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Dear Parents/Caregivers,

Athon Day is a significant event for our College community. On this day we recognise the importance of mission, service and justice through our support of worthwhile causes. This is done through fundraising and involvement in a range of activities which strengthen community, develop camaraderie and raise awareness of House charities and those less fortunate.

This year, Athon Day will occur on Friday 2 June. It is an expectation that all students are in attendance on this day. In the morning there will be an Opening Ceremony followed by a House charity presentation and a number of House Connection activities before we share in a sausage sizzle lunch. The whole school, student-driven Act-Athon will take place in the afternoon, consisting of performances to celebrate our fundraising efforts and our family spirit. In the event of inclement weather, we will advise students of the alternative program.

For a gold coin donation, students can wear casual clothes with a 'splash' of their House colour. Please view the [Casual Day Dress Code at this link](#).

Outline for the day:

Friday week 5 (June 2)	
8.40am - 8.50am	Morning Homeroom
8.50am - 9.40am	Opening Ceremony & Year 12 Dance
9.40am - 10.30am	House Charity Presentation
10.30am - 11am	Recess
11:00am - 12.30pm	House Connection Activities
12.30pm - 1.15pm	Lunch
1.15pm - 2:50pm	Act-Athon
2:50pm - 3:10pm	Presentation of whole school fundraising efforts
3:10pm - 3:20pm	Afternoon Homeroom and dismissal

Athon Day Donations

It is our hope that every student can donate at least \$20.00 towards their House charity. Students can fundraise by asking extended family, friends, local businesses, or their employers for donations. Alternatively, students are encouraged to donate a non-perishable item which aligns with their House's chosen charity.

Donations can be made through the following avenues:

- online through the **QKR App** – Please [click here](#) for instructions on how to use the QKR app.
- cash to Homeroom Teachers in an envelope **clearly labelled with your child's name and homeroom.**

Thank you for your support of this important College event.

Yours sincerely

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