



Proviseur's Report P&C Meeting of 29 July 2015 – School Year 2015

Le personnel

This year we welcomed a new teacher, Ms Aurélie Le Nevez, Science (Biology and Earth Science teacher). She arrived in Canberra in July and started teaching in Week 1. We wish her a nice time in Australia.

AEFE news

To further strengthen and improve our pedagogical expertise, the AEFE has granted us two missions in the Secondary from a Pedagogical Councillor in French and in Mathematics in September-October 2015. They will conduct professional training at Telopea Park School for our teachers.

A 1200€ contribution has been granted by AEFE to continue the work in providing Higher Education Counselling for our students. We will be able to create a “Higher Education corner” in Telopea Park School Library where students will find information about universities, jobs and what to do after Secondary studies.

Bilingualism

I am pleased to announce the creation of the ***Australian Association of French English Bilingual Schools***. This association will gather 10 schools across Australia.

The launch of this association will happen on 8 September 2015. On this occasion 10 school Principals and leaders will meet for a day's work at Telopea Park School/Lycée Franco-Australien de Canberra.

The day will end with a Conference by Dr Emmanuel Bernet, Teacher in Lycée français de Singapour. This conference on **Language acquisition and Technology** will be open to everyone and we wish that many from our school community can benefit from it as Dr Bernet's Conferences are always of high quality.



Exams

Our students have brilliantly passed the Brevet and Bacculaureate examinations, the results being communicated to us on 30 and 26 June.

An award ceremony for the Brevet was organised at Telopea Park School on 2 July in presence of Mme Catherine Hodeir, Higher Education Attachée at French Embassy and Mr Wayne Prowse, representing the ETD. I also take this opportunity to thank the Alliance Française for hosting these exams and offer the students perfect exam conditions.

An award ceremony for Bacculaureate medals was organised at Narrabundah College on 1 July attended by Mrs Catherine Hodeir, Higher Education Attachée at French Embassy, Ms Kerrie Blain, Principal of Telopea Park School, and Kerrie Grundy, Principal of Narrabundah College, to whom I convey my deep thanks for organising this ceremony.

Results

Diplôme National du Brevet 2015: 47 candidates

100% success

92% with Merits

Baccalauréat 2015 : 21 candidates

100% success

Série L, 4 élèves:

75% Merit B

25% Merit AB

Série S, 17 élèves :

36% Merit TB

12% Merit B

29% Merit AB

5 will receive an ATAR equivalent over 99

Top ATAR : 99.45

Communication

As you are aware, the Pronote software is now available to all parents from any computer. Parents can now access their children results and view the term reports a few days only after the Class Councils. This software is timed with the French school year and significant



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maintenance and update is necessary in July. This service has therefore been interrupted for a few weeks and will resume shortly.

I am also pleased to remind that Lycée Franco-Australien de Canberra is now on Twitter and Facebook. A new and improved website will also be online within a few weeks.

Alumni

I am pleased to announce that an Alumni Association of Lycée Franco-Australien de Canberra was formed. It was officially incorporated on 2 July. A ceremony will be organized for the launch of this Association at the French Embassy on 19 August. More than 200 alumni have been identified and contacted and more than 60 have already registered to attend this ceremony that will hopefully be a great success.

School excursions and exchanges

Exchange with Noumea and New Caledonia

We are about to sign a Partnership Agreement with Collège Baudoux and Lycée Garnier in Nouméa. This Agreement will allow us to plan our exchanges ahead in the future and to develop them on different levels (students, teachers, individual, collective)

In the near future

- 8 September Conference *Language Acquisition and Technology*
- 15 September French author of *What became of the white savage* at TPS – Students and Community welcome
- French Science week in October

Emmanuel Texier, 28 July 2015