5 Year Reunion: Class of 2007

On Friday, 2 March 2012, the Class of 2007 gathered at the Brisbane Hotel.

Thank you to those who attended:

Special thanks to those who organised the event - you know who you are!

Where Are They Now?

Chelsea Walsh (née lyford, 1989) has worked as an inhouse Travel Consultant at an insurance company in London. She has returned to Australia and is about to relocate to Southlands Shopping Centre in Willetton.

Kevin White (2001)
Kevin opened a retail Seafood store in Melville, and is about to relocate to Southlands Shopping Centre in Willetton.

Chelsie Towels (2001)
Chelsie graduated from Sydney University with a Master of Laws Degree (with Honours). She is married to Terry and in June 2010, she was appointed as part time Senior Member of the Administrative Appeals Tribunal for WA.

Reena Torabi (2002)
Reena is working as a pharmacist and teaching casually at UWA. She travelled to Uganda in 2011 to work voluntarily as a pharmacist. After leaving school she took a gap year to do community service.

Old Saints e-Mentoring Program

Have you ever wanted to get involved in some community spirited volunteering, but never had the time? Why not give back to your College in a way that you know best: giving career advice, study skills hints, what to sweat over and what to brush off! We are inviting all Old Saints, whether you are interested in being involved in eMentoring or not, to complete the survey located at the following address:

http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/XRQCGFR

The information is confidential and will only be used by the Career Counsellor, Grace Itzstein, to assist in guiding existing students in preferred WACE courses and educational institutions. If you can help with eMentoring, please do not hesitate to contact:

Mrs Grace Itzstein: (08) 9313 9333
Email: grace.itzstein@allsaints.wa.edu.au

Old Saints’ Reunions

For these reunions to proceed, a Class Coordinator from each year group is kindly requested to help assist with the planning. If you are willing, please email the Director of Community Relations, Anthony Radich:
Anthony.Radich@allsaints.wa.edu.au or phone
(08) 9313 9333.

20 Year Reunion (Class of 1992)

Friday, 24 August 2012

25 Year Reunion (Class of 1987)

Saturday, 3 November 2012

5 Year Reunion (Class of 2008)

Friday, 15 March 2013

10 Year Reunion (Class of 2003)

Friday, 17 May 2013

15 Year Reunion (Class of 1998)

Friday, 21 June 2013

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From the Old Saints President

Sian Angel (née Morgan, 2002)

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Thank you to Fr Braden, Principal (Acting), Anthony Radich, Karyn and Kirsten Osmetti and Mary Thornton for creating this new publication for the Old Saints. This newsletter will eventually be sent electronically, so no matter what corner of the world you are living in you will still be connected to Old Saints. For this to occur, we require an updated database with your current contact details, so please fill in the enclosed Reply Paid form.

So much happens after leaving All Saints’ and we want to hear all about it! The second edition of this newsletter will be published in September, so if you have any news to share, please email: Alumni and Promotions Officer, Mary Thornton.

Mary.Thornton@allsaints.wa.edu.au

Enjoy the read!

Congratulations to Georgia Balding!

We wish Georgia every success as the inaugural recipient of the Old Saints Scholarship.

L-R: Mark Balding (1998) Finlay (Year 2), Georgia (Year 6) and former student and Grandfather, Stan Balding.
Calling All Old Saints – ASC Career Expo Needs Your Help!

It is becoming increasingly difficult to encourage professionals to give their time to the College for this event, so we are hoping our own Alma Mater will rise to the call. Share the advice you wish you knew when you were their age. We need representatives from all occupations, but especially the medical and health professions, to advise our current students. This year’s ASC Career Expo is on Tuesday, 7 August 2012, 6.30 – 8.30pm.

If you can spare an hour, or two, please contact: Mrs Grace Itzstein on (08) 9313 9333

Email: grace.itzstein@allsaints.wa.edu.au

KEEP IN TOUCH

All Saints’ College is updating its website this year and will include a new Old Saints Keep In Touch page. This will give you the opportunity to access our social media, hear about Reunions, leave messages via the bulletin board, update your details and inform other Old Saints of what you are up to!

NAME THE NEW OLD SAINTS’ NEWSLETTER AND WIN $100!

This is your newsletter, so who better to name it than you? Get your creative juices flowing and send in your entry now on the enclosed Reply Paid form.

The best entry will win a $100 Garden City voucher and the next issue in September will bear the new name!

Closing Date: Monday, 16 July 2012

Old Saints Return To All Saints’!

“If someone told me in 1985 that one day I would be returning to ASC and working there, I wouldn’t have believed them! It is not something a Year 12 leaver would contemplate when the door to the world has suddenly opened.” Susan Wilson (nee Leslie, 1985)

Those words seem to resonate from five of the six Old Saints who have now returned to work at the College. Except for Oliver Beath (1998), who quietly admitted he always had a dream to come back and teach at ASC.

Susan, is now a College Counsellor, working in the Senior School after completing a Bachelor of Psychology degree at UWA and a Diploma in Education. She has lived and worked in Albany, Melbourne, Brisbane and London and a Diploma in Education. She always had a dream to come back and teach at ASC.

Susan, is now a College Counsellor, working in the Senior School after completing a Bachelor of Psychology degree at UWA and a Diploma in Education. She has lived and worked in Albany, Melbourne, Brisbane and London before returning to Perth with her husband and two daughters.

Oliver loved his time as a student so much so, that he has been back at the College for the past 10 years and is the Head of Physical Education. He is really proud to still be close to many of his peers from his school days and loves teaching at ASC. He does, however, love to admit that his greatest achievement is producing two beautiful children, Maddison (4) and William (2).

Karyn Osmetti (2006) is a Colleague, who started in the first ever Pre-Primary class in 1994. After completing a Bachelor of Arts: Mass Communications majoring in Journalism and Photography, she worked for a local fashion magazine and a recruitment company before returning to ASC as the Publications Officer.

Erin Kerr (2003) always had a love of dancing and completed a Bachelor of Arts in Dance at WAAPA and a Graduate Diploma in Education at Murdoch. Erin taught Dance at Mel Maria Catholic Primary College before returning to ASC as a Year 7 and 8 Dance Teacher. She is also the Principal of the EK Dance Academy which runs in two centres in Booragoon and at ASC.

Jessica Hatton (2004) studied Education at Curtin University and after a term teaching Year 3 at Traralgon College could not believe her luck when a position became available at her favourite school. She has now been teaching at ASC for the last four years and loves it. She does confess though, that there are still some teachers that she can’t call by their first name and doubts that she ever will!

Rahni Greene (2002) loves to travel and her passion has taken her to New Zealand, USA, Europe, Japan and Canada before settling down to teach at ASC. For anyone who remembers her name it will come as no surprise that she ended up as a PE Teacher and is currently Acting Senior School Sports Coordinator. Whenever the chance arises though, she will be seen heading off to the ski slopes.

2011 Leavers Among WA’s Top Students

Following the excellent performance of our students, nearly 50% of the courses offered at the College achieved the distinction of being amongst the highest performing in the State.

Xin Zheng Tan was awarded a General Exhibition achieving the highest possibleATAR score of 99.95. General Exhibitions are awarded to only 40 students throughout the State who achieve the highest results in at least two ‘List A’ (Humanities/Social Sciences) courses and a minimum of two ‘List B’ (Mathematics/Science/Computer) courses. He scored a final mark of 100% in Mathematics Specialist and 98.9% in Mathematics 3C/D, which added two Certificates of Distinction in these courses to his list of fabulous achievements.

Keahn Sardinha was the Course Exhibition recipient in Politics and Law as the top student in the State. These strong results contributed to the College being amongst the highest performing schools in WA in an impressive 2 courses, and once again WA’s top private co-educational school.

Photo: Xin Zheng Tan, Keahn Sardinha, Mark Shelton and Dean Choong

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Cameron Bartnik (2010 Leaver)

It is with great sadness that we inform the College community that our much loved former student, Cameron Bartnik passed away on 15 April 2012.

We extend our very deepest condolences to his parents, Helen and Eddie, and to his brothers Mat and Stephen. Our thoughts are with them at this very sad time.

Left to Right: Erin Kerr  Karyn Osmetti  Oliver Beath  Jessica Hatton  Susan Wilson  Rahni Greene

Photos taken by Kim Groves


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