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VARIATIONS TO ROUTINE

TERM 3 WEEK 1

17 July – 21 July 2017

WEEK A

17 July <ul style="list-style-type: none"> School Holidays 	18 July <ul style="list-style-type: none"> All students commence term 	19 July <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Staff Vs Students cricket game period 6 PB4L Launch day period 3 & 4 Europe tour info night 6pm - 7:30pm
20 July <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 10 Drama 	21 July <ul style="list-style-type: none"> CHS Cross Country Formal Senior Assembly. Junior Year meetings Legacy Public speaking award 	

A LOOK AHEAD 2017 Term 3 week 2

B TERM 3 WEEK 2	24 July <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Regional Athletics Robotics club 12:35pm - 1:15pm Year 8 into 9 subject booklet issued Assessment Tasks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 11 Biology skills 	25 July <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Regional Athletics Pacifica Cultural Event Executive IMEX training P & C meeting 7pm - 9pm Assessment Tasks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 11 maths ext 1 task 	26 July <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pacifica Cultural Event Opportunity class placement test Robotics club 12:35pm - 1:15pm 	27 July <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Years 8 and 9 parent teacher night Australian Mathematic comp 	28 July <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Junior assembly. Senior year meetings National Tree Day China Cultural excursion
A TERM 3 WEEK 3	31 July <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Robotics club 12:35pm - 1:15pm Year 8 into 9 subject online open Assessment Tasks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> HSC Trial examinations 	1 August <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 11 Bio excursion Australian national Chemistry Quiz Assessment Tasks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> HSC Trial examinations UNSW ICAS English competition 	2 August <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Robotics Club Assessment Tasks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> HSC Trial examinations 	3 August <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assessment Tasks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> HSC Trial examinations Year 11 2 unit Maths task 	4 August <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Senior assembly. Junior year meetings Assessment Tasks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> HSC Trial examinations
B TERM 3 WEEK 4	7 August <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Robotics club 12:35pm - 1:15pm Assessment Tasks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> HSC Trial examinations 	8 August <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assessment Tasks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> HSC Trial examinations 	9 August <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 9 to Macbeth Robotics club 12:35pm - 1:15pm Assessment Tasks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> HSC Trial examinations 	10 August <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 5 Gala day Assessment Tasks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> HSC Trial examinations 	11 August <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Junior assembly. Senior year meetings AIME Years 9, 10 and 11 Assessment Tasks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> HSC Trial examinations

Principals Report

I would like to wish students and their families a relaxing and enjoyable holiday and thank students for their positive engagement in learning throughout term 2. I look forward to another enjoyable and engaging term of learning in term 3. The first day back for students is Tuesday 18th July. Students will be required to be in winter uniform.

Year 9 Music, Art, Drama and Design (MADD) Evening

I would like to thank the Creative and Performing Arts (CAPA) faculty for the wonderful organisation of the MADD evening on Tuesday 27th June. The student performances were spectacular and the art work on display showcased the incredible talent of our Visual Arts students. Special thanks to Sam Witcombe of Year 11 for doing such a great job emceeing the evening.

The pictures below show some of the highlights of the evening.

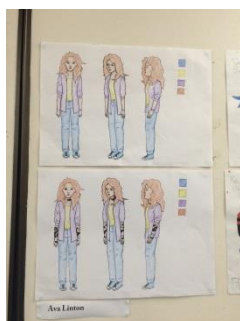
MADD Evening



Nikki Armstrong



Leonardo Soffiato Di Lorenzo



Ava Linton



Holly Thompson



MADD Evening



Regional Athletics

Congratulations to the following students who have qualified to represent the Northern Suburbs Zone at the Regional Athletics Carnival in Week 2 of Term 3.

Year 7 - Andrea Grzeskowiak, Anna Dey, Tamikah Joe, Thomas Comer, Angus Gray, Jacob Leon, Phoebe Michie, Ellie Tsangalias, Paula De La Vara Arnaiz, Maddox Rosenberg, Damian Biazzo

Year 8 - Simona Tizzzone

Year 9 - Grace Kiefer, Brendan Barrett, Ben Comer, Daniel Drury, Kieran Medeiros

Year 10 - Francesca Bull, Maya Ralley, Sena Ozguven, Kyla Gray, Odile Pusenjak Jake Contemplacion, Harish Vinoth Anna, Lachlan Georgiadis, Max Trapnell, Zac Newport, William Hughes, Saxon Fogarty, Jordan Mastrogannis

Year 12 - Janice Wong, Brian Chan

Year 10 and 11 Parent Teacher Evening

Thank you very much to the parents who attended the Parent Teacher Evening on Thursday 29th June to discuss their child's progress. I would also like to make a special thank you to the P & C for organising refreshments on the evening and of course the wonderful teaching staff who gave of their family time to meet with parents.

Thank you very much to our wonderful P & C



The Year 11 reports that were not collected on the evening will be mailed home shortly.

Year 8 and 9 Parent Teacher Evenings

The next parent teacher evening will be held for Year 8 and 9 on Thursday July 27th from 4.00 -7.00 pm in the school hall. The information for the booking process will be provided to parents early next term.

Jody Engisch
Relieving Principal

DEPUTY PRINCIPALS REPORTS

TERM 3 EVENTS

Return to school

Reminder that Term 3 starts for students Tuesday 18 July on a Week A. On the first week of term grade sport teams will have a training day and Recreation sport will start Week 2. Recreation sport students will remain at school with staff.

Year 8 course selection for Year 9 electives.

In Week 2 of term 3 we will start discussing with year 8 students the elective courses offered for Years 9 and 10. In Week 3 of term 3 you will be asked to complete an online selection. Remember that the courses selected must be studied for both Years 9 and 10.

Years 8 and 9 parent teacher night. Thursday July 27. The perfect opportunity for Year 8 families to discuss elective choices for Year 9.

Mrs Fiona Payne – (Years 7, 9, 11)
Mr Craig Anderson – (Years 8, 10, 12)





Congratulations to the students listed below, who were awarded a Merit last week. Well done!

STUDENT	AWARD
Jane PAVLOVIC	Bronze Merit: Bronze Merit
Caleb SYKES	Academic: Merit
Mohammad JUDEH	Academic: Merit
Laura PULEA	Consistent Behaviour: Merit
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Ye Won BYUN	Bronze Merit: Bronze Merit
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Ye Won BYUN	Principal's Award: Principal Award



CONCORD HIGH SCHOOL P&C NEWS – FRIDAY, 30 JUNE 2017

P&C SWEET TREATS STALL – WEDNESDAY, 19 JULY

The school is launching their Positive Behaviour for Learning (PB4L) program on Wednesday 19 July with a number of school events.

The P&C are delighted to have been asked to be part of this important launch by running a Sweet Treats Stall at school at recess from 10.35 am.

We need your help. We need donations of Sweet Treats to sell to students.

Donations can be either store bought or homemade. Ideas include cakes, cupcakes, biscuits, brownies, rocky road, bags of lollies &/or chocolates, slices etc. We are looking for anything sweet that will appeal to high school kids!

Homemade items are best plated on disposable & covered plates if you can but if provided in containers, etc. please be sure to write the student name and year and these will be returned to the front office for pick up after the event. We will plate up store bought items. A list of all ingredients used must be provided.

Monies raised from the Sweet Treats Stall will be used to fund resources for the PB4L program.

Your Sweet Treats will need to be delivered by students or parents/carers to the staff common room (above the front office) before school on the morning of Wednesday, 19 July by.

If you are free and would like to help, we welcome volunteer parents and carers to set up and run the stall with any time you have free between 9am and 11.30am. Email us on the address below and we will contact you with further details.

We really appreciate how hectic life is so donations of any kind will be most warmly welcomed and appreciated by the P&C and students.

This is a great way to support the school and students on this important day and the PB4L programme.

YEAR 8/9 THURSDAY, 27 JULY PARENT/TEACHER NIGHT - REFRESHMENTS AVAILABLE

For the Year 8/9 Parent/Teacher night on Thursday, 27 July tea, coffee, cakes and biscuits will be provided by the P&C in the hall for a gold coin donation so bring your loose change.

If you can volunteer to help with the refreshment stall on Thursday, 27 July, please email us your details as below.

Huge thanks to our parent and carer volunteers for their time in planning and setting up and running the refreshment stall at this and previous parent/teacher evenings keeping us fed and warm!

CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS

The P&C is made up of many wonderful fellow parent/carers with a few choosing and being elected to take on specific tasks but please remember there are many ways to be involved and support your P&C and local community not all requiring too much time and each and every contribution is so appreciated.

Please take a moment to look at our call for volunteers listing in the KIT below.

If you want to be kept informed of P&C matters, receive the agenda or minutes, and/or become more involved please email us as per below. You can also find general information on the P&C on the CHS web site under Our School Your P&C. Remember there are many ways to be involved and support your P&C and local community not all requiring too much time.

Next P&C Meeting is Tuesday, 25 July from 7.00 pm in the Staff Common Room.

For further information, please do not hesitate to contact us by emailing : concordhighschool@pandcaffiliate.org.au

CONCORD HIGH SCHOOL UNIFORM SHOP NEWS

The Uniform Shop's operating hours are Monday and Wednesday 10.30 am – 1.30 pm.

Please note at recess (10:35am – 10:55am) and lunch (12.35pm – 1.15pm) students are given priority – parents welcome after recess and before or after lunch.

Tracksuit pants are now available from the Uniform Shop.

Notice is hereby given that prices of all uniform shop items will increase from the start of Term 3. The new price list can be obtained from the Uniform Shop at the start of Term 3. The price increases are beyond our control as we are now required, due to our revenue, to register and charge GST and the supply price of some items have also increased from our supplier.

The Uniform Shop is run by our wonderful Uniform Shop Manager, Mae Czernkowski, who is supported by a team of parent/carers volunteers. Mae together with these volunteers has been working hard to ensure uniform prices are kept as reasonable as possible and that our Uniform Shop operates to a profit with all funds raised being donated to the school to help fund resources.

You can contact Mae, our Uniform Shop Manager, on 0434 169 203 or email school_s_in@yahoo.com.au

Finally, thanks to Mae, all P&C volunteers and member and very best wishes to all CHS students, families and staff from your Concord High School P&C. Wishing all students and staff a great school holidays.



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Your P&C needs the people with the following skills from the community to help support our school and ongoing fundraising initiatives.

Annual Auditor

Accurate financial record keeping is important in any organisation, especially for a not-for-profit association like the P&C. We require a *pro bono* auditor. The auditor does not need to be a member of the Institute of Internal Auditors (IIA) nor a qualified professional but s/he must possess appropriate skills and experience in auditing and financial record management together with an appreciation of the issues of probity as they relate to the role of an association auditor. The auditor must not have or appear to have any conflict of interest arising, for example, from a personal or business relationship with an Officer of the association and must be prepared to swear that the records are a true and correct statement of the information provided by the Treasurer. This is a once a year role but is a critical role for our compliance and we are hoping someone from the local school community will be able to help us. You will work closely with the Treasurer.

P&C Representatives on New Staff Merit Selection Panels

Another important way of being involved is to sit as a P&C representative on a Merit Selection Panel for new staff. Please email us as below if you would be interested in receiving more information and let us know if you are currently trained and/or have sat on Panels before. Training will be provided and we will add your name to our list of volunteers.

Cake Stall Volunteers

We need a list of available people throughout the year who can help out and set up cake stalls for events run in the school. These events include Parent/Teacher Interview Evenings, Harmony Day, etc. and are an easy and fun way to support the school and community.

Landscapers & Signwriters

The school is looking for parents/carers who might have either landscaping or signwriting skills to help with the school's grounds beautification project and with posters around the school supporting the PB4L process.

If you want further information or are available to help with any of the above, please email us on concordhighschool@pandcaffiliate.org.au