Tomorrow night is our Open Evening held between 4pm and 7pm. This is a wonderful opportunity to share our beautiful community with others. It’s interesting how often I’m told that our school has ‘a really good feel’ about it. It is often hard to fully define what that ‘really good’ feel is for the people that make these comments. I’m quite sure that what it includes is: the close relationships shared between families, staff and student, a mutual respect between the students and staff in their interactions, the genuine care shown to our students (sometimes in the form of ‘tough love’) and a commitment to seeking the best for our students in their education. You may be able to add something here that you have noticed. Over all, of the above points, there is a concerted effort from members of our community that regularly commit our school to prayer. I have no doubt that what the ‘really good feel’ is due to, is this regular committing of our school community to our Lord and His influence in it.

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I would encourage you to invite friends that may be interested in joining our community of learning for their children, to come and see and experience what it is that makes MDCS have ‘a really good feel’.

Enjoy your week!

Jason Riding

Madison Hellema in Year 8 was a very brave student today, who assisted by her dad Josh, shaved her head to raise money for the World’s Greatest Shave. So far Maddy has raised just over $1000.

If anyone would like to donate to this wonderful cause please contact the office. Well done Maddy!
Parents please note...

Help!

We have a child-height pile of new atlases waiting to be covered for use in our Primary classes. Please help make them available for learning by offering to cover some at home.
Working Bee points can be deducted for book covering.
Contact the office, your class teacher or Mrs. Hanscamp

Stay and Play

Stay and Play will run every Thursday morning, 8:45am — 10:30am in the MP Room.
We will have more toys and great coffee! Come along with your little one after school drop off and have a cuppa and a chat, while they play. Should you have any questions, please contact the school Office.

The Parent Teacher Meetings:

Pin numbers for the online booking system for Parent Teacher Meetings have been mailed home this week. The system will open to parents Monday, 17th March.
GET YOUR BOOKINGS MADE!
If you are having trouble making them and would like some help, please ring the office and we can make them over the phone for you!

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MARCH
14th - OPEN EVENING
17th - 19th Yr 5/6 Camp
- VCE O&ES Camp
17th - Secondary Assembly (Yr11)
24th - Yr 7/8 Volleyball
Primary Assembly (Yr 5/6HB)
27th - 28th Parent Teacher Meetings
28th - STUDENT FREE DAY
31st - Secondary Assembly (Various Students)

APRIL
4th - Yr 7-11 House Cross Country
- TERM ONE ENDS
28th - TERM TWO BEGINS Whole school