



# NEWMAN SHS

THE IRON HEART OF EDUCATION

**28 May 2019**

## PRINCIPAL'S ADDRESS

Welcome to our first Newsletter for Term 2

It certainly has been a busy term so far with much external testing going on for our Year 7 and Year 9 students with NAPLAN and for our Year 12's with Externally Set Task (EST) testing.

Our recent assembly saw our McClements Foundation Challenge students introduced and we wish them well on their exciting tour later this year.

School photos were taken two weeks ago and it is wonderful to see all the students in school uniform, not only for the photos but all of the time.

Our Year 11 ASPIRE students were privileged to attend a camp to Perth and visited universities to get a better understanding of what university life is about and what career paths they may choose to follow.

Our VSwans Netball and AFL Football teams are competing in the VSwans Hedland Cup carnival in Port Hedland this Wednesday and Thursday.

We have the gala event of the year with the School Ball happening next weekend. This will be a highlight of the Year 11 and Year 12 students school year.

The school Principal, Mrs Carolyn Cook, is scheduled to return on 6 June and is very much looking forward to being back at school.

It has been a pleasure having the opportunity to work at Newman SHS with such an extremely dedicated and passionate staff who are enthusiastic about providing the best possible education to all students. They are lucky to have a wonderful student body to work with and the educational opportunities that will lead to future employment are there for the students to strive for.

In conclusion I wish everyone associated with Newman SHS all the best for the future.

Mr Bruce Blay  
Principal



# UPCOMING EVENTS

**Student Free Day**

**Friday 31 May**

**Year 11 & 12 ATAR Exams**

**Monday 3 June - Monday 10 June**

**Public Holiday - WA Day**

**Monday 3 June**

**School Ball - Shaken, not stirred**

**Saturday 8 June**

**Year 5/6 Parent Evening**

**Tuesday 11 June**

**West Coast Eagles Visit**

**Thursday 13 - 14 June**

**Year 11 Workplace Learning**

**Monday 17 June - Friday 21 June**

**Year 10 Information night**

**Thursday 27 June**

**NAIDOC Assembly**

**Thursday 27 June**

**Year 7 & 8 Sports Carnival**

**Friday 28 June**

**Oresome Morning tea**

**Thursday 4 July**

**Last Day of Term 2**

**Friday 5 July**

Click [here](#) to view the Term Planner

## Compact Signing Ceremony



A combined Compact Signing Ceremony for Newman Follow the Dream and Learning Club students was held at the end of last Term. Selection into these programs requires a strong commitment from the students involved, their families and the sponsors. By signing the compact, each party is demonstrating a commitment that will ensure that participating students are provided with every opportunity to succeed.

Families, tutors, past students and community members attended to celebrate with the students. The students, with Marissa Donation and Noah Ford as the Master of Ceremonies (MC's), conducted the ceremony. Highlighted were the various achievements and activities of the two programs; the life and inspiration of Graham Polly Farmer and the role of the partners – BHP, Graham Poly Farmer Foundation and the Department of Education. An enjoyable afternoon tea concluded the celebration.

Mrs Debbie Douglass  
Follow the Dream: Partnerships for Success Coordinator



## Mitsui Iron Ore Corporation Scholarship

**Applications are now open!**

Deadline: 1 July 2019



2 x full scholarships (valued \$7,500 each) for the **Intensive Language School Program to Japan** departing late November 2019

One scholarship is available to a student studying at Hedland Senior High School and one is available to a student studying at **Newman Senior High School**.

Please find a link to a short video on **Sally Keogh's trip** in November last year.

## Connect



Parents and caregivers are encouraged to use **Connect**. When logged into Connect you are able to see information specific to your child. This includes:

- the classes which are on your child's timetables
- class calendars
- assessment outline information for each course, drawn from reporting to Parents
- assessment details and marks/grades/comments on the achievements of your child

- week by week attendance information
- notices from classes that automatically generate an email notification for parents

Please click on the link for the [Connect Registration form](#).



*Left to right:* Vanessa Nalder, Chloe Johnson, Bianca Manu and Ella Short

*"On the 10 May it was pink round for the Newman Netball Association to support Breast Cancer. Fundraising was done by way of the players purchasing the pink socks we are wearing. Other fundraising included a gold coin donation, a sausage sizzle and pink cupcakes. My friends and I decided after our game that we would wear our socks to school on the Monday and continue to support a great cause."*

Chloe Johnson  
Year 7 Student

## House Captains

JIGALONG



BULLOO



MUNDIWINDI



WEELIWOLLI



*Left to right:* Keanu Gilbert (Jigalong), Marshella Malipi (Mundiwindi), Junior Manu (Bulloo) and Lakesha Hawkins (Weeliwolli).

At the beginning of the year, each House elects house captains to represent them.

Congratulations to our newly elected House Captains for 2019! We look forward to some friendly rivalry between our houses over the coming months.

## 2019 Upper School Ball



Time to dust off the dancing shoes, shake out the suits and find those beautiful dresses!

**When:** Saturday 8 June 2019

**Where:** Newman Recreation Centre

**Time:** 6 - 10pm

**Cost:** \$65.00

## Successful McClements Candidates - Inspiring leadership

### McClements - Inspiring Leadership



*Left to right:* Ms Maree Arnason, Ms Yolette Inskip, Natasha Albert, Talia Walker, Leah McDonnell, Mikalea McCakeren, Olivia Hughes, Jacqueline Houpapa, Daisy Carter, Attila Toth and Ms Courtney Moyes

It is with great excitement that the successful applicants for the 2019 McClements Foundation Challenge (MFC) have been chosen. Congratulations to Natasha Albert, Daisy Carter, Jacqueline Houpapa, Olivia Hughes, Mikalea McCakeren, Leah McDonnell, Attila Toth and Talia Walker. The MFC is an amazing opportunity in which eight Year 11 students partake in various activities and experiences to build leadership qualities. On the excursion students will visit Perth, Canberra and Sydney. Here they will visit important sites such as Parliament House and the War Memorial as well as taking part in activities to help build leadership such as meeting with a mentor that is in line with their career aspirations. This year the students will be accompanied by Miss Courtney Moyes and Ms Yolette Inskip.

On behalf of the selected students they would like to extend their sincerest appreciation to James and the McClements Foundation for the remarkable opportunity to attend this leadership trip. This year we had a very high calibre of students and it was a gruelling process to select the finalists. We would like to thank each of the applicants who stepped out of their comfort zones to apply. It was good to see so many students putting themselves out there and completing the application process. By attending this trip the students hope to obtain new leadership skills to better themselves as individuals, and help the school and the community by building skills to promote the Newman Way.

Thank you very much to Ms Maree Arnason for coming to Newman to present a speech and hand the successful applicants their certificates of acceptance and congratulating them. Taking the time to talk to students about future pathways and career possibilities was invaluable, to both the MCF applicants, but the entire school when she spoke at the assembly.

Without James McClements' support for Newman Senior High School this trip would not be possible. Thank you again James for not only sponsoring this trip but also inspiring generations of students year after year.

Ms Courtney Moyes  
Home Economics Teacher

## Healthy Eating - School Lunches

The Department of Education has a strict **Healthy Food and Drink policy**. It clearly outlines, using the traffic light system, the foods and drinks that can and cannot be consumed at school. **We request you**



*do not provide deep fried food, caffeinated and high sugar drinks, and similar food items.*

The Canteen sells food conforming to a set of Education Department guidelines. The school's **Healthy Food and Drink Policy** is on our website.

## Home Economics



*Left to right:* Marissa Donation, Lauren Taylor, Junior Manu, Marshella Malupi, Alexandria Tapera, Heidi Meredith, Chloe Hindmarsh and Cassandra McDonnell

On Wednesday 8 May, the Year 11 and 12 Food Science and Technology students at Newman Senior High School hosted The Biggest Morning Tea for staff and students. Due to the support of those who came along, it was a huge success! Thank you to all who supported this worthy cause, every dollar raised helps support those impacted by cancer.

All food items were homemade and cooked by the students. It was an opportunity for students to practice their food preparation, cooking and storing of food items. It allowed for students to showcase the skills and techniques they have learnt over the year.

We would like to say a special thank you to Pam the Home Economics Assistant, without you these events would not be possible.

It was a great event and all involved should be so very proud.

Ms Courtney Moyes

## Newman Chamber of Commerce and Industry Business Excellence Awards 2019



**Left to right:** Christel Ladrillono (SBT - NCCI), Mr Jeremy Edwards (CEO East Pilbara Shire), Ms Kim Adams (NSHS VET Support Officer), Coen Morrell (SBT – BHP), Lauren Taylor (SBT – Vswams), Amber Cunningham (SBT – BHP), Luke Egan (SBT – BHP), Cassandra McDonnell (SBT – Woolworths), Mr Tony Carroll (Manager of AJ's Handyman Repairs), Heidi Meredith (SBT – Newman Daycare Centre), Aleesha Gilmore (SBT – East Pilbara Shire Youth Centre), Ms Karen Lockyer (BHP - Standardised Work Supervisor - SBT Mentor) and Ms Tania Tucker (NCCI Manager)

Absent: Hollie Patching, Luke Preston (SBT - ) and Rowan Whalebone

Every year the Newman Chamber of Commerce and Industry (NCCI) acknowledges outstanding individuals that have made a positive impact on our business community. On 13 May together with representatives from NCCI, BHP, East Pilbara Shire we were pleased to announce the twelve nominees for the 2019 Trainee of the Year.

Of those twelve, two of our students were Highly Commended - Christel Ladrillono and Heidi Meredith.

The winner for 2019 was Aleesha Gilmore who was presented with a trophy and certificate.

Congratulations to all our nominees, keep up the good work.

Ms Kim Adams  
Vocational Education and Training (VET)



## School Based Traineeships



## based traineeships

The School Based Traineeship program at Newman Senior High School has continued to be a highly regarded program for students to transition from school to the workplace.

Under a Traineeship students attend the workplace for one day a week, undertake and participate in a nationally accredited training qualification for eighteen months. The Trainee is paid while they learn.

Our latest School Based Trainee is Keren Atila (Year 11) who is undertaking a Certificate II in Sport and Recreation at East Pilbara Shire.

Click here to view our **Year 12 School Based Trainees** within our local Community, and two links listed below that might be of interest:

[Training in School](#)

[Fact Sheet for Students - School-](#)

## EngineeringAid Australia - Scholarship



Congratulations to Noah Ford. Following his attendance at the Indigenous Australian Engineering School [IAES] at Curtin University last year, the Board of EngineeringAid Australia has awarded him a Continuing School Scholarship. The \$300 scholarship is for each year that he is still at school and should Noah decide to study engineering or a related course at university, a \$3000 undergraduate scholarship will be provided.

Noah would like to thank EngineeringAid Australia for their support and generosity and he would encourage others to attend the IAES, or other university holiday programs, if they have the opportunity.

Mrs Debbie Douglass  
Follow the Dream: Partnerships for Success Coordinator

## Year 12 Leavers Jackets



**Left to right:-** Ms Omo, Wyatt Teakle, Jesse Wood (Captain), Tahni Sandell (Captain), Lakesha Hawkins and Hanna Graddy

**Back row:-** Cassandra McDonnell, Paula Plandez and Ma. Angelica Ararao

Our Year 12 Leavers jackets arrived on Wednesday last week and I think our students would agree that they look fantastic!

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