the course guide for Melbourne University and any other university (if not already collect at the Careers Expo). Alternatively, students may wish to download an electronic copy of the prospectus: [Click Here](#)

NEW SPECIALISATION IN BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS

The Victorian College of the Arts has announced the creation of two new specialisations within the Bachelor of Fine Arts - Acting and Theatre – effective from Semester 1, 2018.

The two new specialisations will replace the current Theatre Practice option. Students of the new specialisations will have a common first year, devoted to developing performance, voice and movement skills then separate in second year to specialise in their respective areas.

The 'Acting' stream focuses on developing the craft of an actor for stage and screen, and will hone the student's acting, voice and movement skills throughout the three-year program. Students will act in a number of screen and stage-based performance works, and their training will culminate in an Actors Showcase in third year, to industry. The program capitalises on the collaborations made possible at the VCA with Film & Television and Production students, and students will be exposed to a range of different technologies throughout their studies. This program aims to develop versatile, 21st century actors.

The 'Theatre' specialisation focuses on developing performance-makers. In their second year students will develop a new work, which they will present in a national Fringe Festival, and in third year develop a second project in a travelling studio across Australia or overseas. The final year concludes with students presenting their work at a Performing Arts Market to industry. There is currently no other conservatoire based theatre making program like this in Australia at an undergraduate level. These changes are expected to reinvigorate the theatre offerings in the Fine Arts programs, and allow the VCA to capture the attention of both those students interested in theatre-making and those who want to hone their acting craft.

The Facts at a Glance

- Two new Fine Arts specialisations available from 2018 – Acting and Theatre – each will have their own discrete entry requirements.

- Prospective students can apply for both BFA Acting and BFA Theatre. Transferring between the two specialisations will **NOT** be possible.
- There will be 40 places available – split evenly between the two specialisations. The current Theatre Practice specialisation has 20 places – so this doubles the potential intake.
- The Theatre specialisation focuses on developing performance-makers, and the Acting specialisation focuses on developing highly trained actors.
- The Theatre specialisation is a unique offering in the Australian market.

More Information: [CLICK HERE](#)

TRY SURVEYING

STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering & Maths) graduates have the highest employment rates and average start salaries.* Of this group, surveying graduates are among the most likely to get jobs after university and have a **median starting salary of \$52,000**.

UNSW Surveying graduate Aaron Faull is just one example of where STEM studies can take students. Aaron recently had the honour of presenting a speech at the 2017 Institute of Surveyors NSW Australia Day Seminar along with some of the biggest names in spatial science including Narelle Underwood, Surveyor General of NSW.

But Aaron didn't always know he wanted to be a surveyor. He discovered the profession while completing a Bachelor of Engineering and after doing an Honours year in Surveying, hasn't turned back. He is now working as a Surveying Assistant and hopes one day to become a Registered Surveyor.

"The study of spatial sciences allowed me to develop a more in-depth, practical understanding of measurement to determine objects' relative positions accurately and ensure they work together as a system."

"The idea of one day being an expert in a specific field which in numerous ways underpins a variety of fundamental infrastructure in society is very important to me."

- Aaron Faull

Find out more about Aaron's journey and a career in surveying [here](#).



Are you studying Year 12?
EXPLORE THE LIFE OF A MONASH IT STUDENT:

- Participate in exciting, practical workshops on programming and network security
- Discover the opportunities and possibilities available at Monash IT. Take a tour of our world leading IT facility
- Hear from business futurist, Maria Mowbray on future jobs in technology
- Talk to IT lecturers and Alumni about the course and what a career in IT holds for you
- Meet like-minded students from other schools

Register now: monash.edu/take-control-monash-it

EVENT DETAILS

WHO
Year 12 students

WHEN
Saturday 27 May 2017

TIME
7am – 4:30pm

WHERE
Caulfield campus, Monash University

NOTE
Free entry
Showering facilities will be available

Vivian Seremetis
Careers Coordinator

Mass Times

- Mass in the Mazenod Chapel – Monday to Friday, 8.10am during Term
- St Leonard's, Glen Waverley, Sat 6pm, Sun 8:00am, 10:00am
- Good Shepherd Wheelers Hill, Sat 6pm, Sun 8am, 9:30am, 11am, 6pm
- St Justin's, Wheelers Hill, Sat 6pm, Sun 8:30am, 10:30am
- St Joseph's, Springvale, Sat 6pm, Sun 8am, 9:30am, 11am, 3pm(Viet), 5:30pm
- St. John Vianney's, Springvale North, Sat 6pm, Sun 8:30am, 10:00am, 5:30pm
- St Peter's, Clayton, Sat 6pm, Sun 8am, 10am, 11:15am (Italian)
- St Simon's, Rowville, Sat (Vigil) 6pm, Sun 8am, 9:30am, 11am
- St Gerards's, Dandenong North, Mon-Fri 9:15am, Fri 7pm, Sat 9:15am, 5:30pm (Vigil), Sun 7am (Latin), 8.30am, 10.30am, 5.30pm
- St Paul the Apostle, Endeavour Hills, Mon-Tues & Fri 9am, Wed 7pm, Sat 6pm, Sun 9am, 11am, 6pm
- Holy Saviour, Vermont South, Sat 6pm, Sun 9am, 11am
- St Elizabeth's, Dandenog North, Tues-Thur 9:15am, Sat 6:30pm, Sun 8:30am, 10:30am, 5:30pm
- St Anthony's, Noble Park, Tue-Sat 9:30am, Wed 7pm, Sat (Vigil) 6:30 pm, Sun 8:15am, 9:30am, 11am, 5:30pm

CLASSACT 50 TASK CHALLENGE

Participating in the Challenge, gives them further tools and option to use. This week we have only one ClassAct Challenge for you to share with your family. Why? Because it is so important!

22. Take a stocktake of the followers you have on a social networking site you use regularly and remove anyone you really don't know or interact with. (1,4)

Targetting:

1. eSecurity—privacy, protecting personal information
4. Respect and relationships

SEVERE ALLERGIES

Some students at Mazenod College have severe allergies making them at risk of an anaphylactic reaction. An anaphylactic reaction is an allergic response and is a life-threatening medical emergency. These students need to avoid whatever it is that causes their allergy. Food allergies, including to nuts and eggs, are the most common risk at Mazenod College. Allergies to insect venom such as bee stings are a risk to some students. We encourage the students at risk of anaphylaxis to tell their friends about their allergy, as it is these peers who are most likely to be present in an emergency. Students with serious allergies should bring their own, safe food from home.

As a school community, we can help by: knowing the serious nature of anaphylaxis, being alert when a student complains of allergy symptoms and refraining from sharing food with students who have food allergies. All students are encouraged to wash their hands before meals. Appropriate treatment must also be readily available. "Anaphylaxis action kits" for these students are kept at school and at home. The kit is made up by the family and contains an action plan and an adrenaline auto injector device such as an "EpiPen*". Antihistamine tablets may also be included in the action kit. For further information, please contact the Mazenod College nurses on 8561 1159

EpiPen 300ug adrenaline for injection syringe for allergic emergencies.

MUSIC

MT GAMBIER

Congratulations to those students who competed at Mt Gambier's Generations in Jazz. We hope you all enjoyed the experience and you now come back to be better Jazz musos!

GRANDPARENTS DAY is on Tuesday 16th May. Could all music students involved in the Grandparents day performance please make sure they know the day and time they are performing. If you are unsure, please speak to Mr Leutchford.

50TH CONCERT ON 25TH MAY 2017

The 50th Anniversary concert will be on Thursday 25th May starting at 7.30pm. Please come and enjoy a night of celebration and music where the Oblate schools combine to perform for past and present students and staff.

VOCAL ENSEMBLE TIMES ANNOUNCEMENT

Please be aware that the Vocal ensembles will have their rehearsal on the following times for the rest of the term unless told otherwise:

Monday lunch - Junior Voices

Tuesday lunch - Senior Vocal

LITURGY CHOIR

Liturgy Choir rehearsal is on next Wed 17th during lunch and the following week Wed 24th during P5 & 6.

BUYING AN INSTRUMENT? SPEAK TO OUR FRIENDLY STAFF BEFORE PURCHASING.

Before purchasing an instrument, please make sure to speak to one of our friendly music staff. Some instruments are of a substandard quality and are difficult for your son to learn from.

FOUNDERS DAY



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SPORTING CARNIVAL 2017 SATURDAY 20TH MAY

MAZENOD COLLEGE GROUNDS Matches from 9.00AM to 5.00PM
Every heart beats true for the Black White and Blue

To recognise the 50th year of Mazenod College, our Old Boys sporting clubs of AFL, Football, Volleyball and Cricket are joining together to hold a magnificent sporting extravaganza for this year's Founders Day. This will be the first time the three Old Boy teams of AFL, Soccer and Volleyball will play for competition points at the place where it all began for our many sporting champions as we come together to reminisce, support and celebrate one of Mazenod's most enduring legacies – our love of sport.

All of our Mazenod Community are most welcome to join us on this special day for the College and our Old Collegian teams. For more information visit <http://www.mazenod.vic.edu.au/>

CATHOLIC YOUTH RALLY

THURSDAY 18TH MAY

STEVE ANGRISANO
AT MAZENOD

\$5 ENTRY
(PAY AT DOOR)

5 KERNOT AVE, MULGRAVE
7.30PM TO 9.30PM