



# MACKILLOP NEWS

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"Never see a need without trying  
to do something about it"  
St. Mary MacKillop

Date Claimer:  
The Mackillop Catholic College

## Presentation Night

will be held on  
**Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> November 2019, 6:30PM**  
at Mackillop Catholic College

Please join with us in celebrating  
the achievements of your students and their peers  
in the 2019 Academic Year!

THE MACKILLOP CATHOLIC COLLEGE P&F ASSOC. PRESENTS  
THE 2019 P&F

## TRIVIA NIGHT

**2<sup>ND</sup> NOVEMBER 2019**  
TABLES OF 8 • \$10PP • 6:30PM

Bring a non-perishable food item to be donated  
to Winnies for a ticket in a special draw!

RAISING MONEY FOR SHADE CLOTHS FOR SEATING AREAS  
BYO FOOD AND DRINKS  
TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM THE FRONT OFFICE • TO BE HELD IN THE OLIVE GROVE CAFÉ

DEAR PARENTS & GUARDIANS,  
You are invited to join us in celebrating the

MACKILLOP CATHOLIC  
COLLEGE CLASS OF 2019

## GRADUATION

9:30AM WEDNESDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER

### Graduation Mass

All in our MacKillop Community are invited to  
attend.  
To be held at MacKillop Catholic College.  
Morning tea to follow at the Olive Grove Café.  
Dress code: Formal for families and staff, smart  
casual for guests, formal uniform for all  
students.

PLEASE DIRECT ALL ENQUIRIES  
TO THE COLLEGE OFFICE  
mackillopcollege@nt.catholic.edu.au  
(08) 8930 5757

WE INVITE YOU TO JOIN US FOR OUR NEXT

## Working Bee

**SATURDAY 2<sup>ND</sup> NOVEMBER: 8AM - 10AM**  
PARTICIPANTS WILL GET A WORKING BEE CREDIT ON THEIR SCHOOL FEES  
WE WILL BE WORKING ON THE FRONT GARDEN BEDS.  
WE NEED WHEELBARROWS, SHOVELS, AND RAKES FOR MOVING MULCH.  
TRAILERS AND UTES WOULD BE GREAT!  
MORNING TEA, GOOD COMPANY, AND SUNSCREEN PROVIDED  
WITH MUCH GRATITUDE, LAURETTA GRAHAM - PRINCIPAL



## FROM THE FRONT OFFICE

### Year 7 2020 Enrolments are at Capacity

We have reached maximum capacity for year 7 2020. Further enrolment applications are welcome to be submitted, but will be put on the waiting list. We still encourage you to submit your application, as last minute changes may open up spaces for students on the waiting list, and if there is enough demand we will consider adding an extra class. Years 8 and 9 2020 are also hovering around capacity, but at this point enrolments are still being accepted in these year levels. If you have younger children who you intend to enrol at MacKillop in the future, we strongly encourage you to submit your expression of interest now rather than waiting until the end of year 6, as we are already starting to put classes together for as far ahead as 2026. We thank our whole community for this vote of confidence in what we offer here at MacKillop.



### Uniform Shop Sale



**Uniform Sale (SETS)**  
**Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> November 10am to 2pm**  
**Monday 4<sup>th</sup> November 4pm to 5.30pm**  
**Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> November 4pm to 5.30pm**

Get a great deal on sets for the 2020 School Year

2019 overflow stock at reduced prices.  
 Please note this is for stock on hand only.

All purchases must be paid for on the day. Uniform sales cannot be added to school fees account.

#### Female Middle School Formal Set

##### Normal Price

Set 1	Set 2
Blouse \$36	Blouse \$36
Shorts \$38	Skorts \$32
Total \$74	Total \$68

##### Sale Price

Set 1	Set 2
\$64.00	\$60.00

#### Boys Middle School Formal Set

##### Normal Price

Shirt \$35
Shorts \$33
Total \$68

##### Sale Price \$60.00

#### Female Senior School Formal Set

##### Normal Price

Set 1	Set 2
Blouse \$38	Blouse \$38
Skirt \$43	Short \$40
Tie \$15	Tie \$15
Total \$96	Total \$93

##### Sale Price

Set with a tie	Set without a tie
\$80.00	\$65.00

#### Boys Senior School Formal Set

##### Normal Price

Shirt \$40
Shorts \$33
Tie \$20
Total \$93

##### Sale Price

Set with a tie	Set without a tie
\$80.00	\$65.00

All other uniform items will be a flat \$5 off normal price.

E.g. Male Middle School Day Shirt \$35 Sale Price \$30

Preloved Uniforms will also be available to purchase on these days. \$5 per item.

Limited items available.

If you have any questions or queries please contact [dianne.cook@nt.catholic.edu.au](mailto:dianne.cook@nt.catholic.edu.au)

## RAP NEWS

### Graduation Sash Presentations

On assembly on the 23rd of October we acknowledged the achievement of our 2019 Year 12 graduands of Aboriginal and Islander ancestry, with the presentation of ATI graduation sashes. Historically, the opportunity to achieve such significant educational milestones as this, which many of us now take for granted, has not been readily available to indigenous Australians, but with each successive generation and the continued dedication and hard work of people such as these students, the world will continue to become a better place with fairer possibilities for all in the generations to come.



## VET & CAREERS NEWS

### Creative Makeup Artistry

Congratulations Maeve and Nate Marshall! In a nod to the future, Hair and Beauty students applied high levels of creative flair and technical wizardry to more than 50 models in the hours leading up to the Gen Alpha inspired Time to Shine show. This is photographer Julianne Osborne's behind-the-scenes photo essay





### Mackayla and Mya Police, Fire and Emergency Services Cadets Graduation

Raven Hobbs and Claudia MacNaughton present the uniforms they will be wearing for the new Hospitality VET course we have planned for 2020! The uniforms, as well as some other resources for the course, have been donated by Unilever Australia as part of their programme of investment in the future of the hospitality industry.



### Congratulations Tiana Sariago

Well done Tiana on being accepted to attend the 2019 National Indigenous Summer School at ANU in Canberra, with STEM as her focus area. We hope this experience opens up a world of possibilities in Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths for you Tiana!



### Kokoda Expedition Completed!





## ARTS NEWS

### Wicked Cast Announcement

Auditions have taken place, and we are proud to announce the lead cast members for "Wicked" in 2020!



**ELPHABA:** Felicity Lamberton

**GLINDA:** Allanah Leslie

**THE WIZARD OF OZ:** Harrison Port

**MADAME MORRIBLE:** Clare Forsyth

**FIYERO:** Daniel Neuman

**NESSAROSE:** Elizabeth Salter

**BOO:** Jah-Ryse Godinho Dos Reis

**DOCTOR DILLAMOND:** Mitchell Moriarty

**MELENA:** Autumn Sengpho

**FREX:** Shea Rafterly

**CHISTERY:** Jordyn Cook

**PFANEE:** Nissa Stevens

**SHENSHEN:** Zoe Grant

### MINOR ROLES/UNDERSTUDIES/CHORUS:

Addison Perris, Chrissa Samson, Jessica Johnson, Mia Campbell, Zahra Perry, Sophie Cook

### Thank You Nicola Martinelli

Farewell Mr Nicola Martinelli! Nicola, a world-class trumpeter, joined us briefly from the Conservatory of Verona, Italy, as a musician in residence. Thanks for filling our music hallways with your beautiful sound! safe travels!



## FROM THE HEAD OF MIDDLE YEARS

### World Teachers Day Awards

Dear families,



**Lorna Parker**

Head of Middle Years

I wish to announce that we presented some awards to our teachers on Friday 25th October for World Teachers day. We have been running a competition at the school for a few weeks inviting teachers to participate in a Profiling session of their teaching to see who could demonstrate the most positive teaching skills in their classrooms. The first award went to the teacher who has demonstrated the highest usage of these particular skills. Congratulations to Bec Dowling, a teacher who creates a great love of learning in every learning environment. Bec won a voucher donated from Madame Za's restaurant, a new Asian fusion restaurant that has opened at the Rydges Palmerston.

The **Second Award** was donated by Palates of India at Bellamack and went to a new teacher at our school called Mr Will Ryan. Will has also demonstrated great skills and commitment to the profession.

The **Third award** was made to Kathryn Ezzy. Kathryn is one of our wonderful music teachers who does an exceptional job in her classrooms. Her discount voucher was donated by Croc restaurant in Cullen Bay.

Thank you to all of our teachers, whether they won awards or not. They are all so committed and dedicated to our students day after day.





PRESENTS

THE GREAT SCHOOL

### BYOD CASH BACK







Our school is participating in the 2019 Harvey Norman

### BYOD GREAT SCHOOL CASH BACK!

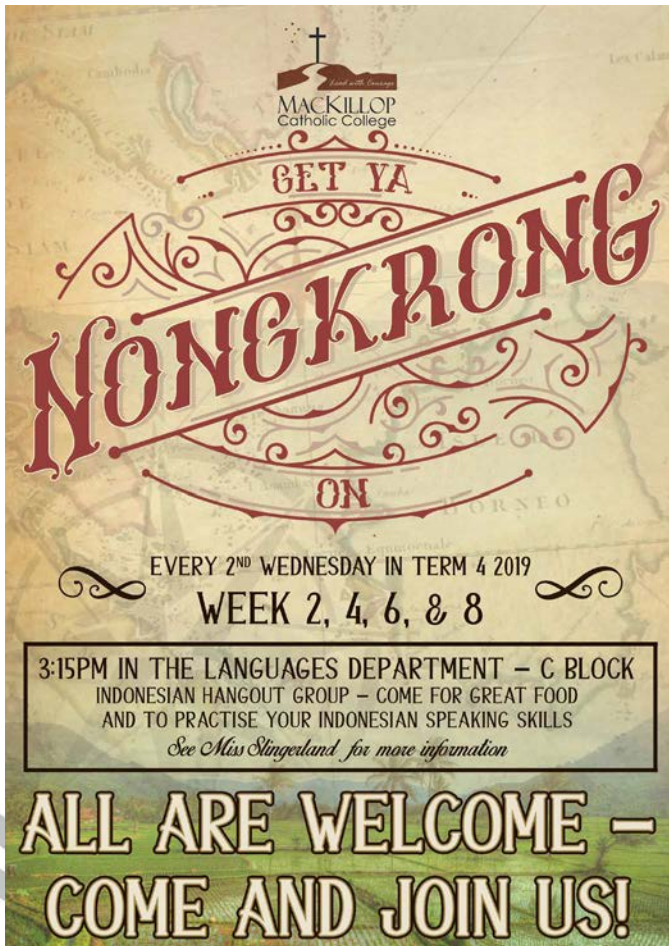
To participate, present this voucher to Harvey Norman Darwin Computer staff when purchasing your child's BYOD device and you will receive bonus phone support &

**IMPORTANTLY \$30 FOR EVERY DEVICE WILL COME BACK TO THE SCHOOL**

To purchase much needed resources for the school

## LANGUAGES & INTERNATIONAL NEWS

**Nongkrong is back for Term 4!**



MACKILLOP Catholic College

GET YA

# NONGKRONG

ON

EVERY 2<sup>ND</sup> WEDNESDAY IN TERM 4 2019

WEEK 2, 4, 6, & 8

3:15PM IN THE LANGUAGES DEPARTMENT – C BLOCK

INDONESIAN HANGOUT GROUP – COME FOR GREAT FOOD AND TO PRACTISE YOUR INDONESIAN SPEAKING SKILLS

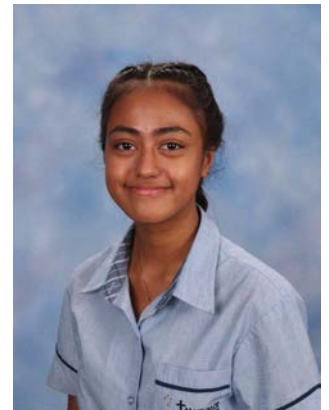
*See Miss Slingerland for more information*

## ALL ARE WELCOME – COME AND JOIN US!

## SCIENCE NEWS

**Congratulations Rivelya!**

Congratulations Ravelya Fenwick on being granted a sponsored scholarship to attend the 2019 ConocoPhillips Science Experience! It took place at the end of last month at CDU.



## COMMUNITY SERVICE NEWS

**Well done Cael!**

Over the Mid-semester break, Cael Carson participated as an altar server in the blessing of the grounds for a new church in Western Australia. This is a momentous event to be part of - congratulations!





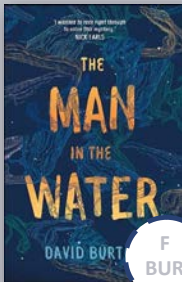
## LIBRARY NEWS

# Mackillop

When 16-year-old Shaun discovers a dead body in the lake of a quiet mining town in outback Queensland, he reports it to the police immediately.

But when he returns to the site with the constable, the body is gone.

Shaun's father drowned a few years ago, and now his mum and the authorities questions whether he saw a body at all. Determined to show the town the truth, Shaun and his best friend, Will, open their own investigation. What they discover is far more sinister than a mining mishap or a murder, and reveals a darkness below the surface of their mining town.

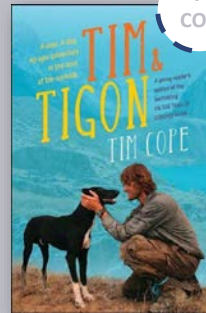


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## Some of what's October New In the Library

Adventurer Tim Cope had a childhood dream: to travel the 10,000 kilometres from Mongolia to Hungary on horseback - a journey undertaken centuries ago by the legendary leader of the Mongols, Genghis Khan. On this journey, Tim met a dog called Tigon.

For more than three years, Tim and Tigon endured searing heat and bitter cold; dark lonely nights when wolves circled their camp; hunger; despair; joy; and the wild beauty of the landscape around them. They met the people of the steppe, who welcomed Tim and Tigon into their homes, and shared their traditions and histories.



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Stacey and Laney are twins - mirror images of each other - and yet they're as different as the sun and moon. But when Laney disappears one night, Stacey can't believe she's just run off without telling her.

As the days pass and Laney doesn't return, Stacey starts dreaming of her twin. The dreams are dark and terrifying, difficult to understand and hard to shake, but at least they tell Stacey one key thing - Laney is alive. It's hard for Stacey to know what's real and what's imagined and even harder to know who to trust. All she knows for sure is that Laney needs her help.



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## Father Gerry Remie Centre

# Library

## BASKETBALL NEWS

### New Saints Head of Basketball

Introducing Mr Jackson, who has taken over from Mr Robinson as the Head of Saints Basketball! He has hit the ground running and is already in the process of lining up a range of new competition opportunities, so watch this space, and speak to Mr Jackson if you are interested in basketball and would like to get involved representing the Saints!



### National Basketball Representatives

Well done Piper Gotch, Sierra McQueen and Alyssa Reid, who played for the Northern Territory Cyclones representative basketball team in Ballarat for the u14 Australian Championships!



### Wheelchair Basketball

The Stage 1 PE and Community Studies class went to the Marrara Basketball stadium last Friday to participate in Wheelchair Basketball as part of their unit on Modified Games. Students are investigating and analysing the improvement to inclusivity and participation that modification to games can achieve.

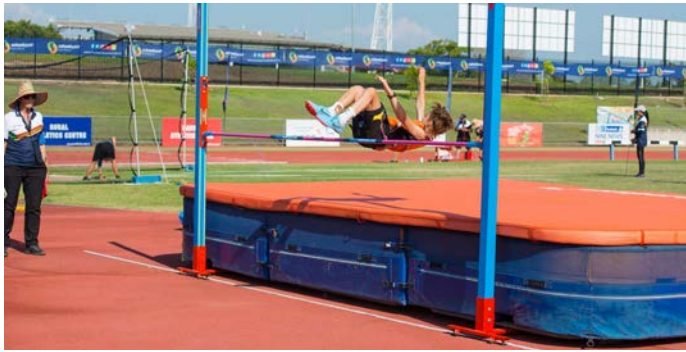




## OTHER SPORTS NEWS

### Congratulations Nelson!

Nelson Minogue recently competed in multiple sports at the School Sports Australia competition at Marrara.



### Olympic Change Maker Awards

Congratulations Daniel Gabriel-Yak and Clare Forsyth, who were recipients of the Olympic Change Maker award. This is a fantastic achievement, as only a limited number of this national award are offered in the NT.

## YEAR 12 NEWS



**Bonnie Morton**  
Year 12 Coordinator

*As we enter the beginning of Term 4, our Year 12 students are gearing up for their exams and working hard to get those last pieces of assessments in to complete their Northern Territory Certificate of Education.*

It has been such a privilege and pleasure to work with these students across their schooling and we are so proud of all of their achievements, both in the class room and within the community.

We often receive feedback about how respectful, compassionate and caring our Year 12 students are and know that they will achieve success with whatever they choose to pursue in the weeks, months and years to come.

We are very much looking forward to celebrating all of their achievements in the coming weeks and would like to remind students of the following key dates and events:

- Last day of classes and Celebration Day: 25th October
- SWOTVAC Week 3
- Exams - Week 4 and 5

A reminder that exams are being held in the Library. Please arrive AT LEAST 15 minutes prior to the starting time of your exam to ensure you are prepared.

A reminder to students to please return all library books and to have lockers cleaned out and locks returned to Ms Mills by Friday 23rd of November.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank our parents/ caregivers for all the support you have shown both your child and the school throughout their education at Mackillop Catholic College. Finally, thank you to our Year 12 students, you have certainly grown in myriad of ways over your schooling and hope that you have enjoyed being a part of the Mackillop Catholic College community.

**Bonnie Morton**

Year 12 Coordinator

### Graduation Events

#### Graduation Mass

Wednesday 21st November

Basketball court - MacKillop Catholic College

Mass begins at 9:30am – students please arrive no later than 9:15am, full formal uniform required for students, including correct shoes, socks and tie, belts and shirts tucked in for male students.

Guests please wear Darwin formal for this event

#### Graduation Dinner

Thursday 22nd November

Darwin Convention Centre

Drinks and nibbles from 5:30pm, guests seated at 5:50pm for a 6:00pm start

Evening wear

Tickets are required and can be purchased using the following link: Please ensure this is completed by November 1st.

#### Year 12 Breakfast and Farewell Assembly

Friday 23rd November

Breakfast – Year 12 students and their teachers



Café – Mackillop Catholic College

Full formal uniform

Farewell Assembly – Whole college event and families of graduates

Families to please wear neat casual

## COLOUR RUN



*May your journey always be filled with blessings and may the life of Saint Mary MacKillop ignite in you the flames of faith and service*





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## P&F ASSOC. NEWS

*Dear Families,*

Well, here we are in Term 4. We hope you managed to spend some time together as a family over the holidays. Only another 8 weeks until the holidays approach again.

A massive virtual hug to all our Year 12 students who officially finish school this Friday. We hope that all goes well with your exam preparation and that your exams are exactly as you expected. Enjoy the Activity Day on Friday. It sounds like a day full of laughter and smiles. We look forward to joining you in your Graduation program of events. Graduation is so close. What a privilege it's been for the P&F to assist the journey of each student in some small way.

Congratulations to our Indigenous Year 12 students who received their stoles at Assembly on Wednesday. It was wonderful to share in your proud moment and learn something about your culture and future aspirations. This was another proud occasion for the Mackillop Catholic College community.

The P&F Trivia Night is being held on 2nd November. We are still looking for donations of prizes for the night so if you can help please let us know through the College Office.

It's going to be an absolutely wonderful night with some terrific auction items.

You will also go into a special raffle if you bring along a non-perishable food item to donate to the Vinnies appeal. The more items you bring the more chances you have to win a great prize while helping those in need.

Tickets are \$10/person with tables of 8.

Please come and support the P&F in raising funds for shade cloth structures over the seating on the front court.

Tickets are available from the Office now.

Our next P&F Committee meeting will be held on Monday 12 November at 7pm in the College Boardroom. Please come along. You will be most welcome.

*Enjoy your families,*

*Elizabeth Laughton*

President, Mackillop Catholic College P&F Association



## UPCOMING EVENTS

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|-------------------|--|
| <b>Sat 2 Nov</b>  | <b>Working Bee 8am - 10am</b>                    |
|                   | <b>P&amp;F Trivia Night</b>                      |
| <b>Week 4</b>     | <b>Senior Exams</b>                              |
| <b>4 - 5 Nov</b>  | <b>Uniform Shop Sale</b>                         |
| <b>Wed 6 Nov</b>  | <b>U15 NT Rugby Union School Competition 5pm</b> |
|                   | <b>Nongkrong</b>                                 |
| <b>Fri 8 Nov</b>  | <b>Volleyball McCormack vs Confeloneiri</b>      |
| <b>Sat 9 Nov</b>  | <b>Academic Scholarship Tests</b>                |
| <b>Mon 11 Nov</b> | <b>Remembrance Day Liturgy</b>                   |
|                   | <b>P&amp;F Assoc. Meeting 7pm</b>                |
| <b>Tue 12 Nov</b> | <b>Student Markets During Lunchtime</b>          |
| <b>Wed 13 Nov</b> | <b>Year 6 into 7 Day and Info Evening</b>        |
|                   | <b>U15 NT Rugby Union School Competition 5pm</b> |
| <b>Thu 14 Nov</b> | <b>Yr 9 Theatre Restaurant Performance</b>       |
| <b>Fri 15 Nov</b> | <b>Saints Presentation Evening</b>               |
|                   | <b>Volleyball Hurley vs Confalonieri</b>         |
|                   | <b>Senior Leadership Positions announced</b>     |
|                   | <b>MACK NIGHT</b>                                |
| <b>Mon 18 Nov</b> | <b>6pm Board Meeting</b>                         |
| <b>Wed 20 Nov</b> | <b>Graduation Mass</b>                           |
|                   | <b>Nongkrong</b>                                 |
| <b>Thu 21 Nov</b> | <b>Graduation Dinner</b>                         |



MacKillop Catholic College invites you to our

MAKE IT

SHAKE IT

BAKE IT

**YEAR 6 INTO 7 ORIENTATION DAY**

**WEDNESDAY 13 NOVEMBER 2019**

Come along for a full school day at MacKillop (8:30am - 3:05pm) where you will experience the day-to-day life of highschool, trying a range of fun subjects including cooking, science, wood work, Indonesian, music, rugby, art and dance. Wear your normal school uniform. We will provide lunch and morning tea - let us know any dietary requirements.

**Parents' Information Night in Evening - 6pm**

For more information contact (08) 8930 5708 or email [olivia.lynnh@nt.catholic.edu.au](mailto:olivia.lynnh@nt.catholic.edu.au)



**FRIDAY  
LUNCHTIMES**

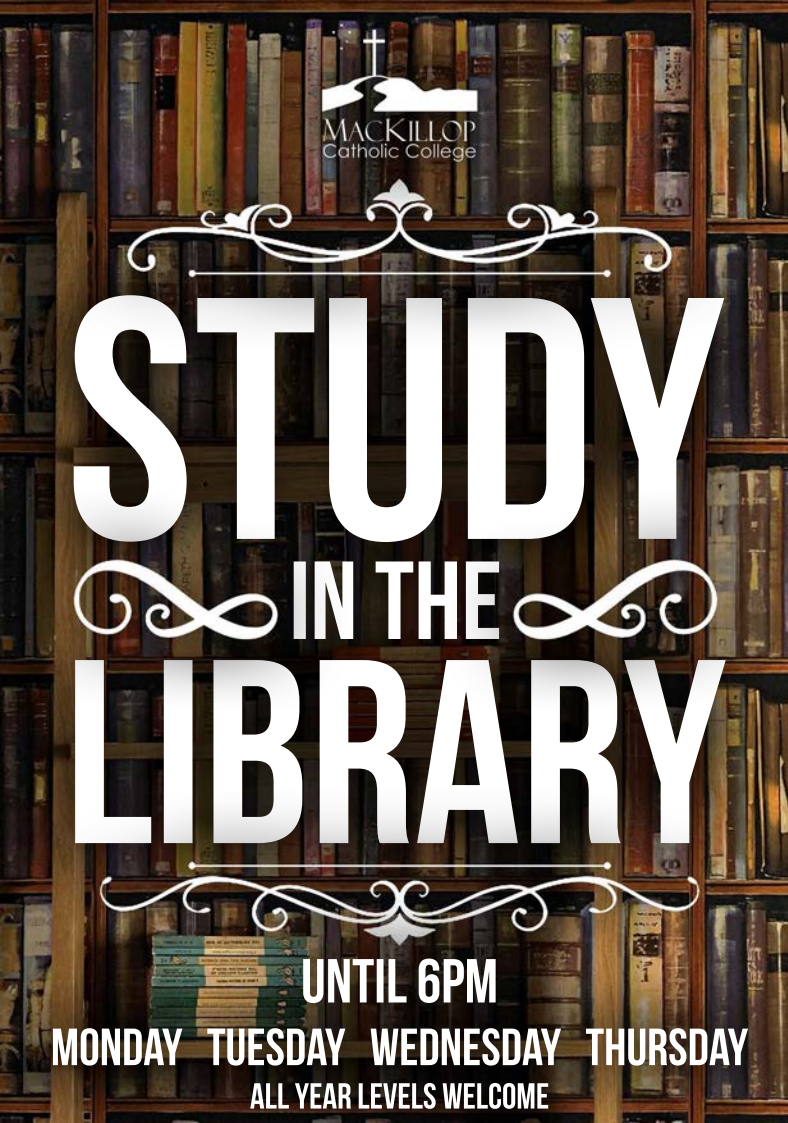


**MACKILLOP  
LUNCHTIME  
INTERHOUSE  
VOLLEYBALL**

**TERM 4 2019**

**WEEK 1** MCCORMACK VS HURLEY  
**WEEK 2** MCGRATH VS CONFALONIERI  
**WEEK 3** HURLEY VS MCGRATH  
**WEEK 4** MCCORMACK VS CONFALONIERI  
**WEEK 5** HURLEY VS CONFALONIERI  
**WEEK 6** MCGRATH VS MCCORMACK  
**GRAND FINAL - WEEK 7**

**SEE  
MS GALE  
FOR MORE  
INFORMATION**



**STUDY  
IN THE  
LIBRARY**

**UNTIL 6PM**

**MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY THURSDAY**  
**ALL YEAR LEVELS WELCOME**



**TUESDAY**

**Week 5**

**12<sup>th</sup> November, 2019**

**Lunch, Munch,  
& Crunch!**

What's on Soon?

A Variety of Fresh Food Stalls available, with food items prepared by students, for sale.

Where? Olive Grove Café

Why? Senior students undertaking a business enterprise project, so come by and try some yummy food on the day!





# 8 Week Christmas Fitness Challenge



1 session per Week \$80



2 Sessions per week \$160



3 sessions Per week \$210

Measurements • Fitness Assessment • Prizes to be won at the end of the 8 Weeks!

Sessions must be paid up front

Already a BootcampNT Member? Sign up a newbie for the 8 Week Bootcamp and get your training Half price!

**STARTS WED 16th OCT - ENDS SAT 7th DEC**

WED 5:30pm - 6:15pm Sanctuary Lakes

Thur 6am - 6:45am MacKillop College

Sat 8am - 8:45am MacKillop Catholic College

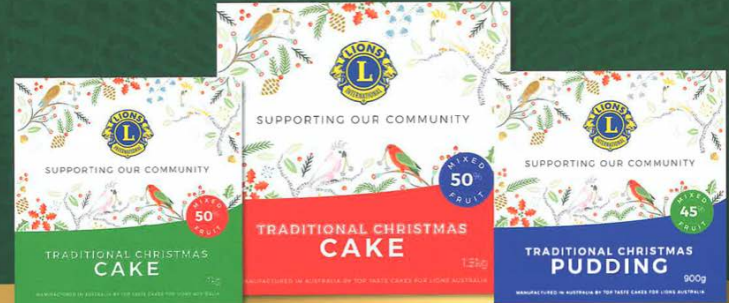


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we serve



# LIONS

## TRADITIONAL CHRISTMAS CAKES & PUDDING



## AVAILABLE HERE



**For event info  
& Booking!!!**

# GymFun Colour Explosion



**17th November**

**ages 5-15**

**non-members welcome!!!**



Prepare to experience the great sport of gymnastics with displays, a Come and Try session and our first ever GymFun Colour Explosion- whilst competing a series of exciting activities and challenges! Invite your friends, the more the merrier! Tickets are on sale now until 9<sup>th</sup> November- DON'T miss out!!

Entry: \$25 (sibling discounts apply)

Registration: 3-4pm

Come & Try for non-members: 3:30-4pm

Displays: 4-4:30pm

GymFun Colour Explosion: 4:30-6pm