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NEWSLETTER – 02 August 2019

PRELIM EXAMS

Our Grade 12 pupils have 2 weeks before starting their prelim exams on Monday, 19 August 2019. Our message to them is to make every day count because time waits for no man or woman. It is the most precious gift that we have been granted, do not waste it.

SAFETY

Some of our pupils do not take our advice with regard to their safety. They are listening to music before and after school on public sidewalks. Wearing earphones in public alerts criminals to the fact that these pupils have cell phones in their possession and this makes them potential targets. Last week two of our pupils survived attempted robbery of their cell phones. Luckily some of our senior boys came to their aid. Please do not allow your child to come to school with a phone. In cases of emergency calls may be made to or from the school.

CALTEX

Our pupils know that the Caltex petrol station on Louis Botha Avenue is out of bounds yet they continue to go there to buy items/commodities. Any pupil found there will be placed on immediate detention.

ASSUMPTION DAY

We will be celebrating our 80th anniversary with Assumption Day Mass to be held on Friday, 16 August 2019, instead of 15 August as advertised in our last newsletter. All are welcome to attend. Tea will be served after mass.

2020 APPLICATIONS

Applications for grade 8 for 2020 are open. Entrance exams will be held on Saturday, 24 August 2019. Application forms are to be brought to the school by Friday, 16 August 2019. The forms are available on the school website (www.maryvalecollege.co.za) and at the school reception.

SPORT

Our junior boys' soccer team won their Independent Schools Tournament semi-final match against Kings School on Wednesday by 4 goals to 3. They will be playing the finals on Wednesday, 07 August 2019, at Randburg. Well done boys and all the best for the finals!

DIARY

03 August: Strategic Planning Meeting
09 August: Women's Day
14 August: Finance Committee Meeting
16 August: Assumption Day Mass; 80th Anniversary
19 August: Board of Governors Meeting; Love Matters Programme II, Grade 11
13 September: Inter-house Athletics

"We all have limited time on earth. Every day is an opportunity to be happy, make a difference and live life to the fullest."

