

Langford Islamic College Newsletter



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Principal's Message

Assalamu-Alaikum Wahrahmatullahi Wabarakatuh

Dear Parent/Guardians,

I would like to acknowledge the tremendous efforts of all my colleagues and in particular, my Management Team who have worked tirelessly in preparing for re-registration. I am blessed to have such a wonderful team who are focussed on continuous improvement and in achieving excellence, Alhamdulillah.

I would also like to acknowledge the efforts of our Year 12 students as they conclude their secondary studies. Many have been with us since Primary. It is a stressful and sad time as they near the completion of 14 years of schooling as well as prepare for their final exams. The best way to cope at this time is to embrace stress (which is inevitable), devote maximum effort to studies and leave the rest to Allah SWT.

I would like to thank our Parents & Friends Association for their ongoing support for this College as well as our committed parents for providing a conducive environment for their children to continue learning at home.

Jazaak-Allahu Khairan.

Dr Popie Hossain Rhaman

Upcoming Events

- Sports Carnival High School Girls (19 October 2017)
- LIC Got Talent Finale (19 October 2017)
- Photo Days
 (23-24 October 2017)
- Sports Carnival High School Boys & Upper Primary School (25 October 2017)

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Year 11 & 12 Literature

Well, what a dramatic term for our Year 11 and Year 12 ATAR Literature students in more ways than one. First, we were blessed with the opportunity to visit His Majesty's Theatre to see the world acclaimed dramatised version of the novel <u>Nineteen Eighty Four</u> by George Orwell.

Students were able to see first-hand how directors select sound, lighting, costumes and scenery to bring a story to life. From all reports, it was an exciting experience (albeit LOUDER than expected) but without exception students were overwhelmed with the power of the play. Some said they would never have gone to a play but now they are hooked for life.



This field trip was a success in other ways too. As part of their coursework the Year 11 Literature students were required to perform a scene from Shakespeare's *Macbeth*. I have been teaching ATAR Literature for over 20 years and I have to say that I have never seen such a talented group. These students just blew me away with their dedication and expertise. Anyone would pay good money to see them perform and I was the lucky one who got to watch them for free. As a teacher, I could not be more proud, and I know that the oratory skills they have acquired will stand them in good stead for the rest of their lives in any field they pursue.



"All children are gifted. Some just open their presents later than others. Author Unknown



We have come to the end of Term 3 and I must say that I am extremely proud of the students in Year 3

Red. They have come a long way. I have seen them persevere and I admire and compliment their determination to constantly do their best. Here are some of the highlights of activities in Term 3.

For Science, the class has been learning about Earth and Space Sciences. An excursion to SciTech was held in the middle of the term where students had the chance to learn more about the solar system as they travel into space to understand the seasons in the planetarium. This was followed by free exploration time doing hands-on activities.











Brainstorming Session during Reading Comprehension









By: Mrs K Zainy





It has been a fun-filled learning journey for the students of Year 1 Gold. Students have immersed themselves in all learning areas with much enthusiasm. Here are some of the highlights.

Peer tutoring with the high school Community Services students saw the High School students visit our class every Friday. They would assist the students with literacy and



After learning about Australian animals, students visited the zoo where an interactive educational program organised by the zoo staff reinforced concepts taught in the classroom.



Year 1 Gold had these delightful visitors too



With the term nearly over and the year drawing to a close, it has been an absolute pleasure to watch Year 1 Gold mature and become independent learners. Sr Seri and I are very proud of all the students' achievements. We anticipate even greater things for Term 4.

By: Miss M Gokavi

We also had a visit from Khaled's pet chickens at 3 weeks old and 6 weeks old. Students were fascinated to observe the







changes that had taken place in a short period of time.

Students rolled up their sleeves to become scientists of the future and learnt about plants and water absorption. Writing about procedures became more exciting for students when they got to follow one of these procedures from their writing-books to make fairy bread.



Tuesday Afternoon Park Play

Fun for the whole family

Bring the kids and join in the fun with messy activities, big games and sport equipment. Be sure to dress for the weather and bring a drink and snacks.

Dates and Venues for Term Four 2017

17 October and 28 November Spinifex Way Reserve, Canning Vale

24 October and 5 December Murchison Way Reserve, Gosnells

31 October and 12 December Stretton Way Reserve, Kenwick

7 November Forest Crescent Reserve, Thornlie

14 November Mills Park Nature Play Space, Beckenham

21 November Westfield Street Reserve, Maddington

Time: Tuesdays 3pm – 5pm

For details visit www.gosnells.wa.gov.au