“According to the grace of God given to me, like a skilled master builder I laid a foundation, and someone else is building on it. Each builder must choose with care how to build on it. For no one can lay any foundation other than the one that has been laid: that foundation is Jesus Christ (1Cor 3:10-11)

As Foundation Principal of St Peter’s College from 1994 to 2009 Terry Feely has indeed been a master builder. He set a direction in 1994 and has held firm never losing his focus on our identity and Mission as a Catholic School.

He will be remembered for many things in our community, his love of literature and history which was the cornerstone and motivation for his teaching. An inspiring teacher he continued to share his great gifts and knowledge in the classroom despite the varied responsibilities of Principal that consumed his time.

Always with an eye for detail he took great pride in the development of the school master plan, ensuring that all areas of the curriculum had facilities that would give opportunities for students to develop their God given potential. Technology centre, Library, general classroom complexes, Multi-purpose Hall are to name a few of the facilities that were constructed under his stewardship. A stewardship that also understood the importance of financial prudence setting aside resources which were ultimately used for the future expansion of St Peter’s College for the benefit of generations to come.

A dry sense of humour was never too far from the surface and to go away on student retreats or staff conferences was to see another side of Mr. Feely, a great story teller and one who was at home with and enjoyed the company of others.

As mentor for many teachers who aspired to be leaders within schools he placed great pride in the fact that a number of those whom he had employed or guided in leaderships positions had gone onto Principalships in Catholic Schools or other senior leadership positions in Catholic Education.

As a member of the Diocese of Sale Secondary Principals Association Mr. Feely was a great supporter of Catholic Education playing significant roles on the Diocesan Education and Finance Committees. His great love of Celtic Spirituality and history saw him lead several tours of pilgrims on behalf of the Diocese to Scotland and Ireland. These tours were well received for the way he was able to impart his knowledge of different cultures and their spirituality in his unique and enjoyable manner. Mr. Feely was also a foundation member of the Southern Independent Schools (SIS) an organisation established to foster cultural and sporting activities among its 12 member schools in the southern and outer suburbs of Melbourne.

Mr. Feely has given enormously to Catholic Education and in particular to our school community. He has lived a life of Faith, Education and Service, a master builder who has laid a firm foundation for us to follow and we are most thankful. As a community we look to the future with great hope encouraged by our school motto to “Be Not Afraid”, as he so often said, reminding us to have faith in ourselves and faith in a God who walks beside us every step of the way.

I extend our deepest sympathies to wife Dorothy and Mr. Feely’s three children, Siobhan, Terry and Brendan.

Tim Hogan
PRINCIPAL
UNIT 3 PRACTICE EXAM PERIOD

Unit 3 students will be involved in the VCAA examination process in some of their Unit 3 subjects this semester. In preparation for this assessment a compulsory Practice Examination Period has been scheduled on the following afternoons.

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Attendance will be compulsory for all eligible GAT students, as well as enrolled students in the above studies, as adequate preparation is vital to success in the VCE.

Students will be required to remain for the entire allocated time and will not be able to exit the Practice Examination room prior to the conclusion of the Examination. Full College Winter Uniform will apply and formal VCAA Examination conditions will be trialled for the students benefit. Students will need to attend with the correct approved materials such as pens, pencils and calculators (where appropriate).

For details of the official procedures for Examinations and dates for the official VCAA Examinations please refer to the VCAA web site indicated below.


If you have any concerns regarding the above process please don’t hesitate to contact us.

Barry Fisher
Senior Years Curriculum Leader

Captains Report

Being Arts Captain this year has already been such a rewarding experience and I am looking forward to the months ahead which hold plenty of events to look forward to. I am studying English, Further Mathematics, French, Studio Art and Visual Communication. I’m wildly passionate about the many forms of creative expression and would like to work in the fashion industry. I am especially looking forward to St Peters Day and the highlight of the day- The Talent Quest! If you would like to be a part of it and show of your fabulous talents, auditions will be held in a few weeks. This Wednesday night (tonight) is a big night on the school calendar; it is the VCE Performance Evening which never fails to impress with fantastic performances from our talented Performing Arts students. It is only $5 a ticket, so hurry and get yours for a great night of entertainment!

Alisha Mascurine
Art’s Captain

Readarama Rollercoaster Ride Launch

A carnival atmosphere prevailed at the launch of the Readarama program on Monday morning. Students were surprised and charmed by the guest appearance of Hagrid and other book characters at the Year 7 and 8 Assembly. Readarama is the reading program that has been implemented by English and the Library as an alternative to the Premier’s Reading Challenge. Everyone will be a winner with Readarama as every student will be expected to complete the Readarama Roller Ride.

All they have to do is read for 25 hours between now and the end of Term 3. Of course, some students will want to complete more than one Ride and the biggest readers in each class and year level will receive some great prizes. The competitive streak in both students and teachers will most likely come to the fore as the Year 7 and 8 classes which read the most will win a free lunch.

Another great feature of Readarama is that students can read whatever they like: fiction, information books, magazines or newspapers.

Parents can help their child by encouraging them to read for about ten minutes a night and by signing the sheet in their Record Book. Your child’s reading progress will be included in your child’s English report. We look forward to your support.

Ms Angela Gargano - Teacher Librarian
**Career News**

**Reminders**
- **UMAT** – Registrations: 1 April till 3 June; test date: 27 July; see [http://umat.acer.edu.au](http://umat.acer.edu.au)
  Bookings essential at: [www.monash.edu.au/atmonash](http://www.monash.edu.au/atmonash) (other faculties to follow – see website)
- **Sports medicine seminars**: 25 May, Olympic Park Sports Medicine Centre, $25, bookings (by 20 May): [opsmc@opsmc.com.au](mailto:opsmc@opsmc.com.au); OR Sun 29 May, Melbourne Sports and Aquatic Centre, Students $40, parents $25, Register at: vic.sma.org.au; Info: 96674 8777
- **‘Focus on Melbourne’** – (all 7pm-8.30pm);
  - Biomedicine, 18 May; Commerce, 31 May; Arts, 21 June; Law, 23 June; Science, 28 June; Victorian College of the Arts, 30 June; Booking: [www.futurestudents.unimelb.edu.au/focusonmelbourne](http://www.futurestudents.unimelb.edu.au/focusonmelbourne)

‘**EXPERIENCE LA TROBE**’ – La Trobe University invites Year 10-12 students/parents to Experience La Trobe. This is an opportunity to visit La Trobe campuses and explore what is on offer. Careers, pathways and life at La Trobe will all be covered.

**When/Where**: Tues 5 July at Bundoora, Thurs 7 July at Bendigo; Cost: Free, with lunch included; Register: latrobe.edu.au/experience; Info: 1300 135 045.

**MEDICINE INFORMATION EVENINGS** – Deakin University invites you to attend a medicine information evening to learn more about the graduate-entry four-year Bachelor of Medicine Bachelor or Surgery. This course is taught at Geelong.

**When/Where**: 6pm, Tues 17 May, Lecture Theatre 13, Building hc.2.005, Melbourne (Burwood) campus; 6pm, Wed 18 May, Ballarat Clinical School, Ground Floor, Ballarat Base Hospital, Drummond St; 6pm, Thurs 19 May, Peter Thwaite Lecture Theatre, Bld ia1.006, Geelong Waurn Ponds campus; Info: 9251 7777.

**INTERESTED IN AVIATION?** Swinburne has an Expo for students and parents, providing insights into careers in the aviation and airline management industry. Meet representatives of key aviation organisations, including Thales and the Civil Aviation Safety Authority (CASA) plus major airlines and airports. **When**: 6.45pm, Mon20 June; **Where**: Lecture Theatre, Advanced Technologies Centre, Hawthorn campus; **Info/registration**: [www.swinburne.edu.au/aviation-career-expo](http://www.swinburne.edu.au/aviation-career-expo)

**ENGINEERING, SCIENCE AND HEALTH AT RMIT** – RMIT is holding events designed to give you real insight into the world of science, engineering and health. ALL COME WITH A FREE LUNCH!!

- **Electrical and computer engineering** – workshops in computer systems, networking and communications, electrical, biomedical and electronic engineering. **When**: 9.30am-4pm, Mon 4 OR Tues 5 July (identical days); **Where**: City campus; **Register** by: 17 June
- **Aerospace, mechanical and mechatronic engineering** – build your understanding of engineering through workshops in: aerospace, automotive, mechanical and mechatronics engineering; **When**: 9.30am-4.30pm, 6 July; **Where**: Bundoora (east) campus; **Register** by: 24 June.
- **Computing and IT** – see how computing/IT is applied to real life and how advances are changing the way we live; gain experience in games and graphics, database app’s, software engineering and programming; **When**: 9am-4.30pm, Thurs 7 July; **Where**: City; register by 29 June.
- **Health and medical sciences** – explore these through workshops in nursing, Chinese medicine, biomedical sciences, laboratory medicine, medical radiations and pharmaceutical science. **When**: 10am-4pm, Tues 12 July; **Where**: Bundoora (west); **Register** by 15 June at [www.rmit.edu.au/seh/experience](http://www.rmit.edu.au/seh/experience); Info: Clare Russell, ph 9925 3699.

  Shannon Maher
  Careers Coordinator

**Junior Boys Football**

The boys played away against Padua last week and, as had been predicted by Pat “Noah” Grant, the conditions were exceptionally wet and slippery. This week the “flood” was imposed on both teams from far above. Noah’s prediction precipitated several selection and positional changes that were made to last week’s winning side. Intense pressure came from knowing that these changes would ultimately see the team either ‘sink or swim’.

The early signs were good, however, with Hayden Harvey leading in a wide arc to mark deep in the pocket and float through the first goal of the match. He emerged as one of our better players, bobbing up around the ground as the tide ran through the first quarter and their buoyant spirits proved infectious as the boys regained the lead which they narrowly held for much of the second and third quarters.

On a dirty day Kailum Newland emerged as “Mr. Clean”, consistently demonstrating his ability to gather and dispose of the ball to great effect – he ranked highly among our better players. As a barometer of the commitment displayed by the team, look to the efforts of Logan Hillman who determined to play on despite having injured his knee at the end of the first quarter. His ruckwork was invaluable alongside the work of J. Sullivan, M. Brittingham, L. Byrne, S. De Paoli and Z. Atkinson who each surfaced continually throughout the match.

Mrs Young’s victorious netballers appeared at the beginning of the last quarter and their buoyant spirits proved infectious as the boys regained the lead with two early goals and then managed to hold-on for the remainder of the match. St Peter’s kicked 8 goals 7 behinds (55) to Padua 6 goals 9 behinds (45) in an effort all players should be very proud of. Goal scorers were K. Newland (2) and singles to H. Harvey, J. Doria, C. Grant, M. Halstead, T. Toner and C. White.

Justin Dee – Coach
**SIS Intermediate Girls Netball**

In a fitting tribute to the passing of Mr Terry Feely, the Intermediate girls netball team decided to dedicate the match against Nazareth to their former Principal. They wore black armbands and said a prayer for his family at the commencement of the match. He would have been very proud of their performance. The girls put on another outstanding display of netball in the second round of the fixture to comprehensively defeat Nazareth. The final scoreline was 50 - 11. All the girls contributed well throughout the match with Laura O'Brien and Emily Simpson scoring well in goals. Another solid performance in defense by Cristin Daly, Teegan Armstrong and Chantelle Phillips gave Nazareth very little opportunity to penetrate in their attacking half. Maria Celona, and Teagan Ryan used their speed to send the ball forward on numerous occasions whilst Georgia Manning came off the bench to contribute well in the second half. Congratulations girls and good luck for next week against Woodleigh.

Cathy Heijden - Coach

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**ST. AGATHA’S NEWS**

RCIA – +Bp Prowse will celebrate the Mystagogia Mass at St Patrick’s Church, 142 Princes Hwy Pakenham, at 10.30am On Sunday 29th May followed by morning tea. New Catholics, newly received members, Godparents-sponsors & family members are invited. Please RSVP before Monday 23rd May.

YOUTH RETREAT – The youth of our Parish will attend a live in Retreat at Casa Palloti during the Pentecost long weekend in June. The aim is for all our Youth to be filled with the Holy Spirit and to reach out to all the needy. If there are Youth who would like to have a deeper relationship with Jesus this retreat is for you. Please keep this intention on your daily prayers. For more information contact Sr Mercy 5996 1985.

INVIGORATE – (Youth Group Years 7-12) Please join our meeting at the Parish Hall next Sunday 22nd May at 7pm (after the 6pm mass). Newbies are most welcome. Enquiries, please contact Yani 0423 329 454.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION – A PARENT WORKSHOP will be held on Tuesday 24th May at 7.30pm in St Agatha’s Hall. Attendance is vital for all parents who have not made commitment with their children. Remember parents only are to attend this meeting, except where it cannot be helped. Enquiries: Sr Anna on 5996 1985 or between 3-5pm at the Parish Office.

RAISE THE ROOF COMMITTEE – Tickets for the old fashioned Film Night to be held in the Parish Centre on Friday 20th May 2011 at 7pm, on sale after all Masses over the weekend, from the Parish Office during the week and at the door on the night. We will be showing “Captains Courageous” with Spencer Tracey & Freddie Bartholomew. Tickets are $9 for an Adult and a family ticket for $2 (2 adults & 4 children – any additional children are $2 each). Drinks and snacks will be available on the night, plus our usual multi prize raffle. “BYO cushion if desired”.

REFLECTION AFTERNOON – All parishioners are invited to the young teachers of our Parish reflection afternoon. Sam Clear will talk about his journey walking 29,000km around the world on a prayer campaign. Join the young teachers from 2-6pm on Monday 23rd May at St Patrick’s Parish Centre, 142 Princes Highway, Pakenham. please RSVP to Sue at the Parish Office on 5996 1985

Greg Nelson

ST. AGATHA’S PARISH REPRESENTATIVE

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**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS**

It is appropriate that we have the Feely family in our hearts and minds and prayer as we grieve the death of Mr Terry Feely, the founding Principal of St Peter’s College.

Mr Feely influenced so many lives, so many students and colleagues, staff members and teachers of St Peter’s, the Sale diocese and beyond.

United in prayer for all we turn to last Sunday’s liturgy for consolation and guidance as Terry is welcomed home into the loving arms of God.

**Psalm 23**

The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want.
He makes me lie down in green pastures; he leads me beside still waters; he restores my soul.
He leads me in right paths for his name’s sake.
Even though I walk through the darkest valley, I fear no evil;
for you are with me; your rod and your staff – they comfort me.
You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies;
you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows.
Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life,
and I shall dwell in the house of the LORD my whole life long.

Mary B Murphy

Religious Education Leader