Teen Anger

But the wisdom that comes from heaven is first of all pure; then peace loving, considerate, submissive, full of mercy and good fruit, impartial and sincere. Peacemakers who sow in peace raise a harvest of righteousness.

James 3: 17-18

When Benjamin Carson was a teenager he had a terrible temper. One day he got into a scuffle with another youth, he pulled a knife and lunged at him. The blade, however, caught on the boy’s belt buckle.

That moment was a flashpoint experience for Carson. He went home and fell to his knees, praying for three hours for the Lord to take his temper away.

So, what happened to that boy? Today Benjamin Carson is the director of paediatric neurosurgery at Johns Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore, known all over the world for his surgical skills and care for his young patients.

But if God hadn’t prevented the attack, or Carson hadn’t conquered his temper that day, hundreds of patients would’ve been deprived of his compassionate care.

Aren’t you glad God is in control and watches over every detail of your life?

“Don’t lose your temper, use it.”

Submitted by: Nick Foster
FROM THE PRINCIPAL….

STAFF CONFERENCE

Last Friday was a pupil free day for all Lutheran schools in SA whilst their staff attended the Lutheran Teachers Conference in various schools and Conference places in Adelaide. These conferences are a great opportunity not only to network with each other but also to learn from and with each other as part of the wider ‘body’ that is ‘Lutheran Schools’. It’s a wonderful chance to start the day with worship, followed by Professional Development as a Lutheran School cohort, united as lifelong learners learn more about our vocation which in turn enables us to serve our students. The Junior School staff went to AAMI Stadium to be inspired by professional speakers whilst the Middle and Senior School staff went to various Lutheran schools throughout Adelaide to meet with their faculties to share issues pertinent to them. It was a great day of learning and networking.

The end of term is fast approaching with some great events to look forward to. The Middle/Senior School ‘Celebration of Learning’ will be enjoyed tonight, where parents can see how their child has progressed in an informal, relaxed atmosphere.

The Junior School have their interviews next week where parents will be able to discuss their child’s progress so far this year, and to share together the wonderful learning that is happening at Navigator College.

Our teachers and support staff have been working diligently in preparing and marking assignments, supporting the students in their learning, and guiding them through areas of concern. I commend our fantastic staff for their encouragement and support of our students.

On the last day of term, Friday the 21st of September, the SRC plan to hold a special lunch as well as a casual day. The school will finish an hour earlier at 2pm as we need to meet the connecting buses at the Primary School. Term 4 commences on Monday the 8th of October.

God Bless

Kaye

MIDDLE & SENIOR SCHOOL ‘CELEBRATION OF LEARNING’

This year the ‘Celebration of Learning’ will take place tonight in the Cluster 3 and 4 area. The extension of displays into the Science Lab and Resource Centre, provides parents the opportunity to also appreciate the learning that is occurring across a wide range of year levels and curriculum areas. We strongly encourage parents to attend the evening, encouraging and supporting their children and demonstrating that we as parents and the College community value our students’ learning. The evening will begin at 5:45pm and the sharing of learning will take place from 6:10pm to 7:10pm. We will then have the opportunity to relax and enjoy the musical and dramatical talents of our students, while enjoying the company of our College community before the evening closes at 8pm. Looking forward to seeing you there.

Andrew Jericho, Head of Middle School and Stuart Cox, Head of Senior School

JUNIOR SCHOOL PARENT/TEACHER INTERVIEWS

Junior School Parent/Teacher interviews will be held next week on Wednesday the 19th of September and Thursday the 20th of September. If you haven’t already done so, please call into the front office, to make an appointment with your child’s class teacher.

Middle and Senior School Parent/Teacher interviews will be held on Wednesday the 17th and Thursday the 18th of October, week 2 of next term. Students will receive an Interview Request form which will be sent home with their report. Please complete this form and return it to respective teachers in week 1. Every attempt will be made to accommodate your requested time.

SRC CASUAL DAY

A reminder that on the last day of term, Friday the 21st of September, the SRC will be holding a ‘Casual Day’. In order to be able to have the privilege of wearing casual clothes for the day, the students are asked to come dressed under the theme of Junior School - ‘Sporting Heroes’ and Middle School / Senior School – ‘Sporting Theme’. The cost is a gold coin donation.

UNIFORM REMINDER

Just a reminder that as of the beginning of Term 4 Students will need to be wearing Summer Uniform.

Uniform Shop opening hours are:

- Tuesday 8.30 – 10.30am
- Wednesday 8.30 – 10.30am
- Thursday 2.30 – 4.30pm

Please ensure your child has the appropriate uniform and please refer to our Website or contact me if you have any questions. Thank you.

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS UNIFORM SHOP OPENING HOURS

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Susan McFarlane, Uniform Shop

CHRISTMAS BOXES

Please continue to send in the completed shoe boxes, or any items that you would like to include in a Christmas Box. All boxes need to be at school by Friday the 21st of September. If you are unable to send in an item, but would still like to help, each box requires $9 to cover the associated costs (inc freight). You may prefer to donate money towards this, rather than packing a box. We remind you that your involvement is completely optional. Thank you. Sue Hodgson

SECOND GUITAR TEACHER

As of Term 4 Danton Pearson will be offering his services as a second guitar teacher to the College. If you wish to use his services or need more information about what he can offer, please contact the front office on Ph 86825099.

Annette Mesecke, Music Coordinator
2012 MAGAZINE SPONSORSHIP
Navigator College will be publishing its 2012 School Magazine later this year which will be an overview of school activities and events throughout the year. In order to offset the printing costs, we are asking local businesses and organisations to sponsor our 2012 Magazine. The following two sponsorship options are available: $110 for a business size advertisement in the magazine and $330 for a 1/3 page advertisement. All adverts are GST inclusive and a receipt will also be issued.

HOMESTAY PROGRAM
Navigator College is offering a Homestay Program for students who cannot commute to the College daily. The Homestay Program involves families in Port Lincoln who are willing to board students during the school term. Some of these students will require board for five days per week, others seven days per week. The host family will receive payment from the family of the boarding student, according to the guidelines set out by Navigator College. If you are interested in boarding a student please contact Mark Thiel on 86842012 or the College on 86825099, or call into the front office for an information booklet.

YEAR 10 MOCK INTERVIEWS
On Wednesday the 5th of September six members of the Port Lincoln Rotary Club conducted Mock Interviews with our Year 10 Personal Learning Plan students. The Mock interviews were initiated to give our students the opportunity to experience interview techniques and procedures. The students were instructed to write and submit a letter of application and resume to one of five jobs listed and were then called in for an interview on the specified day. Each student had to undertake a fifteen minute interview for the job to which they had applied and a grade was given for their performance.

The skills the students acquire through this process go towards their Personal Learning Plan which is a requirement of SACE (South Australian Certificate of Education). The event was a great success and the students gained valuable skills through the experience. The feedback received from our six Rotary volunteers was highly positive, with them stating that a large number of our students would have been successful in gaining employment in the positions they applied for.

I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate our Year 10's on the professional manner they conducted themselves through this process and also give a big thank you to our amazing Rotary volunteers.

Sarah Hodgson, Year 10 PLP Teacher

COMMUNITY NEWS

CHRISTIAN LIFE WEEK
Christian Life Week is being held on the 24th of September to the 28th of September at Trinity Haven. It is a wonderful opportunity to enjoy a week of fun and fellowship learning new things about yourselves, your friends and God. Any queries please contact Tegan Modra on 86765137 or Mark Thiel on 86842012. For an information flyer please see our front office.

RANGERS BASKETBALL CLUB
Interested players and coaches can register with Bernie on 0429821692 or bernie.dale@bigpond.com or with Teddy on 0408837866 or dtreidy@internode.on.net before the 17th September.

SIDS AND KIDS
Fundraising Dinner for the Ride for kids to be held at the Port Lincoln Yacht Club, Wednesday the 19th of September at 6.30pm. Tickets cost $40 per person and proceeds goto SIDS and Kids SA. For ticket purchase please contact Tarlia Bartsch on 0439661419.
SRC FUNDRAISER
Friday, 21\textsuperscript{st} Sept

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To assist us with catering we will be sending home an order bag on Monday 17\textsuperscript{th} of September. Please indicate your child’s order in the space provided and return with the correct change. These order bags will need to be returned before Wednesday the 19\textsuperscript{th}. At recess and lunchtime the Reception/Year 1 classes will be escorted by a College Captain to the food stand 5 minutes prior to recess and lunchtime to receive their order. Year 2 – Year 11 students will collect their orders directly from the food stand at recess and lunchtime.

Please note the College Canteen will be CLOSED Friday the 21\textsuperscript{st} of September.