SWAP DAY

Thank you to Year 7 parents who were able to come to School this week and take part in Swap Day experiences. There is no denying that our boys maximise their opportunities to blossom and grow in all facets of their education at Trinity when “home and school” communicate and collaborate effectively. A key element in such potential collaboration is the ability to establish and thereafter maintain good lines of communication – an obvious positive byproduct of Year 7 parents engaging in our traditional Swap Day programme. It was pleasing to note that in relation to Swap Day, some parents shared the experience, either on the one day or with Dad coming on one of the days and Mum on the other. The feedback from parents who participated has been very positive as the following extracts from their voluntary homework would attest:

> The teachers are of the excellent standard that we expect of the School and the fact that my son’s English teacher can make the subject interesting is amazing!!
> I am coming back in my next life as a Trinity boy!
> I found the locker combination very tricky but I eventually opened it!
> I became lost a couple of times but I was always helped with beautiful manners from the “bigger boys”.
> Swap Day vastly exceeded my expectations. I was excited, nervous and above all, interested to see a day in the life of …. I was very impressed by the passion and enthusiasm of each of the teachers. The big “take out” was how busy my son is – “good” busy, mind, but now I know why sometimes he finds it hard to string more than two sentences together at the dinner table.
> What a treasured experience today was! It has given me much greater empathy for the challenges he faces each day; how fortunate he is to experience such a rich learning environment and how much more capability he has developed. It certainly reinforced our decision to send …. to Trinity – a great School!!
> Teaching is very interactive and the boys get the opportunity to really contribute to the class/discussions.
> I was surprised at the amount of use of technology by teachers and students.
> It was lovely to meet some of his friends and their parents.
> I found some of the directions on what was expected to be delivered in class (and homework) a bit difficult to decipher from the general flow of information transfer. Although I note homework is posted on the online portal.
> I had an enjoyable, busy day and have a better understanding of the demands on … and the fun he can have.
BOYS’ RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES

A Safe Learning and Working Environment

At Middle and Senior School Head Master’s Assemblies of late, the attention of the boys was drawn to the rights and responsibilities that they have as members of the Trinity community as well as the School’s expectations regarding their behaviour. The boys’ rights and responsibilities are listed on page 54 of the 2016 School Handbook while the School’s guidelines regarding the School being a safe learning and working environment can be found on pages 50 to 52. The School will not tolerate harassment or bullying (including cyber bullying) of students or staff and when such incidents occur, the School investigates and takes appropriate action. Boys or parents should contact the relevant Class Teacher (Preparatory and Junior Schools) Housemaster, Deputy Master or Master of School if they are aware of any harassment or bullying.

School Expectations

The School’s expectations regarding boys’ behaviour was explained, (pages 58 to 69 School Handbook) including the School’s response for breaches of the School’s rules. In particular stealing and use and possession of illicit drugs, alcohol and cigarettes were also explained at the Assemblies, (page 60 School Handbook).

One of the hardest things that I have to do from time to time is being involved in the decision making process as to the consequences for boys who are caught stealing, bullying or who have been involved in other significant or ongoing incidents of anti-social behaviour. The School’s attitude is very clear. Boys who are involved in such incidents will have their position in the School reviewed and it is likely that they will be asked to leave the School. These behaviours destroy trust and create an atmosphere of unease and uncertainty helping to destroy the sense of community. No School can tolerate this and to protect itself, it is likely to expel anyone found guilty.

On a number of occasions, for boys who have been found guilty of stealing, I have asked them, in the presence of their parents, to explain to me how it is possible, that they would consider putting their good reputation and their place in the School in jeopardy in order to obtain those items. To steal a mobile phone or a School blazer for example, and risk being known as a thief by a boy’s cohort or risk being expelled from the School, defies logical understanding. How can the value of a mobile phone or a blazer be worth more than a boy’s integrity or his place in the School? Think carefully lads. The School will act if you steal even if the item of itself is not of great value.

The School has a no tolerance policy when it comes to illicit drugs when boys bring these to the School or to School functions or who have them when travelling to or from School. This no tolerance policy extends to boys who use their School contacts to make drug deals outside of the School. There can be no compromise in this and boys have been warned. If boys seek help from the School with a drug problem there are a number of strategies that the School uses to help the boys and to safe guard the rest of the student body. Information to help parents and young people to deal with drug related problems can be found at http://www.drugs.health.gov.au/.

There are a number of links on the School Website that are useful for boys and parents to get help if boys are having difficulty. E-Care and Internet Pastoral Care Support Page. The E-Care link is a confidential link to the School’s counselling services.

Peter Green | Deputy Head Master
HANDY HINTS FOR IMPROVING YOUR SON’S LEARNING

Our core business at Trinity is ‘boys’ learning’. We aim to bring out the very best in all our boys. To this end, it is important that we continue to work together, School and home, in providing the optimum learning environment for our boys. The following seven handy hints for improving your son’s learning are worthy of consideration. They have been adapted from Andrew Fuller’s book “Help Your Child Succeed at School.”

1. Ensure your son has an organised learning space
Many boys have difficulty setting up and maintaining a well organised learning space at home. Parents can assist with some of the practical aspects of setting up their son’s home study area, and help with ways the space can be better organised and managed.

2. Lighting can help/hinder learning
Natural or indirect lighting such as a desk lamp is best for learning. Studying under fluorescent lighting is not ideal as it is related to raised cortisol levels, which is an indicator of anxiety and agitation.

3. How much television is too much?
From the age of two, a small amount of television viewing has been found to be positively associated with academic achievement. Once boys are nine, 1.5 hours per day is regarded as the upper limit. At 13, the limit drops to one hour per day. At 17, it drops even further to the optimal amount being around 30 minutes per day.

4. The importance of sleep
A good night’s sleep (at least eight hours) is essential for optimal brain functioning. Memory consolidation occurs during sleep, especially dream (or REM) sleep. During the normal eight to nine hours of sleep, five dream (REM) cycles occur. Boys getting only five to six hours of sleep lose out on the last two REM cycles and thereby reduce the amount of time the brain has to consolidate information. There is also no such thing as a sleep bank. Just because you get ten hours one night doesn’t mean you can get away with only sleeping six hours the next.

5. A good breakfast provides a great start
Many studies have shown that skipping breakfast in the morning has a negative effect on learning and concentration during the day. The type of breakfast boys have can also have an impact. A breakfast that is high in protein (eggs, low fat dairy products, lean meat, fish) and containing low GI index carbohydrates (e.g. porridge, muesli, bran-enriched cereal, most fruits) promotes concentration and learning. A high GI breakfast (e.g. sugary cereals, white toast) can lead to a decline in performance as the energy is less sustained throughout the day.

6. Giving your son feedback on his learning
Research has shown that the best way to provide feedback to improve student achievement on a learning task is to focus on the task itself and how to do it more effectively. Feedback related to general praise, rewards or punishment has little effect on improving learning.

7. The essential skills for success
Three of the skills needed for success at school (and in most areas of life) are concentration, memory and sequencing or getting things in the right order. The games parents play with their children such as Snap, Uno, Concentration, Battleships, Monopoly, Chess, Jigsaw puzzles, etc. all play an incredibly important role in developing these skills. Computer versions of these games have been found not to be as effective.

Jason Cheers | Academic Dean

DISABILITY PROVISIONS ALERT

The Board of Studies, Teaching and Educational Standards (BOSTES) and International Baccalaureate Organisation (IBO) grant disability provision for students with a physical or psychological disability which may disadvantage them in examination situations. This is an important process in allowing students with proven disabilities to perform as close to their best in examination situations.

The range of conditions which may be considered is extensive, but examples would include such things as

> Diabetes, where the student may need to eat regularly, to visit the toilet frequently or to test blood sugar levels
> Dyslexia, where an examination paper printed on a particular coloured paper may assist
> Chronic fatigue, where rest breaks may be required
> Chronically bad hand writing, where use of a writer may assist
> Panic attacks, where environmental changes and access to medication may help.

Applications to BOSTES or the IBO for appropriate provisions for particular conditions require substantial documentation as evidence, and considerable input from the School. Once submitted, they are reviewed and determined by an expert panel engaged by the respective authority. Hence, the process must begin early, so that the authority has the time to deal properly with the many thousands of applications which are received each year.

Mr Goetze will ensure that IB students are fully apprised of the procedure for applications to IBO, which usually must be made in Year 11.

Applications for disability provisions for the 2016 HSC examinations must reach the Board of Studies, Teaching and Educational Standards by Friday 8th April (last day of term). Students who wish to make applications should thus begin the process immediately if they have not already done so. A great deal of evidence is required, both from appropriate professionals, and from within the School, all of which takes a good deal of time to garner.

Details of how to apply and what is required may be obtained from Mrs Heffernan in the TESS Department (9581 6185 – eheffernan@trinity.nsw.edu.au). Parents or boys who need assistance with the process should call Mrs Heffernan in the first instance. Currently Mrs Heffernan is available on Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays. Urgent enquiries on other days may be addressed to Mrs Margaret Murphy on 9581 6035 (mmurphy@trinity.nsw.edu.au).

I do hasten to point out that, when conditions develop or are identified after 8 April, the Board is very accommodating in dealing with late applications, even up until the morning of the exam. For students with known conditions, however, it is important that they realise that they may disadvantage themselves if they do not allow the Board sufficient time to deal properly with their application.

School Internal Provisions
To the extent that resources allow, the School attempts to mirror the Board’s provisions internally for boys in Years 7-11. Application for internal provisions must also be submitted through Mrs Heffernan.

It is important that parents and boys realise that the granting of a provision by the School does not pre-empt any decision which may later be made by the Board of Studies or IBO.

Jason Cheers | Academic Dean
YEAR 7 VACCINATIONS

The NSW Health Department will be offering the Diphtheria, Tetanus and Pertussis (dTpa) vaccine and Human Papillomavirus (HPV) vaccine as part of the Adolescent School-based Vaccination Programme.

The vaccination schedule is as follows:

- **26th February 2016, Term 1, Week 5**
  Diphtheria, Tetanus and Pertussis (dTpa) – (1 dose only)
  Human Papillomavirus Vaccination (HPV) – dose 1

- **27th May 2016, Term 2, Week 5**
  Varicella (Chickenpox Vaccine) – (1 dose only)
  Human Papillomavirus Vaccination (HPV) – dose 2

- **19th September 2016, Term 3, Week 10**
  Human Papillomavirus Vaccination (HPV) – dose 3

A team of specially trained registered nurses will be visiting our School to administer the vaccine to boys in Year 7 only. After the boys have been vaccinated they will be given a Record of Vaccination to take home so that immunisation records can be together and the family doctor can be notified.

Please contact Sr Katie Brooks in the Health Centre on 9581 6023 if you have any questions.

Bradley Wirth | Director of Campus Administration

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CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Lachlan Illias (10Sc) who had been playing Harold Mathews Cup for Balmain. Lachlan has been training over summer with his side and has games in the coming weeks.

Good luck, Lachlan!

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TRINITY GRAMMAR SCHOOL

SCHOOL PRAYER

Parents and friends are most welcome to come and pray for our boys and the School on **Tuesdays, between 8.30am and 9.30am.** The Prayer Mornings are run on a rotational basis, on alternate weeks, at the Preparatory School campus and the Summer Hill School campus.

**Preparatory School Strathfield**
- meet in the Joske Room Strathfield, on odd weeks of term (Weeks 3, 5, 7, 9)

- **Term 1:** Feb 23, March 8, 22
- **Term 2:** May 10, 24, June 7, 21
- **Term 3:** Aug 2, 16, 30, Sept 13
- **Term 4:** Oct 25, Nov 8, 22

**Junior, Middle and Senior Schools Summer Hill**
- meet at reception in the Junior School Building, on even weeks of term (Weeks 2, 4, 6, 8,)

- **Term 1:** (start week 4) Feb 16, March 1, 15, 29
- **Term 2:** May 3, 17, 31, June 14
- **Term 3:** July 26, August 9, 23, Sept 6
- **Term 4:** Oct 18, Nov 1, 15, 29

Come and join us so we can encourage each other, help form a sense of community within the School, and genuinely bring the needs of the School community before our great God.

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- Stuart Smith | Assistant Chaplain, Strathfield
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- Tamara Gill (Strathfield) mobile 0432 011 351
- Greg Webster | Senior Chaplain, Summer Hill
  email gwebster@trinity.nsw.edu.au
- Margaret Chu (Summer Hill) mobile 0433 124 523

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NEWS FROM

THE ARTHUR HOLT LIBRARY

Trinity Grammar School is one of five schools selected to represent New South Wales as a Showcase School in Australia’s Great School Libraries campaign.

The Great School Libraries campaign is lead by FAIR (Freedom of Access to Information and Resources) and other partners “looking for libraries that help children and young people find reliable information; use the information effectively; think critically; make informed decisions; work productively with others; build knowledge and understanding of the world; safely navigate the internet; communicate and share their ideas; and find great reads to meet personal interests and abilities.” (fair.alia.org.au)

Trinity’s three libraries, that is, the Arthur Holt Library, the Junior School Library and the Preparatory School Library, will each feature in Learning Hub (a journal of the School Library Association of New South Wales), on the Australian Library and Information Association (ALIA) website, and in a leading education magazine later this term.

It is the vision of Library Services at Trinity Grammar School to design and deliver collections and innovative services that support learning and provide an enriched student experience. This nomination is a credit to the Head Master’s willingness to support cross-campus library initiatives and a wonderful acknowledgement of the passionate efforts of library staff to achieve this vision.

Stefanie Gaspari | Director of Library Services
MORTON FELDMAN’S THREE VOICES
PERFORMED BY SOPRANO SONYA HOLOWELL

Sunday, 21 February, 3pm | Delmar Gallery

In a piece written for the Guardian UK, arts critic Tom Service describes the experience of Morton Feldman’s music: “My sense of time had been altered, so intently focused was I on the way the music changed from note to note and chord to chord. It created a living, breathing network of relationships that extended across its length. You don’t really listen to these pieces, you live through them and with them.”

Feldman’s contemporaries in painting were Pollock and Rothko, in music, Cage, and in poetry, Beckett and O’Hara. He famously wrote for the Rothko Chapel, and composed an opera with the libretto a Beckett poem. “Three Voices” is based on Frank O’Hara’s poem, “Wind”, which O’Hara had dedicated to him.

Feldman (1926 – 1987) grew up in Queens and worked in his family’s garment business until his mid-forties. A larger-than-life character, he announced himself with his massive bulk, drooping cigar and verbosity – he was known as one of the greatest talkers in New York.

Yet his music could not have been more different in character. He was more interested in soft notes and their decay, than the “attack” of a loud note. He slowed tempo right down, and discovered the space around notes. Harmonies hover, patterns are extended and then disappear.

“Three Voices” is a later work, and Feldman surprised himself with how sensuous or ‘gorgeous’ it sounded. The live voice is layered with two pre-recorded voices. A wordless vocal pattern builds to articulate the first two lines of O’Hara’s poem. Textures, colours and rhythms emerge. For the singer, “Three Voices” is an embodiment, a meditation and an improvisation, and one of the most challenging pieces written for voice.

Don’t miss this very rare chance to hear a live performance of “Three Voices”! Limited tickets will be available at the door from 2.30pm (cash only), or book online.

Please note that latecomers cannot be admitted, as this is a continuous performance. BYO cushions/beanbags if you wish! Floor space as well as row seating will be available. Light refreshments will be served after the concert.

written in time
31 January – 21 February

A curator’s pick of some outstanding works from the 2015 graduate exhibitions at Sydney’s three main art schools! Featuring knock-out paintings by Lauren Beasley, Robert Bennett, Camilla Cassidy and William Meadley, melodic ceramics by Trinity Old Boy, Edward Whitelock, explorations of new and frayed relationships through photography and installation by Heath McCalmont-Parkinson and George Shaw, and upcycling writ large in Rebecca Gallo’s shrine-like installation.

Curated by Catherine Benz

The gallery is open Wednesday – Sunday, 12 to 5pm. Selected works are available for sale. Delmar Gallery is now a participating gallery in Art Money, a scheme that provides interest-free loans to buy art, endorsed by City of Sydney.

The gallery is open Wednesday to Sunday, 12 to 5pm.
Last Saturday’s fixtures against Waverley proved to be the most successful in recent years, as Trinity recorded victories in 12 out of their 15 matches played. It was particularly pleasing to see the 8D team record their first win of the season, as well as the 2nd XI and 8A teams keeping their undefeated record intact.

1ST XI
TGS 5-170 def Waverley 9-168

Off the back of a big win against St Aloysius, Trinity’s First XI were in for a tough day against table-toppers Waverley, in what is always a gruelling contest. Sent in to bowl after losing the toss, Waverley got off to a slow yet steady start. A breakthrough from Vasi Macmillan (10Ho) was much needed and came at a time when the opposition attempted to increase the run rate. Some good middle order hitting from Waverley’s captain lifted their total to 168 after Vasi eventually took 4/41 from his 10 overs and Liam Scott (10We) took 2 wickets and effected a run out in the final over. Chasing 169, Trinity were made to work hard to chase the total on an uncharacteristically slow outfield on Number One Oval. Austin Waugh (11St) was the rock of the innings, making 80 and was helped with support from the other top order batsmen. Tane Edmed (10Fo) batted stylishly in a classy innings of 40 not out and batted wisely to finish the game off for Trinity and keep their premiership aspirations alive.

Julian Dimas (12Ta)

2ND XI
TGS 122 defeated Waverley 121

Trinity 2nds came into this match full of confidence after a convincing win against St Aloysius last week. Trying to continue their unbeaten run, Trinity got off to the best possible start against Waverley with Nicholas Bishop (11 Hi) and Ameer Dimeglio (11 La) reaching 0/46 after the seventh over. Unfortunately, the excellent foundation built by the openers was quickly diminished with a monumental batting collapse from a range of poor shots and impatient batting. Trinity had lost 6 wickets for 27 runs off 9 overs. Fortunately, classy batting from Jason Quach (11 Ke) and solid support from Harrison Page (12 Yo) got the visitors to a defendable 122. Fantastic bowling and fielding from Trinity kept the game in the balance and so it came down to the last over where Waverley needed 7 runs to win. With one ball remaining, Waverley needed 3 runs to win with only 1 wicket in hand. Sanjan Naganathan (11 Ta) bowled the perfect yorker and the batsmen could only muster a single before being runout in an attempt to tie the game. Well done to the 2nds for an amazing comeback performance.

John Diakis | 2nd XI Coach

3RD XI | TGS 6/1

After a nail-biting tie last game, the 3rd XI were out to go one better this game. The day started off slowly, with the side 3-15 at one point, before George Varvaressos (11 La) 66 and Dinesh Srijitharan (12We) 42 combined in a fantastic partnership of 87 runs. Defending a total of 159, Trinity’s bowlers stepped up to the mark and were outstanding in restricting Waverley to only 52 runs. Lachlan Hayward (11 Fo) was the pick of the bowlers and finished with the fine figures of 4-10.

10A
TGS 9/139 def Waverley 10/93

The 10As entered the game against Waverley with a spring in their step after a strong win against St Aloysius the week before. Sent into bat after losing the toss, all things were pointing towards a strong opening partnership, though a rush of blood from both batsmen resulted in the loss of two early wickets. After the middle order steadied the ship and had the run rate above four runs per over, in came Alex Kolesnikoff (10 Ho) and put on a hitting display to all parts of the ground. Setting Waverley 139, the energy in the field was electric and early wickets put significant pressure on Waverley to increase the run rate. The bowling attack worked extremely well together and with a late flourish of wickets from Finn Ritchie (10 Ke), Waverley’s tail crumbled and were all out for 93. A fantastic team effort.

10B
Trinity 4/211 def Waverley 7/140

The 10B side returned to the winners’ circle after a tie in their previous fixture. Batting first, the side piled on an impressive total of 4/211, with healthy contributions from Nick Webb (10 WH) 61 and Ishaan Dhawan (10 Ar) 57. In the field, the boys were able to restrict Waverley to a total of 140. Aniket Sharma (10 Ta) completed a fine all-round match by claiming 3-25 after scoring 8 runs.

9A
Trinity 5/143 def Waverley 7/137

A solid all-round team performance from the 9As saw them come away with a well-deserved win. Waverley batted first on TGS 3 and were restricted to a total of 7/137. Isaac Wilkins (9 Mu) bowled well to claim 3 wickets and was well supported by Angus McDonal (9 Sc), who picked up 2 wickets of his own. The run chase was going smoothly with Kenneth Chu (9 Mu) looking solid for his 47 runs, but when he was dismissed, along with a couple of others in a hurry, the side looked in a little bit of trouble. Jordan Gupta (9 WJ) was able to hold his nerve and steer the team to victory and finished with a fine contribution of 42 not out.

9B
TGS 109 def Waverley 52

The 9Bs enjoyed a comprehensive victory after Callum Clayton (9 Fo) batted well for a half century and helped the team post a score of 109. With the ball in hand, Trinity were completely dominant and dismissed Waverley for only 52 runs. Harvey Greene (9 Sc) was the chief destroyer. He finished with the brilliant figures of 4 wickets for only 6 runs. Joshua Kolesnikoff (9 Ho) also chipped in with 2 wickets for one run.

8A
TGS 8/113 def Waverley 8/112

A close encounter took place on TGS 3, with the 8A team eventually clinging on to their undefeated status by passing Waverley’s total with 2 wickets in hand. A number of bowlers performed well for the team, including Sanjay Anandarajah (8 Du) who had figures of 2/7 off 4 overs. The run chase was a stop start affair, influenced by a number of run outs, but William Barlow (8 Ar) steered the side home with an unbeaten 17 runs.

8B
TGS 8/159 def Waverley 9/77

After a disappointing loss to St Aloysius’ the 88 side was keen to make amends against Waverley. Steven Kountouris (8 Mu) led the way for the side with the bat on the way to making 47 valuable runs for the team. With the ball in hand, Trinity was able to apply constant pressure and eventually restricted Waverley to a total of 9/77. Aryan Rawal (8 Mu) bowled with great accuracy and was rewarded with the magnificent figures of 5/11.
Trinity batted first and demonstrated an attacking attitude during the course of their innings. Adrian Lagana (8 Ar) showed his time spent with 8B side has improved his skills as he was able to make a valuable 31 not out. The side bowled and fielded with great enthusiasm and were able to record a comfortable victory.

8D
TGS 8/108 def KINGS 7/63

In what has been an introduction to Cricket for most boys in the 8D team, the 2015/16 season has had its testing moments. It was fantastic to witness the boys achieve their first victory of the season and this is a testimony to the hard work that they have been putting in at training. Nikola Vasic (8 Ho) scored a brilliant 49 runs and it was such a shame for him not to make a half century. The side was then able to restrict Kings to a total of 63 runs off their 20 overs. Well done, boys!

CAS Cricket 2015-2016 | Round 7 One Day Games | Saturday 13th February 2016 | Home Fixture

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Winning rate: 80% (12 Wins: 3 losses)
CAS ROUND 7 vs WAVERLEY

1ST V
“A depleted Trinity keep their undefeated season alive.”
Missing some key personnel through injury and sickness, the Firsts had to mix up their combinations and with this, Trinity’s usual intense focus on defence went missing, allowing Waverley to pick up easy points in the opening quarter. Jayden Tanevski (12La) and Jarryd Fernandes (12La) dominated the scoring in the first half, combining for thirty-five points to see the Greens head to the main break only eight points in front (46-38).

Tom Mackenzie (11WJ) enjoyed the extra responsibility in the absence of Riley Smith (12Ke), with some nice touches around the basket and some strong rebounds. Jake Kerry (11Ho) Sebastian Diaz (10Ta) and Davo Hickey (11Ke) began to cause havoc on defence, heading into the all important last quarter. Continued defensive pressure and some smart passing from Ryan Marnik (11Ar) allowed Trinity to find cracks in the Wave’s defence, before a John Bechara (12Mu) smooth jump shot from the foul line had the game all but over, as the boys from Summer Hill notched up their seventh straight victory for the season (91-76).

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2ND V
Trinity held a slim lead but were always in control for most of the first half with James Spanos (12Ho) providing some offensive punch. Points were hard to come by in stages, but Trinity’s defensive pressure limited Waverley’s opportunities to score also. Andrew Jamieson-Grigg (11Ho) was outstanding in the second half and possibly had his strongest game of the season, knocking down jump shots to strong finishes inside. Andrew really led the way offensively. Ollie Davis (11Ke) and Josh Di Giaiannantonio (12Ho) also fed off Trinity’s defence to pick up easy baskets in transition as the boys in Green pushed their advantage out to double digits to keep their spot at the top of the CAS ladder with a solid victory (50-39).

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3RD V
Quick ball movement up the court allowed the Thirds to control the game from the start and avenge their round one loss with a six-point victory. Paul Orphanides (12Sc) powered the fast break, scoring a game high 14 points and Nic Driessen (11Yo) rebounded the ball at both ends to give Trinity plenty of possession, as well as picking up 13 points for himself along the way.

4TH V
In a great team performance Trinity’s depth and speed up the court resulted in a pleasing 14-point win. Ken Zhang’s (11We) and Sam Trevena’s (12We) excellent court vision enabled Trinity to find consistent scoring options throughout the match.

5TH V
The talented Fifths squad played a skillful, expansive game to comprehensively defeat Waverley. Ben Li (12La), Andrew Stelzer (11St) and Nicholas Lee (12WH) proved creative in attack. Dennis Ou (12Ar) at Centre played his best game of the season, showing grit and awareness around the basket.
6TH V
Trinity played very well as a unit, achieving a sound victory. Lukas Phillips (11Fo), Philip Ma (11WH) and Adam Tanana (12La) had strong games at both ends.

7TH V
Although Trinity always held onto the lead, they had a tight match against Newington and the tension continually remained high. Michael Ellis (11Ta) raised his aggression a few notches in the second half to great effect, complemented by Thomas Stavropoulos' (11He) determined play.

8TH V
Jason Hong (11We) was on fire during 8ths game against Newington, scoring 10 of the team’s 30 points. Omar Fouda (11Ke) was the other high point scorer, and his high-energy performance was uplifting. The teamwork displayed by all was gratifying, but the hard work by the bigs, Matthew Smerdely (12La) and Mackenzie Brown (12Ke) deserve special mention!

YEAR 10B
From the opening tip Trinity dominated their opponents, overpowering them on the boards and in transition. Andre Moufarrege (La) sparked the team, recording numerous steals and converting them into easy layups. A deep 3-pointer by John Nassif (He) put the icing on the cake as the Greens recorded a 34-point victory.

YEAR 10D
A near perfect display of skill and teamwork saw the boys in green continue their undefeated streak, with a thumping 57-point win. Team captain Marcus Buvac (WJ) led the boys from the front.

YEAR 10E
Phillip Choi (Fo) stepped up to the Es and scored 19 points, while Monty Guo (Ke) and Angus Mangunay (Du) orchestrated the back court in an emphatic Trinity victory.

YEAR 10F
Julius Blum (Ar) was on song, scoring 10 points, while Jeremy Adams (Fo) was ‘Mr Perpetual Motion’ forcing many turnovers and hitting 7 points as the Greens kept their undefeated season alive.

YEAR 10G
Newington started strongly, gaining an early lead, but Trinity eventually found their rhythm and finished very strongly. Joe Basta (Ar) was solid, making some excellent jump shots, while Mathew Miller (Ho) and Max McCluskey-Voigt (Ar) were both impressive around the basket, showing nice touch.

YEAR 10H
Trailing by six points late in the match, the 10Hs clawed their way back to tie the game up with a minute left on the clock. Joseph Wang (WJ), under pressure, amazingly landed a basket from behind the backboard to win the game for the Greens. Thomas Newall (Yo) played with great commitment, while Alex Ciaronni (WJ) made some impressive offensive moves.

YEAR 9C
Trinity started strongly with a dominant inside offensive game from Maxwell Reissis (WJ). He had assistance from the ever-improving Munashe Mushangazhike (WJ), who scored some crucial baskets down the stretch. Hugh Casimir (WH) continued his fine all-round game with strong defence to complement his athletic offensive display as Trinity pulled away late in the match for a solid win.

YEAR 9D
Trinity displayed a controlled game and thoroughly enjoyed their win. Some notable standouts were David Guo (Yo), Lin Pham (Mu) and Robbie Tosich (Ho).

YEAR 9B
The team was led by an excellent offensive display from Kuan Shen (Du), who proved unstoppable as he scored 18 points to see Trinity hold on to defeat Barker by six points.

YEAR 8B
Trinity looked to bounce back from their first loss of the season and would have to do so short-handed, with players missing due to injury and personal reasons. Ky Willoughby (WH) dropped back from the 8As and did a great job of controlling the ball and hitting the open player. Adam Kasanczuk (WH) had his strongest game of the season and contributed with points and great defensive pressure to inspire the Greens to a well-earned victory.

YEAR 8G
Trinity had a strong seven point win against the Newington, which saw the 8Gs display plenty of character in holding off a fast-finishing opponent in the last five minutes. Edison Tran (8Ho) showed great composure on defence, while making strong assists on offence. Anthony Xegas (8Hi) receives the all-rounder performance of the game.
YEAR 7E
The 7Es had an outstanding debut match, in beating Waverley. The team’s combined defensive effort was instrumental in forcing errors and turnovers. Joel Matthei (La) was brilliant both on and off the ball, scoring a total of 8 points. William Orr (Fo) and Adam Stavros (Ho) also had great games, grabbing strong rebounds for the team.

YEAR 7F
A nail-biting match saw the 7Fs overcome Waverley by a single basket, with defence and strong cuts to the basket being the cornerstones for a Trinity win. Special mention should go to Noah Jung (Hi) for his relentless attitude and ball handling, as well as to Samuel Thanopoulos (Hi) for his tenacious rebounding and scoring.

YEAR 7H
Trinity had a convincing fourteen point victory, which was their first win of the season. All boys played extremely well in both attack and defence. Points were shared between a number of players, but Kurt Leeson (La) greatly contributed to the overall tally with 8 points.

Ben Morrissey | MIC Basketball

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**Trinity vs Waverley**

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Greetings to the Young Men of Year 12 and their Fathers.

On behalf of the Summer Hill Auxiliary it is with great pleasure that we invite all Year 12 fathers and their sons to the Year 12 Father and Son Celebration Breakfast.

Please join us for this special occasion as it will mark the approaching end of your school journey at Trinity.

The Buffet Breakfast will take place in the Dining Hall on Thursday 3 March at 7am. The cost is $12 per person, RSVP online by 26 February 2016.

Click here to RSVP and pay online.
It was a very successful fixture last weekend against Waverley College in Round 7 of the CAS competition. Overall the boys achieved a win rate just shy of 80%, with the Year 9 and Year 10 cohorts being particularly competitive by not dropping a single match.

The 1st IV gained maximum points to retain their undefeated top of the table position with an 8 sets to love demolition of the Waverley opposition. This was a particularly pleasing result, given the fact that we were missing two key players due to sickness and injury. Worthy replacements in the form of Kevin Battilawa (12Yo) and 1st team debutante Luca Kmet (11Ke) were given the nod to play at the higher level. This was a difficult coach's decision to make as there were many quality candidates on hand to choose from. However, the selection was justified with both Kevin and Luca performing extremely well in both their singles and doubles match play. Matthew Nedanovski (9Fo) played the most decisive singles match of the encounter, unleashing a barrage of weaponry from the baseline, to thoroughly mesmerise his opponent in the lopsided 6-1 victory. The team will travel north tomorrow in what looms as something of a grand final against the 2nd placed Knox Grammar School who are always competitive.

The 2nd IV also recorded a favourable victory as a result of excellent match play and cohesiveness with the team running out victors to the tune of 6.5 sets to 1.5. A special mention must be made of Joshua Seet-Lee (12Ke), who acquitted himself admirably after a late call up to the team on Friday afternoon. Joshua performed well in his doubles and came away with a 6-1 win in his singles.

Jeremy Dykgraaff | MIC Tennis

3RdS AND 4ThS

The 3rds and 4ths were well aware that the match would be difficult. All members of the team were playing in positions higher than usual, due to the number of injured players in both the squad and in the 1sts and 2nds.

In the 3rds, both doubles pairings came second in their respective sets. However, in the singles, the boys displayed powerful tennis. Nakul Kausik (11Mu) led the way with a solid 6-2 win. He continues to hit the ball harder and faster than ever before. Combined with his movement around the court, Nakul is a tough opponent for any tennis opponent. Fellow teammate, Matthew Herro (11WH) continues his strong season with a 6-4 victory especially in his individual matches. Matthew chases every ball and forces his opponent to attempt a low percentage winner. Edward Khoury (11Ke) playing in his first game in the 3rds won the tie breaker to win the set 7-6. This was an excellent victory considering Edward was up 5-1 and had to ‘weather the storm’ as his opponent clawed back into contention. Edward was able to fight and scrap for the last few points and win the set. The 3rds won overall, 3 sets all, 33 – 31 games.

The 4ths lost their round but not without several promising signs, particularly in the doubles, whereby both teams won in convincing fashion. Tristan Kontonis (12Fo) and Tom York (11Hi) combined well to win their match 6-2. Victor Wu (12Mu) and Joseph Michael (12 Fo) also responded to the challenge winning their match 6-4.

Kenson Low | 3rds and 4ths Coach

10As AND 10Bs

After a disappointing round of the CAS Tennis Comp last week, the 10As and Bs notched up their first win of the year against Waverley. The 10As dropped only one set, and the 10Bs conceded two. The final set score was 5.1 and 4.2 for Trinity. Special mention should go to Koray Cankurt (10WH) who has recently been promoted to the 10Bs. His single set went all the way to 6 games all, but in the deciding high tension tiebreak Koray won 7 straight points in a row to unquestionably win the set to Trinity.

William Henry | 10As and 10Bs Coach

9As AND 9Bs

The 9As had a resounding success in this round, winning all their sets. The Lai/Wu doubles (Edward Lai (9St) and Jason Wu (9Sc)) was mesmerising to watch. Their skills and unique unspoken communication between the pair clinched their win. Their singles games were similarly victorious.

The second doubles featured Alexander Valiozis (9Yo) and Thomas Spratt (9Mu) and was also a victorious set. They both proved to the opposition that their talent and energy, despite the heat, is a formidable force.

The 9Bs were keen to prove themselves after being rained out last week, and they definitely did that well. The single matches of Jonathan Karagiannis (9St), Lachlan Sleiman (9Ta) and Nicholas Field (9WH) were easily won, but Justin Sleiman (9Ta), who continued playing despite of a mid-game injury, fought extremely hard, but lost with a score of 7:5.

The 9Cs continued their peers’ successes and won 5:1 sets. Archie Brockhouse (9Ho) and Henry Meyer (9Sc) played a great doubles set, only losing one game to their opponents. This gave them the confidence to win their singles sets despite the disadvantage of having tall opponents.

Quentin Dai (9Du) and Gregory Aravanis (9We) won their individual singles sets with quite long and energetic games. The 9Ds opposing team was one man down, hence giving Trinity a win for 1 doubles and 1 singles sets due to Waverley having to forfeit. Nick Sheppard (9Ke) and Sohum Salgaonkar (9Ar) were happy to be able to play their first doubles game this term and this enthusiasm translated into wins of 6:0 for both their doubles and singles games. George Roditis (9Du) also played a good game, scoring 6:0 against Waverley.

Margaret Hanna | 9As and 9Bs Coach

8As AND Bvs WAVERLEY COLLEGE

After a strong start to the new year, the 8As ventured to Mitch Park to face Waverley College. After a disappointing 5-1 loss last time around, the boys were eager to turn the tables with a strong performance. After going down an early break in the A2 doubles, David Kim (8WH) and Daniel Skarynski (8We) were able to tussle their way back to 3-3. However, poor serving and a flurry of unforced errors made things difficult as the boys went down 6-3. Trailing by one set, Andrew Peng (8He) and Tom Jin (8Yo) were able to level the tie with a tough 6-3 win that featured some great doubles play and precision serving from all participating boys. Daniel played a great singles match dispatching his opponent in quick time (6-1) with clutch serving and his penetrating forehand. Tom also played superbly against his opponent winning 6-4, displaying a wide array of shots and clever footwork as he out rallied his opponent despite being pushed to the edges of the court. With a 3 sets to 2 lead with one match to play, it was left to the big guns to battle it out. After being down 3-0 early, Andrew was able to recompose himself with some error-free tennis as he clawed his way back to 3-3. Frustration and anger began to settle on his opponent as increased unforced errors began to tally up, allowing Andrew to comfortably win the remaining games to secure a 6-4 win and a well-deserved victory for the 8As.

The 8Bs had a much tougher day at the office with a 6 sets to love defeat to a very strong Waverley outfit. Special mention...
must go to Alexander Mallis (8Hi) for his valiant effort in his singles match which was very evenly matched up until some unnecessary unforced errors saw the match slip away, with the end result 6-4 Waverley’s way. Following a promotion to B3 after a strong performance last week, Scott Lee (8St) was eager to get his singles match underway, hoping that his winning ways would continue against Waverley. However, like his team mates, he struggled to get into any sort of rhythm as shots were landing either long or into the net.

7As AND 7Bs vs Waverley
Another warm day was on the cards as Year 7 arrived to play against Waverley at the Trinity Tennis Centre. Some changes in line-up and doubles combinations had the boys keen with anticipation.

In the 7As Justin Yang (7WH) teamed with Liam Ling (7La) this week, but came up against a very strong Number 1 pairing from Waverley. Despite teaming well, the opponents were too strong and consistent on the day, Trinity going down 2-6.

Lachlan Dock (7Ta) and Cameron Ong (7St) were also a new pairing, Lachlan’s power and Cameron’s guile being outgunned by Waverley 1-6. In the singles, Justin fought hard but went down 1-6, Lachlan 2-6 and Cameron 0-6. The singles highlight on the day again came from Liam, playing a marathon set in the heat of the day, fighting and scrambling for everything (as too did his opponent) to ultimately go down narrowly 5-7. It was definitely the match of the day in this age group.

In the 7B team Nathan Xie (7St) and Harry Protopsaltis (7Yo) were the top pairing, but encountered a strong Waverley team, going down 0-6. Ben Prsa (7La) and Elias Chahine (7Ke) teamed for the day and despite a great start being up 4-1, ultimately went down 4-6. Deon Kontonis (7Fo) subsed in for the singles and kept his undefeated record intact with a solid 6-2 win. The other boys, Ben, Harry and Elias tried hard in the heat, but ultimately were beaten by the consistency of shot of their opponents.

Another good week of training will see the boys ready to take on Knox in our first away fixture next Saturday.

Chris Knight | 7As and 7Bs Coach

VOLLEYBALL

TRINITY DEFEATED BARKER 3-0 (25-18, 26-24, 25-9)

In round 7 of the CAS competition, Trinity saw themselves at home playing against arch rivals, Barker. Even though this friendly game did not count towards the final result, the Firsts saw this as an opportunity to see the improvement of the competition before the official match against them in round 10. The match started with both teams playing very well and maintaining an equal score till the scores reached 10-10. Trinity then started to pull away from Barker, eventually closing the set 25-18 with some very close rallies. Leading into the second set, the team was reminded not to ease off on the pressure but to keep playing our game. Barker, however, came out much more aggressively, taking the lead for the majority of the set, being up 15-10 in the late stages of the set. Barker were holding at a strong 22-17 when Trinity fired up and pushed to make the score 22-22, Trinity’s experience and determination at the crucial point of the set closing it out 26-24. The third set saw Trinity playing fluently and strongly in all aspects of the game to finish 25-9, giving Trinity another undefeated win. Special mention must go to the middles this week, Matthew Rorie(11Fo), Michael Amin (12WH), and Tom Mackenzie (11WJ) for their strong blocking and powerful hitting through the middle. Also a mention to the Vice-Captain, Angus Webster (12WJ), dominating the outside position, and playing very consistently to give Trinity the boost they needed. Mention must also go to the setters Daniel Gabriel (11Hi) and Ben Wheen (11Fo), for their great setting that stayed with them throughout the entire match. Support from the bench was amazing as Trinity remained confident, helping the players on court. Will O’Brien (12WJ) displayed once again why he is the ultimate team player as he played well on the court and was very vocal off the court as well. Thanks must also go to Barker College, for showing great sportsmanship and providing the good competition they always bring to the TGS gym. Trinity now looks to next week’s game against Knox.

Lewis Jupp(12Wh) | 1st’s Volleyball Captain

BARKER DEFEATED TRINITY 2-0 (25-20, 25-20)

The Barker game this week was going to be tough from the word go. Having trained hard during the week, the Seconds were ready to push hard. Starting off strongly with a lead of 9-5 we were cautious to hold a lead, which unfortunately was let slip from a series of strong serves by Barker leaving a massive gap of 12-19. Still pushing hard, however, we managed to close a gap though with an unfortunate loss of 20-25. In the second set we were ready to push hard, with excellent defence from one of our strongest passers Phillip Davies (12Ke) and our dedicated libero Matthew West (12Du). Though having one setter less, the players did well to adjust to the full court setter as rotations were changed greatly. Jacob Elmasry(12He) and Adam Hoteit(12La)
truly used the middle hitter position well, smashing points left and right using their strong placement skills to get the ball to their court. Oliver Arkell (10WJ) and Hugh Sixsmith (11Sc) were flying as they improve weekly, with impressively strong hits to the back court. Despite our strong plays there was still a lead to their team. Still pushing hard till the end, communication from Joshua Gereis (12Ar) stopped us from letting the point difference psych us out. The set and game ended with a sad loss of 20-25. It was a strong game from both teams, and we look forward to playing against them again.

James Watson (12We) | 2nd VI Captain

TRINITY DEFEATED BARKER 2-1 (25-23, 16-25, 15-11)

This week the Thirds went up against Barker, who played very well and were strong opponents. Thanks, however, to a great effort by the team, we were able to emerge victorious. The first set began and we set off to a great start, winning many quick points thanks to a series of great hits by Benjamin Davies (11WJ) we were able to win the set 23-25. The second set began soon after and unfortunately Barker gained the upper hand, winning 16-25. We then began the third and final set and thanks to strong serving by Ben Holzwart (11WJ) we were able to secure the match with a 2-1 victory.

Isaac Barden (12Yo) | 3rd VI Captain

**SUMMER SPORT PHOTOGRAPHS 2016**

All Students are to have their Student ID with them for all Photographs

Summer Sport Photographs will take place in Week 5.

- Years 7 and 8 Sport Teams on Wednesday 24th February
- Open, Years 9 and 10 Sport Teams on Thursday 25th February

Students are to wear their playing strip except for Swimming and Water Polo when they are to wear their TGS PE uniform.

The new policy is that you will now receive all photographs in which your son/s appears unless you notify Melba Studios to the contrary as outlined below.

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If you have any questions at all, please call Melba Studios on phone 9438 4566

Simon Bootle | Campus Logistics Coordinator
1ST VI

With both teams sitting close on the table we knew this was going to be a battle to the final whistle. The score was 4-4 at the end of the 1st quarter and Trinity’s swimming game was starting to hurt Joey’s, forcing them to substitute during live play. Unfortunately, we were unable to capitalise on this and Joey’s set plays in the 3rd quarter, allowed them to open a two goal lead. The team fought hard to bridge the goals difference and with 1 minute to go, Joey’s managed to generate an extra man which found the back of the net to take the game 11-9. Although recording a loss, our boys played as a team but were beaten by a school who managed to perform their set pieces better on the day. Congratulations to goal scorers: John Dunn (11La), George Fournaris (10Hi), James Artemi (11Hi) and Sam Yip (10La).

2ND VI

Two weeks in a row the game has gone to the final siren! After a close loss last week the team learnt from the mistake with two minutes to go. Being up one goal with 20 seconds to go they simply closed the game down. Goals were scored by Noah Thomas (12He), Matthew Moon (11We), Kean McCaw (11Ke) two each and Lucas Mundy (11Ke) one. Again Ryan Paget (12Mu) was solid in the goals and Patrick Newell (12Yo) and Declan Heim (11We) produced strong games.

16As

The 16As have been competitive all year and with students returning from injuries along with Benjamin Austin (10Hi) being promoted from the 16Bs with some consistent performances in front of the net, the team blended well. Haydon Johnson (10Ke) dominated at centre back, not allowing any centre forward play by Joey’s, while Ethan Hansford (10He) and Jacob Gadiel (10Mu) forcing Joey’s to continually change their defence, finding the back of the net with some fine shooting. Nabeel Hatoum (9St) also required special attention by Joey’s defence with some strong Centre Forward work and was unfortunate not to reward himself with some goals for his efforts. Congratulations to goal scorers Jacob Gadiel (10Mu), Matthew Yazbek (10Yo), Ethan Hansford (10He) and Haydon Johnson (10Ke)!

16Bs

The 16Bs had a clean sheet going into this round, but without their regular Goal Keeper behind them, the team struggled to find their rhythm. Easy turnovers and missed opportunities enabled Joey’s to grab an early lead. Without the regular keeper and players tired from chasing a lead, things did not improve as the game went on. The boys were glad to hear the final whistle and look forward to regathering and going forward in the remaining games. Congratulations to our goal scorers: Sam Boffa (9Yo), Ethan Thomas (10He) and Alexander Tsetong (10WJ)!

15s

The 15s started the game with two fast goals establishing a quick 2-nil lead after the first quarter. With some great counter attack goals from Ryan Hanson (9We) and Alexander Leckie (9Ho), Trinity finished with an impressive 5:1 lead. Going into the final quarter with a 11:1 lead, the boys fought hard to the final whistle to beat Joey’s 16:2. Congratulations to our other goal scorer, Oscar Jones (9La)!

14As

The team had to dig deep this week with only one reserve available against a fast opposition. The players acquitted themselves well, producing another solid defensive display which enabled them to gain a fair share of possession which resulted in good team goals. Special mention goes to Ben Blades (8We) and Kai Young (8We) who both scored three goals.

14Bs

The 14Bs have had a fine season so far and this game was to be their best performance yet. The boys pressed hard in defence and generated movement in attack which allowed a barrage of goals. It was hard to highlight just one individual performance as this was a real team effort. With 3 rounds to play, it will be great to see if our boys can go all the way undefeated. Congratulations to goal scorers: Cormac Grossling (8Ar), Samuel Xu (8WH), Elliot Lacey (8Hi) and Ethan Brouw (8Ta)!

13 WHITE

Our 13 White team faced an extremely tough contest against Waverley A’s on their second game of the season. It is pleasing to see that despite only having a few training sessions and with many boys new to Water Polo, all managed to work as a team, improving dramatically as the game progressed. All boys played well by sticking to the game plan especially in the 2nd half of the match limiting Waverley’s attempts to counter. Marking-up in defence and being slow to attack was an ongoing issue throughout the game. However, by the 2nd quarter the boys started to play as a team and their defence strengthened. It is great to see their continued improvement as the week progresses. Keep up the hard work, and well done to all those involved!

James Martin | MIC Water Polo

Sam Yip (10 La) shooting for goal.
INDEPENDENT SCHOOLS GOLF SERIES 2015-16
Round 6: Strathfield Golf Course, Saturday 13th February, 2016

Well, it was great to back on the fairways for the second half of the Independent Golf Series last Saturday. However, the drubbing we got at the hands of St Ignatius was less pleasant. They ran away with all matches to secure four valuable wins. Time on the range and a lesson or two should help to ‘sharpen up’ Trinity’s fine young golfers to find some form and consistency.

Newcomer Tyler Beverley-Smith’s (7Ta) tenacity and intensity in his match, overcoming a nervous start, was probably the highlight of the day for Trinity, as he fought hard to prolong his match to the 17th. Ejun Choi (10Ho) also had a tough battle on his hands only to lose on the 17th – perhaps a lack of regular practice over the summer break impacted on our most consistent player and leader! Peter Kostoglou (11Sc) and Nathan Finn (11Ar) both finished a distant second in their encounters.

We look forward to an improved performance against one of this season’s heavyweight teams, Barker, at Avondale tomorrow.

Good golfing,
Michael Spratt | MIC

MATHEMATICS CLUB MATTERS

MATHEMATICS CLUB MATTERS COMPETITION

It was pleasing to see there were many submissions to and much interest in the problems in Bulletin III from both Middle School and Senior School boys interested in experiencing Mathematics. Every correct solution will go into the draw for the chance to win a major prize at the end of each term.

Congratulations to last week’s winners, Arvind Kumaraguru (8Mu) and Darren He (10La) for having the first correct solutions drawn from the Middle School and Senior School boxes. Would they please see Dr Osman for their weekly winning prize.

The answer for the Middle School Problem was Steven does not like basketball or baseball, so he must like football, leaving Alex liking baseball. The answer for the Senior School Problem was the square is 6 feet by 6 feet. Complete worked solutions for the Middle School and Senior School problem have been posted outside the Mathematics Department office.

NEW SENIOR MATHEMATICS CLUB INITIATIVE ON THINKING MATHEMATICALLY

This term, the Mathematics Club has introduced a new initiative in its programme on Thinking Mathematically. The new Australian curriculum has four proficiency strands, viz. Understanding, Fluency, Problem Solving and Reasoning. This will radically change the way that students are taught and assessed. The workshops that will be delivered to our boys have been developed under the auspices of CSIRO’s Mathematicians in Schools project in an attempt to do the following:

> motivate, interest and excite students studying mathematics,
> enable them to attack problems with confidence,
> put arithmetic and algebra on a sound mathematical basis.

It has been given in about 15 schools to date to students from Years 4 – 12 with great success. These workshops will be particularly relevant to Years 10, 11 and 12 students.

Workshop Content:

> Why we study Mathematics
> Origins of Mathematics and counting
> Thinking Skills: Based on Feuerstein’s Instrumental Enrichment Organisation of Dots and Analytic Perception
> Natural numbers, the number line and place value
> Why arithmetical operations work
> Even and odd numbers
> Fractions and Decimals: Construction, properties and operations
> Basic Logic
> Strategies in problem solving
> River crossing problems
> Fermi problems
> Algebra: Symbols and symbol manipulation
> Linking algebra and geometry in proofs
> PISA and TIMSS problems

THIS WEEK’S PROBLEM FOR BULLETIN IV:

1. Years 7-9: Middle School Problem due on Monday 22 February 2016
A man with a number of bookshelves has distributed his book collection evenly on the shelves, putting 80 books on each shelf. If he adds 3 shelves and redistributes his collection evenly on all shelves, each shelf will have 50 books. How many books are in his collection? Please show working to justify your answer!

2. Years 10-12: Senior School Problem due on Monday 22 February 2016
Two runners start at the same point facing in opposite directions. Each runner then runs 3 straight kilometers, takes a right turn, and runs straight for another 4 kilometers. What is the distance in kilometers between the two runners at that point? Please show working to justify your answer!

Please place your name and House group with your submission by Monday lunch-time (1.10PM) at the Mathematics Department Office.

Dr Frederick Osman | MIC Mathematics Club
Trinity Grammar School Mathematics Club is pleased to present:

Mathematics Discovery Evening!
WEDNESDAY 9TH MARCH 2016

Join us and have your say!
An evening of mathematical discovery and enrichment. Our engaging panel of experts will inspire, entertain and educate through their passion for Maths in a thoroughly interactive way!

Discussion topics will include:

- Why do we need Maths?
- What can I do with Maths?
- How can I get good at Maths?
- Is Maths discovered or created?
- What is the best way to teach Maths?
- The importance of consistent revision?
- How relevant is Maths after high school?
- How to write effective maths revision notes?
- What are the grand Mathematical challenges that keep us awake at night?

And YOU can join the conversation by submitting a question at http://tinyurl.com/TrinityMath prior to the event. The best questions will not only shape the debate, but prizes will be on offer.

Our panel of experts:

**FORUM HOSTS**
Chris Tisdell (Associate Dean, UNSW Science) and Susannah Waters (Mathematics Communications Officer and Journalist, UNSW)

**Katrina Iannella** is the student ambassador for The School for Excellence (TSFX) and is passionate about harnessing students’ learning potential. She works with several Sydney schools to provide educational services designed to maximise Year 11 and 12 academic results. With the help of TSFX, Katrina completed the HSC in 2013 and received an ATAR of 97.95 and is now undertaking a Bachelor of Commerce/Science at UNSW.

**Shane Keating** – is a lecturer and a researcher at the UNSW School of Mathematics and Statistics. His research examines the mathematics of fluids in nature, from Earth’s atmosphere and ocean to turbulence in the Sun. Shane’s favourite part of his job is that he get so to bring his research into the classroom and show students how mathematics can be used to understand the world around us.

**Thomas Britz** – is a lecturer at the School of Mathematics and Statistics, UNSW, and loves his job since it combines the best parts of being an inventor, teacher and altruist. He often dreams of having time for adventure, books, games, and sleep.

**Barton Lee** – has just completed an Honours degree specialising in Mathematics and Economics at UNSW. He is an ex-President of the UNSW Mathematics Society, which has over 4,000 members. When he isn’t studying, he’s travelling around the globe.

**Gordana Popovic** – is currently studying a PhD in Statistics and Statistical Ecology. She is working to improve methods for modelling communities of species. These methods help ecologists discover how species numbers are affected by the environment (e.g. temperature) and how species interact with one another. In her free time she frolics at the beach and rock climbs.

**Shane Scott** – is an experienced teacher of NSW Mathematics courses to HSC level at Trinity Grammar School. He is an executive member of the Mathematical Association of New South Wales. He has won the NSW Premier’s Scholarship for Mathematical Teaching and has travelled to Germany, UK and the US to attend and present at International Schools and Mathematics conferences.

**DETAILS**

**DATE** WEDNESDAY 9TH MARCH 2016
**TIME** 6:00pm-8:00pm
(Refreshments will also be served)
**COST** FREE!
**WHERE** Trinity Grammar School
Latham Theatre

Students and parents are welcome to attend this special event!

Event supported by:
Mathematics to become a prerequisite for University of Sydney admission from 2019

The University of Sydney will lead the charge to address the national crisis in science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) by introducing mathematic prerequisites for a number of its courses from 2019. Amid growing concerns over falling standards in subjects requiring mathematics, the University of Sydney will become the first university in NSW to require year 12 students to have completed at least two-unit mathematics for 61 of its courses in order to meet requirements for admission. The changes, which apply from 2019 in order to allow sufficient time for current year 10 students to select senior subjects which fulfil the new entry requirements, will impact a range of courses, including economics, commerce, engineering and IT, psychology, pharmacy, vet science and science.

The changes were passed by the University of Sydney’s Academic Board in December 2015. The full list of courses affected by the new prerequisites is available online. The new prerequisites will be listed in the 2016 Universities Admissions Centre (UAC) Year 10 guide, distributed to schools in May 2016, and are set to apply to admissions for 2019.

Expos and Forums:

The HSC and Careers Expo at Moore Park brings together exhibitors including tertiary institutions, training organisations, employers, providers of HSC, career and gap year resources and information. Now in its 8th year The Expo attracts highly motivated visitors to an event clearly targeted to their needs.

Expo Times
Thursday 2 June, 9am-3pm, Friday 3 June, 9am-3pm
Saturday 4 June, 10am-3pm, Sunday 5 June, 10am-3pm

The Western Sydney Careers Expo at Sydney Olympic Park will provide information on universities, TAFE colleges and training providers; employers and employment services; career counsellors and advisers; organisations with apprenticeship information and opportunities; providers of work and study skills programmes; providers of HSC resources, lecture programmes and information services; student support services; providers of tutoring services and providers of international exchange and gap year programmes.

Expo Times
Thursday 16 June, 9am-3pm, Friday 17 June, 9am-3pm,
Saturday 18 June, 10am-3pm and Sunday 19 June, 10am-3pm
OTU/RTO Careers and Industry Expo:

On Thursday 19th May, the School will host a joint OTU/RTO Careers and Industry Expo at Summer Hill Campus from 5PM in the Centenary Centre. The event is dedicated to all career areas and vocational education training both traditional and non-traditional trades will be show-cased along with the opportunity to speak with Old Boys, individually, about a wide range of careers.

Trinity Grammar School Life Skills Careers Programme:

There are 4 Sessions in the Latham Theatre which are compulsory for all Year 10 students:

Session 1: Career Foundations and Vocational Opportunities
Session 2: Personal Profiling and Resume Building Programme
Session 3: Work Readiness Programme
Session 4: Apprenticeships, Traineeships and University Study Programme

The optional lunch sessions in the Latham Theatre for students in (Years 10-12) will provide an academic and vocational focus to help with career advice, interaction education and training options.

Upcoming Trinity Lunch Career Education Sessions:

Monday 29 February 2016
Time: 1:10PM Venue: Latham Theatre
Chartered Accountants – Meet the Business Leaders – The session is tailored for students who are thinking about a career in business.

Tuesday 1 March 2016
Time: 1:10PM Venue: Latham Theatre
Professional Cadetships Australia Opportunities which will include Business and Engineering and Technology Cadetship!

Thursday 3 March 2016
Time: 1:10PM Venue: Latham Theatre
Sydney City School of Law – Top Education Institute!

Friday 4 March 2016
Time: 1:10PM Venue: Latham Theatre
Turning Point Consulting – Scholarship Applications Workshop

Monday 21 March 2016
Time: 1:10PM Venue: Latham Theatre
Crimson Consulting – US and UK University Admissions

Tuesday 22 March 2016
Time: 1:10PM Venue: Latham Theatre
Education USA – Information Session and Application Process!

Thursday 24 March 2016
Time: 1:10PM Venue: Latham Theatre
Working in Medicine – MedEntry UMAT Preparation

All Career Education details, timelines and events for students will be advertised on the Library Career Notice Boards and in this online Careers Section or alternatively come and see me in Q0.2.

My High Schools Careers Website:

Trinity subscribes to a careers service which allows students and parents to be kept up to date with Careers News and Events. To access this information go to the website www.mhscareers.com and then login with: Trinity and the Password: mhs2016

Careersworks Website:

Is an organised grouping of careers resources and sources for secondary students parents teachers and careers advisers. To access this information go to the website www.careersworks.com/ and then Password: next

JobJump Website:

To access this information go to the website www.jobjump.com.au and then type the first couple of letters of Trinity in the first white box on the right hand side and when the name of your school appears in blue on the screen, simply click on it and it will enter into the first box. Then enter your email address (preferably your home email address for students, as your school email is lost at the end of Year 12) and click Login. Enter the Password: trinity and then answer a couple of brief questions to register.

ATAR Bonus Points:

NSW/ACT Undergraduate University Courses: Typically, bonus points are awarded for performance in English and Mathematics and a range of other courses appropriate to particular faculties at university. Usually there is a maximum of 5 subject bonus points available. Each university, and faculties within the universities, allocate bonus points differently so that it is difficult to say exactly what bonus points you might expect to receive. Students are advised to check specific university faculty provisions for each course to see if their HSC or IB course attracts bonus points. This information is for students in Years 10, 11 and 12 as it may impact on the individual student’s subject selection and the level at which these courses are chosen.

28,651 HSC bonus point offers The Graduate Connection has released an updated bonus points reference as a PDF and can be emailed to this year’s Year 12, the day their HSC results come out. With 28651 bonus point offerings, bonus points are now offered on a scale, level of detail and inconsistency across courses that defies ready comprehension. $50.00 plus GST from directory@grad.com.au.

UNIVERSITY:

Guaranteed pathways into UOW
UOW College offers 28 week courses that can guarantee students entry into the first or second year of a range of UOW undergraduate degrees (subject to meeting UOW entry requirements). For information visit http://www.uowcollege.edu.au/pathway/index.html

UTS: Insearch Information Session
25th February 2016, 5pm to 7pm, 187 Thomas Street, Sydney
10th March 2016, 5pm to 7pm, 187 Thomas Street, Sydney
The Insearch pathway offers Diplomas for prospective students to undertake if they did not meet the ATAR requirement for their desired course. The Diplomas are offered as 8, 12 or 16 month courses.
http://www.insearch.edu.au/Campaigns/innotanumber

QS World University Rankings 2015/16
The QS World University Rankings for 2015/2016 have been released, with the Australian National University, ranked 19th globally, being first in Australia. The top 10 universities in Australia according to these rankings are:

1. Australian National University (19)
2. The University of Melbourne (42)
3. The University of Sydney (45)
4. The University of New South Wales (46)
5. The University of Queensland (46)
6. Monash University (67)
7. The University of Western Australia (98)
8. The University of Adelaide (113)
9. University of Technology, Sydney (218)
10. Macquarie University (229)

University of Sydney
Introduction of Mathematics Prerequisite: The University of Sydney will introduce a mathematics prerequisite for some courses in 2019. The courses that will have the prerequisite will be listed in UAC's 2016 Year 10 guide. http://sydney.edu.au/news-opinion/news/2016/02/01/mathematics-to-become-a-prerequisite-for-university-of-sydney-ad.html

UNSW Engineering
Through engineers’ eyes: engineering mechanics by experiment, analysis and design: 18th April 2016, 12pm. This free online course will provide information on the techniques of engineering mechanics as well as use the theory to interpret experiment and designs. The course consists of four hours per week over a seven week period. https://www.engineering.unsw.edu.au/all-events/free-online-course-through-engineers-eyes-engineering-mechanics-by-experiment-analysis

UMAT 2016
UMAT is a test that is used specifically to assist with the selection of students into the medicine, dentistry and health science degree programmes at undergraduate level at the universities listed on the website. Registrations for UMAT 2016 are now open and close 5:00pm (AEST) 3rd June 2016. The test takes place nationally on Wed 27th July 2016. https://umat.acer.edu.au/

NSW HSC Online
HSC Online provides helpful resources for Year 12 students, with notes sorted by subject and then by syllabus to help students understand where the resources fit within their courses. http://www.hsc.csu.edu.au/

UTS New Bachelor of Arts Bachelor of Education

Macquarie University Academic Entry
Early entry programme by matching individual HSC subjects performance against preferred degree. All Year 12s who applied for Macquarie University through UAC are eligible. http://www.mq.edu.au/study/high-school-students/getting-into-university/entry-schemes-and-pathways

GENERAL:

Defence Jobs Australia Information Sessions

ADF Gap Year Roles Info Session
16 February, 6.30pm to 8.30pm
Level 4, 9 George Street Parramatta
RSVP’s are essential : email: cptnswevents@dfr.com.au

Trades Roles in the ADF Info Session
18 February, 6.30pm to 8.30pm
Campbelltown RSL, 1 Carberry Lane, Campbelltown
RSVP’s are essential : email: cptnswevents@dfr.com.au

ADF Combat Careers Info Session
23 February, 6:00 to 8:00pm
Level 1, 528 Hunter Street Newcastle
RSVP’s are essential : email: cptnewcastle@dfr.com.au

National Institute of Education: Simulated UMAT Day Workshop
19th March 2016, UNSW Kensington Campus
22nd May 2016, UNSW Kensington Campus
14th July 2016, UNSW Kensington Campus
5th March 2016, Canberra Grammar School
16th July 2016, Canberra Grammar School

The workshops cover every section of the UMAT test and also the styles of questions. Registrations are now open. http://nie.edu.au/simulated-umat-day-workshop

TSFX Free HSC Survival Guide
The School for Excellence (TSFX) have put together a 36 page guide to help year 12 students achieve the best possible marks in end of school exams. The guide has advice about goal setting, managing stress and procrastination, time management skills, effective learning techniques, planning study timetables and more. Download it here: http://www.tsfx.com.au/hsc-survival-guide-edge-teachers

TSFX Mastering the Exams
June 2016, University of Sydney
The programme is for Year 11 and 12 students with information on skills and strategies that can be used during exam periods. http://www.tsfx.com.au/category-hsc-program/exam-strategy-lectures/

Meet A Keeper Days at Taronga
MAK is a one-day programme for students 14 years and over who have expressed a keen interest in a career at the Zoo. The day includes a seminar presented by a panel of Zookeepers and other Zoo staff. Students will learn about aspects of zoo-keeping, including qualifications, career opportunities, core responsibilities, careers structures and wages. Afterwards students will explore the Zoo and enjoy a mystery behind-the-scenes animal tour. Please note all Meet a Keeper days are being run in the first term in 2016, to assist students with subject choices for 2017. For booking forms and information visit https://taronga.org.au/education/sydney/meet-keeper

UTS Science Outreach Programme
Students get a taste of studying science at UTS, learn about cutting edge research and discover new career and study options. The programme is free for all high school students. More Info: http://www.uts.edu.au/about/faculty-science/our-community-engagement/outreach-and-community/school-excursions-and-contact/christie.mcmongal@uts.edu.au

BIG Day In @ UTS Sydney - 1 March 2016
Big Day in IT Careers Conference for students Yrs 9-12 @ UTS on Tuesday 1 March 2016 – Speakers incl. Animal Logic (the LEGO movie), Microsoft, CSC, IBM, WiseTech Global, CBA, TCS & more talking about their careers & the future of technology. Loads of cool exhibitors including Microsoft, CodeCamp, Westpac, IBM, CBA & more. Tickets $10ph some seats still available www.thebigdayin.com.au

Free Public Lecture Sydney Science Forum: The Quantum Future

Dr Frederick Osman
Director of Vocational Education and RTO Manager (Careers Education)
## THIS WEEK...

**Friday, 19 February 2016**

- Sport - Years 7-12 - Winter Sports Registration commences
- 4:30pm Chess - CAS Round 3 - Knox vs Trinity (St Aloysius)
- 5:00pm Swimming and Diving - CAS Invitation (SOPAC)
- 6:00pm Debating - FED Round 1 - Trinity vs Redlands
- 6:00pm Debating - ISDA Round 1 - Trinity vs Ravenswood (Supper DH 6.00pm)

**Saturday, 20 February 2016**

CAS - Round 8 - Knox vs Trinity

**Sunday, 21 February 2016**

- Cricket - CAS vs ISA [Representative]
- 3:00pm - 5:00pm Society of the Arts - Exhibition concludes (DG)
- 7:30pm Society of the Arts - Sonya Holowell Concert (DG)

**Monday, 22 February 2016**

- Music - Ensembles auditions and placements for new boys conclude (OR)
- 2:45pm - 3:40pm Music - Year 11 Performance Exam (OR)

**Tuesday, 23 February 2016**

- 8:00am - 3:30pm Year 11 - Excursion - Geography (Bantry Bay)
- 1:10pm - 1:50pm Weeks House Fundraiser - Compassion Australia - Gelato Stall (Oval No. 1 Breezeway)
- 6:00pm Year 7 Parents - Head Master’s Welcome & Cocktail Party (AH & TR)

**Wednesday, 24 February 2016**

- 1:10pm Photographs - Years 7 & 8 [Summer Sport] (Chapel Drive)
- 4:30pm Year 9 - Field Studies Programme - Camp (3) returns (Chapel Drive)

**Thursday, 25 February 2016**

- 1:10pm Photographs - Years 9 & 10 [Summer Sport] (Chapel Drive)
- 3:40pm Photographs - Years 11 & 12 [Summer Sport]
- 5:00pm Diving - CAS Invitation (Trinity)
- 6:00pm - 10:00pm Friends of Rugby AGM (Braga Room)

**Friday, 26 February 2016**

- Sport - Years 7-12 - Winter Sports Registration concludes
- Trinity Quilters (ABR)
- 8:00am - 3:30pm Year 12 - Excursion - Geography (Mooney Mooney Creek)
- 4:30pm Chess - CAS Round 4 - Cranbrook vs Trinity (St Aloysius)
- 5:00pm - 8:30pm Excursion - Boarders - 1sts & 2nds Basketball (Cranbrook)
- 6:00pm Basketball - CAS Round 9 - 1sts & 2nds (Cranbrook)
- 6:00pm Debating - FED Round 2 - St. Joseph’s vs Trinity (Supper DH 6.00pm)
- 6:00pm Debating - ISDA Round 2 - Pymble vs Trinity