Dear Parents and Friends of the Junior School,

It has been another busy week in the Junior School, with staff and students engaged in a myriad of learning activities in and beyond the classroom. From virtual excursions, to after school clubs, to Father and Son breakfasts, there are always many interesting options for boys and families to be involved in.

Tomorrow marks the beginning of Saturday inter-school winter sport competition and we wish all teams well for an enjoyable and successful round of sport. There is something unique about the winter ball sports that often arouses passions both on the field and on the sidelines. Coaches remind players regularly of the values of sport and the manner in which we expect the boys to play. I take this opportunity to remind all parents that the games are primarily for the enjoyment of the players and encourage all who will be attending games to be mindful of the responsibilities of spectators which are outlined in the Trinity Sport Code of Conduct (http://www.trinity.nsw.edu.au/global_docs/sp_code_of_conduct.pdf). These
ensure that win, lose or draw, games are a positive experience for players, parents and staff. Thank you for your cooperation with these guidelines.

It was wonderful to meet with so many Year 5 fathers and their sons at breakfast this morning. The buzz of conversation indicated that all boys (both big and small) had a wonderful time. Next Friday at 9am, we look forward to being joined by many mothers of K-2 boys for our Mothers’ Day Stall. Mothers will have the chance to visit classrooms and then enjoy morning tea together.

Next Monday and Tuesday, the K-6 boys will have the opportunity to purchase a gift for Mum from the Mothers’ Day Stall. Items will be available ranging from $10 - $30. Thank you to the Auxiliary team for making this possible.

Parents are reminded that leave from any School obligation (including school days, sport and co-curricular activities) should be requested well in advance (at least two weeks is a good guide). Leave should never be assumed. Applications for leave should be made in writing to the Master of the Junior School.

By now, all of the boys have settled into the termly routines of travel, clubs, OSH and other activities. It should be noted that phone messages for students concerning afternoon arrangements should be kept to a minimum. I am sure that parents will appreciate the impracticality of conveying phone messages on a regular basis or for a large number of boys. The best strategy is to ensure that your son understands clearly how he is getting home before he leaves in the morning. Of course, when unexpected changes occur, staff will do their best to get a message to the affected student/s.

Mark Dunn | Master of the Junior School

## DATES FOR THE DIARY

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### MAY

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## ABSENTEE INSTRUCTIONS

Listed below, in preference order, are the methods available for Absentee reporting that would assist the Office:

1. Use the Trinity Grammar School phone APP and follow the prompts
   (From the APP home page select Junior School the select Absentee Form to open the absentee form). Instructions for installing the APP on your phone can be found by click here.

2. Using the Absentee email address jsabsentee@trinity.nsw.edu.au
   Also, if you wish, you can ‘CC’ the class teacher on this email.

3. Lastly, you can phone 9581 6144 and leave a message with your son’s name and class

## AWARDS FOR THE WEEK

**KC**
Benjamin El-Hayek
Jack Cooper

**KT**
Hugo Lobb-McEwan
Luke Nada
Marcos Fernandez

**1N**
Kody Murphy
Lachlan Reese

**1W**
Matthew Nada
James Wang

**2L**
Christian Beke
Myles Buvac

**2R**
Ignatius Cesarano
Michael Metlege

**BRONZE AWARDS**

**1W**
Jake Bouropoulos
George Deiri
George Elssal
Zeke Gourlas
Alex Jutrisa
Ethan Milostic

**2L**
Jonathan Sedrak

**2R**
Lucas Fernandez
Luke Gergis
Zac Jandera
Nikola Lujic
Andy Nguyen
Andy Zheng

**6D**
Karim Atab
Christian Becvarovski
Leo Byfield
Tyson Jackson
Dylan Lay
Thomas Miller
Daniel Tran
Thomas Yarrow

**SILVER AWARDS**

**1W**
Hamish Turner

**2L**
Christian Beke

**2R**
Samuel Gimenez-McAlpine
Benjamin Hanna
Zac Jandera
John Markos
Nathan Pham
Nikolas Sader
George Stavrakis
Austin Wang

**6D**
Dylan Lay
Luka Saxena
The Trinity Ball is happening again in 2015!

You are warmly invited to join us for a memorable evening enjoying fine food, drinks, live entertainment and dancing by the water at Lilyfield.

Gather your friends together and come along to what promises to be a social highlight for the school community.

Date | Saturday 13th June 2015
Time | 7:00pm for 7:30pm
Venue | Le Montage | 38 Frazer Street Lilyfield NSW 2040
Tickets | $150.00 per person
Tables | 10 people per table
RSVP | By Friday 29th May 2015 | Click here to RSVP now
Dress | Black Tie or Lounge Suit

We look forward to seeing you there!

Trinity Parents & Friends Association
WWI ARTEFACTS ON DISPLAY

Year 4 and 6 have recently begun exploring primary and secondary sources, historical perspectives and source analysis during their library sessions. Last week the boys were given an exciting opportunity, to view a collection of primary source material from World War I on display in the Arthur Holt Library. These artefacts, collated by David Dixson and Alison Doran, represented items typical of soldiers in WWI including medals, postcards, letters and trench art. The boys were fascinated by the items and the stories behind them. Some interesting discussions were had around recruitment posters, with students offering opinions on which poster would have been most effective in encouraging enlistment, based on their analysis of the language and visual features employed. It is not always easy to organise access to original materials relating to major historic events, and it was wonderful to see the boys making the most of this opportunity. Thanks to the staff in the Arthur Holt Library for hosting us, and spending time discussing these items with the boys.

FREE COMIC BOOK DAY – Saturday 1 May

To celebrate Free Comic Book Day the Library is running a competition to ‘Design Your Own Superhero’. Students are invited to create a character, describe their super power and draw a picture of him/her. The best and most creative entries from each year level will win a prize. Entry forms can be picked up from the Junior School Library desk, and need to be returned by Friday 8 May. One of our keen students has already completed his design, which you can see here – we look forward to seeing more creations as they come in!

Visit www.freecomicbookday.com for more information and to find a list of participating stores.

Gillian Gratton | Teaching and Learning Librarian

Order your Entertainment™ Books and Entertainment™ Digital Memberships before 27th April 2015 and you’ll receive an extra $150 in Early Bird Offers! Every Membership we sell raises $14 towards our fund-raising! The more Memberships we sell, the more we raise – so please pass this on to your family and friends!

George Ayoub | Director of Development
e-mail gayoub@trinity.nsw.edu.au
ART CLUB
GRAPHIC STORYTELLING
IN COMIC BOOK STYLE

This term artist Anton Pulvirenti is working with our boys from Year 3 – 6 in Art Cub after school on Tuesdays. The boys are very lucky to have the opportunity to work with a full time artist. Students in Year 5 saw his drawings for the Graphic novel 'Goomiland' at the Delmar Gallery last term. Our first session was fantastic and the students learned a lot about page layout, lettering and comic style drawing using simple shapes to build drawings of their characters. This is such a successful club that I am hoping to run it again next term on Thursdays for the boys who did not make it into the Tuesday sessions this term.

Ronnie Pratt | Visual Arts Teacher

RUGBY

RUGBY CLINIC | FRIDAY AFTERNOONS

‘Junior Rugby Clinic’ will be running again this term; the clinic is open to Preparatory and Junior school boys in Years 3 to 6. The clinic will be held on Friday afternoons from 3:45pm to 4:55pm on Oval 3 of the Summer Hill campus. It will commence on Friday 1st May 2015 and run for the remainder of the term.

The clinic will develop handling skills, evasive footwork, spatial awareness and game sense. The training is designed to be fun and fast with the emphasis on non-contact skills and games. The program will be delivered by Josh Clark, an ARU Level 2 coach. Josh has worked with the senior and junior school rugby teams for the past 4 seasons, prior to this he played professional rugby in the UK and was involved with England schoolboys.

The cost of the Rugby Clinic is only $100 for the term. If you would like your son to join please fill out the registration form. This can be accessed by visiting the home page of the Junior and Preparatory school websites and clicking on the ‘Rugby clinic’ link.

Payment for this activity is required prior to attendance. Please note Preparatory school boys may have to make their own travel arrangements, as spaces on the bus to the Summer Hill campus are limited. Boys should wear any school sports clothing and bring mouth guards and boots.

If you require any additional information, please contact Lachlan White lwhite@trinity.nsw.edu.au or Josh Clark on coaching@nolimitssports.com.au.

Lachlan White | Director of Rugby Coaching
Trinity hosted the seventh and final round of the ISDA Debating Competition on Friday 24th April 2015. The primary teams competed against girls from MLC in a challenging debate on the topic – That electronic devices (including laptops, iPads and mobile phones) should be banned from primary school classrooms.

Juno Yim, William Martin, Gabriel Booth and Christian Becvarovski were arguing the affirmative side. With only an hour of preparation, they developed a very convincing case based on the fact that electronic devices can prove a distraction in classrooms and can negatively impact on social skills whilst also preventing the proper development of student’s handwriting.

The MLC team countered with the fact that electronic devices are too important not to have in the primary classroom, as they help develop skills that students can use in a professional capacity later in life and that such devices are a very important tool for students with a range of learning styles.

In a very close decision the adjudicator awarded the debate to MLC due to the fact that, in speaking closer to the allowed time limit, they had more time to express their arguments. He also stated that MLC were more effective in rebutting the Trinity arguments. The Trinity boys were gracious in defeat and should be proud of their tremendous effort.

It has been an absolute pleasure to work with all six members of the team throughout this ISDA season. All boys have displayed an outstanding commitment to debating and improving their skills by responding positively to setbacks and seeking feedback and advice wherever possible. Their enthusiasm and talent has led them through this impressive season, achieving 4 wins from 7 debates.

A special thanks to all the parents for their wonderful support on Friday night and throughout the season, and to this week’s reserves Joshua Perera and Ahmad Hijazi who filled in the Chairperson and Timekeeper roles with great professionalism.

A final huge thank you to the team’s official coach, Isabel Diamond, for all her efforts throughout the season. The boys enjoyed learning from her and will continue to benefit from her guidance throughout the upcoming IPSHA debating program.

Jonathan Borger
MIC Junior School Debating

BRESSINGTON BBQ

The BBQ will be up and running this term during winter sport games at Bressington Oval. It would be appreciated if every parent could donate their time at least twice during the season. As the saying goes, many hands make light work! The BBQ is one of the Auxiliary’s main fundraisers for the year and it can only be a success with your support.

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MOTHERS’ DAY STALL – WEEK 3

Our team of volunteers has been busy purchasing some wonderful gifts for Mothers’ Day. We will be running the stall during week 3. We have a wonderful selection of quality gifts ranging in price from $10-$30.

We are asking for volunteers from Years 1, 3 and 5 to assist on the stall.

> Monday 4 May - 8:00am to 1:00pm - Junior School
> Tuesday 5 May - 8:00am to 11:00am - Junior School
> Wednesday 6 May - 10:00am to 11:30am and 1:00pm to 2:30pm - Senior School
> Thursday 7 May - 10:00am to 11:00am and 1:00pm to 2:30pm - Senior School

Please contact Carolyn with your availability carolynjtran@hotmail.com or 0439 469 438

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions about the Auxiliary.

Carolyn Tran
President – Junior School Auxiliary
mobile 0439 469 438 email carolynjtran@hotmail.com

ADVERTISE IN THE 2015 HOME GAME PROGRAMME

Would you like to advertise in our Home Game Programme? This is one of the few ways to advertise a business to the Trinity community and is very cost effective.

Interested? Contact: Stephen Heanly | Director of Community Relations
phone 9581 6065 or email sheanly@trinity.nsw.edu.au
WINTER SPORT

As we look forward to our first Saturday of winter sport I wish to draw your attention to the team lists and fixture information. This year we have gone paperless with our team lists. Each week these will be available on the Trinity Grammar School website the Wednesday afternoon preceding Saturday games.

Please continue to call the School’s wet weather number on 1300 788 477 and press 3 for the Junior School for Saturday sport information. This notice is updated at 7am if there is the possibility of rain.

SATURDAY EXPECTATIONS

Each Saturday there is the expectation that boys will be at the game 30 minutes prior to kick off. This is to ensure that our team is ready to go with a full complement of players. It is also expected that students will remain behind for at least 15 minutes following their match to support the following team. This will ensure that should any additional players be required we can make substitutions.

MAX FRICKER
NATIONAL DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS

During the holidays Max Fricker (4A) competed at the Australian National Age Diving championships in Chandler Brisbane.

Max was one of the youngest qualifying competitors in the NSW Team and was required to dive in the under 11 Year age group having just turned 10. Although Max did not place it was a great achievement to qualify for a National Championships and it was also a fantastic experience for him.

Chris Allum | Sportsmaster

PARENTS PLEASE NOTE:
The Junior School After School Swimming Programme will be closed in Term 2 due to refurbishment of the Swimming pool. The swimming programme will reopen in Term 3, 2015.

Colman Wong | Assistant Director Of Swimming

TRINITY GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Dinner 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 (see the Preparatory School News for further details) and the Summer Hill School campus.

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 2 May 12th, 26th, June 9th
Term 3 July 21st, August 4th, 18th, September 1st
Term 4 October 13th, 27th, November 10th, 24th

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.

SUMMER HILL contacts>
> Greg Webster | Senior Chaplain, Summer Hill
email gwebster@trinity.nsw.edu.au
> Margaret Chu (Summer Hill)
mobile 0433 124 523

DONATIONS OF MUCH LOVED OLD SCHOOL UNIFORMS

The Junior School Office is after any ‘out grown’ winter uniforms that you may not require, eg: Grey shorts, white shirts and grey socks. All donations can be dropped off at the Junior School Office.

Thanking you

Junior School Office

A-LEAGUE GRAND FINAL

FRIENDS OF FOOTBALL FUNDRAISING EVENT

SUNDAY 17 MAY 2015 | LATHAM THEATRE | WWW.TRINITY.NSW.EDU.AU

CLICK HERE TO RSVP
REVERSE GARBAGE VISIT TO KINDERGARTEN

As part of our unit of inquiry on buildings, the boys in Kindergarten were asked to design a building with a specific purpose in mind. They had to think and write about the things their building needed. Last Friday, Kindergarten invited Reverse Garbage into their classrooms to help them construct their buildings. Samia, from Reverse Garbage, brought with her lots of recycled materials to help the Kindergarten boys construct their buildings. We had a huge variety of structures built. These included houses, hospitals and train stations. We may have some future builders and architects amongst us!

Jenny Tredinnick | Kindergarten Teacher

CUB AND SCOUT NEWS

On ANZAC Day, Scouts Adrian McManus, Adam Kasanczuk, Ryan Shiller and James Hull accompanied by Scout Leaders Chil and Huon, along with Mr Shiller and Mr Kasanczuk, met at Legacy House to assist Legacy in distributing rosemary sprigs to the public attending the ANZAC March along George St in the city. Legacy is dedicated to caring for the families of deceased and incapacitated veterans. Today Legacy’s caring and compassionate service assists over 90,000 widows and 1,300 children and dependants with a disability. It was a rewarding time with many conversations with those watching and participating in the march. The Scouts were honoured to hand over to Legacy the large number of donations received from people as we handed them their rosemary sprig. Scouts Australia has made a special badge to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the landing at Gallipoli and these badges were presented to the Scouts on Tuesday for their service to Legacy and the ANZAC March.

Trinity Cubs and Scouts returned from a long break this week to a great night of games in the hall. A new game of chariots was a lot of fun along with a challenge to cross the hall using only a few chairs for the scouts. Both Games involved a lot of team work.

At the end of the night we were please to invest Harrison Brown into Scouts and William Brown into Cubs. Both boys proudly made their Scout and Cub promise respectively and have been welcomed enthusiastically into the Group. Jake Paraskevopoulos also successfully linked into Scouts restating his promise and becoming a member of the Scout Troop. BRAVOOO to Harrison and Jake. 1-2-3 WOOF to William.

This term is going to be busy with the Region Camp and the World Scouting JOTT Hike along with other fun activities.

All students interested in Scouts are welcome at 3rd Summer Hill (Trinity Grammar) – the Group is currently running programs for all Trinity boys from 7.5 years up to 10.5 years (Cubs) and 10 years up to 15 years ( Scouts). Older students, including those interested in service projects for IB and Duke of Edinburgh, are also welcome. The Group meets in the old gymnasium at Summer Hill Campus on Tuesday evenings from 6pm to 7:30pm.

Leader Contact:
Group Leader: David Hull (Chil) mobile 0411 853 798
group email 3rd.summer.hill@TrinityScouts.com
**Next Concert | Orava Quartet**

"beautifully calculated and coordinated… time and motion seemed to defy the laws of physics" The Washington Post

Thursday 28 May, 7.30pm
Delmar Gallery

The Orava Quartet is a young ensemble fast making its mark in chamber music performance across USA, Asia and Australasia. Since their debut at the 2008 Musica Viva Festival in the AYO Chamber Players programme, they have gone from strength to strength, notching up awards and critical acclaim.

On the invitation of the world-renowned Takács String Quartet, they spent two years as graduate quartet-in-residence at the University of Colorado. In 2014, they were one of only four quartets selected to participate in the Juilliard School Seminar in New York. At the 2013 Asia Pacific Chamber Music Competition, they won both the Peter Druce Audience Prize and the Musica Viva Australia Tony Berg Award for the most outstanding Australian ensemble. Currently they are Quartet-in-Residence at the Camerata of St John’s – Queensland’s Chamber Orchestra and will perform fresh from the 2015 Musica Viva Festival.

**Programme**

Dvorak String Quartet no. 12 ‘American’
Shostakovich String Quartet No. 6 in G major

Daniel Kowalik (violin)
Karol Kowalik (cello)
David Dalseno (violin)
Thomas Chawner (viola)

Proudly presented by Trinity Grammar School Society of the Arts as part of the 2015 Concert Series

Tickets $30/$20 conc & seniors / $75 family of four / Free for Trinity students in uniform and Society of the Arts Members

Book tickets online

Bookings essential

Catherine Benz | Convenor, Society of the Arts

Delmar Gallery
144 Victoria Street
Ashfield NSW 2131
phone 9581 6070

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**Home**

An exhibition on the theme of ‘home’ by 21 emerging Greek photographers, curated by Jacob Aue Sobol of Magnum Photos with Sun Hee Engelstoft and organised by the Photography Centre of Thessaloniki. Proudly presented by Delmar Gallery in association with Head On Photo Festival.

"Home is a place of memories. It is where we have our roots. It is a place we keep returning to. If we want to learn more about ourselves and the world we live in, this is where we look.” - Jacob Aue Sobol

**Exhibition dates:** 10 May – 7 June, 2015

**Exhibition opening:** Saturday 9 May, 3-5pm

To be officially opened by Their Excellencies the Ambassador of Greece in Australia Mr Haris Dafaranos and Mrs Eva T. Dafaranos.

**RSVP essential to the exhibition opening**

Venue: Delmar Gallery (entry via Victoria Street gate)
Gallery hours: Wednesday to Sunday, 12-5pm

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TRINITY GRAMMAR SCHOOL
2015 JUNIOR SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS

ALL ORDERS MUST BE COMPLETED ONLINE BEFORE PHOTOGRAPHY DAY 11 MAY 2015

PRICING

PACK 1 (BEST VALUE) | $35.00
+ 1 13 x 20cm portrait
+ 2 10 x 15cm portrait
+ 1 10 x 7cm portrait
+ 1 7.5 x 5cm
+ 2 5 x 3.5cm
+ 1 Class Photo

PACK 2 | $30.00
+ 1 20 x 13cm portrait
+ 4 5 x 6.7cm portraits
+ 1 Class Photo

PACK 3 | $25.00
+ 2 10 x 15cm portrait
+ 1 Class Photo

OTHER OPTIONS AVAILABLE ONLINE
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Portrait photo on USB | $20.00
Keyring with portrait photograph | $10.00
Mousepad with portrait photograph | $25.00

HOW TO ORDER YOUR PHOTOS

1 Go to the Melba Studios Website www.melbastudios.com.au
2 Select ‘School Orders’
3 Enter the Password: junior
4 Complete the online order form

Any questions please call Melba Studios on 9438 4566