Dear Parents and Students,

After much anticipation, the Tournament of Minds timetable has been released! Our teams have been scheduled for Saturday 17th August.

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<td>Society of Secret Celebrities</td>
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Students will be presenting at Deakin University (Burwood Campus). They will need to meet me at the TOM Registration Area – ‘hf’ Level 1 (see attachment) at 11:30am to register, find the presentation area and prepare.

Teams will need to bring with them:
- Cost Form
- Presentation Skills Form
- Outside Assistance Form
- A copy of the script for the judges
- Costumes
- Props

Students should wear predominantly black clothes, to which costumes and props can be added. It will most likely be cold on the day, so please bring jumpers. Change rooms will be available.

Provided for the Long-Term Challenges will be a 3x3 metre square, access to power, two chairs and a table. Everything else, students must organise.

Remember, on the day, team-members must do everything for themselves. Students are expected to carry their own props around and organise costumes, hair and make-up, etc. Judges and officials are trained to assess teams on ‘outside assistance’.

As the GIPS teams will be presenting consecutively, students will be watching each of our Long-Term Challenge presentations. Spectators are not permitted for the Spontaneous Challenges. Our teams will have finished their Challenges by 2:00pm. Throughout the day, you are also welcome to watch other schools’ Long-Term Challenge presentations. It would be interesting for the students to see how other teams have interpreted the Challenges.

Adult supervision will be required on the day; however, it is understandable that not all parents will be able to attend. If you are unavailable or need assistance in getting your child to the venue please contact me as soon as possible. If you need to contact me on the day, my number is 0400 079 074.

Our teams have been working enthusiastically on their Challenges so it will be a very exciting day!

Amy Kopciewicz
TOM Co-ordinator