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.

Central Australia Trip
On Monday 20th September 80 students and 8 staff will commence the Central Australia Trip in the early hours of the morning. After traveling through South Australia and experiencing a night in underground accommodation at Coober Pedy we will arrive in Alice Springs. From there the tour will explore the Mac Donnell Ranges, visit the Royal Flying Doctors Service, Kings Canyon and then arrive at Uluru. After a couple of days exploring the Red Centre taking in the sights of both Ayres Rock and the Olgas we then return home on Wednesday 1st October.

NAPLAN (National Assessment Program - Literacy and Numeracy) Tests
In May this year, national literacy and numeracy tests were administered to students in Years 3, 5, 7 & 9 throughout Australia for the first time. Over one million students from 9000 school across Australia participated in the national test.

This week the NAPLAN reports were sent home to parents of Year 7 and 9 students. The NAPLAN report shows the result of each child’s performance. The report tells you how your child is performing compared to:

- other Australian students
- the average score on the NAPLAN tests and
- the range of achievement for the middle 60% of students in Australia.

The literacy assessment tasks measures student achievement in reading, writing and language conventions. The numeracy assessment tasks measure student achievement in number; algebra; function and pattern; measurement; chance and data; and space.

NAPLAN results add value to teacher assessment and reporting by showing how their students’ achievement compares to a wider group of students across the state and across Australia. It is important to remember that the results reflect each student’s performance at a single point in time.

Teachers at Mercy Regional College assess their students in literacy and numeracy on a regular basis. NAPLAN testing complements but does not replace the information that teachers gather.

The format of the report is the same for all Australian states and territories and it has been set nationally for reporting student achievement to parents for NAPLAN in 2010.

Each report includes:

- student and school details
- information about the NAPLAN tests
- a ‘How to read the student report’ section
- individual student’s achievement results for Reading, Writing, Language Conversation (consisting of spelling, grammar and punctuation) and Numeracy on the NAPLAN Achievement Scale
- an indicator for each assessment area that shows the national average and the middle 60% of national results
- a written description for each assessment area identifying the type of skills assessed
- a ‘Summary of Skills Assessed’ table describing skills students are likely to demonstrate in each of the bands.
Car Raffle
Wednesday 1st September marked the beginning of the 36th year of the Mercy Regional College Car Raffle. The car raffle is certainly now the most important fundraising effort of our PTFA. Raffle books and rosters for selling tickets have been posted home to all families.

This year’s prizes are as follows:

1st Prize:
2010 Ford Focus LX Hatch valued at $27,999 including on road costs (Auto, prestige paint, air conditioning, power steering, cruise control CD player, alloy wheels 6 air bags and ABS) supplied courtesy of McKenzie Ford, Colac and Supported by Manifold Motors, Camperdown.

2nd Prize:
Travel Voucher valued at $2000 supplied courtesy of Harvey World Travel, Camperdown.

3rd Prize:
Electrical Goods Voucher valued at $1000 supplied courtesy of Camperdown Retravision.

4th Prize:
Nutrimetrics Pamper Pack valued at $250 supplied courtesy of Helen Bourke, Kolora.

5th Prize:
Fuel Voucher valued at $250 supplied courtesy of Steven Lucas, BP Camperdown.

6th Prize:
Jewellery Voucher valued at $200 supplied courtesy of Showcase Jewellers, Camperdown and Colac.

7th Prize:
Dinner Voucher valued at $100 supplied courtesy of Madden’s Bar & Bistro, Camperdown.

This year we have again selected a more fuel efficient car which will ensure the running costs for the eventual winner will be more economical.

The College is indeed grateful to our abovementioned suppliers of raffle prizes for their generosity. Where possible it would certainly be appreciated if our school community could support these businesses.

I look forward to a very successful car raffle result, which can be easily achieved if ALL families work together to sell their book of raffle tickets and assist with the selling roster.

School Uniform & Hats
A reminder to all parents that the summer uniform is to be worn during term 4 and that part of the summer uniform is the requirement that all students must wear the approved College hat when in the sun. The College hat is available from our uniform suppliers.

State Election
The state election is now just months away. This is an important opportunity for Catholic education to raise the issue of fair and sustainable state government funding for Catholic schools. For many years Victorian Catholic schools have received the lowest level of state government funding of any state in Australia. As a result, for each dollar of Australian and state government funding going to a student in a Victorian government school a student in a Catholic school receives just 63 cents.

We are asking that state funding to Catholic schools be transparently linked to 25% of the cost of education in a Victorian government school. This will ensure a sustainable funding base. The Liberal-National Coalition has committed to funding Catholic schools at this level if they are elected. The Government has informed us that the proposal is under active consideration. I will provide you with more information in the lead up to the November state election.

Preparing our Year 12 Students
There is only six weeks of Year 12 classes left and the VCE exams commence at the end of October. Over the past couple of weeks I have witnessed extra classes being held after school, on weekends and at lunchtimes in most subject areas. The recent Year 12 progress reports contained many offers of advice by teachers of extra individual help for any student that required it. At the beginning of Term 4 trial English and Maths exams are being held on Monday 4th October for all students. In between time all other subjects will be vying for time for their practice exams. Many teachers are also setting aside time during the September holidays for extra classes and revision. All in all our Year 12 students are very fortunate to have a dedicated team of VCE teachers willing to assist them in any way possible to be well prepared for the forthcoming exams.

In return I hope that our students will:
• Make the most of the extra classes being offered
• Attend all scheduled practice exams
• Ask their teachers for assistance
• Commence an extensive study and revision program (NOW!!)
• Review their commitments outside of school to ensure that study is NOW the NUMBER ONE PRIORITY
• Make some sensible choices in terms of social activities, especially on weekends

To do all of the above our students will require the support, guidance and wisdom of parents. Now is the time for both parents and students to agree to some guidelines for the coming weeks.

I look forward to celebrating the success of our students in early December.
**School Sport Victoria**

Commencing in 2011, Mercy Regional College has been invited to compete in the association called School Sport Victoria. School Sport Victoria is governed by the Department of Education and Early Childhood Development and replaces organizations that were restricted to government schools only.

From 2011, our students and teams that are successful at the local level (HSSSA competition) will be permitted to proceed and compete at the regional and potentially state level. As a result, we will no longer be participating in the Catholic All Schools Association. This new membership allows for our students to compete in a larger number of competitions.

I look forward to our students succeeding in this new sports association.

**Centacare Sunday**

Since 1977, Centacare Ballarat has worked to provide social welfare services which support people to live with choice and opportunity free from discrimination.

Currently funded by the State and Federal Government, their programs are often subject to uncertainty and fluctuations of support based on political developments. To secure ongoing security as an organization, it is vital that means of independent funding are secured.

This year the Bishop has endorsed Sunday, **September 26 as Centacare Sunday** - a day to focus on the important work that Centacare does in the Diocese. On this Sunday, or another in September which may meet local needs better, parishioners are asked to consider the services of Centacare and the possibility of assisting financially.

If you are able, please contribute to the collection at your local Parish or visit [www.centacareballarat.org.au](http://www.centacareballarat.org.au) for more information.

**Commencement of Term 4**

Term 4 will commence for students on Tuesday 5th October, however Year 12 students will be completing practice exams in English and Mathematics on Monday 4th October at the College.

I would like to wish all students and their families a restful holiday. May you return to the College ready for the success and challenges that lie ahead in the last term of 2010.

**Along the Track**

I have attached to this newsletter, for your interest, on page 9, a reflection titled “A Dangerous Memory” written by Jim Quilinan from the Diocesan Catholic Education Office in Warragul. I hope you enjoy this reading.

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**Prayer**

**“Take up your cross and follow me”**

There are many times in life when we are challenged to remain true to our faith and values in the face of pressure from others and from the expectations of society generally. It is at these times that we need the Holy Spirit to help us to stand firm.

Spirit of Wisdom guide our decision making.

Spirit of Courage support us in standing firm.

Spirit of Peace help us to build positive relationships.

Spirit of Joy allow us to feel good with ourselves and our decisions.

We ask this through Jesus,

Our role model in “taking up his cross” in the face of social pressure and great personal cost.

Amen

Andrew Watson  
PRI NC PAL

**Mercy Awards**

**Junior School (Yr 7 & 8) Mercy Award**

Madeline Kenna for helping out the other students in class.

**Middle School (Yr 9 & 10) Mercy Award**

Hannah Jackson for the great work and caring attitude she displays towards the students at St Patrick’s during Community Visiting.

**Senior School (Yr 11 & 12) Mercy Award**

Damien Wynd for organising the footy tipping for Year 12 fund-raising and doing a great job.
P.A.R.T.Y Program - Alfred Hospital
Report by Jack McKenzie

On Wednesday the 8th September, 30 students from year 11 and 12 psychology class headed down to Melbourne for an awareness program at the Alfred Hospital on Thursday.

We arrived at the Claremont hotel in South Yarra on Wednesday night and after settling in split up and went out for tea. We had an early start on Thursday morning to be at the Alfred Hospital by 8:30 to start the P.A.R.T.Y program, where we meet Janet who explains a bit about the program and why P.A.R.T.Y, which stands for the Prevention of Alcohol Related Trauma in Youth, was so important to talk about. Janet, who would also be our guide for the day, spent the next two hours talking about stories of alcohol and drug related violence and accidents.

We had a nurse, a paramedic and a doctor talk to us about their experiences with youth and why it was so important for us as young people to be careful when it came to alcohol and drugs.

We then split into 3 groups and started the tour of the Alfred Hospital. We had a look at ICU, The Trauma Wing, Emergency and the Burns unit as well as talking to people who were in the hospital about why they were there and what happened to them. We met two young people who were involved in traumatic car accidents, whose lives will never be the same again and they talked about how they are going to be able to move on from their experiences.

After a quick lunch we went to a different section of the hospital where we looked at how people had to live and deal with their injuries and we got to try to do this for ourselves. We looked at trying to get dressed with different injuries, in and out of the bath in a wheelchair, looked at prosthetic limbs and braces and other things that help people with their everyday life, as well as looking at how the nurses and family members have to care for someone in that kind of situation.

To finish off the day we had a young man who was a quadriplegic come and talk to us about what happened to him and what his life is like now after his accident. Over all it was a very interesting experience and we all took something away from the day.

Catholic All Schools Athletics
James Castles

Congratulations to all the students that participated in the Catholic All Schools Athletics Carnival at Doncaster Athletics Track on Tuesday 14th of September. Thanks you to Miss Stacey Hillman, Mr. Lachie Lee, Jane Lee, and Sue Steven for taking the students away for the day. Big thanks must also go to all parents for getting their children to the departure point bright and early. All results and photos will be in the next edition of the newsletter. In the meantime here is a group shot of the team.
**Term 4**

**Monday 4th October**  
Staff PD Day  
VCE English & Maths Trial Exams

**Tuesday 5th October**  
Students commence Term 4

**Wednesday 6th October**  
Year 9 Melbourne Camp commences

**Thursday 7th October**  
Grade 5 Transition & Country Kids Day at O’Keeffe

**Friday 8th October**  
Year 9 Melbourne Camp concludes

**Tuesday 12th October**  
HCSN Celebration of the Canonisation of Mary MacKillop  
Finance Committee meeting 3.00pm

**Sunday 17th October**  
Canonisation of Mary MacKillop

**Tuesday 19th October**  
Board Meeting 7.30pm

**Thursday 21st October**  
Year 12 Farewell Assembly

**Friday 22nd October**  
Junior School Oratory Competition

**Monday 25th October**  
PTFA Meeting 7.30pm McAuley Campus

**Thursday 28th October**  
VCE Exams commence

**Monday 1st November**  
School Board Holiday

**Tuesday 2nd November**  
Melbourne Cup Holiday

**Wednesday 3rd November**  
Outdoor Ed Camp commences

**Friday 5th November**  
Outdoor Ed Camp concludes

**Tuesday 9th November**  
Finance Committee meeting 3.00pm

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

**Wednesday 17th November**  
Arts Night and Car Raffle Draw commencing at 7.30pm

**Friday 19th November**  
Year 11 Exams commence  
VCE Exams conclude  
Graduation Mass & Dinner commences at 6.00pm

**Wednesday 24th November**  
Year 11 Exams conclude & Year 11 to 12 Transition commences

**Thursday 25th November**  
Instrumental Concert

**Friday 26th November**  
Year 11 to 12 Transition concludes  
Year 11 students conclude

**Monday 29th November**  
Year 7 2011 Orientation Day (no classes for current Year 7 students)  
Leadership Camp

**Tuesday 30th November**  
Leadership Camp  
Year 7, 8 & 10 Exams

**Wednesday 1st December**  
Year 7, 8 9 & 10 Exams

**Thursday 2nd December**  
Year 9 & 10 Exams

**Friday 3rd December**  
Year 7 – 10 students conclude

**Monday 6th December**  
Year 7 2011 - On Demand Testing

**Tuesday 7th December**  
Year 7 2011 - On Demand Testing  
Mass of Thanksgiving & Presentation of Awards commencing 7.00pm

**Friday 10th December**  
Teaching Staff conclude

**Wednesday 15th December**  
Non Teaching Staff conclude  
Office closes

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**Timboon & District Junior Tennis Notice**

Junior Tennis seedings to be held at Timboon Recreation Reserve on Saturday 9th October at 9:30am. All players wanting to play are to attend. Competition starts Saturday 16 October. Any interested players unable to attend seedings, please ring Katrina Currell on 5598 3443 or Michael Skilbeck on 5598 3489.
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From the Director of Teaching & Learning
Lisa Pope

Careers Report

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UNIVERSITY OF BALLARAT - $4000 PER YEAR SCHOLARSHIP

The Harold Carroll Memorial Scholarship is for students who are currently studying Yr12 in the Western District and have applied for TAFE or Higher Education at the University of Ballarat - Application forms will be located in the Year 12 homeroom tubs. Applications close Friday 29th October.
**VET ENROLMENTS FOR SW TAFE**

If you are wishing to enrol in any VET program at SW TAFE please see Mrs Lisa Pope. This also includes re-enrolling for second year courses. This must be done by the end of term.

**DOXA YOUTH FOUNDATION CADETSHIP PROGRAM**

The Doxa Cadetship Program has been in operation since 1972 as a means of supporting young people from disadvantaged backgrounds attend university and gain valuable industry experience. The deadline for applications for the 2011 program intake has been extended to **Friday 15th October**. Three students from Mercy Regional College have already been through this cadetship program and have gained valuable experience in their cadetship and have been given additional help attending university.

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Young people involved in the cadetship program receive a number of benefits including:

- $6,000 pa financial support through the duration of their studies
- 8 weeks of work placement per year with a sponsor company under the guidance of an industry mentor
- Regular professional development training including an annual camp and evening sessions
- A suit to prepare them for professional working life
- A book allowance
- Personal support from a professional counselor as required
- Ongoing support from human resources professionals to develop essential work skills.

**Mr Castles has a VTAC Scholarship 2011 Guide to other university scholarships.**

**WORK EXPERIENCE**

Current students in Year 9 were given their work experience information letters yesterday. Please be aware that students have these letters and adhere to the return dates. Attached to this letter is a Permission Slip for Student Medical Condition, Tax File Number Consent and White Card Consent. It is very important that this form be returned to the College office by 8th October.

**TAX FILE NUMBERS**

At the end of October Tax File Number application forms will be sent to the Tax Office. If any student wants a tax file number for part time work etc. please see Maureen at the office for an application form. By sending for a TFN through the school you do not have to send documents to the Tax Office.
Along the track

A Dangerous Memory

We rarely think about memory unless it fails to work. Yet memory accomplishes the remarkable feat of conveying the past into the present. The importance of this feat is extraordinarily significant because just about everything we think and do is influenced by our past. As sophisticated as they are today, no computer beats the capacity of our memory. The contents of our memory contribute greatly to defining who we are. When we are asked to tell someone about oneself, what do we talk about? Almost always it is about our past.

Isn’t it strange how two people can have the same or a similar experience, yet remember it so differently? Sometimes we return to places that seemed so big, so expansive, only to find them to be quite different. There are those people we thought were so tall yet when we meet them again years later they are much shorter than we imagined. In recent days, I have been listening to some old friends talk about their memories of some events during the sixties. We talked about common experiences during those years and people we had known. I was surprised at how bitter and angry some of their responses were! Memory is such a powerful tool – it can bring us such joy and fulfillment or it can be a source of ongoing anger, shame, sorrow and even fear and guilt.

Some memories we cherish, like those of our parents or loved ones for example. In a sense, memory brings them to life again. We would be the lesser without them – they enrich our lives. Memories of happy times, times of challenge and growth can continue to inspire and encourage us. Memories can be catalysts for growth but can also be very destructive – it depends on how we use them.

Saint Augustine, for example, in The Confessions written A.D. 397, relived his memories eloquently and passionately. Augustine’s theology is shaped by his life story. The Confessions are a history of the young Augustine’s fierce struggle to overcome his profligate ways and to find meaning and fulfillment in his life. The first ten books of the work relate the story of Augustine’s childhood in Numidia; his licentious and riotous youth and early manhood in Carthage, Rome, and Milan; his continuous struggle to overcome evil; his attempts to find deeper meaning and purpose in his life; the untiring efforts of his mother, Saint Monica, to save him from self-destruction; and his ultimate conversion to the Christian faith at the age of thirty-two. The Confessions is a most moving diary a journey to grace. Throughout this work we are constantly reminded how his memories played an extraordinary role in Saint Augustine’s theological writings. He continually returns to them as he develops his ideas and his theological insights. Memory can be such a positive force in our lives – a catalyst for change and action.

In the same vein, German theologian Johann Baptist Metz develops the concept of “dangerous memory” as core to the Christian life and Christian theology. Christ’s own suffering, death, and resurrection makes demands on us. At the Last Supper Jesus calls on us to “Do this in Memory of Me”—not calling on us to just celebrate the Eucharist but to gather in his name, to follow his example of service to others as he so graphically portrayed by washing the feet of the apostles, to live as he lived. Over the years, Christ’s passion for justice, for peace, for forgiveness has proved ‘dangerous’ for those of his followers who have lived it out. The Apostle Paul wrote, “if he is not risen, then our faith is in vain.” But, if his suffering and rising do not make claims on us here and now to challenge and change the world, the suffering of others, then indeed our faith is in vain. Genuine Christians, Metz insists, must live in this memory of Christ’s suffering, must act in the face of the demands it makes on us in the present. Memories convey the past to the present! Dangerous memories are memories that make practical demands on us now and into the future. They break through to the centre of our lives and reveal new and dangerous insights for the present—dangerous to our sense of peace and of self-satisfaction.

In our time, Archbishop Romero from El Salvador was one who took these dangerous memories to heart. Given the social context of El Salvador in 1980, his ideas were seen as dangerous, revolutionary—a threat. His preaching of the Gospel message of concern for civil and human rights, his repudiation of violence, and the advocacy of justice for the poor brought him into conflict with powerful interests. He was shot dead.

It is unlikely that any of us will be called on to make such a courageous stand but this ‘dangerous memory’ of Christ’s life, death and resurrection challenges us to action, to move beyond our anger or frustration or bitterness. Memory conveys the past into the present— but for a purpose. This dangerous memory of the life, death and resurrection of Jesus is something that ought to effect the very rhythm of our lives. Memory, looking back over our life story helps us to recognise the power of the Spirit blowing through our life. It helps us to ask what causes us to cling to the old! It can be helpful to grieve for what we have lost so that we may adjust to the new reality but is there something that scares us about trying something new? It is important, however, that we let it go of the past and allow it to give us its blessing.

Will we make ourselves the victim of our memories or like Augustine and Romero, will they deepen the wisdom of our hearts and enable us to bring hope to the present and the future for ourselves and for others?

Regards

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