

MOUNT LAWLEY SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

An Independent Public School

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LAWLEY UPDATE Term 4 2012 No. 18 Nov

As we near the middle of Term 4, school operations continue with gusto. The WACE examinations continue and Year 10 and Year 11 students are suddenly in Year 11 and Year 12. The Early Start program has now been part of this school for several years. The aim has been to give Year 12 students extra time in class to complete the demands of the various courses. Next year, at the end of 2013, they should have completed their studies and enjoyed a targeted and didactic revision program prior to undertaking their WACE.

Early Start was evaluated earlier this year and as reported, enjoyed parent support. This was through the parent survey. Mr Johnston has indicated that he would again seek feedback from parents in order to assess the value of the program and if there is a need for any fine tuning.

The 2013 Year 11 and Year 12 students will finalise their program on Wednesday, 12 December 2012. As with past years supervision will be available for the Year 11 group if they continue to attend after this date.

The school has been provided with the results of the MSE9 tests that were held in August for Science and Society and Environment. The school's mean score in both exceeds the state's and in terms of the percentage of students attaining the minimum standard, there was an improvement over last year. Their key results are:

Mean Test Scores

	WA	MLSHS	Male	Female	ATSI	LBOTE
Science	481	508	510	507	475	498
S&E	499	526	526	525	498	514

Achievement of Standard

Test Component	Achievement of Standard
Science	65.1%
S&E	69.1%

Congratulations to the Year 9 students for gaining such good results. Thanks to the Year 9 staff for preparing the students for tackling MSE9.

A THOUGHT

You can tell a lot about a fellow's character by his way of eating jelly beans. Ronald Reagan

CONGRATULATIONS



Theresa of Year 11 received first prize in the State German DAS competition in the advanced category. Her cash prize and a certificate was presented to her during a ceremony at Christ Church SHS. Theresa, das ist fantastisch



Nina has been accepted into the Australian Ballet School. A great achievement best luck for the future Nina.



Tze Ren representing Mount Lawley Senior High School in the WA Badminton Interscholar competition.



Riley competed in the Open Water Series Swimming WA event at Cottesloe Beach on 27th Oct and came in second in his age group in a time of 39 mins for over a distance of 2.5Km. He was placed 18th overall which is a magnificent effort.



Jordan on being selected to represent Australia at the World U18 Division II Ice Hockey Championship in Belgrade, Serbia in March 2013.

EVENTS CALENDAR

Monday 19 November Yr 9&10 Councillor Nominations
Open

Tuesday 20 November 7:30pm Languages Parent Mtg

Wednesday 21 November IEP Reviews, Awesome Yr 8 SVAPA, Follow the Dream Graduation.

Thursday 22 November 7:00pm Music Support C'tee

Friday 23 November GATE Club 5, Yr 12 Arts Camp New Norcia.

Tuesday 27 November 6:00pm Awards Night

Wednesday 28 November IEP Reviews WACE Examinations Completed

Thursday 29 November 6:00pm Year 12 Dinner

Friday 30th November 7:00pm Languages Outdoor Movie Night



Please Note Changes to School Special 1 & 623 Starting Feb 2013

School Specials 1 and 623 Service Changes (Mt Lawley Senior High School)

MONDAY 4 FEBRUARY 2013

From Monday 4 February 2013, there will be changes to School Special 1 and School Special 623 serving Mt Lawley Senior High School.

Services will change as follows:

AM:

The morning School Special 623 will be renumbered to display 725 and will operate the following modified route.

Depart from Leake St near Sutherland St, Bayswater and travel via Leake St, right Neville St, right Roberts St, left Frinton St, right Milne St, left Guildford Rd, right Caledonian Av, left Railway Pde, right Seventh Av, left Coode St, right Central Av, left Stancliffe St to Mt Lawley Senior High School.

Students currently boarding School Special 623 near Meltham Station should be aware that the nearest boarding point for the new 725 service is on Railway Pde near Maylands Station.

Students currently boarding School Special 623 on Kennedy St and Coode St should be aware that the nearest boarding point for the new 725 service is on Railway Pde near Maylands Station.

PM:

The afternoon School Special 1 will be renumbered to display 725 and operate the following modified route.

Depart Mt Lawley Senior High School via Stancliffe St, right Central Av, left Coode St, right Seventh Av, left Railway Pde, right Caledonian Av, left Guildford Rd, right Milne St, left Frinton St, right Leake St to terminate Leake St after Sutherland St.

Students currently travelling on School Special 1 beyond Leake St should be aware that they will need to transfer services in either Perth or on Guildford Rd near Caledonia Av.

For more information:

Transperth InfoLine 13 62 13 (TTY: 9428 1999, TIS: 13 14 50)



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As has been advised through the P&C email network, Mount Lawley SHS has been selected as one of the schools to participate in the IPS evaluation. The researcher, Ms Heather Aquilina, will be in the school as follows and available to speak to parents.

Monday, 19 November 2012

2:00pm – 3:00pm

Tuesday, 20 November 2012

8:30am – 8:30am and 2:00pm – 3:00pm

She is also prepared to take telephone feedback on 9472 8722.

She will be in the Conference Room in the main administrative building.

Thanks to P&C Secretary, Mr John Pryor, for forwarding the email.

VOLLEYBALL AUSTRALIA



Mount Lawley Senior High School will be represented at the *Australian Volleyball Schools Cup*

To be held in Melbourne in December, by 5 teams from Year 8 and Year 9, boys and girls. The teams have worked hard to reach the required standard by playing in a Sunday morning competition with the ECU/Mt Lawley Chequers Club.

Teams will be playing at the Melbourne Sports & Aquatic Centre, Albert Park and the State Volleyball Centre, Dandenong. They will be accompanied by their coaches some of whom are also ex students, Kirsten Chick and Stefan Collins. They will be chaperoned by staff members Tahlia Milroy, Steve Raphael, Lee Renner, and Stephen Tipping.

Special thanks to Tahlia Milroy who has co-ordinated the program throughout the year.

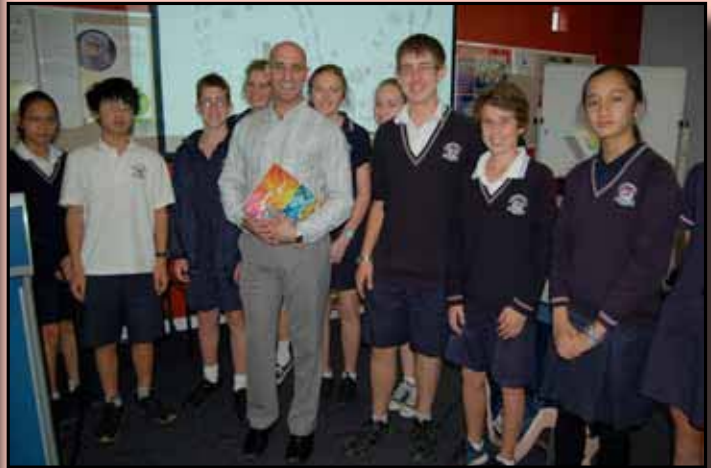
Go Teams Good luck!!!!!!



In this issue: Forensic Visit, Year 8 Leewin Trip,
Triathlon and Community News.
Go to <http://www.MLSHSPC.org.au>

Forensic Visitor

Forensic Podiatrist Dr Earl Louis past student examines his name in the bricks. he came to speak to aspiring Scientists from the Academic Extension Science classes, who thoroughly enjoyed his presentation.



Triathlon



Triumph



The Leewin





The Leeuwin has just undertaken our first sail for the upcoming season. A group of 90 students from Mt Lawley SHS spent four hours learning to work as a team to sail the ship along the Perth coastline.

Community

Parents information Have your say about IPS

The Department of Education has contracted the University of Melbourne, in partnership with Shelby Consulting, to conduct an independent evaluation of the Independent Public Schools (IPS) initiative. As part of this evaluation, we would like to ask you about how you feel about IPS at your school and WA public schooling in general. This will help us judge how well IPS is being implemented and what effects, if any, it is having on schools so far. It will also tell us about any opportunities for improvement. All information received will be treated as strictly confidential. No individuals will be identified in reports and the information will be put together and reported as themes.

National Skin Cancer Awareness Week 18-24 November

Get smart and prevent skin cancer

Two in three Australians will develop skin cancer by the age of 70, but the good news is that skin cancer is almost totally preventable.

Combine these five simple steps to save your skin:

- 1. Slip on sun protective clothing*
- 2. Slop on SPF 30+ sunscreen*
- 3. Slap on a brimmed hat*
- 4. Seek shade*
- 5. Slap on some sunglasses*

And remember to take extra care when the UV index is 3 or above. This is often between 10am and 3pm.

Sunscreen is available at the Health Centre located in the Student Services building.

For more information about sun protection and skin cancer visit www.cancerwa.asn.au or call the Cancer Council Helpline on 13 11 20

School ball coming up?

WA's one stop school ball planning website designed to help students and parents source everything they need for the school ball quickly and easily all on the one website.

Log on to www.schoolballs.com.au

The website has many useful tips and information for students and parents.



Dianella Soccer Club JUNIOR SOCCER TRIALS



[Facebook.com/DianellaSoccerClub](https://www.facebook.com/DianellaSoccerClub)

www.dianellasoccer.com.au

*New player trials are the evaluation of new applicants to fill estimated vacancies in junior teams in the following season.
Players returning from the previous season are not required to complete player trials.*



Junior Soccer Trials

Age Groups : 12s - 15s
Date: Thursday December 6
Time: 4.45pm-7.00pm

To confirm your attendance and location please contact;
Manager - Junior Soccer 0408 106 133

Small Sided Football teams (6s-11s)

Interested in joining one of Perth's fastest growing, family oriented soccer clubs focused on player participation, enjoyment as well as development.
Please contact;

Registrar—SSF and Junior Soccer 0438 050 071



Dianella Soccer Club is a family operated club focusing on players participating, developing and enjoying the world game!



<http://www.det.wa.edu.au/inclusiveeducation/detcms/navigation/community-relations/scholarships/>



LIVE WHAT YOU LOVE

"Are you planning to take a gap year in 2013 and want to earn some extra money? How about a job at the much loved Grill'd Restaurants in Shafto Lane Perth or Mt Lawley? Both restaurants are looking for energetic individuals who like working in a team and in busy environments. (More positions available at our Shafto Lane Restaurant than Mt Lawley). Please email your Resume to Sarah at jobs@grilldmtlawley.com.au."



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The Evie
CHARITABLE ASSOCIATION

TWILIGHT: BREAKING DAWN PART 2

Fundraising Movie Night

Come and join us to watch the highly anticipated next chapter of the blockbuster.

Date: Friday, 23 November 2012
Venue: Event Cinemas, Innaloo. Cinema 9
Time: 6.30pm: Guest Arrival
7.00pm: Movie commences
Cost: \$20.00 per ticket

Great prizes to be won!
\$5.00 raffle tickets

All proceeds from movie and raffle tickets will go towards raising funds for The Evie Charitable Association.

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