



Principal's Report 27/09/18



What a spectacular way to end the term with a celebration of achievement for our Year 12 cohort. The Graduation Assembly was a fantastic event and supported by so many parents and family members. At Moorefield Girls High School, we are a learning community dedicated to inspiring our young women to achieve personal success and today was a great example of this. A big thank you to Mrs Turner for looking after these students along their high school journey and to Mrs Beynon for the organisation of this event. We are all very proud of these girls and know that

they will work hard for the Higher School Certificate examinations next term.

We are farewelling Ms Gill at the end of this term who is taking a position for one year as Curriculum Advisor within the Department of Education to support teachers across NSW. This is a great accomplishment by Ms Gill and she said it was not an easy decision to leave Moorefield, even for a short time.

I encourage you to attend the P&C meeting in Week 2, next term to nominate or vote for one of the executive positions.

Have a happy holiday everyone. See you all in Term 4.

Ms N Hale, Principal



Extraordinary Meeting of the P & C

Wednesday, 24 October 2018, 6.30pm, Common Room
Nominating and voting for the executive positions of the P & C

Long Lunch & Skills Showcase

Last week Year 11 & 12 Hospitality students hosted a *Long Lunch & Skills Showcase* which was a huge success. Our community partners who attended were most impressed with the quality of food and service. We enjoyed the company of our Director, Educational Leadership, Mr Craig Smith, who is very supportive of our school and others in the Kogarah network. Thank you to all staff and students involved.



National Handball Championships

Congratulations go to Stella and Martina who competed in the National Handball Championships in Queensland last week representing New South Wales. They won Gold in the Under 18 and Under 21 teams. Their coach phoned the school to say they played exceptionally well and played a big part in winning Gold.



Lunch with the Girls

Ms Z Najem is visiting all our Year 7 2019 students in their local primary schools. Our current Year 7 girls have been very excited to visit their old primary schools. Our future students were treated to some Moorefield Girls High School mementos and given some training on Microsoft OneNote and an introduction to the collaboration space on One Drive. The feedback from primary schools about this transition program is very positive. Thanks to Ms Najem and our current Year 7 students.



International Microscopy Conference

Year 7 and 8 interested students of science attended the learning space on the International Microscopy Conference at Darling Harbour. There they used optical and scanning electron microscopes to study different scenarios including tooth enamel and rusticles on shipwrecks. They used virtual reality to go inside a cancer cell, made from an actual cell scan. Students also investigated the use of scans to print enlarged 3D models.



Australian Engineering Conference

This was a great opportunity for students to ask questions to university students and industry leaders in the Technology and Engineering field. Thank you to Ms Rasa, Mr Perich and Ms Najem.

The Australian Engineering Conference was extremely fun. We saw many great inventions, robots and pieces of technology, most of which were built by university students. The day was a great learning experience and I hope this is not a one-off thing (plus we were given lots of free stuff!!!) – Milly (Year 8)



Art Smart

Recently, three students participated in 'Art Smart 2018', an intensive 3-day art making workshop for talented Visual Art students. This concluded with a showcase event on the last night where parents and staff attended.

