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FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Our Vision
Mercy Regional College serves a wide rural community which values growth and diversity in Catholic Education in the Mercy tradition.

Our Mission
In the Spirit of the Gospels we commit ourselves to the core values of community, inclusiveness, learning, care, justice and mercy, excellence and achievement.

Our Focus for 2010
Justice and Mercy: Through the Mercy tradition we seek to act with love, fairness, tolerance and compassion to all.

Mary MacKillop
The announcement on 19th February 2010, by Pope Benedict XVI, that Mary MacKillop will be formerly canonised, making her Australia’s first saint, has led to great rejoicing within Australia. Mary is the only Australian to have been beatified (in 1995) and after two miracles have been attributed to her, will be formally declared, on 17th October, a saint. She will thereafter be known as ‘Saint Mary of the Cross’.

Mary’s life was certainly inspirational: she opened schools for the underprivileged, orphanages to care for the homeless and destitute and refuges for ex-prisoners and ex-prostitutes who wished to make a fresh start in life. She co-founded the Sisters of St Joseph of the Sacred Heart (1886) and stands as an example of great courage and trust in her living out of God’s loving and compassionate care of those in need. Mary’s motto for life was ‘Never see a need without doing something about it’.

During the Lenten season, let us adopt Mary’s motto by identifying one specific need that surrounds us and by then being active in doing something positive about that need. In this way we will truly be able to ‘grow together’ as a Mercy community.

Prayer
Be calm and full of hope
(Mary MacKillop, 1971)

God of all Goodness:
You called Mary MacKillop to relieve suffering and to bring hope.
May Mary’s life be a source of inspiration to all of us.
May we be filled with your compassionate love,
See the goodness in each person, grow to trust in your provident care, and learn to respect the dignity of all people.
Wherever we are, whoever we are, whatever we do, we are called to relieve suffering and bring hope.
We ask this in Jesus’ name.
Amen

(prayer taken from SZ Principal Association Opening Year Mass 2010)

Consultation on the draft K-10 Australian Curriculum
In the next few weeks, the Australian Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting Authority (ACARA) will release the draft K-10 Australian Curriculum in four learning areas: English, Mathematics, Science and History, for national consultation.

Feedback is easy to provide. The drafts will be available through a consultation website for everyone to read, download, or print. ACARA would like as many people as possible to be involved in the consultation process and to provide feedback on what we would like young people to learn in English, Mathematics, Science and History across K-10.

ACARA is committed to listening to you, carefully considering your feedback and developing the best possible Australian Curriculum.

Further information about the consultation website and consultation dates please visit the ACARA website at www.acara.edu.au
Presentation Ball - some perspective required!
The Year 11 Presentation Ball, each year, brings out the best in our students. On the evening they are well presented and during the course of the first term they enjoy each other’s company as they learn and practice the various dances. This year, they have worked very well with our new instructors Colin and Yvonne Langley.

However, during this period of time a small number of parents lose a sense of perspective about the place and importance of the Presentation Ball. For example over the last week we have had:

- parents being quite rude and demanding on the phone to our reception staff about the Presentation Ball;
- finding it necessary to ring Glenormiston College to check the maximum number of people allowed to be in the Hall which is the same figure as I have informed parents of in the past;
- be insistent that they must be allocated additional tickets;
- parents dealing with their perceived issues in an unpleasant manner with members of the co-ordinating committee, when they are not prepared to give of their time to help in the organisation of the event;

I would ask that some perspective is taken into account in relation to the Presentation Ball. It is sometimes important for parents and students to occasionally hear the word “NO” and to learn that there are limits and constraints that apply in our society.

I trust that some of the silliness that has occurred over the last week has come to an end and that we can all enjoy a wonderful evening on Friday, 19th March.

Year 8 Camp
Last week, our Year 8 students undertook their annual Camp, at Princetown, which had an environmental theme. The students enjoyed their time away from the classroom and made the most of the opportunity to do some learning in the field. I was able to visit the Year 8’s during the course of the three days. I was most impressed with the way all students participated in the programs and all teachers spoke very highly of the student’s behaviour and involvement.

This camp cannot operate without a team of dedicated staff. When staff volunteer to organise and attend such camps, it requires a significant sacrifice of personal time. It requires teachers to be away from families and other commitments for three days and while on camp, being responsible for students 24 hours a day. With little sleep each night, our teachers are able to ensure that our students have a wonderful and worthwhile experience. I also think it is important to note that not one extra dollar is paid to staff who undertake camps or retreats.

I am indeed grateful to all staff who organised and participated in our Year 8 Camp this year. I trust that both parents and students are grateful for their efforts. I wish to thank the following staff who attended the Year 8 Camp: Leanne Carpenter, Ian Nicholson, Sharyn Grinter, Simon Horan, Fr Matthew Thomas, Jenny Binder, Janet Backhous, Stacey Hillman, Darren Cheeseman, and Rebecca Rees.

Spirit of ANZAC Prize
Congratulations are extended to Samantha Alexander who is one of only 10 students across Victoria to have been awarded the Spirit of ANZAC Prize for 2010. Samantha will represent the Barwon South Education Region and will join the other prize winners on the 14 day tour of Thailand and France from March 27.

Appreciation
Last year on Sunday, 13th December, four of our students participated in the re-dedication of the Camperdown War Memorial. It was the 80th Anniversary of the dedication in 1929. Toby McKenzie sang the National Anthem, and with Kirsty Almond, Verity Watt and Jacqueline O’Bryan also formed a small choir for the occasion. These students were warmly received by the large audience and appreciation from all involved was expressed. Well done to the abovementioned students.

College Libraries
Just a reminder that the College Libraries at both campuses are open from 8.30am to 4.30pm each day. This provides a good time for students to have some quiet time to complete homework, assignments or study for tests and exams without the distraction of home.
**HCSN Swimming Carnival**

Last week, the College excelled at the Hampden Secondary School Sports Association (HSSSA) swimming sports coming away with the junior, intermediate, senior and overall winner's title at the event. Congratulations to all our swimmers and Mr Castles for an outstanding effort!

The following individual achievements were recorded on the day:

**Swimming Champions**
- 13 Yrs Female  Haylee Davis
- 14 Yrs Female  Dana Rhode
- 14 Yrs Male    Jock Goold
- 15 Yrs Female  Kayla Spicer
- 15 Yrs Male    Dylan Lee
- 16 Yrs Female  Caitlyn Mitchell
- 16 Yrs Male    Daniel Unwin
- 20 Yrs Male    Xavier Darcy

Mr. Castles, in the HSSSA Report, details a large number of records broken by our students on the day.

**Catholic All Schools Golf**

This year, the College is providing additional opportunities for students to be involved in a range of different sports through the Catholic All Schools competition. Last week, a team of golfers ventured to Sunbury to participate in this competition. Congratulations are extended to our golf team, James Keough, Jack Kerr, Andrew Meade and Matthew Baxter who finished second overall, with James Keough achieving third place. Thank you to Mrs. Donna Baxter for taking the boys to this event.

**Head Lice**

This week we have had a report of one child at the O'Keeffe Campus with head lice. To keep the spread of infection to a minimum, I would ask parents to check their child's hair as a precautionary measure. If your child is found to have head lice, then action must be taken. If you require information on how to deal with head lice you can go to the State Government of Victoria's Department of Health website [www.health.vic.gov.au](http://www.health.vic.gov.au) type the words HEAD LICE in the search box and click Go. This will bring up information relating to the treatment and control of head lice. I would also ask parents to inform their child's homeroom teacher if their child has head lice. Thank-you for your co-operation in this matter.

**Along the Track**

I have attached to this newsletter, for your interest, on page 6, a reflection titled “What's the Hurry” written by Jim Quilinan from the Diocesan Catholic Education Office in Warragul. I hope you enjoy this reading.

**Prayer**

In conclusion, I offer this Lenten prayer:
(adapted from morning and Evening Prayer of the Sisters of Mercy)

Faithful God, may the renewal of our covenant with you, Through prayer and fasting, bring us closer to you and your people.

We ask your help to remain faithful to our commitments and to grow in Generosity and courage.

We make this prayer in union with Jesus, whose passion, death and resurrection opened the way for us

Amen.

Andrew Watson
PRINCIPAL

**Mercy Award**

Junior School (Yr 7 & 8) Mercy Award

William Milson 7B for displaying honesty and integrity at the canteen.

**From the Business Manager**

Lynn Wadley

A number of families have not returned the “Tuition Fee Arrangement Form”. We request that each family at the College notify the school of how they will pay their school fees for 2010. A form was posted to each family with their Fee Account. If you have not completed and returned one of these forms, could you please do so before the end of next week.

**Mathematics Challenge for Young Australians**

Leanne Carpenter

The Mathematics Challenge for Young Australians will be conducted early in Term 2. If your child enjoys Maths, is self motivated, organised and willing to put in some extra time, the Challenge might be for them. If interested please contact myself at the College.
**COMING EVENTS**

**TERM 1**

**Monday 8th March**  
Labour Day

**Wednesday 10th March**  
MRC Athletics Carnival  
Presentation Ball practice 3.30pm – 5.30pm

**Sunday 14th March**  
Presentation Ball practice at Glenormiston College  
3.30pm – 5.30pm

**Tuesday 16th March**  
Board Meeting 7.30pm

**Friday 19th March**  
Presentation Ball

**Monday 22nd March**  
PTFA Meeting – 7.30pm O’Keeffe Campus Staff Room

**Wednesday 24th March**  
Outdoor Education Surf Camp

**Thursday 25th March**  
Outdoor Education Surf Camp  
Parent/Teacher/Student interviews 4.00pm – 8.00pm  
Student conclude Term 1

**Friday 26th March**  
Parent/Teacher/Student interviews 10.00am–2.00pm

**Network Family Support**  
Chris Moloney

Hi to all,

In my role in Family Support I have enjoyed contacting some of the new families to our schools, with Year 7’s and Preps. I have many more families to ‘touch base’ with and hope to do this in the next few weeks. My role is to help the transition into Secondary and Primary be as smooth as possible and to answer any questions you may have regarding all aspects of school life.

I am another form of communication between yourselves and the school.

I will endeavour to contact families during the rest of Term 1 but please don’t hesitate to call me if you have any queries on 5592 2017.

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**From the Welfare Coordinator**  
Kerin Glennen

**Alcohol and Adolescence:**

Alcohol is the most widely used recreational drug in Australia. Many adults drink to relax, celebrate, enjoy themselves and escape reality. Most adolescents will use alcohol sensibly and safely and only a small proportion, who experiment with alcohol, will go on to experience problems with its use. However, parents, caregivers, families and the wider community may have some concerns about the potential problems and harms surrounding adolescence and alcohol.

How much influence can you, your family and community have on adolescents’ use of alcohol?

Families play a big role in teaching adolescents about alcohol. Studies have shown that parents and families are strong influences in how young people use alcohol. (1999 Shanahan and Hewitt). You can also have a significant influence on what young people think about the use and abuse of alcohol.

Many parents believe that they don’t have much influence at all on their adolescent children, when it comes to alcohol and other drugs.

Studies in Australia and overseas consistently show that parents are the most common sources of alcohol for young people. Friends and older siblings are less common sources of alcohol. The two most common places for students to drink alcohol are in the family home, or at a friend’s home. A recent survey (Australian Secondary students use of alcohol 2002) showed that on their last drinking occasion nearly two out of three teenagers drank alcohol under adult supervision. Please talk to your son and or daughter about the harm that alcohol can have on a young body and the devastating effects that that it can have on a family. All members of our community must take on the responsibility of caring for our young and speaking frankly with them about the dangers of alcohol abuse, at a young age.

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**Presentation Ball Notice**  
Jenni Lenehan

Please note a couple of changes to the Presentation Ball practice schedule. On Sunday, 14th March, the practice will now be held at St. Thomas’ Hall Terang NOT Glenormiston College. There is a function on at Glenormiston and the hall is not available.

We will have a practice at Glenormiston on Wednesday evening, 17th March, 6:30pm – 8:30pm.

Also, a reminder for parents to please send in their money for the Presentation Ball tickets. Once they have been purchased, tickets will be sent home with your son/daughter.
**Junior Landcare Pumpkin Challenge**  
*Fiona Sargeant (Year 7 Science)*

At the end of last year, students from the O’Keeffe Campus entered a giant pumpkin growing competition through Landcare Australia. Twelve Giant Atlantic Pumpkin seeds were posted to us in late October and we had the challenge of trying to grow a really big pumpkin. Only three of our seeds germinated and these were transferred to the vegetable plot for further growth. Watering, feeding and mulching with straw over the summer helped us to grow a few female flowers which were pollinated manually. When the pumpkins began to form we pruned away the excess vine runners. We have successfully grown two large pumpkins even though at the start of February we had nothing to measure. “Peta” weighs almost 30 kilograms and is pictured with Mitchell Banks. “Pauline” is still in the garden and already has a circumference of 160 cm and weighs approximately 40 kilograms. She is accompanied by Josh Wilson-Browne and Stephanie Lee. “Pauline” has been registered with Landcare Australia and will represent Mercy in the competition when it closes on March 12th.

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**Careers Report**  
*James Castles*

**National Institute of Education**

If you are planning to sit the UMAT exam this year contact enquiries@nie.edu.au for 2010 books, practice exams and practice workshop dates.

**Gordon Institute**

In 2010 the Gordon Institute of TAFE will be offering a new dual certificate course for persons looking to begin an exciting career as a creative hairdresser and makeup technician. The dual certificate II in Hairdressing and Makeup course will equip students with communication, retailing and practical skills, offering students the perfect pathway to an apprenticeship in Hairdressing, Beauty Therapy or Specialist Makeup. An information day will be held at the S Wing of Gordon Institute of TAFE, 142 Hearn Street Colac on Wednesday, 17th March at 10.00am. For further information contact Kristen Grasso - Hairdressing on 5225 0595 or kgrasso@gordontafe.edu.au

Congratulations to Leif Ericson who has obtained a school based apprentice with the Cobb Loaf Bakery in Camperdown.

**Calendar of Events 2010**

- **March 17th** - Meet Melbourne (University of Melbourne Parents and Student Information Session) Ballarat - Loreto College 6.30 - 8.00pm
- **March 21st** - Veterinary Science Open Day - University of Melbourne (Werribee Campus) www.vet.unimelb.edu.au/openday
- **March 30th** - Discover Deakin (Burwood, Waurn Ponds, Warrnambool)
- **Labrobe University Melbourne**  9th April - Talk and Tour.
- **April 9th** - University of Melbourne Access All Areas Program (Yr 10-12) www.futurestudents.unimelb.edu.au/accessallareas
- **April 23rd- 25th** - The Age and VCE Careers Expo (10am - 5pm) at Caulfield Racecourse.

For more information, please feel free to email the Careers teacher on info@mercy.vic.edu.au

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**O’Keeffe Canteen Volunteer Needed**

If any parent would be able to volunteer some time on a Tuesday to help out at the O’Keeffe Campus Canteen, could you please contact Maureen O’Loughlan on 5592 5353.
Along the track

What’s the Hurry?

A recent newspaper report indicated that someone in Victoria is booked for speeding every twenty five seconds! It seems to be an indicator of how busy-ness has become part of our lives. We are always on the move, we always have so much to do. Busy-ness has even become our greeting to each other – “How are you? Busy!” Would any of us dare to say “no?” Hugh McKay, in his book Advance Australia Where? describes our current predicament as ‘the illusion of busy-ness’. We keep on the move, keep hurrying, we keep our days filled with things to do, people to meet, jobs to finish, letters to write, calls to make...he suggests that we keep busy so that we don’t have to think too much about the deeper things of life.

It’s probably correct to say that our lives have become more pressured - emails, the mobile phone, SMS demanding immediate responses. Often we feel as if we are getting snowed under – there is so much still to do, so many unfinished tasks. People make so many demands on us. There is always something else that we should have remembered, done, or said. We seem to be always hurrying, always restless, always wanting to do or have more. It is true that sometimes we have to hurry, sometimes we are under pressure, there are deadlines and obligations – we can at times have too much to do. But if that is our constant pattern, it cannot be sustained for too long.

Being in a constant hurry, trying to juggle too many things at once is not only detrimental to our health but it is an obstacle to spiritual health as well. It is no wonder that thousands of years ago God put these words into the mind of the writer of the psalms: Be still and know that I am God (Ps 46:10). That advice is even more important today.

Firstly, we are in good company. In our long history, we have many examples of our forebears "being still", stepping aside – scripture describes so many individuals, even groups and sometimes the entire people of God ‘being still’. Moses, Abraham, Elijah, Esther, Ruth – the entire Jewish nation taken into exile – God ‘interrupted’ their lives, to take them away from the familiar, the hurly burly to be still, to reconsider what the covenant with God meant, to reconsider what God meant to them, how faithful God had been and how they ought respond.

The Gospels give so many examples of Jesus taking time aside for prayer, to connect in a special way with his Father. Before he begins his public ministry he goes aside into the wilderness for forty days and nights. On the night before he died, he spends time in stillness in the Garden of Gethsemane (Matt 14:23). He goes up into a mountain apart to pray alone (Mt 14:23), sometimes praying all night (Luke 6:12). At other times he took his friends aside for a while, just to be together – after he sent out the seventy two disciples to preach and heal in the surrounding villages, they come back to tell him what had happened. Jesus invites them to come aside with him to the peace and quiet of Bethsaida. Jesus needed to be with them too – he had just heard that his beloved cousin John the Baptist had been beheaded. The news that Herod was now looking for him made him realize that his days were numbered.

Jewish people have the expression of ‘practising shavat’, a time of deep listening, giving themselves time to stop, to be at one with God around them and within. Literally translated, it means a day of rest - for the heart. It is where the word Sabbath comes from. God invites us to be still so that we can give ourselves that time of rest for our hearts too – in this way we reconnect with God.

In the busy-ness of our lives, God invites us even more urgently to be still, to give ourselves space, to give ourselves the time to listen deeply so that in stillness we can become aware of God’s loving presence – firstly in nature itself in the words of the late Pope John Paul II:

“Nature therefore becomes a Gospel that speaks to us of God.”

--General Audience, ZENIT Translation, January 26, 2000

Secondly, God invites us to be still so that we can discover God’s invitation to friendship in the day to day experiences of our lives, in our ups and downs, joys and sadnesses God is seeking us out – if only we find the time to be still, to listen with our hearts. In times of our own quiet prayer alone, in our communities as we celebrate together, God invites us to a deeper friendship, to find courage and deeper meaning.

When we spend time in the stillness of God’s presence, we can come to know more about what God is like. That won’t happen if we don’t take time to be in God’s presence. For Jesus these times alone with his Father were special – it was there that he found courage to persevere, it was in those times that he found inspiration, it was at those times that he renewed his commitment. But, more importantly perhaps, many of Jesus’ greatest stories, his greatest insights about God come after he has gone aside to be still, to ‘practice shavat’. When he entered the mind and heart of his Father, the timeless stories such as the Prodigal Son, the Good Shepherd, and the Good Samaritan emerged. He came to know what God is like.

So what does busy-ness teach us? Its greatest lesson is that we need to ‘wait’ on God, to attend to God, to make time for our heart and our mind to be with God, to discover the God who loves us.

Regards
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What’s the Hurry? 2 March 2010
HSSA SWIMMING CARNIVAL RESULTS
James Castles - Sports Coordinator

Congratulations to all the students who swam in the HSSSA Interschool Swimming carnival Friday 19th. We won every age group shield which placed us comfortably in first place overall. A further congratulations to Xavier Darcy, Daniel Unwin, Caitlin Mitchell, Dylan Lee, Kayla Spicer, Jock Goold, Dana Rhodes and Hayley Davis for winning age champions. Currently the team is been selected for Catholic All Schools which will be competed at the Melbourne on 23rd March.

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Swimming Champions

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14Yr  F  Dana Rhode   MRC  25 points
14Yr  M  Jock Goold   MRC  22 points
15Yr  F  Kayla Spicer  MRC  30 points
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### Swimming Champions

Kayla Spicer & Daniel Unwin holding the shield
Congratulations to our Golf Team
Congratulations to our golf team James Keough, Jack Kerr, Andrew Meade, and Matthew Baxter who competed in the CAS golf championships in Sunbury. The team finished 2nd overall, with James Keough coming 3rd overall.

A huge thanks must go to Donna Baxter for taking the team to the event. Your help is much appreciated.

PUBLIC NOTICES

Cobden Junior Football/Netball Club
URGENTLY NEEDED - UNDER 16 FOOTBALL COACH and ASSISTANT COACH, UNDER 16S, 14S AND 12S NETBALL COACHES: If you feel you have the time and what is needed to guide these young footballers and netballers for season 2010 please contact Darren Mounsey on after hours 5595 1482 or mobile: 0437 847 153 or Leanne Unwin on 5595 1239 or mobile 0407 504 459. Game days are Sundays and training on Tuesday and Thursdays for footy and Tuesdays for netball. Mums are more than welcome to apply for netball coaching.

Missing
Do you have a basketball top belonging to Camperdown Basketball? If so, can you please return them to Davis’ Milkbar or Tower Computer Aid.

School Holiday Program
If students are interested in the Corangamite Shire’s Secondary School Holiday Program, they can pick up a flyer and permission form from the school office at either McAuley or O’Keeffe campuses. See details below regarding the two trips on offer.

There are two trips planned:

**Trip 1**
Thursday 1st April
Adventure Park - Geelong
Cost $30.00

**Trip 2**
Friday 9th April
Gold Rush Mini Golf & Shopping - Ballarat
Cost $25.00
Come & Try and Registration Days:
Thursday 4th March, 4-8pm at Campertown Stadium, Fuller Street
Sunday 7th March, 10am - 2pm at Mockridge Park, Thornton Street, Campedown.
YOU MUST REGISTER AT ONE OF THESE DAYS IF YOU WANT TO PLAY IN OUR 2010 COMPETITION

Corangamite FC 2010 Soccer season

Competition Format for 2010:
The Club will be running Futsal (Indoor Soccer) and outdoor soccer in Campedown in 2010.
Junior and Senior Futsal Competition starts Thursday 15th April, the first week of Term 2.
Junior and Senior Outdoor Soccer Club Competition starts Sunday 18th April.
Competitions run through terms 2 and term 3. No play during school holidays.

Age groups for Futsal camps:
Juniors 10-12 : 5 a side Field: basketball court Goals 3x2m 20 minute halves Kick off: 5.30pm
Juniors 12-15 : 5 a side Field: basketball court Goals 3x3m 22 minute halves Kick off: 6.30pm
Seniors: 5 a side Field: basketball court Goals 3x3m 25 minute halves Kick off: 7.30pm
LOCATION: Campedown Stadium, Fuller Street, Campedown

Age groups for outdoor camps:
Juniors 10-12: 7 a side Field: 60x30m Goals 5x2m 30 minute halves Kick off: 10am
Juniors 12-15: 7 a side Field: 60x30m Goals 5x2m 35 minute halves Kick off: 11.30 am
Seniors: 7 a side Field: 60x30m Goals 5x2m 40 minute halves Kick off: 1pm
LOCATION: Mockridge Park, Thornton Street, Campedown

NOTE:
Times shown above are kick-off.
All players are requested to arrive at least 30 minutes before kick-off, to ensure teams can start on time, and to warm-up.
Start times will not be delayed, finishing times will be strictly enforced. Players arriving late will miss out on game time.

All players must be registered and paid in full to play. You can not register and play on the same day.

Fees:
Junior Futsal only: $90  
Junior Futsal and Outdoors $147
Senior Futsal only: $100  
Senior Futsal and Outdoors $203

A Joys development squad, for ages 6 to 9, will run as a 6 week program commencing on 15/04/2010 to 20/05/2010
and held at the Stadium, Thursdays 4.30 to 5.15pm. Fees: $50

Also if possible we will have full sized games on the big pitch at Mockridge Park during the season, depending on numbers and interest.
We have been invited to play a 6 week outdoor competition against Warrnambool Wolves, depending on numbers and interest.
We want to enter teams in all age groups at the South West Games at the end of the year. If we have enough girls, we will enter girls only teams as well. The SW Games are played on small fields, 7 a side, so ideal for our proposed 2010 format.

This will be the first real season of Soccer in Corangamite ever. We are building a club that will offer elite pathways for talented players, and that can compete against other leagues, such as Warrnambool and Ballarat. We are FIFA affiliated, which means we are also affiliated with FIFA the world authority.

We still need volunteers to help run the club. Set up and pack on both days, refs, first aid, coaches, team minds, general helpers.
Ask about possible training days and courses.
Parents, if your children play, please help out, please stay and cheer, encourage and support. Help set up, pack up, etc.
We do not have enough helpers, team minds, coaches, refs, so we need everyone to be part of the club.
If you want to play a totally fun and fair sport, it starts here.
If you have dreams of playing for Australia, it starts here.

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Canteen Roster McAuley Campus for the Remainder of the Term

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