

SDN Debating Competition Term 3 – Round 7 at St Pius X hosting SCEGGS Redlands

This is Week 7 of the SDN season. Our final week. We are hosting. Last Friday we hosted Abbotsleigh and we need to congratulate the Junior (Year 8), team who were successful on the night. When I post the Finals results you will see that Abbotsleigh represent many of the winning teams. They are formidable debaters. Our coaching focus for each week is posted onto our Microsoft 365 Debating page and as the host school we are the affirmative and our training on Tuesday mornings and Friday afternoons.

This week we are hosting out of The Blue Room. Students will need to leave their bags in The Blue Room before travelling over to Westfield to purchase their dinner. They will need to be back in The Blue Room by 3.45pm for training.

All parents can park in the school yard and come down to The Blue Room for tea and coffee.

Prep & times that debates commence:

Teams	Time
Year 7 & 8	5:30pm prep & 6:30pm debate
Juniors (Yr 8/9 team), 9, 10 & Seniors (Yr 11/12)	6:30pm prep & 7:30pm debate

Topic Areas:

Round 7 – Social/Domestic Issues

Tiebreakers – International Issues

Grand Final - General

Round	Date	Affirmative Team &	Negative Team
7	Friday 7 th September	Abbotsleigh Stella Maris St Pius Monte	Wenona Roseville Redlands Riverview
Tiebreakers	Friday 14 th September	To be hosted by Monte	Tiebreakers
Grand Final	Friday 21 st September	To be hosted by St Pius	Grand Final

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