





# **Emmanuel College Latest News**

There is something for everyone at Emmanuel College, with countless opportunities for students to achieve their personal best individually and in team activities.

#### **Debating**

Being a member of the College debating team helps students develop skills in confidence, public speaking and teamwork – skills that are valuable both at school and beyond. We are proud of our debating team members and congratulate them on their fantastic debates at the recent competition held at Mazenod College. Congratulations to Vanessa for being awarded Best Speaker, and the NDC team for winning first prize in Division 2.

## **Celebrating Cultural Diversity at Emmanuel**

This week we came together to celebrate the rich and diverse cultural backgrounds within our Emmanuel community. Students and staff proudly showcased their heritage by wearing traditional cultural dress, headwear and creative hairstyles. Our canteen offered a variety of foods from around the world, and the school came alive with musical and dance performances that highlighted the vibrancy of our community. It was truly a joyful week of connection, learning, and celebration. We look forward to sharing more of these memorable experiences with you in the coming weeks.

#### Year 7 2026 Fun and Games

It was wonderful to see Year 6 students get together to participate in the Year 7 2026 Fun and Games Nights held at each campus. These events are a fantastic opportunity for students to strengthen the connections they have already made through other transition activities during the year, as well as to meet staff and current students. We recognise that moving from primary to secondary school is a significant step, and we are committed to supporting students as they navigate this important transition. Events like these not only help to ease the move but also build confidence and a sense of belonging within our college community.

## Year 7, 2027 - applications closed on Friday 15 August 2025

If your child is in Year 5, and you would like them to be considered for a place in Year 7, 2027 please contact the College Registrar as a matter of urgency:

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Yours sincerely

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