Dear parents, students and friends of Cabra,

After a week of lessons we are well underway for another year here at Cabra. In this first edition of the newsletter we extend a special welcome to all of our new students, families and staff members who have joined us for 2014. As you know schools take their shape or character from the people who make up their community more so than from the buildings and resources they own. Thus the start of the year is always an exciting time as we contemplate how our College will evolve during the year ahead thanks to the contributions of everyone in our community.

In our first few days I felt reassured by the comments from some new parents who observed that they liked the feel of their children’s new school. Hopefully for all students this ‘good feel’ translates into a community where they are safe, accepted for who they are and a place where they are challenged to develop into well-educated and responsible citizens. In the context of a Catholic school in the Dominican tradition we also hope that they will have many opportunities to reflect upon what it means to see the world through the eyes of God.

No doubt for our newest students life is very busy at the moment just trying to remember people’s names and where they have to go for lessons and the many other routines that come with starting in a new school. We hope that in these busy moments they feel cared for and know that there are plenty of people here to help them settle quickly into a new year.

While in the first few days of the year our attention is very much on making sure that each individual child is settled into classes, it is important to remind them that not everything is about them. While nurturing the gifts of individuals we deliberately avoid creating a culture of individualism because we know that it is within community that we thrive.

As a place of learning in community, schools also provide many moments where we
• Have to take our turn
• Do not always get our own way and
• Work with people who we may not have chosen to be with

In each of these circumstances there are great lessons for life and occasionally they offer some surprising rewards such as the discovery of a new friend.

Congratulations to our 2014 Captains

We look forward to their leadership throughout 2014 and hope that they will find their new roles fulfilling.

College Captains
Samantha McLean
Linus Johnston

College Vice Captains
Madeline Wishart
Laurence Camporeale

Middle School Captains
Dana Johnston
Angus Rana

Middle School Vice Captains
Tayer Stead
Lachlan Symonds

Best wishes for the year ahead

Brian Schumacher

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CALENDAR EVENT DATES

FEBRUARY 2014

Mon 10th
Fool Proof Party Guide Encounter Youth
(8.00-9.00pm) SDH
55 Parent Information Evening (7.00-8.00pm)

Thu 20th
Welcoming Cabra Mass (Fr Charles)

Sat 22nd
Jazz Choirs Camp @ Cabra

Sun 23rd
Jazz Choirs Camp at Cabra

Tue 25th
College Council Mtg (6:00pm)

Fri 28th
Non-uniform (house colours)
Senior Formal

MARCH 2014

Fri 7th
Sports Day (6-13)

Mon 10th
Adelaide Cup Holiday
2012 SACE RESULTS

It was a pleasure to welcome an elite group of our 2013 graduates to the opening college assembly for 2014. In what has become something of a tradition, the occasion provided us with a fitting opportunity to congratulate each of the young people, featured below, for their outstanding achievement in the 2013 SACE. As teachers we also hope that their success will inspire all students to strive for excellence in 2014.

While the SACE results of each cohort of students varies from year to year depending on the students and their unique combination of skills and abilities, I have been very pleased with the pattern of continuous improvement in our overall results in recent years. The following figures show that our 2013 graduates were well rewarded for their efforts during their final year of schooling.

In this context of overall achievement and improvement it is a pleasure to congratulate the following students for their outstanding individual achievements.

Students achieving an ATAR greater than 90.0
99.85 Kate Hofmeyer (4 x 20 over 3 yrs)
98.45 Sarah Diggins
96.50 Daniela Gaggl
96.35 Grace Buckley
95.55 Hayden Rothe
95.55 Madalin Yeo-Ellis
95.35 Nathan Van Eekeren
94.25 Joshua Sunman
93.75 Ellen Preece
93.50 Caitlin Scarborough
93.25 Rasa Bakutis
93.25 Daniel Meredith
92.70 Bridget Shinnick
92.40 Samuel Tortorella
91.95 Daniel Claridge
91.60 Brayden Heyward-Ferors
91.35 Natalie Shinnick
91.00 Joseph Burford

Students Achieving A+ Grades
Kate Hofmeyer  Maths Studies & Physics
Sarah Diggins  Music (Solo Performance)
Daniela Gaggl  Mathematics Methods
Grace Buckley  Modern Languages

Speaking to our special guests during the assembly last week it was interesting to note the variety of occupations and courses that have captured their attention for life beyond Cabra; Occupational Therapy, Viticulture, Engineering and Journalism just to name a few. The diversity of career choices serves to remind us that our role is to nurture the unique gifts of each individual student and to help each one grow in readiness for a full life after they leave Cabra. As we commence a new year we are pleased that through the opportunities available at Cabra and the partnership between parents, teachers and students our 2013 graduates have access to a greater range of tertiary courses and careers thanks to their success in SACE. Irrespective of career choices we hope that each will take his or her place as a responsible member of adult society, keen to view the world through the eyes of God and have the confidence to share their gifts in an effort to help build a better world.

Brian Schumacher

16% of Cabra students achieved an ATAR greater than 90.0
57% of Cabra students achieved an ATAR greater than 70.0
88% of Cabra students achieved an ATAR greater than 50.0

ATAR HIGH ACHIEVERS (90 and Over)

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Sarah Diggins 98.45
Daniela Gaggl 96.50
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Cabra 2013 HIGH ACHIEVERS

Congratulations
**UNIFORM SHOP**

**Sport Uniforms**

In previous years, sport uniforms were only available to hire for the sport season. In 2014, the various uniforms must be purchased for Yr. 8-12 students. Please note changes below:

**TERM 1 & 4**

- Cricket, Tennis and Volleyball: White sublimated playing top $48.00
- Girls Basketball: Sublimated singlet and shorts $85.00
- Netball: Rust sublimated A line dress $75.00
  - Warm up top (optional) $40.00
  - Black Boy leg briefs (optional) $10.00

All Term 2 & 3 sport uniform orders must be received by the Uniform Shop no later than Friday 28th February. Sample sizes are available to try on. To download your order form, please use this link: [Sport Order Form](#).

**New Micro Fibre P.E. Shorts**

New micro fibre P.E Shorts have just arrived $32.00. Size 12 to 2XL available, if you require sizes outside of the manufacturer’s size range, please note these garments need to be ordered and may take several weeks.

Please contact the uniform shop for more information.

**Uniform Shop Opening Hours:**

- **TERM 1, 2014:**
  - Monday: 8:30am to 4:30pm
  - Wednesday: 8:30am to 4:30pm
  - Friday: 8:30am to 4:00pm
  (Closed for lunch 12:30pm to 1:00pm)

Please note the Uniform Shop will be closed for public holidays and staff development days. Please refer to website for up to date information.

**ABSSENT FROM SCHOOL?**

If your child or children will be absent from school, parents and guardians are required to notify the college.

**Option 1:** Leave a telephone message:

**Call 8179 2477**

After the message tone, please leave the following information:

- Child’s name
- Home Class
- Reason (Family, Unwell, Holiday)
- Your Name (Parent or Guardian)

**Option 2:** Send a TEXT message:

**TEXT Message – 0427 767 937**

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**FORBE’S CHILDREN’S CENTRE**

**FOR EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT AND PARENTING**

Forbes Children’s Centre is an integrated early years service in which early childhood professionals, other professionals, families and the local community work together to meet the needs of children and families.

For more information on what they have to offer, please contact the centre:

- Phone: 8293 9000
- Fax: 8371 4968

**DAD FACTOR**

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**COST:** Free

**WHERE:** Forbes Children Centre

**TO BOOK:** Please contact George on 8392 3100

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**FUNDRAISING**

**SPORTS TEAM**

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**School Drop Off Zones and Signage Rules**

**Bus Zone**
Stopping to set down or pick up a passenger is not permitted.
Only public buses are permitted in Bus Zones. Bus drivers need unrestricted access to these areas to safely pick up and set down passengers. Unauthorised vehicles create severe inconvenience for bus drivers, particularly during peak periods.

**Bike Lane (Cross Road)**
Stopping to set down or pick up a passenger is not permitted on Cross Road.
If there are no times indicated on the sign, the Bike Lane is in operation 24 hours. This is considered a serious offence and a severe penalty applies.

**No Stopping (Standing) & Continuous Yellow Edge Line**
Stopping to set down or pick up a passenger is not permitted.
You are not permitted to stop or park in these zones at any time, regardless of the reason. Even if you are only stopping to let someone out of the car, and regardless of whether you leave the engine running and stay in the car.

**No Parking**
You may stop in a No Parking zone to drop off or pick up passengers or goods.
You must not leave the car unattended and not take longer than two minutes.
A driver leaves a vehicle unattended if the driver is over 3 metres from the closest point of the vehicle.
A driver displaying a Disability Parking Permit may take up to 30 minutes.
ALL COLLEGE NEWS

Animals in Science at Cabra
Cute, cuddly, shy and slimy

Written by: Lara Lang, Science Co-ordinator
Our Science classes have already been busy lighting Bunsen burners for the first time and having fun with bouncing balls and waterfalls. Apart from experiments, we’ve also been welcoming some very special guests into our Year 6 class rooms – animals! We hope that our students will be encouraged to study animals and their habitats as well as develop compassion and responsibility as they look after these beautiful creatures.

Introducing our amazing animals –
• ‘Squirtle’ – a very cute short-necked Murray River turtle in with 6 Rust.
• 6 White are looking after 5 Magnificent Green Tree Frogs.
• 6 native Spinifex Hopping Mice are now living with 6 Gold.
• 6 Black students are keeping company with 5 Hermit Crabs.

Thanks to the year 6 teachers, students and our Laboratory assistants Lucy and Nectaria who are looking after our lovely animals.

The students involved in this project include:

William Akkermans  Emily Douglass
Hayden Ayliffe  Matthew Fidgeon
Adior Bulabek  Claire Gilbert
Samantha Byrt  Ben Hutchinson
Nathan Claridge  Dylan McGaw
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Brigitte Curtis  Chenoa Ochsenham
Finn Davoren  Brianna Pollard
Lavita Dodd  Grace Stewart

Juvenile Diabetes Fundraising Success

Cabra teacher Flavio Zandona would like thank everyone who supported his ride for the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation to help find a cure for diabetes.

The ride took place last Saturday through the picturesque towns of the Barossa Valley. Flavio’s team surpassed our target of $33,000 by raising $33,600. Overall on the day $1.08 million was raised.

Well done Flavio!

‘Memories in Flight’

Written by: Ms Kate Lymn, Art Teacher

A new public artwork has been installed at the entrance to the St Dominic’s courtyard. This was completed during Term 4 last year with a group of Year 7 students.

The students involved in this project include:

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The concept of the ‘Memories in Flight’ public art project pays particular homage to and reverence of the Dominican Sisters that are deeply ingrained within our college’s history. The work serves as a reminder of those that have come before us and that memories are not forgotten. Each plane was painted and crafted by a Year 7 student based on a letter and photo they received from one of the Dominican Sisters. They started a ‘pen-pal’ story sharing with the Sisters where they recounted a memory of significance they have had at Cabra and in turn received a shared story from a Sister.

The theme of ‘memories in flight’ speaks of how memory and also time are fleeting, that moments of joy or significance not only impact on the thoughts and feelings of those involved but also are fallible in their impermanence. This project endeavours to ‘capture’ a sense of remembrance of a moment in time at Cabra and to ensure these experiences are translated through a permanent sculpture.

This was a thoroughly enjoyable experience for all involved, with wonderful results. If your child was one of the students a part of this project they will be participating in a morning tea in the St Dominic’s courtyard with the Sisters to celebrate their achievement.
Wishing you every success for 2014

Welcome to the start of the 2014 school year. We are blessed to have an opportunity to start afresh at the beginning of each year, here at the College. At our first assembly, Mr Schumacher encouraged each of our students to set new goals, seek new challenges and meet new people.

Life at Cabra provides countless opportunities to do all of these things and it makes our community dynamic, inclusive and full of many wonderful surprises.

We know that there may be times when we need to take a little extra time to reclarify a situation or reassess goals and we also welcome this. Please contact your child’s Homeclass Teacher in the first instance if you need to provide additional information or have any concerns. Open communication is key to a successful journey.

We are delighted to announce that Angus Rana and Dana Johnston are the Middle School Captains for 2014, and Tayer Stead and Lachlan Symonds are the Middle School Vice Captains for 2014.

The bright and happy faces depicted in this newsletter will hopefully portray the joy that we have experienced over the past week as our students have met new friends, tried different subjects and set their goals.
Welcome to the 2014 Academic Year

I would like to take this opportunity to formally acknowledge the outstanding academic achievements of the 2013 Year 12 students. As a learning community we are very proud of the individual efforts of the students.

This year has started extremely smoothly and we are very excited about the year ahead. A number of teachers and students have just returned from the Senior Student Council Camp which was held at Victor Harbor.

The two day camp provided the ideal setting for the newly elected Council to bond together as a team as to establish a number of exciting goals for 2014.

At the conclusion of the camp the members of the Council elected the College Captains and Vice Captains for 2014. I am proud to announce that Samantha McLean and Linus Johnston have been voted in as the College Captains for 2014 and Madeline Wishart and Laurence Camporeale have been voted in as the College Vice Captains for 2014.

I look forward to working with this talented team of students during the year. Each fortnight I will be including a ‘Parenting Ideas’ segment in the College Newsletter. This edition focuses on establishing an environment which allows your child to ‘shine’ at school.

College Captains for 2014

Samantha McLean    Linus Johnston

College Vice Captains for 2014

Laurence Camporeale    Madeline Wishart

Senior School Parent Information Evening

The Parent Information Evening will be held on: Monday 10th February 10th at 7.00pm

The evening will be structured to cater for the needs of each individual Year Level by having three separate presentations occurring concurrently on the evening.

Year 10 parents/caregivers will meet in St Dominic’s Hall, Year 11 parents/caregivers will meet in Caleruega Hall and Year 12 parents/caregivers will meet in Aquinas Theatre.

Above: Students attending the Senior Student Council Camp

Help your child shine at school this year

The single most important step you can take to help your child learn is to be an active participant in your child’s education. Active participation includes; talking to your child about their day, hearing young learners read, helping with homework and making sure kids go to school happy, healthy and with plenty of sleep. The second step is to become involved in your child’s school. This is harder than ever due to work and other commitments, but you can still be positively engaged in the life of your child’s school even when you work. Here’s how:

1. Find out what your child’s school is trying to achieve and show your support for it’s aims. What is your school focusing on over the following three years? What are it’s specific values? Answer these two questions and you’ll be streets ahead of most parents I know.

2. Support a broad, balanced curriculum that offers a variety of experiences rather than a program that narrowly focuses on the 3 Rs.

3. Direct conversations through the correct channels such as your child’s teacher, the principal or the school’s governing body. Thoughtless gossip and car park committees merely tarnish a school’s reputation.

4. Get the school diary and place open days, interview days and other important days in your own diary so you can plan ahead.

5. Meet with your child’s teacher at the start of the year and ask for practical ways you can help at home. Every teacher has their own style and way of doing things. Make sure your child’s home work routine fits that of your child’s teacher.

6. Encourage your child to take pride in their school, and don’t ‘bag’ it yourself. Your positive advocacy of your child’s school will send a powerful message about school and learning.

Model learning and reading. Your kids need to see you learning new things and reading so they become normalised. In particular, boys are more likely to latch on to reading when their dads read to them and also read at home themselves. There are lots of ways you can support your child’s learning. However you can’t go too far wrong if start with these basics; take a real interest in what kids do at school and be an active, risk-taking learner yourself.

Written By: Michael Grose – Parenting Ideas
The Senior School Council Camp was my first experience as a leader at Cabra. We had a number of guest speakers on the first day and after they had presented their sessions the group started to feel more confident in relation to the roles that we are moving into this year. Personally I enjoyed getting to know the leaders in the other Year Levels and I realised that the Year 12 students are some of the nicest people you will ever meet. After only spending two days with the other leaders I can already tell that this year will be extremely productive and I am glad to say I now have older people that I can talk when the need arises. Overall, the camp was both fun and a really valuable experience.

Lauren Meredith, Year 10

Senior Leaders Camp was a great opportunity for everybody to embrace their new roles as leaders. The experience was beneficial in developing social skills and meeting the members of our team. The group activities which included public speaking enabled each of us to strengthen bonds with fellow leaders and build our self-confidence. The inspirational speakers taught us a broad range of valuable skills in relation to determination and resilience. Finally, we were able to discuss our goals for Cabra to ensure it be the best yet. The camp was a thoroughly beneficial experience.

Rachael Rolla, Year 11

Prior to attending the Senior Student Council camp, I did not know very many of the other leaders or what to really expect. As the day went on, the group got to know each other and shared the joy and excitement of being the Senior Leaders of the school for 2014. Listening to various guest speakers, empowered us all to become better leaders and make the school an engaging and exciting place to be this year. Each of the individual Leaders now knows each other and has an unbreakable bond.

Chloe Eisele, Year 12

The past two days have been very valuable for both students and teachers as we gathered to share ideas, and establish new relationships. Together we have decided on many ideas that will aim to improve life at Cabra, and generate excitement with our College community. Getting to know students from different year levels has also been fantastic and I believe 2014 will be Cabra’s best year yet. I feel honoured to be elected College Vice Captain for 2014 and I look forward with enthusiasm to representing our great school. I believe that Cabra is an excellent place with great people and many exciting opportunities.

Madeline Wishart, Year 12

The Senior Leaders Camp at Victor Harbor has taught me a lot of valuable lessons on how to be an effective and cooperative leader to help me do well not just as a school leader but also in things like sport. On this camp we learnt about the expectations of a leader and how we should always be positive and encouraging towards our peers even if they had made a mistake. We also discussed how to be a more confident public speaker. The group also enjoyed playing carpet ball and being involved in the quiz night because everyone was involved and it brought the group together.

Harry Reemst, Year 10

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Clodagh Coombe, Year 12

The Senior School Council Camp was my first experience at a leadership camp of any type. Participating in the various activities with the other leaders throughout the two days allowed me to integrate with students from other Year Levels, creating new and hopefully long lasting friendships. In my opinion, this was the highlight of the camp. Over the two days the Council was transformed from a small crowd of solitary groups into an eager, amalgamated team. This gives me confidence that this year’s Senior School Leadership group will successfully strive in achieving our goals to improve our school community as well as less fortunate communities around us.

Alayna Caruso, Year 10

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Concert – the Timbers band
3.00pm – 4.30pm  – band Workshop/
Sunday feb 9  12.00pm – 4.30pm
by 11.30am to hear the WOMAD piece for 2014.

The Raiders Drum Corps rehearse in St Dominic’s
Saturday feb 8  10.00am – 4.30pm
Hall 3.00-4.30pm*.

Parents are invited to attend the final concert
lessons commence in Week 3.
other students in a fun and friendly environment
students to interact with specialist teachers and
legal age will be able to borrow these DVDs.
For a complete list of all DVDs currently
visit our Library Catalogue and click on New Titles.

DVD Consent Signed in Diary
We have developed a collection of around 600
films on DVD for loan to students and staff.
The collection is still growing and features
films adapted from books as its main focus. To borrow any DVDs pupils must have the relevant
consent forms in the student diary signed by a
parent/guardian. Only students with the signed
consent shown to library staff and of the correct
in a fun and friendly environment
before ensemble rehearsals and instrumental
lessons commence in Week 3.
Parents are invited to attend the final concert
performed by The Timbers Band in St Dominic’s
Hall 3.00-4.30pm*
Saturday Feb 8  10.00am – 4.30pm
Sunday Feb 9  12.00pm – 4.30pm
3.00pm – 4.30pm  – Band Workshop/ Concert – The Timbers Band
The Raiders Drum Corps rehearse in St Dominic’s
Hall on Sundays 10am-12pm. Junior and Senior
Drum Corps students are encouraged to arrive
by 11.30am to hear the WOMAD piece for 2014.

Music Workshop Weekend
To kick start the year with a musical bang, any student
learning an instrument or in an ensemble will be
attending a weekend of musical workshops and
concerts at Cabra. This will be an opportunity for
students to interact with specialist teachers and
other students in a fun and friendly environment
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Library Resource Requests
Finally, if there are any books you would love to see in the library please come in and have a chat with us and we will do our best to get them in for you. We are always looking for
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Please make sure you come in and say hello.

Cabra Libraries 2014 – Connect to Reading
We are looking forward to another bright year
this year in both the Senior and Middle School Libraries. We have been extremely busy over the holidays and this first week ordering and processing hundreds of new books and DVDs ready for you to loan. For the smallest selection visit our Library Catalogue and click on New Titles.

Middle school library welcome 2014
Written by: Miss SB and Mrs Mills
Hi and welcome to the new school year to all of our students new and old. We look forward to another fun year with lots of interesting activities and events throughout the terms. Old favourites like the Premiers Reading Challenge will begin next week and we encourage you to come in and see us for reading suggestions.

Book Week – Connect to Reading
The Book Week theme this year is Connect to Reading and the dates for this will be August 16–22. We will be having our annual dress up for book week day where the Year 6–8s will be invited to dress up according to the theme and prizes awarded for the best costume. The competition is fierce so start planning now! The short-listed books will be announced April 8th so keep your eyes open for further announcements as this may give you some hints on designing your costume.

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2014 LIBRARY OPENING HOURS

| MIDDLE SCHOOL LIBRARY | MONDAY TO FRIDAY 8.30AM – 4.00PM | MS SANDERSON BREWSTER |
| OPEN DURING LUNCH FROM 1.45PM | MRS MILLS |
| SENIOR SCHOOL LIBRARY | MONDAY TO THURSDAY 8.00AM – 4.30PM | MR BULL |
| FRIDAY 8:00AM – 4:00PM | MRS CRAWFORD |
| OPEN LUNCH AND RECESS | MRS PEPPER AND MRS MORGAN |

Instrumental lessons
All students who have handed in their completed contracts will be commencing lessons in Week 3. Students need to check the music noticeboard to confirm their times and day of lesson.
If you have yet to submit a contract or you are interested in learning an instrument, please contact Sarah Heaslip.

Music Department Workshop Weekend
Welcoming Eucharist - Concert Choir & Brass Ensemble
Jazz Choirs Weekend – Jazz Train & Revelation
Sports day – Junior & Senior Drum Corps
WOMAD – Junior & Senior Drum Corps
Twilight Concert – St Brigid’s Square – Ensembles T.B.C.
Principal’s Tour – String Ensemble
Principal’s Tour – Clarinet Ensemble
Cabra Missions Cabaret – Jazz Choirs & Bands
Generations in Jazz @ Mt Gambier – Jazz Choir & Bands

Music Office for detailed information regarding upcoming events.
For enquires regarding the music department, phone 8179 2406 or email: sheaslip@cabra.catholic.edu.au

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SPORT NEWS

A warm start to the year
A very warm start to the year and it’s also heating up here in the sport office! Nominations for Term 1/4 Sport have been finalised and training/trials begin next week. A reminder that any sport information can be found on the Cabra College Intranet under the Sport section. Team Draws to Maps and Newsletters and much more are all available. Click the link below to get to the student login screen.

Intranet Login Screen

Congratulations!!
Louis Hutchinson (10W) has been in the state U15 team since 12 December 2013 (in the squad since March 2013). He has now been chosen to represent SA in the National Senior School Boys U15 Cricket Carnival being held in Canberra from 22-28 February 2014.

Proudly representing Cabra in statewide cricket

Cabra is blessed enough to have a student in each of the SACA age group squads: Luke Lavender (12N) in U19, Charlie Parker (11Y) in U17, Louis in U15, and Declan Bayly (9R) in U14. An amazing effort considering these are statewide squads!

Proudly representing Cabra in statewide cricket

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