

GYC



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Dates to remember

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27 Trivia Night

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Glenorchy Campus

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commence

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conclude

INFO FOR STUDENTS AND FAMILIES

ROBOTICS CLUB

Robotics club will be starting out from this Wednesday. Both Hobart and Glenorchy students are invited to come along to A150 (Physics Lab Glenorchy) after school on Wednesday from 3:15-4:15pm to build and program EV3 Lego robots. All equipment is provided and no commitment required; just bring along your laptop. Come along as and when you like.

Please speak with or email Mr Lippis (jlippis@gyc.tas.edu.au) if you have any questions.

MND BEANIES

Students are permitted to wear the 2022 style MND beanies during Term 2 only. No other beanies, other than GYC beanies, are permitted.

YEAR 12 FORMAL - DATE CONFIRMED

The date for the Year 12 Formal has been confirmed for Friday 18 November. The event will be held at the Elwick Race Course.

Directors of Organisation - Mrs Haneveer & Mr Brownless



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CONGRATULATIONS

CRICKET

Jesse Willmott as a member of the U19 Tasmanian Cricket Team took out the most wickets in the recent carnival and was presented with an U19 Baggy Green Cap. This places him as one of the top 11 players in the country for the U19 age group.

BOXING

Chris Lenga for his success at the recent National Boxing tournament. He was crowned state champion and was selected into Australian youth squad for the IBA (International Boxing Association Championship).



Plenty of GYC students braved the cold this Tuesday evening to watch our Girls and Boys Footy matches!

How great to see students cheering on their friends!





Faith & Mission

CLASS MASSES

This week we commenced class masses in our Year 11 Religious Education classes with Fr Fidelis in the Chapel of St Virgil at Hobart Campus and at St John's Church, Glenorchy with students of the Glenorchy Campus. We wish our students to experience the opportunity to attend mass with their class and join us in prayer for themselves, our College Community, our country and in solidarity with Ukraine.

FAITH IN ACTION – VOLUNTEERING COMMENCES

With nine classes out volunteering we hope to highlight one community partnership per newsletter. This week's spotlight is on Mrs Johnson's class.

Students from Faith in Action are always looking for way to help the community. Here are some Glenorchy students involved in an art activity at Strathglen where some residents were preparing decorations for Australia's Biggest Morning Tea. Other residents enjoyed a chat and a game with our students.





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ST VINCENT DE PAUL

This week we have had the pleasure of meeting the new youth coordinator for St Vincent de Paul (Vinnies) Elle Bate who has brought herself, her passion and interest in social justice to Tasmania from Western Australia. She has spoken to our Justice Action Committees about Buddy Days and has offered us the opportunity to get some volunteering hours for our students in Faith in Action. The current needs as we approach winter are: Warm winter clothing (such as beanies, socks, jackets), blankets and non-perishable food items (such as types of canned, dried or dehydrated foods). Stocks are presently quite low and all donations can be left at our campus offices.

WORLD'S GREATEST SHAVE

It is a week away.... the annual World's Greatest Shave event.

What/Why: This is the community building and fund raising event for the Leukemia Foundation.

When: June 1st at Hobart Campus and 8th of June at Glenorchy Campus (Wednesday extended tutor) in partnership with TASTAFE students.

How: We need participants to be brave enough to shave or colour their hair (wash out colour) or consider a partial leg wax in a very good cause. Hair longer than 13cms is donated for making wigs for cancer patients and all hair that falls goes to an organization that uses hair to mop up oil spills. If you want to join our team please hop on either the GYC Hobart or GYC Glenorchy WGS page to join and begin collecting donations.

Who: Everyone welcomeMs Young and Ms Farid at Hobart Campus are doing the shave too - brave women. Permission forms available from each Campus Office. These will need to be returned to the Campus Office before May 30th. Hop on board to encourage our teams.

<http://my.leukaemiafoundation.org.au/hobartgycshavers>

<http://my.leukaemiafoundation.org.au/glenorchygycshavers>

NATIONAL RECONCILIATION WEEK - 27TH OF MAY TO JUNE 3RD

Next week we will acknowledge National Reconciliation Week through an assembly and tutor based initiatives. The theme for National Reconciliation Week for 2022 is tackling the unfinished business of reconciliation - Be Brave so we can Make Change.

Watch this space for initiatives in our College as we progress through the year.

Mrs Simone McManus and Ms Kylie Sullivan

Directors of Faith and Mission

VET IMMERSION PROGRAM 2022

The VET Tourism, Hospitality and Kitchen Operation students participated in the annual Immersion Program at the Hotel Grand Chancellor Launceston last week. We stayed at the Hotel Grand Chancellor and we participated in a variety of Tourism & Hospitality experiences.

The program provided opportunities for the Hospitality and Tourism students to work within a number of departments within a large hotel, including the Restaurant, housekeeping and reception, obtaining a greater understanding of how a big property works and the departments are inter-dependant. The Kitchen Operations students spent time in a very busy commercial kitchen, prepping food for real clients in the restaurant and conference spaces, with some also having an opportunity to work individually with the Executive Chef during their shift. Once again, the students were welcomed by all staff at the Hotel Grand Chancellor who took the time to explain their tasks and answer questions during the shifts. We highly recommend this property – we received great service, accommodation and food!

It wasn't all work though, there were a number of excellent industry experiences for the students to undertake including rock climbing, zip lining and cliff jumping at Penny Royal World, a Tamar River Cruise, and a very cool (literally) Low Head Penguins Tour. An industry talk following breakfast at the new Bread + Butter bakery café was really interesting – this is a must do when in Launceston! The Kitchen Operations students were also treated to a familiarisation tour of the beautiful new Verge Hotel, a boutique corporate/industrial style luxe hotel.



GYC TRADE TRAINING CENTRE

On March 21, a devastating fire destroyed the Sustainable Energy/Electrotechnology, Construction, Engineering and Automotive workshops in the GYC Trade Training Centre. This was the focus study area for over one hundred students and five of our VET Teachers.

However, through displaying great resilience, flexibility, and vision, within a few days the VET Teachers were able to identify potential alternative spaces to establish temporary facilities for these workshops to be based and frantic, yet systematic planning started.

By the end of Term One, the new Automotive workshop was up and running, Construction students were using the Hobart workshop, Electrotechnology was operating in the Science laboratories and Engineering was well on the way.

As we enter nine school weeks since the fire, we now have all workshops operational. There are still some replacement machines which are yet to arrive but, overall, students are continuing to work and engage in their practical training.

Students have assisted the teachers with much of the workshop development and will continue to work to improve the facilities. The team of five teachers, led by Rod Larcombe, the Trade Centre Manager, have worked tirelessly to achieve this amazing outcome.

There is still more setting up required to provide training facilities that cover all aspects of the qualifications, and we hope to return Construction facilities to Glenorchy as soon as possible.

Our attention will now turn to the design and building of a new purpose-built facility to provide training for all these trade areas and more. Planning is underway and drawings are being prepared. We are looking forward to building a trade centre which again reflects latest industry operations and technology.

Thank you to all the VET teachers who have not only planned for but have also set up and built most of the temporary facilities.

Mrs Jane Milburn
Head of VET Faculty



ARC NEWS

NEWS FROM THE ARC

We have hit the ground running in the ARC this term!

In Week 1, we ran the first of our newly developed student-research sessions at the University of Tasmania with Christina Martini's wonderful English Literature class. Mrs Martini and her class were welcomed on to the Sandy Bay Campus, shown around the Morris Miller library, and given an in-depth session on how to utilise library resources by UTAS librarian, Ruairi Murphy. Following this session, Mrs Martini and I assisted the students in finding research materials for their individual independent study topics. It was just fantastic to see our students actively undertaking research in this tertiary setting and becoming comfortable within the university environment! As this program expands, the ARC hope to give all interested GYC students the opportunity to spend time undertaking some research at the University of Tasmania and strongly encourage all students to seek out "School Student Membership" at the university libraries.

In Week 2, we facilitated our first new "Recreational Reading" session in the Hobart ARC with Cassandra Christensen's English class. These sessions - which are guided by ARC staff and informed by the principles of Reader Advisory training - assist students in choosing a text to read for pleasure. We are looking forward to embedding recreational reading within the school more broadly as this program expands and giving all students and staff not only the opportunity to develop their literacy but also take some time-out from their busy schedules to relax with a good book.

Finally, we had so much fun assisting GYC's wonderful Careers Advisor, Deb Winton, last week in facilitating some events for Careers Week! The feedback from GYC students that we have gathered via a range of survey questions has been so positive and shows just how seriously our students are taking their future career pathways.

Dr Demelza Hall

ARC Leader





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GIRLS BASKETBALL

The State SATIS Final was a tough game for the GYC girls. They played hard throughout but unfortunately came away with a 29pt loss. The game was held at Marist College in Burnie, the girls needing to travel up and back in the day, departing on the bus at 7am. The Stadium was packed with Marist students and staff showing support and taking advantage of the final being played on their home court. There was a lot of high-quality talent on display between the two teams, both sides having a number of NBL1 level athletes. For GYC Eliza Van der Kamp, Ruby Erin and Niamh Bawle are all members of the Chargers Squad and Marist have a number of players in the Launceston Tornadoes Squad.

Even though the girls weren't able to come away with the win there were lots of positives to take from the game. Ruby Erin showed great leadership and skill throughout the entire game and came away our highest scorer with 29 points, with a highlight of the match shooting a 3 pointer on the buzzer at the end of the 2nd quarter. The girls on the bench were vocal and supportive which was great to see. Each and every player took to the court and worked really hard, representing GYC well. The girls have had a magnificent season so far, including winning the Southern Grand final against SHC. The future is looking bright for this team who will again play together in the College state championship weekend.

Sharna Thompson and Mrs Sonya Bacic



BOYS BASKETBALL

On Monday 23 May, The Guilford Young College Boy's Basketball team travelled to Launceston for the state SATIS final. Their opponents this year and hosts of the final was Launceston Church Grammar, who had successfully won the Northern league for the first time in many years.

As the game started, the strong support for the local team was evident. With the ball travelling up and down the court multiple times without score. The Grammar team finally hit the board with raucous crowd cheering. Unfortunately for them, this clicked the GYC team into gear, who then went on a strong run, with some solid 3-point shooting from Lewis Crennan opening a solid lead in the first term.

From there the GYC team continued to build on their lead; however, it was not all smooth sailing - as the Grammar team put up a strong fight to stop the flow of the Guilford Team, bringing the game back to within 6 points on the back of good defence and some good outside shooting.



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In turn the Guilford Boys switched up a gear, with their defence and offensive movement improving considerably. All the boys started to lift under the direction of Coach Collins and strong leadership on the court from Captain Luke Brown. The boys worked hard for each other, hustling the Grammar team in defence and opening up a commanding lead early in the fourth quarter. The strength and skill of the GYC team was too much for a young but valiant Grammar, with GYC finishing the game with a good win 61 - 40.

We thank former student Izach Collins for taking the time to travel up and coach the team. His continued involvement over the past two seasons has been excellent. The boys will now be setting their sights on the State-wide Carnival, which will be held in September.

Mr Ramon Jacobs



BOYS 2ND XVIII FOOTBALL

The GYC 2nd XVIII played their first game on Monday against the Friends 1st XVIII at Bell Street Oval. It was the coaching debut of head coach Ethan Artis and the assistant coach Chris Elwell and their coaching careers did not get off to the start they would have wanted. The players themselves played their hearts out. Making an immediate impact on the scoreboard with GYC kicking the first goal within 1 minute of the games start. Friends wrestled their way back into the game scoring the next three, while GYC could only add a further two behinds to their tally for the first quarter. Friends ran away with it in the end, but some real positives we seen to take into the next encounter.

A number of player debutantes chipped in for some fantastic pieces of play and defensive actions. Blakey led from the front putting his body on the line and providing targets all game. Michael tackled with ferocity, applying a continual barrage of pressure in the GYC forward half. Costa demonstrated his commitment to the colours, prioritising his football commitment following a big day in the north of the state on other sport duties. Well justified in having the night off, he lifted and turned up with a point to prove, providing competitive spirit and silky skills around the ground.

Special mention to Hughey down back, blister ridden feet from all the possessions he was accumulating and showed big heart.

Echoed by the Captains in the post-game speeches, the two campuses really came together during this game and are determined to reclaim some territory in game 2 of the best of 3 series against friends.

BEST PLAYERS

Hughey, Blakey, Costa, Ollie, Dahmes, Campbell, Christian

Mr Chris Elwell



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GIRLS FOOTBALL

The GYC Girls AFL team had a comfortable 99-point victory in their first game of the 2022 season against Collegiate. The skills on display were outstanding, especially given the tough conditions with a very cold breeze. Even more impressive was how quickly the girls have gelled as a team despite only a couple of training runs together.

There were many terrific individual performances. Maddi Lamb was a star bringing the ball off the half-back line, through the centre and up forward. Captain Amity Chick led from the front with a consistent display of skill and tenacity. More impressive was her keenness to get the lollies at half-time that Mr Di Venuto had left in his car. The others in the leadership group, Emma Fenner, Cassie McLoughlin and Emma Upton were also great contributors throughout the whole game. Milly Bannerman booted 4 majors and impressed all over the ground. Grace White and Olivia Read racked up many effective possessions and displayed great teamwork in sharing the ball around (as did many others).

The highlight came in the third term when Jessica Scott took a mark about 25-30 metres out in a rare appearance in the forward half. The bench was quick to point out that she had never kicked a goal which increased the pressure of the moment. The ball sailed straight through between the big sticks and the crowd erupted into a Mexican Wave and a lot of cheers. Not to be outdone, with 90 seconds left in the game Josephine Thompson achieved the same feat in kicking her first major after receiving a "centimetre perfect" pass from Dasash Denekew.

Well done to all girls and thanks to Mr. Di Venuto and Mr. Beck for sharing their expertise.

G.Y.C. 14 : 15 : 99 defeated Collegiate 0 : 0 : 0

BEST PLAYERS

Madi Lamb, Cassie McLoughlin, Milly Bannerman, Emma Upton, Amity Chick, Olivia Read, Grace White

GOAL SCORERS

Milly Bannerman, Talia Atkinson, Amity Chick, Dasash Denekew, Ella Freeman, Cassie McLoughlin, Olivia Read, Jessica Scott, Emma Upton, Ella Wagner, Josephine Thompson

Mr John Covington





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BOYS 1ST XVIII FOOTBALL

Since our last newsletter GYC have played games against Scotch Oakburn College in Launceston and our traditional rivals Hutchins under lights at North Hobart, securing two valuable wins in two tightly contested games.

Last Wednesday in Launceston, Fletcher Hooker led the team extremely well against Scotch as GYC kicked the last goal of the match to win by 2 points. A solid performance by the teams backline, led by Harry Cornelius at CHB was the catalyst for the win as a number of attacking moves were generated by the run of Bayley Aziz, Will Sartori and William Busch.

On Tuesday night under lights at North Hobart Oval, GYC and Hutchins played a tough and hard contest over the full four quarters, with the lead changing a few times in the last quarter. Eventually GYC managed to hang on and win by a goal after trailing most of the match. Jack Callinan was awarded the Alex Gadomski Medal for Courage with a superb effort through the midfield and up forward. He was supported by a reliable backline with captain Tom McCallum at CHB providing plenty of run, along with Hamish Ayliffe and Will Sartori. Connor Downton and Caleb Devine were good through the midfield where both ruckman in Cam Owen and Luke Brown often provided the boys with first use of the ball. Bryce Alomes looked dangerous up forward on a difficult night for forwards due to a heavy dew falling early in the match.

Mr Peter Di Venuto



Brooke Barwick



Jack Callinan



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HOCKEY

The Girls 1st Hockey season started the season with a repeat of the 2021 Southern Final. It was a game played with excellent skill but unfortunately, due to injury and sickness GYC were short a couple of players. Others rose to the occasion and it was great to see the new Year 11 players, Jazmin Short, Summer Bennetto, Charlotte Howells and Jess Stevens be part of the team. After a close encounter Friends managed to take the game out 3 goals to 1. GYC were determined to improve on this performance in their next encounter which was against Fahan. With some great passing and teamwork Ansa Le Grange, Maddi and Taylor Brookes provided many opportunities for the forwards taking the game 6-1. The return of Hannah Powe and Sophia Di Venuto to the sport has been very welcomed and their presence in the team is integral.

The GYC Girls 2nd Hockey Team had a pleasing game against Fahan as they showed much improvement with many of the players learning the game. Sam Tomes-Park made many saves in goals while Dom Ford and Zoe Brown were both strong in defence. Fahan were the stronger team on the night and finished with the win. This week the Team continued to develop their understanding of the game whilst demonstrating better skills. With some great passing from Gabs Foale and Abi Corrigan, GYC utilised the speed of Anita Elnami and the persistence of Emma Ayebare who both scored a goal. The teamwork was fantastic, and everyone gave their best to secure their first win 2-0 against Friends.

The GYC 1st Boys Hockey Team unfortunately without the presence of a goalie had their first loss of the season against Hutchins 3-1. This week with Jess Stevens playing in goals, provided the much-needed defence against the combined Colleges Team winning 5-1. Ruben Hoey after being away with COVID the previous week showed his skill with evading many of the opposing players and distributing the ball around to his teammates. Jack Pritchard was solid in defence whilst Matt Murphy was very reliable in the mid-field. Jaxon Sproule, Josh Mee, Jack Pritchard and Ruben all managed to find the back of the net with a pleasing win 5-1.





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WATER POLO

The GYC Girls Water Polo Team have had a good two weeks in the pool defeating St Mary's College in a very close encounter 6-5 and then against Fahan the following week with a more convincing win 11-4. The girls should be pleased with their progression.

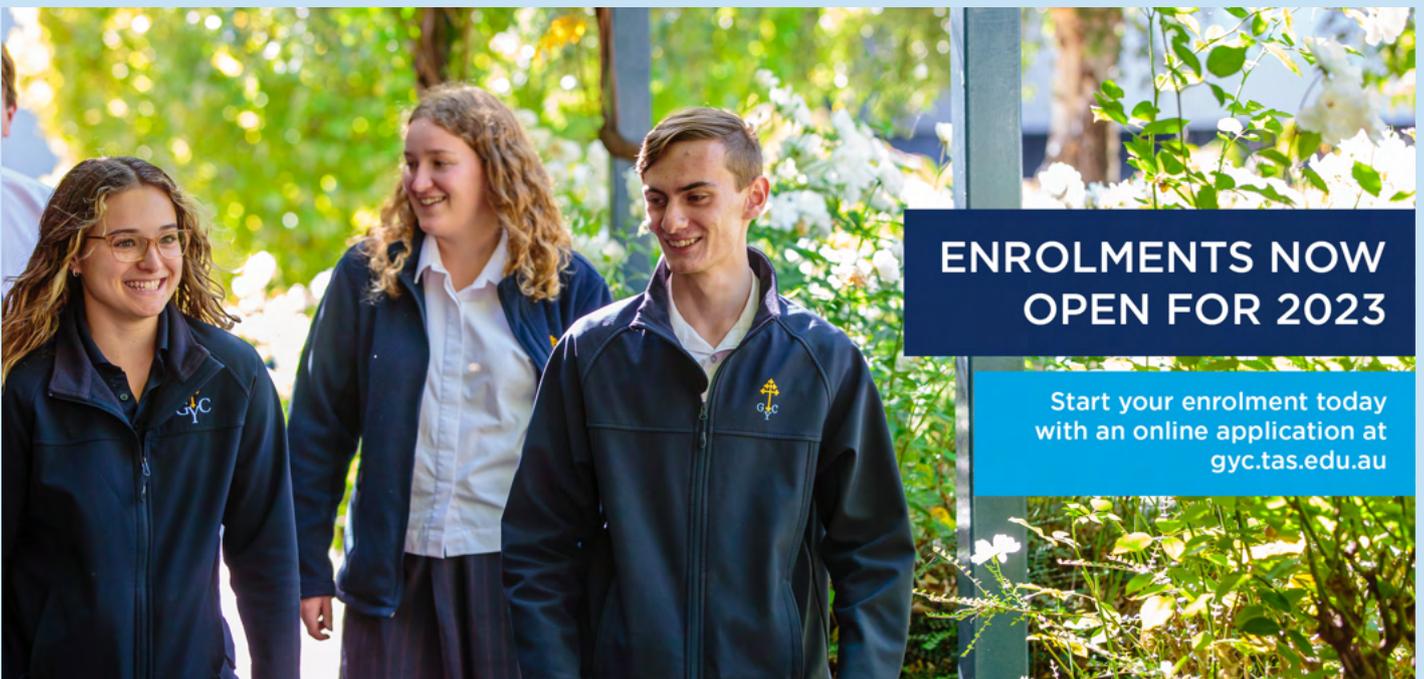
The Boys Team had a very pleasing win against Hutchins in their first game of the season with a solid 13 goals to 2. Last week it was a tougher game with the team playing against the combined College side. Corin was extremely unlucky with hitting the cross bar on numerous occasions while Josh Clement made some excellent saves. The Colleges were able to capitalise with their opportunities scoring 6 goals to GYC's 5.

Mrs Mel Brown

CANOE POLO

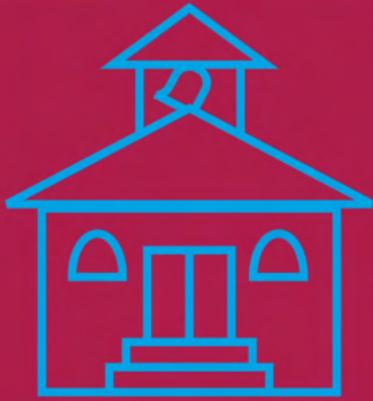
GYC faced against Hobart College in a close contest with Hobart taking the game 5-3 Charlotte Turton had a cracker of a match, scoring a goal while also being a very good keeper. This week the GYC team had a solid win, 5-2 against Wumps. Goals scored by Charlotte, JJ and Jacob. The Team are progressing very well with increased skill level in defence along with people increasing their ability to turn and move more quickly around the pitch.

Mrs Jane Stephenson and Mr Brodie Jeavons



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Guilford Young College Quiz Night Fundraiser

Don Bosco Creative
Arts Centre

Friday 27 May
6pm to 8:30pm

All proceeds to Caritas
for efforts in Ukraine

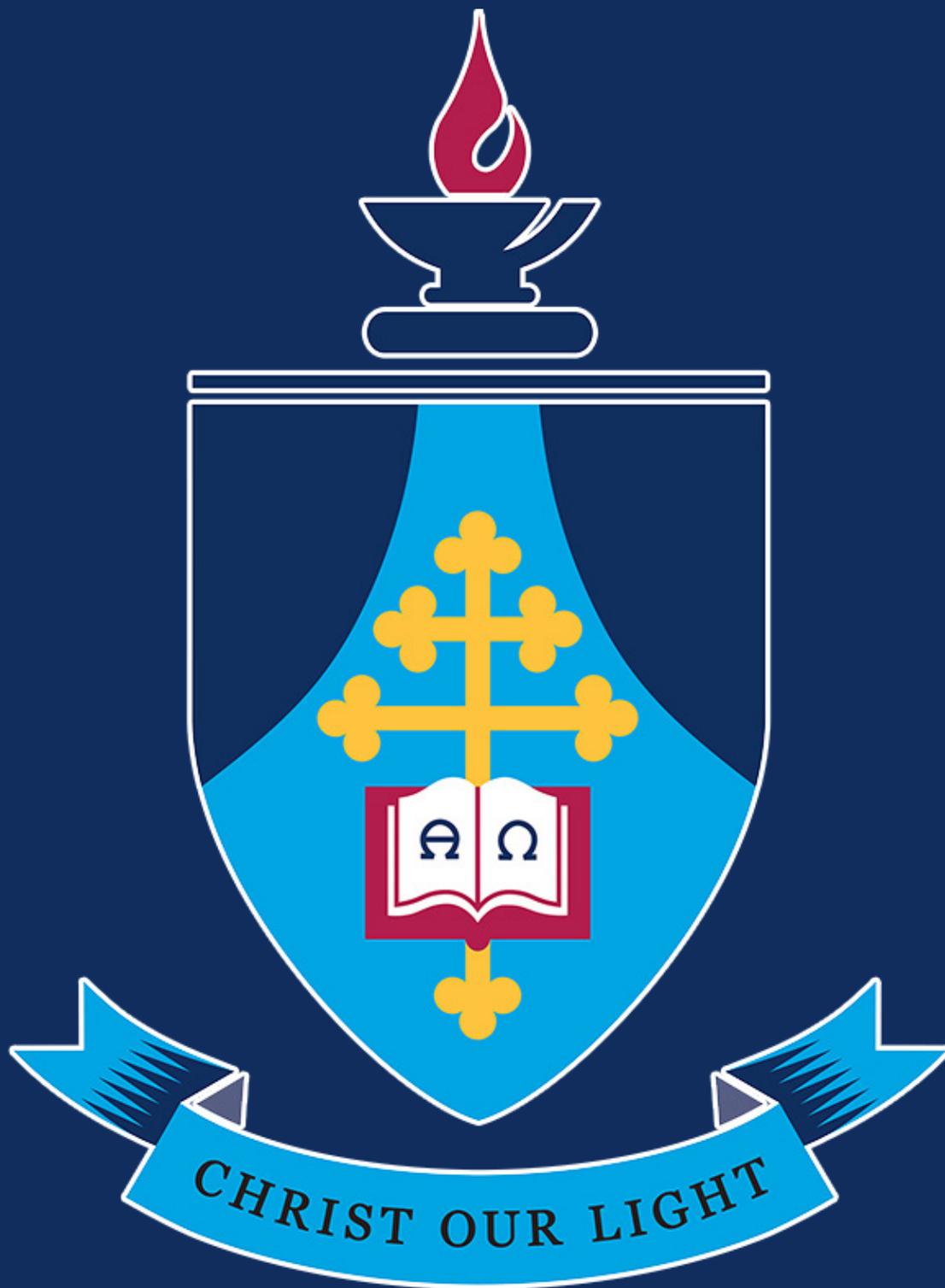
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