

## 11 November 2010

IMPORTANT DATES COMING UP

Mon 15 - 19 Nov

• Yr 10 Exams

Yr 11 Exams

Wed 17 - 19 Nov

Yr 9 Camp

Thurs 18 Nov

Fri 19 Nov

# St Joseph's College Newsletter

## Term 4 - Week 5

## A Prayer for Remembrance Day

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace, Where there is hatred, let me sow love; where there is injury, pardon; where there is doubt, faith; where there is despair, hope; where there is darkness, light; where there is sadness, joy; O Divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled as to console; to be understood as to understand; to be loved as to love. For it is in giving that we receive; it is in pardoning that we are pardoned; and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life.

#### Amen

### FROM THE PRINCIPAL

 P&F AGM & Community Board Meeting 7pm Collage Chapel

• JS Assembly 9am Gym

• Kindy/PP/Yr1 in 2011

Parent Meetings

#### Wed 24 Nov

Mon 22 Nov

 Inter-school Jumps (Yrs 4-7)

## **General Information**

• Uniform Shop Open every Tuesday 8.15am - 9.15am and 2.30pm - 4.30pm

- Absentee Phone Line 9844 0280
- Principal -Mr Bradley Hall
- Head of Junior School
  Mr Mike Watson

Direct Deposits Welcome Bank Details: Bank West - Bunbury A/c Name: Roman Catholic Bishop of Bunbury BSB: 306 004 A/c No. 5309691 Please quote School Code: DDF226 & Family Name with all deposits. Dear Parents, Guardians, Families, Students and Members of our College Community



This week our Year Eleven students began their end of Semester examinations. Our Year Twelve students continued their TEE efforts.

On Sunday at the Peter Watson concert, our Middle and Senior Schools Liturgical Music group sang beautifully to an audience of nearly 500. Well done to Mr Scanlon, singers and musicians.

We farewell our Year Twelve students in this group and thank them for their contribution to Liturgy and Performance over the years: Alara Woods, Kiersten Fage, Rachel Jennings-Tovey, Raylyn Pascoe, Carly Annison, Steevie Higginbotham, Bronwyn Lewis.



Carly Annison & Kiersten Fage perform together

Parents are reminded that Friday, Albany Show Day is a Pupil Free Day. If you are at the Show, drop in to our stall and say hello!

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Mr Bradley Hall - Principal

#### Youth Ministry Scholarships 2011

Catholic Youth Ministry is offering 2 fulltime scholarships to the Catholic Bible College 'Acts 2 College of Mission and Evangelization'. If you are currently leading a youth group, or are interested in getting one running - get skilled in this area & study an awesome course! The scholarship is to study a Cert IV in Christian Ministry - Youth Ministry stream (no TER requirements) For more course info: www.acts2come.wa.edu.au To apply simply send a letter of interest to Anita Parker: admin@cym.com.au giving your name, age, parish, previous educational accomplishments and a short explanation stating why you would like to study at the College. Applications close Friday 19th November, 2010. Call 9422 7912 for more information.

## **COLLEGE NOTICES**

#### **Cyber Safety Presentation**



ALBA

**OPEN TO** 

Please note the presentation by the Australian Communication Authority for

parents scheduled for Tuesday, 16 November at 7pm in the College Chapel has been **cancelled** due to lack of numbers.

#### **Music Tuition Enrolment**

If you are interested in enrolling your child/ren in music tuition in 2011, please contact the College Office to collect a form.

Tuition available in 2011:

- Violin Years 3-12 students
- Piano Years 3-12 students
- Guitar Years 4-12 students
- Drums (depending on numbers)

Forms have been sent home with students currently enrolled in this year's music tuition for re-enrolment in 2011. These forms are due as soon as possible to the College Office.

#### **Drumming Classes**

The College has an opportunity for students to learn the drums through private tuition during school hours. Expressions of interest are being sought. If your child is interested in learning the drums, please contact the College Office within the next two weeks.

## **COLLEGE NOTICES**

#### Lost Property

Has your child/ren lost any clothing or property. The College Office has an array of lost property including school jumpers, sports clothing and rugby jumpers, bathers, goggles, shoes, joggers, footballs, hats, lunchboxes etc. These items will be donated to St Vincent De Paul before the end of the Term if they are not claimed by Week 8.

#### Letter from Wheelchairs for Kids

"Thank you all so much for your wonderful donation. You have enabled another eighty disabled children to have a much better life by getting off the ground, having dignity as well as mobility. We really appreciate your efforts on behalf of the disabled children."

"Congratulations on being such a caring and compassionate school community.

Yours sincerely Bro Olly Pickett"

## P&F

Annual General Meeting and the College Community Board Meeting

## Monday, 22 November 2010

Commencing at 7.00pm in the College Ave Maria Chapel

A light supper will be provided afterwards.

Nomination Forms are available from the College Office for both The P&F Committee and The College Board for 2011 and are also included with this Newsletter

## JUNIOR SCHOOL NEWS

#### Assembly

Our next Junior School assembly is on Thursday 18 November commencing at 9.00am in the Gymnasium. Mrs Piercey's Year Two students will be co-ordinating the assembly.

## JUNIOR SCHOOL NEWS

#### **Kindergarten Orientation Day**

Last Friday morning Mrs Neil held a "Kids Session" at the Sr Julia Cabagniol Early Learning Centre to welcome our new Kindergarten students for 2011.

Mrs Neil organised a variety of indoor and out-door activities to keep the young students fully engaged.

Many thanks to Mrs Neil and Mrs Barnes for organizing the 'Kids Session' and making the morning an enjoyable experience for our new Kindergarten students and their parents.

#### **Parent Meetings**

Information has been sent home to parents about meetings to be held on Friday 19 November for parents who have students attending Kindergarten, Pre-Primary or Year One in 2011.

The meetings will be staggered over hourly intervals to cater for parents who may need to attend more than one meeting. Please note the times for meetings:

- Year One 8.50am
- Pre-Primary 9.50am
- Kindergarten 10.50am

If you have any queries about these meetings please contact Mr Mike Watson.

#### **Orientation Day - ELC**

Kindergarten Last Friday the 2011 classes enjoyed Orientation Day, at the Sr Julia Cabagniol Early Learning Centre. The children had fun exploring the Kindergarten playroom including the shop, home corner, and the Kindergarten bathroom. They played with play dough, built with blocks and did their first paintings. They also enjoyed some active play in the sandpit and playground. Mrs Neil, Mrs Barnes and Ms Stevens were there to welcome them all and to introduce them (and their parents) to each other. We look forward to seeing the new Kindergarten groups again in the new year.

Mrs Deb Neil - Kindergarten Teacher

## JUNIOR SCHOOL NEWS

#### Reconciliation

This week on Wednesday and Thursday evening twenty-seven of our Years Two, Three and Four students received the Sacrament of Reconciliation for the first time. This was a very special time in the life of each student and their families. A particular thank you to Mrs Chris Palfrey for all of her work preparing the students so well to receive the Sacrament. Mr Mike Watson - Head of Junior School

## SENIOR SCHOOL NEWS

#### **Focus on Food**

This Term in Year 10 Focus on Food the students were privileged to have а Vietnamese cooking demonstration by Lien Nguyen, accompanied by Des Taylor. 120 spring rolls were made by a team effort from all the students under the direction of "Master Chef" Lien. Inaredients included dried tree fungus. bean thread vermicelli noodles, pork mince and shallot onions. It was a great experience for the students to taste unusual ingredients and prepare food under the stringent eyes of a talented cook. Of course all the food was consumed. The spring rolls were so delicious that the class had a few people drop in when the aroma circulated the building. Many thanks to Oanh Ngyuen for organising the occasion and the visitors. Mrs Sandra McKenney - Focus on Food Teacher









## **COMMUNITY NOTICES**



## Dalai Lama Renaissance

WINNER 9 Awards



"A stunning tour-de-force"

"a provocative, even enlightening film." Joh Griffin, Montreal Caselle "startlingly original... a beautiful & fresh window on the Dalai Lama"

> A documentary film by Khashyar Darvich www.DalaiLamaFilm.com

## **MOVIE NIGHT**

Monday 20 and Tuesday 21 December Part 1: 5pm Part 2: 7.30pm

PCYC, 77 Sanford Road

Tickets: (Pt 1) \$25 (Pt 1&2) \$40







