



**MAZENOD
COLLEGE**

2019

CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Co-curricular activities play a very important part in the life of any school. The various activities on offer provide each student with an opportunity to get involved in the school community and make new friends, develop a sense of belonging and an identity within the school.

The activities listed in this booklet hopefully cater for the many and varied interests and abilities of our students.

Information about the activities, including meeting and try out times, will be published in Daily Notices which are read out each morning in Form. The Daily Notices are also emailed to all students each morning and are displayed on both the big screens and the noticeboards in the Year 7/8 building. The Daily Notices are also posted to the Parent Portal – iGloo – each morning.

Most activities listed also have a contact person nominated with an email address that can be used to ask any questions regarding the activity.



FAITH AND MISSION CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Kairos Retreat

Kairos is a unique opportunity for Year 12 students to reflect upon their own spirituality and to grow as Christian men. It is a time for them to reflect on their gifts and talents and the direction that they want to take beyond school. Participation in Kairos is voluntary.

When does it happen? Term Two, Week Nine

Contact Teacher Mr Wallis, wallis.damian@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Hands of Eugene

Hands of Eugene is a service programme run by our students for young people. Currently this programme offers tutoring for Primary age children in their local schools. The programme is currently open to students in Years 11 and 12.

When does it happen? All year round, mainly before school on a Tuesday/Thursday

Contact Teacher Mr Wallis, wallis.damian@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Eucharistic Minister

This is a ministry that is open to students in Years 11 and 12. Being a Eucharistic Minister requires students to hand out communion at Masses throughout the year.

When does it happen? Year 10 students are invited to volunteer for this ministry in Term Four each year. Training is run by the school.

Contact Teacher Mr Wallis, wallis.damian@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Altar Server

This is a ministry that is open to students in Years 7 – 10. Students serve at the whole school masses under the direction of the College Acolytes. Training is offered.

When does it happen? Whole school masses.

Contact Teacher Mr Keogh, keogh.john@mazenod.wa.edu.au



Immersion

The College offers a number of immersions to India, Sri Lanka and China. Students work alongside the Oblates in their schools and missions in these countries. Year 11 students are invited to apply to be involved in the tours.

Who can participate? Year 11 students

When does it happen? Sri Lanka (Term Three holidays), India (December holidays).

Contact Teacher Mr Wallis, wallis.damian@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Eugene De Mazenod Speech Competition

Run in Week Six of Term Three, open to all students 7-12. 2-3-minute speech delivered on a theme or message of St Eugene. This is a Mazenod Trophy competition.

When does it happen? Week Six of Term Three

Where does it happen? College PAC

Contact Teacher Mr Keogh, keogh.john@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Portrait of Eugene De Mazenod

Students invited to create a portrait of St Eugene de Mazenod to win points for their House.

Contact Teacher Mr Brook, brook.michael@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Top five Bishops Literacy Test (from each Form/house) Competition

For Year 9 students. The top five students from each Form class get house get points for their house.

When does it happen? Term Three

Contact Teacher Mr Brook, brook.michael@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Philosophy Club (2019)

To develop BIG questions about life, morality and philosophical issues. Participants can engage with the questions through a Community of Inquiry and listening to ideas of other participants. Skills in active listening, questioning and explanation are developed.

Contact Teacher Mr Voakes, voakes.tom@mazenod.wa.edu.au



Young Vinnies

Young Vinnies is a youth forum, which reflects the work of the St Vincent de Paul Society. At Mazenod the students gather at a bi-weekly lunchtime meeting to discuss and implement ways to give community service and to act out their Christian values through active projects. The students come up with ideas to help the elderly, poor and others in need from the wider community.

When does it happen? Tuesday lunch time every second week.

Where does it happen? Room 103

Contact Teacher Ms Biffin, biffin.suzanne@mazenod.wa.edu.au or
Mr Pabst, pabst.glenn@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Leadership

Open Day – Helpers/Tour Guides

Open Day is held on the last day of Term One each year and student volunteers are needed to assist with various department displays and to act as Tour Guides. Volunteers are usually called for in the few weeks leading up to the end of Term One.

Form Representatives and House Representatives

Year 7, 8 and 9 students can apply to be Form or House reps for each semester (Years 7 and 8) or the year (Year 9). The Form reps meet with the Head of Year on a regular basis to discuss issues related to the Year group and organise activities for their Year. House reps assist with the running of a variety of House activities.

When does it happen? Years 7 and 8 at the start of each semester

Year 9 during Term One.

Contact teacher [Heads of Year 7 – 9](#)

Year 11 Peer Support Leaders

Year 11 Peer Support leaders run the Peer Support programme for the Year 7 students in Term One. They lead them through a range of “getting to know you” activities on a weekly basis. They also attend the Year 7



Orientation Camp overnight.

When does it happen? A training camp takes place in Term Four of Year 10.

Contact teacher Mr Hemley, hemley.beau@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Year 11 Leadership Camp

Year 11 students can apply to attend the Leadership Camp which is held in Term Three. The focus of the camp is on developing leadership skills and a positive attitude towards self, peers and the College. The College Prefects are selected from those who attend the Leadership Camp.

When does it happen? Term Three

Who can be involved? Year 11's

Contact Teacher Mr Hemley, hemley.beau@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Year 12 Prefects and House Captains

Prefects meet with Senior School Deputy each week and look at whole school programs and goals.

House Captains – one for each house meet with Head of Year 12 weekly to set goals around House activities and work with HOD's and HOY's to run events and competitions towards the Mazenod Trophy.

When does it happen? Selection takes place in Term Three of Year 11.

Who can be involved? Year 12s

Contact Teacher Mr Payne, payne.john@mazenod.wa.edu.au and

Mr Frank, frank.michael@mazenod.wa.edu.au

SPORTS CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

House Swimming

All students are expected to participate in the House swimming carnival which is held in the College pool. There are novelty events as well as the traditional events to enable all students to participate.

When does it happen? In school time during Term One.

Contact teacher Mr Grabski, grabski.timothy@mazenod.wa.edu.au



House Cross Country

All students participate in the event which is run through the local streets and covers approximately five kilometres.

When does it happen? In school time during Term Two.

Contact teacher Mr Grabski, grabski.timothy@mazenod.wa.edu.au

House Triathlon

Students are invited to register a team from their House & Year group for the triathlon which is held on the school property. Students can also enter the triathlon as an individual competitor as well.

When does it happen? Last day of Term One.

Contact teacher Mr Grabski, grabski.timothy@mazenod.wa.edu.au

House Tug-a-War

All students can participate in the House tug-a-war which is held on the last day of Term One each year.

Contact teacher Mr Grabski, grabski.timothy@mazenod.wa.edu.au

House Athletics

All students are expected to participate in the House athletics carnival which is held at the College. There are novelty events as well as the traditional events to enable all students to participate.

When does it happen? In school time during Term Two.

Contact teacher Mr Grabski, grabski.timothy@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Club Football

Mazenod Junior Football Club is a community sporting club for Mazenod students, run by parent and community volunteers. There are weekly training sessions, with games played on Sundays in the Metropolitan area.

Contact teacher Mr Mason, mason.chris@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Club President Chris Hannan



School Football

Metro Central Year 7s Schoolboys competition – Term Three, 2018. A representative team that competes against other schools in the metropolitan area on Wednesday afternoons. Selection trials during school hours.

Contact teacher Mr Gardner, gardner.bradley@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Club Basketball

Mazenod Junior Basketball Club is a community sporting club for Mazenod students, run by parent and community volunteers. There are weekly training sessions, with games played on Wednesday and Thursday afternoon/evenings at Ray Owen Sports Complex.

Contact teacher Mr Mason, mason.chris@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Club President Mr Michael Davey bball.president@mazenod.wa.edu.au

School Basketball

Senior students take part in an interschool competition held during Terms One and Two. Training is usually at lunch time and games are held after school.

Year 7–9 students can try out for a one day basketball carnival held in Term Three.

When does it happen? Seniors Terms One and Two, Juniors Term Three

Contact Teacher Mr Websdale, websdale.ross@mazenod.wa.edu.au

School Soccer

Years 7/8, Years 9/10 and Years 11/12 Representative school teams participate in round robin competitions in Term 2 and depending on results they may take part in knockout stages in Term 3. Games take place afterschool on various days in the Metropolitan area.

Contact teacher Mr Mason, mason.chris@mazenod.wa.edu.au



Club Hockey

Mazenod Junior Hockey Club is a community sporting club for Mazenod students, run by parent and community volunteers. There are weekly training sessions, with games played on Sundays in the Metropolitan area.

Contact teacher Mr Mason, mason.chris@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Club President Peter Bewick

School Cricket

Graeme Wood Shield 20/20 Format starting Week 2/3 of Term One. Games played during the week usually starting at 1:30pm. This competition is open to Years 10–12 students.

Trials for the First XI Cricket team to take part in the Oblate Cricket Carnival occur in Term Three. This is open to students from Years 9–11 to try out. In December this year the carnival is being held in Perth, hosted by Mazenod WA. Weekly trials and training session will be involved in the lead up to the carnival.

Contact teachers Mr Mason, mason.chris@mazenod.wa.edu.au or Mr Grabski, grabski.timothy@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Swimming

ACC Swimming Carnival is held at the Perry Lakes Stadium Swim Centre. The initial squad selected based on student performance at the Mazenod inter-house swimming carnival. Training is every Tuesday afternoon and Thursday mornings at the College Pool starting Week One, Term One.

When does it happen? Term One

Contact: Mr Mason mason.chris@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Mr Mallon mallon.liam@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Athletics

ACC Athletics Carnival Wednesday at State Athletics Centre. Initial squad selected based on performance at the Mazenod Inter-House Athletics Carnival. Training and further trials every Tuesday afternoon starting Term Three, Week Three.



When does it happen? Term Three

Contact teacher Mr Mason, mason.chris@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Triathlon

School Sport WA Triathlon (Year 7–11). Students are invited to form a team or compete as individuals and submit nominations to the HPE Department at the start of Term Four. Suitable for students who excel in this event (Swimming, Running, Road Bike Riding).

When does it happen? Term Four

Contact teacher Mr Mason, mason.chris@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Golf

Mazenod School Golf Championships. Hartfield Park Golf Course. Open to all years. Suitable for students with previous golfing experience. Nominations open Week Five, Term Three.

When does it happen? Term Three

Contact teacher Mr Mason, mason.chris@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Mountain Biking

State Mountain Biking Championships at The Goat Farm, Greenmount. Open to all year groups and suitable for students with off-road mountain biking experience. Own mountain bike required.

When does it happen? Term Three

Contact teacher Mr Mason, mason.chris@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Running Club

Open to all students, parents and all fitness levels. Various courses from 3–5 kilometre run each morning around the school and surrounding streets.

When does it happen? Every Tuesday and Thursday morning at 7:20am–8:00am approx.

Contact teachers Mr Grabski, grabski.timothy@mazenod.wa.edu.au and Mr Gardner, gardner.bradley@mazenod.wa.edu.au



Weights and Fitness Club

Year 11 and 12 students are welcome to apply for membership of the Weight and Fitness Club, in the school weights room. Application forms available from Mr Grabski. Students required to provide their own gym program written by a health professional (Physiotherapist, Gym Instructor etc.). Open for use 7:30am–8:15am and 3:15pm–4:15pm.

Contact teacher Mr Grabski, grabski.timothy@mazenod.wa.edu.au

School Tennis

School Sports WA Inter-School Tennis competition. Open to all years. Competition occurs late Term 1. The team is selected based on results of School Tennis Championships and is played on a Saturday in Term 1.

Contact teacher Mr Mason, mason.chris@mazenod.wa.edu.au

THE ARTS CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Oliver! – The Musical

The production of Oliver! Will take place at the start of Semester 2 this year. While casting has mostly been completed if any student is interested in being involved with the production in some way they should contact Miss Parkinson, parkinson.beth@mazenod.wa.edu.au – volunteers would be most welcome.

Theatre Works for Year 7

A Drama Club run by the Captain of Performing Arts exclusively for Year 7 students. The focus of the meeting is to build confidence and skills through a range of practical activities and opportunities to work collaboratively.

When does it happen? Term One and Two Friday lunch time.

Where does it happen? Performing Arts Centre.

Contact Teacher Miss Parkinson, parkinson.beth@mazenod.wa.edu.au



Combined Choir

Students from Mazenod and St Brigid's combine to form a four part choir that sing a range of musical styles from contemporary to classical and everything in between.

Where does it happen? Band Room behind the PAC (some rehearsals are held in the St Brigid's PAC and transport is provided to Mazenod after the rehearsal)

When does it happen? Monday mornings 7:30-8:25am

Who can be involved? All Years

Contact teacher Miss Bell, bell.louise@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Music ensembles and bands.

Includes Concert band, Jazz band, flute choir, saxophone/reed ensemble, brass ensemble, jazz combo, guitar ensemble, Where do they happen? Band room and rooms in Performing Arts Centre.

When do they happen? Different ensembles and bands rehearse on different days. Rehearsal days and times are posted in the daily notices

Who can be involved? All Years

Contact Mrs Greenley, greenley.anne@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Music Rocks

Using music as a tool for inspiration and skills, MRA has focused on the music, social and personal development of our young participants, allowing an ethos of 'music is for everybody' and creating 'the world's most inspiring music experience for young people'. We really do operate in a different world from all other music programs and we have opened up learning in areas and for individuals who would have otherwise not had the opportunity or incentive to contribute musically. <https://www.musicrocks.com.au/>

Where does it happen? Performing Arts Centre

When does it happen? 3:30-4:30pm (beginner bands)

4:30-5:30pm (intermediate bands)



Who can be involved All years (focus on lower school)
 Contact teacher Mrs Greenley, greenley.anne@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Mass Choir

A liturgical choir that rehearses in the weeks before a whole school mass.

Where does it happen? Band Room behind the Performing Arts Centre

When does it happen? Rehearsals times are posted in the daily notices in the weeks before the Mass

Who can be involved All Years

Contact teacher Ms Parkinson, parkinson.beth@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Mazza Mixers/Backstage Ninja Tech Crew

A group that are interested in the technical side of music/drama production and performance. The Mazza Mixers meet once a week to learn about DJing and musical production using software such as Mixcraft, Ableton Live and Virtual DJ. The Backstage Ninjas are a subgroup of the Mazza Mixers that assist in technical setups for school performances such as whole school productions, Assemblies, Masses, Performing Arts concerts etc. They learn and develop skills in sound, lighting, stage management and front-of-house.

Where does it happen? Keyboard Lab

When does it happen? Tuesday lunchtime

Who can be involved? All years

Contact teacher Miss Bell, bell.louise@mazenod.wa.edu.au & Mrs Greenley, greenley.anne@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Instrumental/vocal lessons

Lessons for any students who would like to learn to play a musical instrument or sing.

Where does it happen? Allocated rooms in the Performing Arts Centre



When does it happen? Weekly on a designated day. Lessons are 30 minutes and are held during the school day.

Who can be involved All years

Contact Mrs Greenley, greenley.anne@mazenod.wa.edu.au

ACADEMIC CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Coding Club

Come and explore Programming, Game Design and Digital Technologies. Come and work in a creative space and see where programming and Digital Technologies can take you.

When does it happen? Friday Lunchtime from the 10 minute bell

Contact Teacher Mr King, king.michael@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Have Sum Fun Maths Competition

A Maths problem solving quiz night open to selected students.

When does it Happen? Term One

Contact teacher Mrs Godfrey, godfrey.lynda@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Maths Homework Room

Each lunch time a number of Maths teachers are available to assist students with any concerns they have with any of the Maths course they are doing.

When does it happen? Each lunch time

Contact teacher Mrs Godfrey, godfrey.lynda@mazenod.wa.edu.au or your Maths teacher.

Da Vinci Club

This is a group working on general knowledge and specific skills for the Da Vinci Decathlon.

When does it happen? Term Three and Four at lunchtime

Contact Teacher **TBC**



AHISA Debating

Interschool debating competition for Years 7 – 10* (*will change in 2019)

When does it happen? Term Three

Where does it happen? The training takes place at Mazenod and the debates are held at Perth College

Contact Teacher Ms Farinaccio, farinaccio.julia@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Radio Car club

Open to all students, the Remote Control club members build, crash and fix a wide range of remote control cars, trucks and rockets.

When does it happen? Monday or Friday lunchtime

Contact teacher **TBC**

Reading Rocks

Students meet to share & discuss 'good reads'.

Who can be involved? Years 7, 8 and 9

When does it happen? Wednesday at lunch-time, Term Three.

Where does it happen? Library annexe

Contact teacher Ms Holloway, holloway.kath@mazenod.wa.edu.au and Ms Worthington, worthington.penny@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Chemistry Titration Stakes Competition Club

Senior Chemistry students prepare to take part in the annual Titration Stakes competition.

When does it happen? Weekly during Term Two (Competition at end of Term 2), and then weekly in Term Three if students make the National Competition. Times will be negotiated with students depending on student availability.

Who can participate? Senior Chemistry students.

Contact teacher Ms Overton, overton.marie-clare@mazenod.wa.edu.au



Makerspace and Cre8 Group

A group that students can join to create small projects that interest them. Teacher will facilitate sessions to encourage creativity, tinkering and experimental learning. Projects will involve technology and/or craft.

When does it happen? Friday lunchtimes – weekly or twice monthly.

Where does it happen? Library annexe

Contact Teacher Mrs Worthington, worthington.penny@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Mindful colouring

Pencils, paper and good company provided.

When does it happen? Tuesday lunch time

Where does it happen? In the seminar room in the library (the room straight ahead when you first enter the library)

Contact Teacher Ms Watson, watson.leanne@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Walking group

Staff and students all welcome. Come for a walk around the suburb while enjoying a chat with friends. Students must have a signed permission form to participate. Forms available from your Head of Year or Ms Watson.

When does it happen? Friday lunch time after 10 minute bell

Where does it happen? Meet outside old D and T building

Contact Teacher Ms Watson, watson.leanne@mazenod.wa.edu.au

Games club

Students all welcome. We play all different board, card and miniature games. Games that we have started playing are D&D, Magic the gathering, Warhammer, Pandemic and Ticket to Ride but are adding new games all the time. No experience necessary to play the games only an open mind to having fun.

When does it happen? Most lunch times, the students can eat their lunch in the room

Where does it happen? Room 103

Contact Teacher Mr Pabst, pabst.glenn@mazenod.wa.edu.au





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