



# The Good Samaritan

## BEDE POLDING COLLEGE

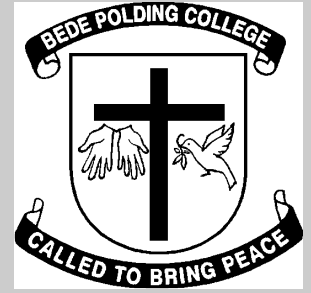
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11th June 2010

Term 2 Week 8

Reminder!

## Calendar Dates

11 June	Staff Development Day (Pupil Free)
14 June	Queen's Birthday Holiday
16 June	Bede Polding Awards
18 June	Polding Walk
22 June	Yrs 10 to 11 Parent Information Evening 6:30pm—8:30pm
29 June	Staff Meeting (9:30 start)
2 July	Term 2 ends

## Assessment Calendar

On the assessment calendar in this newsletter we have included a new row called DTS (due to students). The tasks mentioned in this row are the tasks that the students are to receive on or before that day so that they have 4 weeks notification. We hope that this will further help to make you aware of the tasks your child has to complete. This will continue in all future newsletters.

If you have any questions please contact me at the College on 4577 6455.

*Rodney Howard*  
Assistant Principal Curriculum

## Principal's Desk

Dear Parents/Guardians,

In the coming week we will be celebrating the significant contribution of John Bede Polding to our Church and society. On Wednesday during a special liturgy we will focus on some of the qualities that he personified and we will recognise some of our students who embody these same qualities. This is a very important occasion and one of the highlights of our school year.

On Friday we will all be involved in the Polding Walk, our major whole school fund raising activity designed to improve our facilities here at the College. Some of the funds raised are also given to local organisations to support their work with the poor and homeless.

I would like to take this opportunity in advance to thank all those parents who have supported the Polding Walk. As well as those parents who have so generously contributed financially, we have a significant number of parents who have volunteered to work here on the day. Our sincere thanks to you all.

On another note I would like to congratulate the Student Representative Council on the success of "Bede's Got Talent". This showcase of some of the talent at the College was thoroughly enjoyed by a large crowd that attended last Thursday night. This is a major function organised and run by the SRC for charity.

God Bless

Kevin Jones  
Principal

## Polding Walk—18th June

Thank you to all parents who have kindly volunteered to help out. You will receive a note shortly with all of the details.

## College Leadership Teams

### ~ Executive ~

#### *Principal*

Mr Kevin Jones

#### *Assistant Principals*

Mr Rodney Howard / Mr Harry Fernandez

#### *Religious Education Coordinator*

Mr Jim Gooley / Assistant: Mrs Mary McGuinness

#### *Business Manager*

Mr Paul Cruise

#### *Administration Coordinator*

Mrs Anita Meehan

### ~ Curriculum Forum & Assistants ~

#### *Creative Arts*

Ms Margarete Formanek / Assistant: Miss Carol Muscat

#### *English*

Mrs Barbara Stanners / Assistant: Mr Patrick Loughlin

#### *Human Society & Its Environment*

Mr Paul Sykes / Assistant: Mr Brett Windon

#### *LOTE*

Mrs Felicity Mgaza

#### *LTST*

Ms Carol Peare

#### *Mathematics*

Mr M McCarney / Assistant: Mr Mal Hegarty

#### *PDHPE*

Ms Megan Bertenshaw

#### *Post Compulsory & Careers*

Mr Brett Collimore

#### *Science*

Mrs Jenelle Gavin

#### *Special Education*

Mrs Jan Trefoni

#### *Sports Coordinator*

Mr Dean Bertenshaw

#### *Technology & Applied Studies*

Mr Edward Gruppetta / Ms Katrina Leach

#### *Year Coordinators*

**Years 7** Mr Stephen Godfrey

**Year 8** Mr Vince Le Breton

**Year 9** Mr Marc Sluiter

**Year 10** Mrs Melinda Bowd

#### *Senior Coordinator*

Ms Jenny Woods

Assistant: Miss Belinda Pickert

#### *Student Counsellor*

Mrs Sally Wardley

#### *Librarian*

Mrs Kerrie Brownscombe

## Mock Trial

On 17 May the Bede Polding Mock trial team came up against a tough case against Xavier College. The case Snapper vs NSW Department of Primary Industries was an interesting case concerning a fisherman (Snapper Brown) who had taken an amount of abalone over the legal limit, and under the legal size. The job as Defence was to prove the innocence of Mr Snapper Brown, which was a tricky situation. In the end Snapper Brown was sentenced to a year in prison and given a fine of \$50,000 however, due to the excellent performance of Jimmy Bayssari (first barrister), Sarah Marokakis (second barrister), Anna Marscham (solicitor), Alyssah Jackson (first witness), Krystie Grubba (second witness) and Alex Lyskey (magistrate's associate) the Bede Polding College Mock Trial team won the round. Thank you to Mrs Smith - Mock Trial Coach.

### Campion College Information Evening: 21 June

Campion College Australia will hold an information evening on Monday 21 June from 4.30-7.30 pm. Campion offers a Bachelor degree in the Liberal Arts but also provides for the study of one-off subjects for interest such as philosophy and theology. Details: [www.campion.edu.au](http://www.campion.edu.au)

### Bishop Anthony's Installation Mass DVD

A DVD of the Liturgical Reception and Solemn Mass of Installation of Bishop Anthony Fisher OP as the third Bishop of Parramatta will soon be available. Place your order now for a special commemorative recording of this joyous event in the life of our Diocese. Price: \$19.95 (incl. GST + P&H). For an order form go to: [www.parra.catholic.org.au](http://www.parra.catholic.org.au)

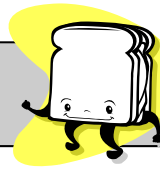
### WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER: A

weekend for married couples. Take time out of your busy schedule, to invest in your most precious asset . . . Your Marriage! This is a unique opportunity to recharge your relationship batteries, refocus on each other and fall in love all over again!

Weekend dates: 30 July - 1 August, Edmund Rice Retreat Centre, Mulgoa, (nr. Penrith) NSW For bookings/details contact: 02 4283 3435 / 02 6379 1125

Information: website <<http://www.wvme.org.au/>>  
[www.wvme.org.au](http://www.wvme.org.au)

# Canteen Roster & News



## Week 9

**Monday 14th June**  
PUBLIC HOLIDAY  
**Tuesday 15th June**  
T Baker, C Hepburn,  
C Kersten, K Accary  
**Wednesday 16th June**  
(HELP NEEDED)  
**Thursday 17th June**  
S Azzopardi, I Morris  
**Friday 18th June**  
BEDE POLDING WALK

## Week 10

**Monday 21st June**  
L Blume, A Ascik,  
J McCarthy, J Lee  
**Tuesday 22nd June**  
T Baker, J Houston,  
G McCarthy  
**Wednesday 23rd June**  
T Winters, J Bourke  
**Thursday 24th June**  
L Donlan, D Gallo, K Milgate  
**Friday 25th June**  
S Makkonen, L Wilshire,  
K Pedzik, N Brown

## Canteen News

- As the term is coming to an end—please order lunch so you don't miss out.

*Natalie Jones*  
(Canteen Manager)

## Japanese Students Arriving Soon.....

We are in cooperation with your school arranging a study tour for 22 Japanese students from Aki Fuchu High School. They require Host Families and we are hoping you can help.

- ✦ They are here to practice their English.
- ✦ Australian food is encouraged.
- ✦ Host Family Payments of \$35.00 per student per night are included.

This is a wonderful opportunity for you and your family to experience another culture.

Dates – Arriving                      Departing  
                 21 August 2010                      28 August 2010

Please contact our Coordinator for more information

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Mobile:                      0409 925 446


**Good Grief**


Richmond Community Services Inc are pleased to offer:  
A free afternoon workshop facilitated by Margaret Elder for those who are grieving  
**On SATURDAY 14th AUGUST 2010, 2–4pm**

Grief is the natural response when we experience loss in our lives.

Growth can come in various ways through life's experiences—it may be a new awareness of who we are—or insights into our strengths, values and beliefs. There are choices when a loved one dies—to live in grief, remorse, guilt, all covered by a façade—or to face the feelings, work them through and emerge with an acceptance of the loss—and a commitment to living.

**At: Richmond Neighbourhood Centre  
20 West Market St, Richmond.  
To book in please call 4588 3555  
or you can email: [admin@rcsi.ngo.org.au](mailto:admin@rcsi.ngo.org.au)**

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## ASSESSMENT TASK CALENDAR

9A			Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
			14 Jun	15 Jun	16 Jun	17 Jun	18 Jun
		DTS	Queen's Birthday Holiday		11 EEC 11 Geography 10 VA	11 Agriculture	Polding Walk
	12	ATD		Economics Food Tech General Maths Mathematics Visual Arts	English Ext 2 Maths Ext 2 M History	A History Business St	
	11	ATD		A History	M History		
	10	ATD		PASS (in class)	Drama Food Tech IPT PDM Religious Education	IT Metal IT Multimedia IT Timber	
	9	ATD				IT Metal	
	8	ATD		Assessment Free	Assessment Free	Assessment Free	
	7	ATD		Assessment Free	Assessment Free	Assessment Free	

10B			Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
			21 Jun	22 Jun	23 Jun	24 Jun	25 Jun
		DTS	10 English	9 Music	11 Biology 10 Music		
	12	ATD	B Services		Biology	SOR1	Music 1 PDHPE
	11	ATD	B Services	PVD	English Ext 1 Visual Arts	French Beg French Cont	Food Tech P1/2
	10	ATD	PASS (in class)		Agriculture Food Tech French Italian Music		
	9	ATD			Agriculture	Textile Tech Visual Arts	
	8	ATD	Assessment Free	Assessment Free	Assessment Free	Assessment Free	Assessment Free
	7	ATD	Assessment Free	Assessment Free	Assessment Free	Assessment Free	Assessment Free

11A			Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
			28 Jun	29 Jun	30 Jun	1 Jul	2 Jul
		DTS	11 CFS 11 Senior Sc	Athletics Carnival	11 French Beg 11 French Cont 11 General Maths 11 Mathematics 10 Italian	9 PDM	10 French
	12	ATD	Eng Adv & Std Food Tech French Beg		Italian Beg Italian Cont		
	11	ATD			Drama PDHPE	Studies of RE	IT Timber
	10	ATD	Aust Geography PASS (in class)		Aust History IT Multimedia		
	9	ATD					
	8	ATD					
	7	ATD					

DTS is a list of the tasks that are to be handed out to students on that date

**PLEASE NOTE:**  
In the case of any discrepancy in the assessment dates published here the date that will be used by the College in the event of any appeal or other process will be the date on the Assessment Task Cover Sheet provided directly to the student. Please contact the College if you have any concerns about any of the information published here.