



# SCC SOCIAL JUSTICE NEWSLETTER



## UPCOMING EVENTS

### Term 3

- St Vincent de Winter Appeal
  - Food, blankets and warm clothing
  - Sleep Out Experience

### Term 4

- St Vincent's Christmas Hampers

## TERM THREE- SALESIAN MISSIONS

At Salesian College, Chadstone, we do not operate as a standalone institution but rather we belong to a greater Salesian community who hold an active presence around the world in over 130 countries! One very special to us here at Salesian College, Chadstone is the Salesian community in Nasinu, Fiji.

This year our donations went directly to supporting the Salesian Missions in Fiji who are currently building a very much needed Youth Centre which will provide recreational and educational programs for the many youth of the area; which is a very fast-growing area on the outskirts of Suva, which has very few facilities for youth.

**THIS IS WHAT WE ARE HELPING TO BUILD AND PROVIDE EQUIPMENT FOR!**

## PROPOSED YOUTH AND EDUCATIONAL CENTRE



PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT FOR THE SALESIAN SOCIETY FIJI  
LOT 2, DP 10675, NAIVOROVORO ROAD, WAINIBUKU.

## EAT UP AUSTRALIA



All Year 7 students will have the opportunity to participate in the Eat Up Australia Program which exposes them to the knowledge that 'many young Aussies who go to school each day without any lunch'. Students in this situation find concentration really difficult, learning can be compromised which means that so is their future; which is hardly fair. Our boys will be making 1000s of sandwiches that will be delivered to schools around Melbourne and regional Victoria. Since 2013, Eat Up Australia has made and delivered over 80,000 lunches.

## ANNUAL COLLEGE

### WALKATHON

To launch Don Bosco's Oratory Week, the College participated in our annual Walkathon. The Walkathon is a whole school event where we walk as a group to raise money for the Salesian Missions. Each student at the College received a sponsorship form to raise both awareness and funds throughout the term, which also allowed us all to reflect upon how lucky we are to be presented each day with the educational opportunities that we sometimes take for granted.

At 1pm, the afternoon saw us start off by walking down Atkinson Street, then through Scotchman's Creek Trail and back up to Waverley Road, eventually returning to school for a 3pm finish. With the wind in their hair and sun shining, staff and students walked in solidarity. The boys participated with great enthusiasm and respect for their surroundings.

Through the effort of both the staff and students at the College, we managed to raise over **\$25,500** in total. Great work to all those who helped raise awareness and funds for this cause!



## COLES SPORTING PROGRAM

### HOUSE COMPETITION AND DONATIONS

The Coles Sporting Program in Term 1 was used to support our term two focus. By collecting the vouchers, we were able to send over 50 pieces of sporting equipment to Fiji for the new youth center. We collected over 15,000 stickers, which was a great effort by staff, students, parents and families. We introduced this as a house competition this year with the following results:

**Collinson 3307**

**Moroney 3349**

**Annecy 3773**

**Savio 3833**



With 757 being unclaimed to any house.

## KNIT ONE GIVE ONE



Kogo (Knit One Give One) is a not-for-profit organisation that asks volunteers to donate time and wool to knit warm winter woollies that kogo then distributes to people in need through over 250 community groups. We're always looking for more hand knitted scarves, beanies, children's toys or blankets. <http://www.kogo.org.au/>

9B is working on making a blanket in term 3, which will be presented to the organization at the end of term assembly.