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Royal Children's Hospital Good Friday Appeal

On casual day which was on the 12th March we raised \$569.90 for the Royal Children's Hospital. It is wonderful that we raised so much for such a great cause. Thank you to everyone who donated money to the hospital, we are sure the hospital really appreciates it.

Elisa Molina-Primary School Captain.

Recognise our Primary Teachers???



Miss Anna, Miss Liz, Miss Lee and Miss Lauren also participated in the annual Run for the Kids in which 30,000 people ran, jogged and walked through Melbourne and raised over \$1million dollars for the hospital.



HUME CITY COUNCIL CERTIFICATION OF RECOGNITION

Each year, the Hume City Council promotes academic achievement as part of its Connecting Hume PC program. Annually, a dedicated student is awarded a computer, a printer and a year of internet access. This year we are very proud to announce that our worthy 2010 recipient is Meriam Haddad. Meriam and her family attended a formal ceremony held at the Hume Global Learning Village. She was presented with her certificate by the Major, Cr Geoff Porter.

The Teddy Bear's Picnic in the Library

Teddy bears were everywhere in the library today! Prep students hugged their teddy bears and listened attentively to Miss Lauren as she read the story of "The Best Loved Bear" by Diana Noonan. Mrs Elaine Teacher Librarian

St Mary's College congratulates Meriam on her achievements. We also extend our gratitude to Hume City Council and their recognition of student motivation and enthusiasm in learning.

YEAR 7 - As the end of term 1 approaches, the Year 7's have really settled into secondary life. They survived their immunisation and can breathe a sign of relief until May for their next one. We remind students that all school blazers need to be purchased by the end of the week. Please ensure **diaries are signed every Friday**. Enjoy a well deserved break.

YEAR 10 - WORK EXPERIENCE

The annual work experience week is scheduled for the last week of Term 2 (2nd – 25th June). Students should use these holidays to arrange for the necessary paperwork to be completed. Work Experience is a compulsory activity for all Year 10's.

YEAR 12- Students went to the cinema at Federation Square to see on the big screen the film they are studying for English. After the screening they attended a lecture on the film by a lecturer from ACMI (Australian Centre for the Moving Image). The lecturer said she intended to treat the students like university students and to lecture at university standard. That she did, and our students responded magnificently. They scribbled pages of notes and during question time asked some perceptive questions. The lecturer was impressed, and said so several times. In particular, commendation must go to Kerollos Faltous for his question about 'expressionism' and 'realism' in film, which really impressed.

The Year 12's behaved responsibly throughout the day and further enhanced the good reputation the college has built up since 2007 when this excursion first became part of the Year 12 English curriculum. Thank you to the staff that facilitated this excursion.

UNIFORM REMINDER FOR TERM 2

Students are expected to wear full winter uniform from the first day, term 2 that includes the Blazer which is compulsory to be worn in Chapel every morning.

Sports uniform students must wear pants not shorts and PE jumper is compulsory for Chapel in the morning.

Scarves, beanie or gloves should be worn only outdoors and must be navy blue or black. No other colours are permitted.

If any of these rules are broken, the items will be confiscated to the end of semester.

PLEASE ENSURE ALL STUDENTS ARE IN FULL WINTER UNIFORM TERM 2.

The Uniform shop will be open Monday and Tuesday 9:00 - 9:30 during Term 2.

PARENTS PLEASE NOTE- School Fees and Transport fees can be paid between the hours the hours of 8.30 -3.15.

DATES TO REMEMBER

12TH APRIL - TERM 2 COMMENCES ON MONDAY

12TH APRIL - YEAR 6 CAMP CANBERRA