

# GYC

4 MARCH 2021



# news



Guilford  
Young  
College



## Student & Family



### Dates to remember

#### MARCH

- 8 Public Holiday
- 9 Moderation Day (student free day)
- 11 SSATIS Swimming Carnival
- 13 Rowing Head of the River
- 16 Commendation Ceremony
- 23 SATIS Swimming Carnival

## INFORMATION FOR STUDENTS AND FAMILIES

### Reminder

A reminder for students and parents: Students are advised not to schedule (or agree to) work shifts for their after school jobs, which impact on their classes. Asking to leave classes early to attend work is not encouraged. Employers need to be made aware of students' college attendance expectations.

### ADF - Gap Year Applications Open

**\*\*Applications for ADF Gap Year open now \*\***

The ADF Gap Year is a unique opportunity for you to experience 12 months in the Navy, Army or Air Force, without needing to make a long-term commitment. You will get paid for meaningful work, gain skills, and meet new friends while travelling around Australia. If you like to know more about ADF Gap Year visit the ADF webpage and complete an online enquiry form, or visit the Hobart Recruiting Centre or call 131001.

### ARC (Hobart and Glenorchy Academic Research Centres)

We welcome all students to the ARCs on each campus, we are open each day until 4pm and would love to see you here for study or chilling out. We are here to help you with any research and referencing enquiries.

### For more info look at HCC website:

<https://www.tasmanianchessassociation.org/hobart-chess-club-home> << Link Here

Or search for Hobart Chess Club on Facebook

Or email **Mrs Martini: [cmartini@gyc.tas.edu.au](mailto:cmartini@gyc.tas.edu.au)**



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### Chess club - Hobart Campus library Monday 5.30pm

**Did you watch 'The Queen's Gambit' on Netflix? Want to learn to play chess? OR are you an experienced chess player?**

GYC students (and staff) are very welcome to join The Hobart Chess Club. The club meets in the Hobart Campus Library every Monday night at 5.30pm. Tournament games after 6.30pm for experienced players. Free online coaching is available for students on Tuesdays for beginners and Thursdays for experienced players.

### Tutorials

#### Glenorchy Campus Students

English and Humanities tutorials will be held each Wednesday in R101 from 3:20pm to 4pm for any students requiring assistance with assessment tasks, presentations, essay writing, using evidence, and drafting. Students of all subjects welcome!

#### Hobart Campus Students

**English and Humanities Tutorials** will be offered in the **Library Seminar Room after school (3:10pm - 4:10pm) on Thursday afternoons.** Please be encouraged to come along for essay writing, proofreading, referencing and general literacy support.

#### Maths and Science Tutorials

Need help with any Maths or Science subject? Tutorials are available at **3:15 every Thursday after school Hobart Campus | A251 or Glenorchy Campus - R128**

### Migrant Resource Centre Information

On Ash Wednesday Annouska Dolin, from the Migrant Resource Centre (MRC), came to speak to Glenorchy students at lunchtime about services that the MRC offers to young people from a migrant or refugee background. Many students attended, enjoyed some pizza and asked questions about the services, which include Wednesday afternoon Drop-In (for help with anything from homework to navigating Service Tasmania), the MyLife Program, which partners students with a mentor for one-on-one English language support, and many other offerings. Any students wishing to know more about these programs can see Ms Zoe Smith.



# Ministry

## Year 11 & 12 Focus Days with Mike Fitzpatrick

Due to COVID-19 we were unable to enjoy the annual visit from Queensland of retreat facilitator Mike Fitzpatrick who has visited Guilford Young College every year for 24 years. He is fully booked in Queensland and in high demand but he has worked with us exclusively in Tasmania for the duration of the College history. He has an active interest in our College and the particular needs of College students.

Mike has extensive experience and particularly enjoys working with our students who come from a range of former schools and different pathways and find themselves coming together for the last two years of their College life. He works closely with our Leadership Team to identify age specific anxieties and concerns of each Year cohort. He challenges them to identify behaviours and attitudes that have not served them well in younger years and moves them forward in their thinking to embrace the next step of their development.

With the Year 12s, he aims to get them to reflect on their future and name their fears and concerns in a safe place. Mike has the ability to use popular music to break up the day and bring an age appropriate flavour to the day. Mike has a breadth of experience engaging large groups to build a strong



connection of trust. Students still contact us years later and name it as one of their most memorable experiences during their two years at the College.

We regard this as a day of compulsory attendance and is always enjoyed. We regard the provision of these opportunities for students as so key to our mission to illuminate the path for students in their senior secondary schooling and care for their wellbeing.

Attendance at a Focus Day each year, completing a Religious Education course and supporting our College events fulfill our enrolment requirements and will also be named up in our Graduation Certificate for our students as they leave the College. We know these days are extremely beneficial for bringing

our students together and ask as parents that you do all you can to encourage full participation.

## TEEN MENTAL HEALTH FIRST AID PROGRAM

Year 11 Faith in Action classes are to be the first group to be trained in the Nationally accredited Teen Mental Health First Aid course in the next few weeks. Our Director of Well Being, Sonya Bacic, will be providing these learning opportunities to our students. The College has identified the creation of the role of Director of Well Being and provision of programs such as these as a proactive and positive response to all the Mission Australia Youth Survey

Data and Headspace information we have received about young adult mental health and well being.



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## VINNIES YOUTH INDUCTION MASS 2021

You are warmly invited to attend the 2021 Vinnies Youth Induction Mass for the members of the St Vincent de Paul School Youth Groups. All Vinnies members, youth volunteers, friends and family are welcome this will be the first official event of 2021.

Light refreshments to follow.

**When: 6:30pm Tuesday 9th  
March 2021**

**Where: St Therese of Lisieux, 24  
Hopkins Street, Moonah**

**RSVP: Tuesday 2nd of March**

**Phone: 62344244**

**Email: melitta.hopkins@  
vinniestas.org.au**

able to welcome guest speakers into our RE classrooms once more, these include Tasmanian Legal Aid and The Red Cross among many others.

The RE Faculty are closely involved with the rewrite of our TASC accredited Religious Education Courses for 2022. As the sponsor school for **Studies of Religion 2 and 3**, we are progressing through the early stages of developing these brand new courses for our 2022 cohort. We look forward to sharing more details when these courses are closer to being completed.

**Mrs Simone McManus and Miss  
Kylie Sullivan**

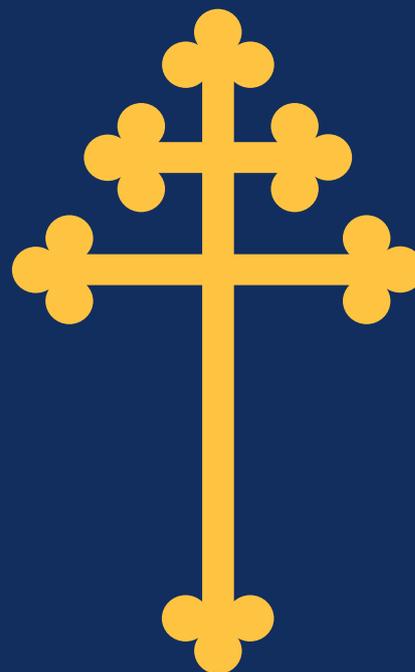
**Mrs Christina Martina - Head of  
Faculty**



## CHRISTINA MARTINI - HEAD OF FACULTY RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Thank you to everyone who has warmly welcomed me to this role. I would like to recognise the contributions of Simone McManus and Kylie Sullivan who have done so much to develop the RE Faculty over recent years. I am looking forward to promoting the wonderful work happening in Religious Education classes at the College.

This year, with COVID restrictions being slowly lifted, the RE faculty is pleased to be taking students on excursions into the community again. We are also thrilled to be





# Sports News

## GYC Swimming

The combined GYC/MTC/SMC/SVC Swimming Carnival was held at the Hobart Aquatic Centre on Wednesday 17 February. Congratulations to all the students who competed in the trials to select the GYC Swimming Teams. Thank you also to Swimming Tasmania for supplying the officials.

Best of luck to the following students who will represent Guilford Young College at the upcoming SSATIS and SATIS Carnivals:

**Boys Team:** Max Giuliani, Josh Wylie, Hunter Wright, Rufus Bresnehan, Oliver Pooley and Gabriel Sinclair

**Girls Team:** Annabelle Raymond, Sam Rickwood, Mary Clingeffer, Kelsea Cano and Caitlin Woolley.

### Important Dates

- SSATIS Swimming Carnival, Hobart Aquatic Centre, **Thursday March 11**
- SATIS Swimming Carnival, Hobart Aquatic Centre, **Tuesday March 23**



## GYC Rowing

On Saturday 27 and Sunday 28 February the seconds Schools Regatta was held at Lake Barrington. GYC had ten rowers this year but unfortunately three of the boys were unwell for this regatta. There were some great efforts and performances by both the girl and boy rowing crews who raced over the two-day regatta. The College wishes the rowers every success at the two remaining regattas. Some notable performances were achieved by the following crews and rowers:

### Girls

**Single Sculls** - Annabelle Raymond fastest GYC rower

**Pair** - Forster and Triffett 6th

**Double Scull:** Raymond and Harris 3rd

**Four** - Harris, Forster, Raymond, Triffett, Taylor (cox) 5th

**Quad Sculls** - Harris, Forster, Raymond, Triffett, Kelly (cox) 3rd

### Boys

**Single Sculls** - Jarrod Connolly 3rd, Angus Paynter 5th

**Pair** - Connolly and Paynter 2nd

**Four** - Paynter, Connolly, Oliver 2nd

**Eight** - Composite with EC 4th

### Important Upcoming Rowing Dates and Events (at Lake Barrington)

Tasmanian Schools Championships, 6 and 7 March

SATIS Head of the River, 13 March

Australian Championships, 22 - 28 March

## Girls Basketball

This year the College has two girls' basketball teams. The First Team lead by Captain Hanardi Young is being coached by Miss Morgan Rosenboom. Unfortunately, during the first game the Team had three experienced players injured against reigning premiers St Marys College. Although the GYC Team showed determination and great team-work they were outclassed by SMC 48-12.

The GYC Seconds Girls Basketball Team also played against St Mary's College. It has been wonderful to see the enthusiasm and joy displayed amongst this team. Coached by Mrs Lauren Jacobson and captained by Maddi D'Cruz and supported by vice-captain Amity Chick, they have had a great start to the season. The game was quite a reverse of the Division One game with Guilford taking control of the game defeating SMC 37-11.





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### Boys Basketball

One of the strongest and most popular sport at the College is basketball which is also supported by the Basketball Athlete Development program at the College. In 2021 the College has entered three teams in the Division 1 SSATIS Boys Basketball Competition. The GYC Gold Team coached by past student Isaac Collins and managed by Mr Ramon Jacobs have had a strong start to the season dominating their opposition defeating Hutchins 58-27 in their first game and Friends 87-35 in their second.

The GYC Red and GYC Blue teams were rostered to play each other in their first game. These two seconds teams had been picked to be even sides. It was a game played with passion and pride with each team wanting to take out the game as winners. GYC Red captained by Brodie Turner were winning at half time however the GYC Blue came home strong to take the game in a tight battle 59-52.

The GYC Red team then faced Hutchins 1 in the following week and only narrowly lost this game 52-50. The GYC Blue team captained by Lucas Davey and Joe McShane unfortunately lost to Hutchins 2.

### Boys and Girls 1st Tennis

The College has one team playing in the SSATIS Division 1 Boys and one team in the Division 1 Girls SSATIS competitions.

Jed Plunkett-Smith, Daniel Tucker, Joe Kelly, Elroy Shepherd, Toby Tymms and Zen McCarthy make up the GYC 1st Team and are being coached by Mr Brett Stephenson. The team have had two games, both against Hutchins as they have two teams in the Division One Roster. In

the first game of the season Jed, the GYC number 1 player and team Captain won his singles game. Unfortunately, this was the only rubber won going down to a very strong Hutchins side. The following week was a much more even contest with the match narrowly won by Hutchins B 3 rubbers, 25 games to GYC 3 rubbers 23 game. It was great to see Daniel win his singles game in a well fought match 7-5. Daniel and Jed also teamed up in the doubles winning 6-0. This week the Team played their final game of the first round. Jo Kelly came in to replace Daniel Tucker as the number two player. It was a very close encounter narrowly losing to Friends 3 - 24 to 3 -19.

The Girls Team led by Captain and experienced player Bec Flinn has also had some competitive games. Bec is supported by Bridget Williams, Gabrielle Foale, Maisie Tully, Ella Gartlan and Keely Brereton. It has been wonderful to see some of these girls play in a competitive tennis roster for the first time. Managed by Mrs Karen Caporelli, the first game was very tight and GYC drew against Fahan, 2 rubbers and 22 games each. Bec and Gabrielle both won their singles and doubles comfortably. The second week saw the team come up against a more experienced Friends Team. Unfortunately, with Bec unavailable to play the results were not as favourable and Friends comfortably won all the rubbers.





# Sports News

## Cricket

written by Mr Peter Di Venuto

The 1st XI Cricket team remain on top of the SATIS competition ladder despite a heavy loss to Launceston Grammar on the February 20 in Hobart, followed by a win against the same opposition in Launceston last Saturday.

GYC at 3/152 after 33 overs were in an excellent position during the Hobart game which was played at the historic TCA Ground. We were on track to post a very competitive score before losing 7/52. Liam Harris top scored with an excellent 80, followed by Joe Kelly 29, Hunter Wright 25 and debutant Josh Brazendale 23. Jesse Willmott 14no dragged us past 200 before running out of partners. The forty run difference of where we finished, to what we were expecting with 20 overs to go, proved the difference. Our bowling unit was not able to put any sustainable pressure on the opposition and they strolled to victory only 3 wickets down and with more than 6 overs still remaining.

The fixture saw us meet Grammar again only 7 days later, this time in Launceston. Due to unforeseen circumstances caused by vandalism, we arrived to find a wicket with each end vastly different, as the curator had needed to wet one end that had not firmed up. It proved a little difficult for batsman and in some ways both teams failed to adjust. After losing the toss we quickly found ourselves at 4 for 6, then 5 for 22, before Ryan Borsboom (38) and Jesse Willmott (34) combined for an excellent 55 run partnership. At 8/86 another committed pair of Hunter Wright and Bryce Alomes combined for an important 31 run partnership.

Eventually we were dismissed for 127 in just 37.1 overs.

GYC bowling innings was led by paceman Bryce Alomes, who applied sustained pressure with accurate outswing bowling. His figures of 4/14 off 8 overs are testament to his skill and determination to see the team to victory. It wasn't all our way however, as Grammar had made it to 2/52 with 36 overs remaining. Tight defensive bowling from Lachlan Nichols (2/18 off 7 overs) Jesse Willmott (2/18 off 6.3) and Hunter Wright (1/15 of 5 overs) strangled the opposition as they lost their last 8 wickets for 50, including an excellent run out from Captain Sam Wright. This victory has booked our place in the State Final, against who and in what location is yet to be determined, with three teams still in the hunt.

### SATIS 1st XI LADDER

Team	Pts	Games left
<b>GYC</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>1</b>
LCGS	22	2
HUT	18	1
SOC	12	2
SPC	0	0

**Mrs Melissa Brown**  
Manager College Sport





## Earth-Care@GYC

EarthCare GYC had Michael Bruhn from Sea Shepherd speak to staff and students at the Glenorchy campus last Friday.

We learned Sea Shepherd acts to protect and conserve the ocean habitats and how they are helping the marine environment and what individuals can do to help. It was an inspiring presentation encouraging us all to be activists for the ocean and to take care of the planet.

**Mrs Lynda Williams**  
Teacher

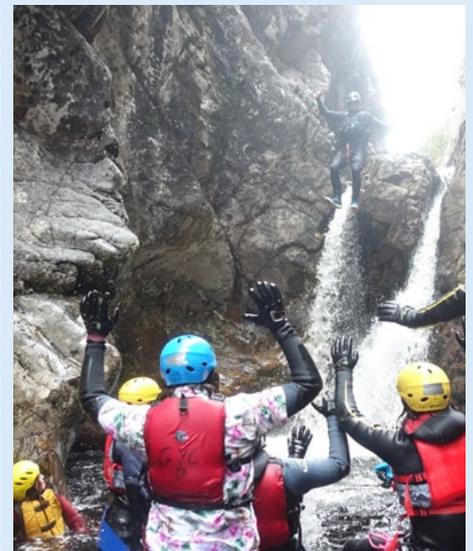


## Outdoor Leadership

Fifty students were lucky enough to spend three days on the Forth River last week white water kayaking and rafting for the Outdoor Education camp. The luscious green-grassy campsite was located right on the river where the students spent their time practicing paddling techniques, running the rapids there and surfing some river waves. With clear, sunny skies, it wasn't hard to convince students to gear up and go for a swim.

As a side trip, other students were able to spend a day either canyoning or hiking in the Cradle Mountain National Park. They all came back colder than when they left but the students will tell you it was well worth it.

**Brodie Jeavons**  
Outdoor Education





## Open Day

Sunday 14 March • 10am – 12pm



### Excellence in girls' education.

Mount Carmel College is a place where every student is given the opportunity to achieve their personal and academic best.  
Our students belong to a community where they are free to be themselves and encouraged to embrace and pursue their own interests, talents and ambitions - wherever they may lie.  
At Mount Carmel, every teacher knows every student, supporting and empowering them as they grow into confident and capable young women.  
We offer affordable fees that don't compromise educational standards or results.  
The best way to discover more about the opportunities that Mount Carmel offers is to visit our school and explore for yourself.  
We warmly invite you to our Open Day on **Sunday 14 March from 10am to midday**.  
Our students conduct campus tours and provide families with the opportunity to meet our Principal and teaching staff, view our facilities and hear about the wide range of curriculum and co-curricular choices and our pastoral care programs.  
Entrance to the College is available on both Sandy Bay Road and Quorn Street. There is plenty of parking within the neighbouring streets with no parking restrictions on Sundays. Alternatively, you can park at West Point and walk to the College.

**Register now online or by calling the College.**

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# Principal's Tours Austins Ferry Campus

An opportunity to meet Principal Damian Messer and learn about our exciting Year 7-10 programmes and plans for Year 11&12 from 2023, as part of an interactive tour of the senior school

**Friday February 26, 9am - 10.30am**  
**Friday March 19, 9am - 10.30am**

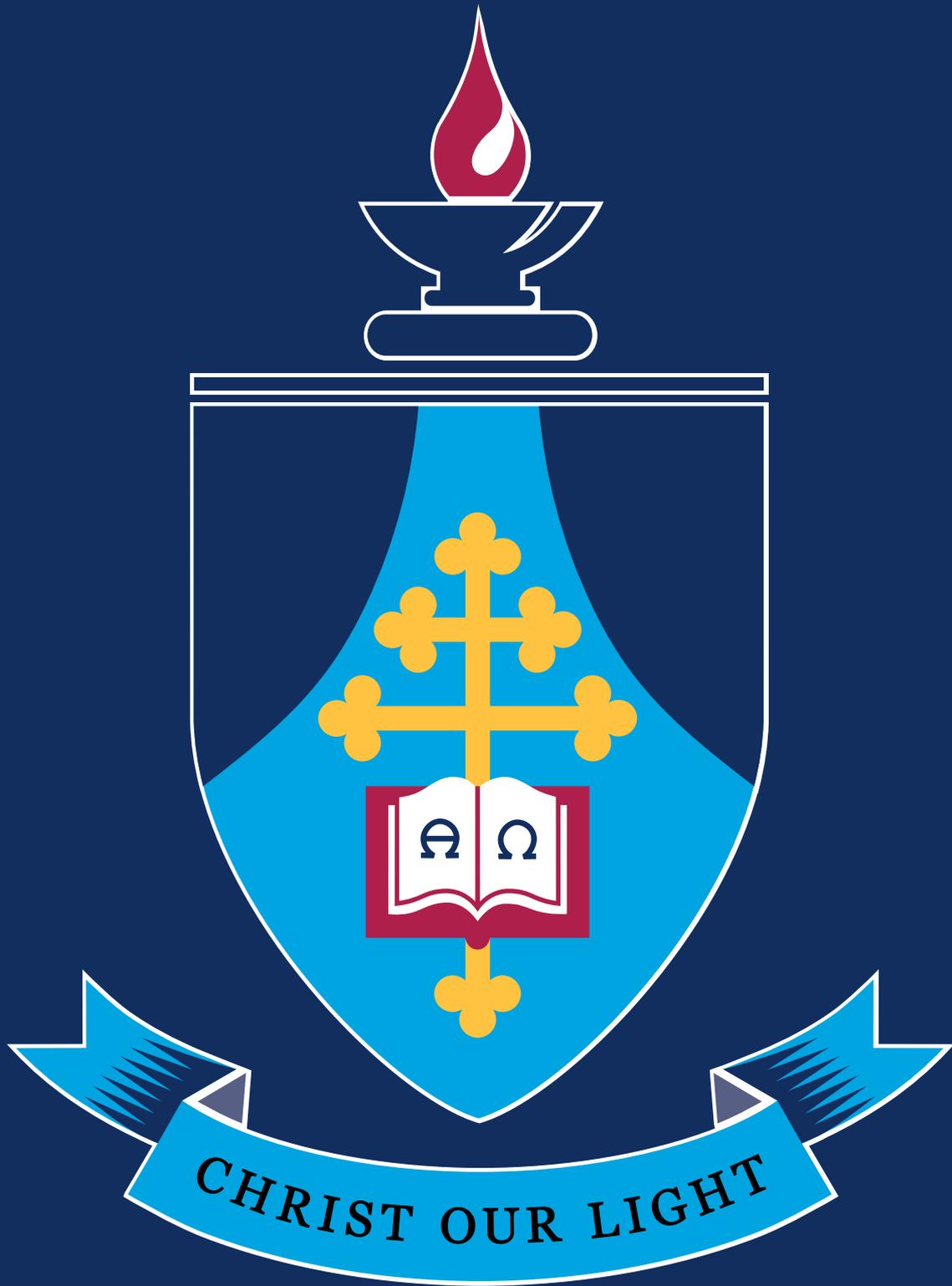
To book please email [registrar@stvirgils.tas.edu.au](mailto:registrar@stvirgils.tas.edu.au)



2023 Grade 7 Enrolments close on Friday September 10 2021

All enrolment information at:  
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