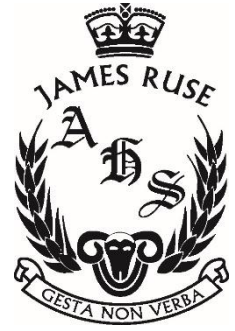


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Principal's report

Welcome back to Term 3. So much happened in the last two weeks of Term 2 and I am very appreciative of everyone for ensuring such a successful end of semester 1.

The Korean Food Day, organised and implemented by our Korean parents, was a sensational success. In one day these amazing parents raised **\$7516.25**. Special thank you to Catherine Jo for her organisation and leadership. Thank you also to Yvonne Lo and the CoJR team who support and assist at these huge days.

Thank you to all parents who support this event with their time, talent, good humour and donations.





On Tuesday night our CoJR are hosting Dr Michael Spence, Vice - Chancellor of Sydney University. Dr Spence is a charismatic speaker, highly accomplished and with high ambitions for the students of Sydney University. Giving our students the skills to break through the bamboo ceiling aligns with his reforms at the University. This forum is for both students and parents and will be approximately one hour. Please support this event.

Date: Tuesday 31 July 2018 (Term 3)

Time: 6:30pm

Venue: James Ruse Agricultural High School, 13-71 Felton Road, Carlingford NSW 2118

Featured Guest Speaker: Dr Michael Spence AC, Vice Chancellor and Principal of University of Sydney

Topic: "Reimagining the Sydney Undergraduate Experience".



Congratulations to our SRC who ran a fantastic SRC week in the last week of term. Thank you also to our Prefects for organising an entertaining Final Assembly.

The band students have returned from a very productive band camp at the Collaroy Centre. Each of the Bands have progressed enormously over the past 2 days and are well prepared for the NSW School Band Festival on Sunday 29 July 2018 at the Sydney Conservatorium of Music. We wish them all the very best!

Thank you to parents, teachers and students who participated in our parent teacher afternoons. It is a huge commitment on staff to be available at 6 parent teacher nights and once again shows the fabulous dedication and care of our teachers. Thank you.

On Wednesday we celebrated NAIDOC week. Thank you to our guest speakers, Charlie Yang (11), Seo Yeon Jang (8) and Jasmine Gu (8). The theme of NAIDOC this year was "Because of Her, We can" and acknowledge the fabulous contribution of indigenous women to our communities.



Guest Speaker
Charlie Yang (Yr 11)



The 2018 CoJR Raffle has been an enormous success. Thank you to our CoJR executive team, all parent helpers and students for selling the tickets. Thank you also parents for buying the raffle tickets and supporting our fund raising efforts for the new science laboratories. Congratulations to our raffle winners and thank you to our wonderful sponsors.

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Coming Events

Week 2A

Monday July 30th Year 9 Parent Teacher Interviews
 Tuesday July 31st 6.30pm CoJR Forum Meeting - Guest Speaker Dr Michael Spence.
 Thursday August 2nd Sydney West Athletics
 Friday August 3rd Sydney West Athletics

Week 3B

HSC Trial Examinations

Monday August 6th Year 8 Gink Writing Project Celebration 10am
 Tuesday August 7th Year 11 Study Skills
 Year 8 Parent Teacher Afternoon
 Wednesday August 8th Chemistry Olympiad NQE
 Thursday August 9th Australian Mathematics Competition
 Earth and Environmental Science Olympiad
 Year 11 Prefect Planning Camp
 Year 7 Study Skills
 Friday August 10th Year 11 Prefect Planning Camp

Have a lovely weekend

Megan Connors
Principal



Because of her, we can!

What does that mean to you?

For me, it means that because of the sacrifices my mother made, I am able to stand here today. When she quit her job to take care of me in primary school, when she sacrificed her time to pick me up after cadets, for those sacrifices, and hundreds more I am thankful. Every single one of us has been heavily influenced by the amazing women in our lives, they made us who we are, and we should be eternally grateful.

"Because of her, we can!"

That's the theme for this year's NAIDOC week, which spanned from the 8th to the 15th of July. In 2018, Australia is celebrating the essential role that Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander women have played and continue to play as role models in both their indigenous community and at all levels within our society. They are mothers, elders, grandmothers, aunties, sisters, and daughters. People who have faced extreme hardships, and have risen above them to inspire, educate and help the future generations of the indigenous community. We are gathered at this assembly to recognise these sacrifices and contributions.

We all know Cathy Freeman, a trailblazer, the first Australian Aboriginal woman to win a gold medal at an international athletics event. She's become an inspiration for young women athletes, both indigenous and from the wider community, and now uses her influence to campaign for better education in rural indigenous communities. But she is just one of thousands of indigenous women paving the path for greater indigenous recognition and representation.

Women like Lowitja O'Donoghue of the [Pitjantjatjara](#) people. Lowitja was one of six children born in a rural indigenous community of South Australia. She worked as a nurse for the Royal Adelaide hospital - the first indigenous nurse - and became a public servant in the Department of Aboriginal Affairs in 1967, again one of the first to do so. Lowitja headed the implementation for Indigenous welfare policies and was the chairperson of the Aboriginal Development Commission. In December 1992, she was the first Indigenous Australian to address the UN general assembly, an opportunity to raise international awareness for indigenous communities all over the world.

It is because of her and others, that so many can.

NAIDOC week 2018 is about celebrating the epic contributions of indigenous women, but also about acknowledgment, discourse and most importantly ACTION.

During NAIDOC week, most of you were probably at home, out with friends, watching Incredibles 2, or studying hard. But during that time thousands of indigenous children were struggling to make ends meet. There is a problem, and the time for sugar coating is over. It truly hurts to think that Indigenous recidivism rates are twice as high as non-Indigenous Australians, or that their student literacy rates are nearly 20% lower than their non- Indigenous counterparts.

Our efforts in consolidation and reconciliation have been insufficient and we need to maintain a greater effort to help those who were here first.

Even through so much hardship, indigenous women have still prevailed. Last week, I was watching the National NAIDOC awards on TV. The youth of the year for 2018 was a young Wuthathi and Meriam women called Tamina Pitt. She followed a path so similar to us, studying a Bachelor of Computer Engineering at UNSW. But on top of that, she is the Director of Indigtek, an organisation dedicated to helping young indigenous entrepreneurs and technologists. Using her passion for technology, she is redefining the narrative of young Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander women and showing young indigenous children that they can.

We are the future leaders of society, we hear that time and time again but I guess it's true. We are the next generation of innovators, public administrators, doctors, athletes but most importantly citizens. And no matter what, we are all part of this nation. Gender equality, in the 21st century, has been given a platform to induce discourse and raise awareness, and it is time that we recognise that it is entwined with all of our communities.

Although NAIDOC week is over, I encourage each and every one of you, year 7 to year 12 to celebrate the achievements, but also remember the efforts and struggles that the indigenous people, that young & old indigenous women have faced and continue to face as we move towards reconciliation.

It is our responsibility as part of the Australian community to acknowledge the rich culture of the traditional owners of our land, to acknowledge the discrimination that they faced, and to do all that we can to raise awareness and incite change.

At the start of every assembly, each & every one of us may have heard the words " I would like to acknowledge the traditional custodians of this land", but have you really thought about what that phrase means? Together, we must reflect on the rich history of the land that we are standing on, that every Australian is standing on. We must remember that because of her, we can!

Thank you

Charlie Yang (Yr 11)
Guest Speaker - NAIDOC Week

Group Photos

Group photos are now available to order from the Academy Photo website.

To access photos, please visit: www.academyphoto.com.au and go to "Products for Parents" "Order Online"

You will need to enter the following 8 digit shoot key:

General - Shoot Key: **Q6MS3LSA**

Debating - Shoot Key: **6W58VUG2**

Music - Shoot Key: **ZXF5CG3S**

Sport - Shoot Key: **YD4U7JWY**

Photographs will be available online for six months, alternatively you may call the Academy office on 1300 766 472 to place your order by phone.

Ian Goggin

Visual Arts

NSW School Band Festival 2018

Our band will be participating in the Annual NSW School Band Festival held this Sunday 29th July at the Sydney Conservatorium of Music.

Your child will need to arrive at the venue no later than:

Jazz Orchestra - Arrival Time: **09.26 AM (Recital Hall)**

Symphonic Band - Arrival Time: **11.10 Am (Verbrugghen Hall)**

Wind Orchestra - Arrival Time: **12.44 PM (Music Workshop)**

Make sure the students remember their instruments on the day and are dressed in long sleeved white collared shirt, black pants & black shoes & socks.

Refreshments will be available on the day at the venue & a full list of Festival events is available on the SBF website www.sbf.org.au

Entry tickets can be purchased online or at the door. Students are admitted free.

Parking is ticketed & limited around the Conservatorium. There are also a range of paid parking stations nearby. The Conservatorium is also accessible from Martin Place or Circular Quay train stations.

Please contact me if you have any questions about the Festival performance. I look forward to seeing many of you on the day and hearing all the bands play to their highest standard.

Richard Brus

Music Teacher

SRC Update -SRC Week

SRC Week has been out absolute pleasure to host

Thank you to YOU:

Thank you to everyone who came to watch the talent show, came to the SRC Dance, bought merchandise, participated in World Cup Day or enjoyed Carnival Carnage with us! None of the SRC spirit is possible to spread without you guys bringing the excitement and participation to the week. We hope this transparency and joint participation continues throughout the year!

Thank you to the TEACHERS:

Thank you specifically to Ms Novotni, Mr Yeo and Ms Silvestro who were present at each day's event, helping us manage the finances and pack up as swiftly as possible - you gave us a lot of your time and effort during an already frantic week and we're very thankful for that! Thank you to all the teachers who supervised at the SRC Dance and helped supervise throughout the week - it wouldn't have run as smoothly without you!

Thank you to the SRC BODY:

When you get a chance, say a big thank you to your class's SRC reps! There were many late nights, last minute shopping sprees and Facebook posts that took place in the final week and a lot more preparation in the weeks leading up to SRC Week. Your SRC reps managed to balance their school work and other commitments and still bring their A-game to SRC Week.

We hope you enjoyed the week as much as we did! There is still so much more to come from the SRC this year - including Alumni Night and an Environment Stream Project so stay tuned! And as always - talk to your SRC reps if you have any school-related concerns!

Photos from SRC Week will follow

SRC Executive Team 2018

Aisha, Jeffrey, Hassan, Charlie and Leila

SRC Dance

Thank you from the relieving Deputy

I would like to personally thank Aisha, Jeffrey, Hassan, Charlie, Leila and the whole SRC student team for organising an energetic and fun filled dance event. It was so lovely to see students from all years dancing together.

A huge thank you to all the staff that helped with supervision. Thank you to Ms McMaster, Miss Silvestro, Miss Belevski, Miss Romic, Ms Fernandez, Ms Annetts, Mr Bailey, Miss Kong, Mr Gengiah and Mrs Ramsay.

Thank you to Ms St Louis and Miss Silvestro for all their wonderful organisation to make this event and all of SRC week a huge success!

Natalie Novotni

Head Teacher Wellbeing &

Learning Support Coordinator

Year 8 and Year 9 Parent Teacher Interviews

Year 9 parent teacher interviews will be held on **Monday 30 July from 3:15pm to 5:30pm** in the school hall.

Year 8 parent teacher interviews will be held on **Tuesday 7 August from 3:30pm to 5:45pm** in the school Library.

- Interviews are booked via the [Sentral Parent Portal](#)
- Sign in using your registered email address and password.
- Click on the Interviews link and choose your times.
- **Year 9** Bookings open at 9:00am Monday 23 July and close at 3:00pm on Friday 27 July. You may log in again and change times until 3:00pm on Friday 27 July.
- **Year 8** Bookings open at 9:00am Tuesday 31 July and close at 3:00pm on Monday 6 August. You may log in again and change times until 3:00pm on Monday 6 August.
- Book early for the best choice of appointment times.
- Please leave a 5 minute gap between appointments to allow time to move to your next interview.

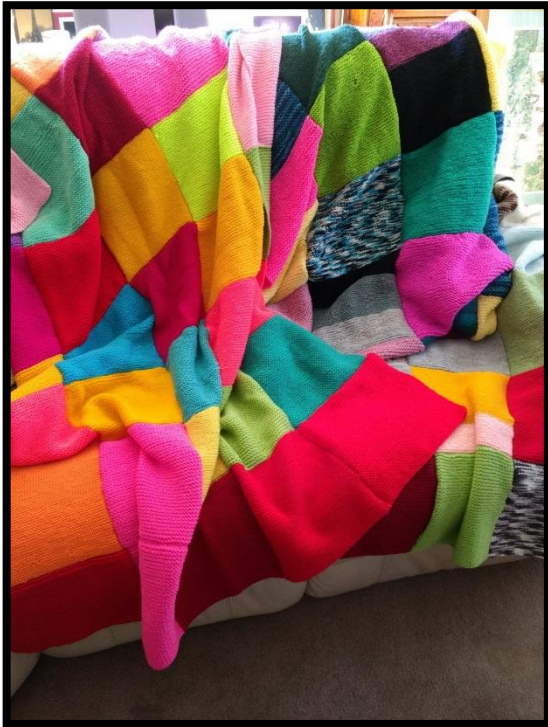
Please respect other parents and keep to your confirmed times.

- Teachers may request an interview with your child. You will see this when you open your interview bookings if a teacher particularly wants to see you.
- Interviews with the School Counsellor Mr Gabriel Wong are booked under your child's Roll Class, eg 9A01 or 8K01. The Subject will be 'N/A'.
- If there are no more times available for a teacher, select 'request interview' and the teacher will contact you at a later date.
- You will be sent an email confirming your interview times.

Please email the school at jamesruse-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au if you have any problems with bookings. Please include your child's name and class. The office will be unattended from Monday 9 July and will open again on Monday 23 July.

Library News

Congratulations to all our knitters over the past couple of years. We have completed and delivered 20 blankets to the organisation Wrapt with Love. While 20 doesn't seem like a big number that is over 700 individual squares knitted and sewn together. Here are some samples of the completed blankets.



Overdue Books

Students are reminded that they need to return their books from holiday borrowing ASAP. If you have an English textbook you are no longer using, please return it to the Library so it can be used by other classes.

Year 7 Maths Reading Challenge

Year 7 students are reminded to check their DEC emails for information on the Maths Reading Challenge. The Library home page has a list of suggested books or you can come and browse our "New Books" collection.

2018 JRAHS-CoJR P&C ANNUAL SCHOOL RAFFLE RECAP - drawn on Thursday July 5

On behalf of the James Ruse School Community, the CoJR P&C takes the opportunity to thank our generous donors for contributing Raffle prizes, our dedicated students and their families for selling Raffle tickets AND our supportive school staff and parents for handling Raffle logistics to help raise an incredible **\$26,241.40** - all of which will go towards the rebuilding of 4 Science Laboratories and a Prep Room at our school. The 2018 Annual School Raffle has been our most successful Raffle on record - an \$8 000 increase from 2017!

Special thanks go to the Year 12s, especially those who sold all 10 tickets, for contributing to the Raffle, as Year 12s did it knowing they will not directly benefit from any of this year's fundraising. We appreciate your support and thank you for helping the younger grades as the previous Y12s did before you.

In every year group we had at least one Ruse family contribute one or more raffle prizes. Some of them have done it every year - thank you!

We also want everyone to recognise the outstanding efforts of the top 10 2018 raffle ticket sellers. They were:

Ethan Touchard 7A	\$150	Audrey Sutidjan 9K	\$120	Rabiha Etri 9K	\$100	Colin Cui 11A	\$100	Tim Khoo 11A	\$100
James Yang 12Z	\$75	Andrew Kim 8T	\$60	Alyssa Zheng 9A	\$60	Linda Wang 9C	\$60	Anna Newman 9T	\$60

Year 7, outdid Year 8 by just 25c, making them the year group with the highest average money returned per person. Great job Year 7!

Our new and veteran raffle donors played a significant role in making the Raffle such a success this year. Thinking ahead we welcome any new and returning individuals, families and businesses who are interested to be part of this experience in 2019. We want to hear from you so email us on cojr12@gmail.com.

Congratulations to the 73 raffle winners! Your prize could be collected from Ms Mayer's' office.

Please continue supporting all school fundraising events held throughout the year so that we can speed up the start and completion of school projects that the government does not deem important or urgent enough to keep our school the best school to be at. The next fundraiser will be CoJR Mothers Club Food Day in August with President Marissa Li as convenor - so please do support that event.



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2018 TERM 2 KOREAN FOOD DAY RECAP

2018 Annual Korean Food Day by Korean Mothers' Club set a new record on Monday July 2, raising an incredible **\$7516.25** led by their President Catherine Jo and her two deputies Sunghee Kim and Catherine Jin. Hungry students feasted on heart-warming food which sold out quickly whilst enjoying energetic Kpop music in the School Hall. We appreciate all these generous parents who are listed on the Korean Food Day Honour Roll for sacrificing their time and utilising their expertise to help deliver another successful Ruse fundraising event this year. Last but not least, thank you to all the students and staff who bought food and drinks, either by enjoying it on the spot or buying it as takeaway for their dinner that night.



2018 KOREAN MOTHERS' CLUB FOOD DAY HONOUR ROLL

Year:	Child's Name:	Parent's Name:	Year:	Child's Name:	Parent's Name:
Year 7	Lucas Kang	Jessica Park	Year 8	Olivia Han	Stella Jeong
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Year 7	Joshua Ki	Soonmi Lee	Year 7	Timothy Kim	Eun Hyun Kang
Year 7	Ryan Kim	June Kim	Year 7	Elizabeth Yun	Gyoo Young Kim
Year 7	Don Choi	Sun Im Choi	Year 7	Joanne Yeom	Gina Jin
Year 7	Jeremy Kang	So hyun Park	Year 7	Ingrid Kim	Ah young Park
Year 7	Andrew Ha	Jenny Kim	Year 7	Yejae Lee	Yanghee Kang
Year 7	Emily An	Kisoon Min	Year 7	William Park	Hee Kyung Kim
Year 8	Andrew Joon Hee Kim	Eun Jin Park	Year 8	Brian Cho	Ji hyun Hong
Year 8	Byungjun Kim	Hee Seon Lee	Year 8	Celine Kim	Monica An
Year 8	Chris Ahn	Eun Jung Pyo	Year 8	Daniel Hwang	Amy Na
Year 8	Daniel Kim	Hye eun Kim	Year 8	Eric Park	Sora Park
Year 8	Haram Lee	Nam Hee Kim	Year 8	Joseph Kim	Kyung Min Jang
Year 8	Josiah Kim	Jin Young Kim	Year 8	Kangmin Kim	Kyoung Ha Hwang
Year 8	Min Jeong Gi	Ok Young Park	Year 8	Olivia Kang	Mi Ran Lee
Year 8	Seoyeon Jang	Kyung Lim Yu			
Year 9	Christina Han	Eunjung Oh	Year 9	Daniel Lee	Estella Koo
Year 9	David Wang	Heysook Kim	Year 9	Eric Kim	Jinhee Kim
Year 9	Eric Seo	Catherine Kim	Year 9	Erica Koo	Christina Koo
Year 9	Harry Choi	Jackie Kim	Year 9	Ji-woo Lee	Jinhwa Kim

Year 9	Joshua Kim	Eunkyung Kim	Year 9	Joshua Kim	Jay Kim
Year 9	June Lee	Eunsook Oh	Year 9	Jungwoo Lee	Helen Han
Year 9	Justin Kim	Julie Kim	Year 9	Katie Oh	So Mi Lim
Year 9	Kevin Lee	Jungyi Ha	Year 9	Maria Jang	Elly Kim
Year 9	Monet Kong	Meegyeong Yi	Year 9	Rachel Kim	Seonghee Shim
Year 9	Sarah Seok	Seongja Kim	Year 9	Sarah Song	Jin Suh
Year 9	Sophie Kim	Sunyoung Kim	Year 9	Sowon Jun	Faith Kim
Year 9	Sue Kim	Esther Yoon	Year 9	Tae-woo Kang	Junghwa Hong
Year 9	Wonjune Choi	Sujung Hyun			
Year 10	Christine Jo	Catherine Jo	Year 10	Yoonji Kim	Tae Eun Kim
Year 10	Sooji Hwang	Sunghee Kim	Year 10	Justin Eun	Young Hwa Jung
Year 10	Christina Lee	Yunjeong Chung	Year 10	Tiffany Jin	Catherine Jin
Year 10	Edward Lim	Celina Cho	Year 10	Min-ji Lee	Seung Lae Shin
Year 10	Brianna Kim	Soo Young Kim	Year 10	Christie Park	Hee Kyung Kim
Year 10	Joon Ki Jung	So Young Lee	Year 10	Dahee Kim	Hyunjoo Cho
Year 11	Jonathan Oh	Sunju Choi	Year 11	Iris Joo	Tina
Year 11	Eunice Seo	Catherine Kim	Year 11	Stephanie Zhu	Luchia Sim
Year 11	Minje Hwang	Sunghee Kim			
Year 12	Jeany Lee	Jungyi Ha			

2018 UPCOMING CoJR P&C TERM 3 FORUM MEETING

Date: Tuesday July 31

Time: 6 for 6:30pm

Where: James Ruse Agricultural High School

Dr Michael Spence, Vice Chancellor and Principal of University of Sydney will be our special guest speaker at the next CoJR forum meeting. The topic for the night will be "Reimagining the Sydney Undergraduate Experience". Neighbouring selective schools have been invited to attend this event.

Don't miss out - it's on next Tuesday evening!

Yvonne Lo

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Penalties for endangering children in School Zone

SCHOOL ZONE OFFENCES

WHAT ARE YOU RISKING?*

FACT Children are small, harder to see, behave unpredictably and are extremely vulnerable. They need YOU to take extra care when driving and parking around school zones.

<p>No Parking No waiting. You have 2 minutes to drop-off or pick-up. You must stay within 3 metres of your vehicle.</p> <p>No Stopping You must not stop on a length of road with a No Stopping sign. The first 10m from an intersection is a no stopping zone. Yellow kerb lines are also No Stopping zones.</p> <p>Bus Zone Only a public bus can stop in a bus zone.</p> <p>Mobile Phones Extra fines apply for using mobile phones in a school zone. <small>May be subject to Double Demerits</small></p> <p>Speeding Offences 40km/h is the limit. Children are vulnerable, so slow down in school zones. <small>May be subject to Double Demerits</small></p>	<p>Pedestrian Crossings 1. In a queue of traffic, no part of your vehicle can stop on a pedestrian crossing. 2. Do not let your child in or out of a vehicle at a pedestrian crossing as this is a No Stopping zone.</p> <p>Driveways & Footpaths Do not park on or across a driveway or footpath.</p> <p>U turns Illegal on or near a pedestrian crossing and across double white lines.</p> <p>Double Parking Double parking is illegal and is very dangerous in a school zone.</p>
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*Fines current as of March 2018. Fines and demerit points are subject to change. For more information check out the NSW Centre for Road Safety website.

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New Ticket Reselling Laws

New ticket reselling laws

Start 1 June

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From 1 June 2018, new laws on ticket reselling apply in New South Wales. It is now against the law to resell tickets for more than the original ticket cost, plus transaction costs that are capped at 10%. The new laws apply to tickets to NSW events that are first sold or supplied by the authorised seller on or after 1 June 2018 and have a resale restriction. A resale restriction is a term or condition of a ticket that limits the circumstances in which the ticket may be resold, or prohibits resale of the ticket.

The new laws protect consumers by preventing an event organiser from cancelling a ticket on the basis it was resold, if it was sold in accordance with the new laws. The event organiser may cancel a ticket and refuse entry if a ticket is resold for more than the original value plus transaction costs (capped at 10%).

Visit the NSW Fair Trading website to find out more about [buying tickets and ticket reselling](#).