

ST JOSEPH'S COLLEGE NEWSLETTER



Term 2 - Week 3

Friday, 24 May 2013

General Information

- **Uniform Shop**
Opening Hours
Tuesdays
8.15am - 9.30am and
Wednesdays
2.15pm - 4.00pm
- **Absentee Phone Line** 9844 0280
- **Principal** - Mr Bradley Hall
- **Head of Secondary**
Ms Sue Alderman
- **Head of Junior School**
Mr Mike Watson
- **Business Manager**
Mrs Marion Leonhardt
School Fees & Direct Deposits



Prayer to the Holy Trinity

*Glory be to the Father,
Who by His almighty power and love created me,
making me in the image and likeness of God.
Glory be to the Son,
Who by His Precious Blood delivered me from hell,
and opened for me the gates of heaven.
Glory be to the Holy Spirit,
Who has sanctified me in the sacrament of Baptism,
and continues to sanctify me
by the graces I receive daily from His bounty.
Glory be to the Three adorable Persons of the Holy Trinity,
now and forever.
Amen.*

Important Dates Coming Up

WEEK 4

Sat 25 May

- Family Mass

Mon 27 - 29 May

- Scholastic Book Fair

Tues 28 May

- Yr 10 Mentor Programme Commences

Wed 29-30 May

- College Photos

Sat 1 June

- First Holy Communion

WEEK 5

Mon 3 June

- Public Holiday - WA Day

Tues 4 - 7 June

- Loving for Life Team Visit

Wed 6 June

- AFL Sports Ready Cup Football Final (Yr 10-12 boys)

From the Principal

Dear Parents, Guardians, Families, Students and Members of our College Community.



This Week our Year Six students were on Camp at Quaranup. This is a wonderful opportunity for some special interaction based around some challenging and fun activities. Special thanks to Mr Romeo, Mr Morcom and Ms Hancock for their organisation and running of the Camp.

Next week the College is hosting the Catholic Education Office Capital Development Panel to assess the College's application for the second stage of the Matheu Wing. College staff, Board Members and the College's architect will attend. The College must have a five year Capital Development Plan but we have extended this to beyond 2020 to allow for controlled growth. Future stages of the plan include Junior School Multi-purpose Rooms, a new Library/Information Centre and undercover and Administration areas.

This month's Family Mass is tomorrow night at Holy Family Church commencing at 6.00pm.

B Hall

Mr Bradley Hall - Principal

General News

Weekly Building Report

Things Happening

There wasn't much action this morning (Monday) but things have been moving along. The land has been flattened and it now has a layer of white sand on it; ready for the form work.

Hidden from view, behind the Trade Training Centre, more building is happening. They are now ready to pour concrete for the foundations of the bus and maintenance sheds!

By Toby Wiseman - Year 3B



College Photo Day

College photos will be held next week on Wednesday 29 and Thursday 30 May.

Please ensure students come dressed in their formal College Winter Uniform as per the College Diary. Hair is to be neat and tidy and not covering the face. Girls are to wear navy tights and boys to wear trousers. For Junior School students, long trousers are preferred if you have them.

College Notices

Saints Swim Club

A big welcome to all our Year Three members! It is fantastic to see so many new and enthusiastic swimmers joining our Club.

Swim Club is going well with swimmers performing well at time trials last Friday. Please note there will be no Swim Club on Friday 31 May due to the long weekend.

A Saints Swim Club BBQ is coming up on Friday 7 June. A sausage in a bun will be provided after training. Please make sure your child's membership fees are paid up to date so that your child can attend the BBQ.

An order form for pool equipment and the new shirts and hoodies (which look fantastic) will be sent home within the next week. Please place your orders as soon as possible.

Thank you to our great Coaches! See you at the pool.

Saints Swim Club

Cunningham Fundraiser - "Colour Your World"

Without any assistance from Australian communities, 70% of asylum seekers and refugees would be left homeless and destitute in our country. Luckily, foundations and charities such as the Mary MacKillop Foundation are helping to spread joy and positivity to those who would instead have to go without. The Foundation aims to provide basic living assistance in the form of monthly payments to cover living costs, as well as providing basic medical assistance and a nutritious diet for asylum seekers in order to help integrate them into our communities and give them a fair go.

Cunningham house has decided to support this foundation through our annual fundraiser, Colour Your World, on **Wednesday 5 June** (Week 5). The aim is to add a splash of colour to our everyday life and spread joy, much like the Mary MacKillop Foundation. All students are encouraged to come to school dressed in clothing of their favourite colour and can wear both a shirt of their choice and their St Joseph's College Sport Shorts, tracksuit pants or go all out and wear everything in any colour of their choice. A gold coin donation will be required so funds can be raised for the Mary MacKillop Foundation in order to assist those who would otherwise go without.

Ms Kate van Hulsen - Co-ordinator



Senior School Football

The boys Senior School side played Denmark High School last Wednesday during lunchtime and period five to a very vocal and supportive home crowd.

The game started in great fashion with early goals to St Joseph's to get the crowd cheering madly for the team. Stewart Davies was combining well with Declan McNamara and Aaron Shields in the centre providing plenty of opportunity for the forwards. Patrick Norman was at his silky best in the backline, frustrating the Denmark forward line and rebounding well on many occasions. Denmark fought back hard to have things quite even by the main break.

Photo Day Cont...

Order Forms and envelopes have been sent home with your child and Junior School students are to return them to Class Room teachers. Secondary students should bring their form on the day of the photos. ALL STUDENTS are to return the form even if you are not placing an order.

A list of time slots for each year group is listed below, **but these are subject to change**.

Wednesday 29 May

9.00am	Cunningham 3
9.30am	Kindergarten Blue
9.40am	Pre-Primary Blue
10.00am	De Vialar 3
10.20am	McCormack 2
11.00am	Year 1 Gold
11.20am	Year 1 Blue
11.40am	Year 2 Blue
12.00pm	Year 3 Blue
1.00pm	Kindergarten Gold
1.20pm	Year 4 Blue
1.40pm	Cunningham 2
2.00pm	Year 12
2.15pm	Student Leaders
2.40pm	Cunningham 1

Thursday 30 May

9.00am	De Vialar 2
9.20am	Pre-Primary Gold
9.40am	Year 3/4 Gold
10.00am	McCormack 1
10.40am	Year 6 Blue
11.00am	Ozanam 1
11.20am	De Vialar 1
11.40am	Ozanam 3
12.00pm	Year 7 Blue & Gold
12.20pm	Family Photos
1.40pm	Ozanam 2
2.00pm	Year 5 Blue
2.20pm	McCormack 3
2.40pm	Year 5/6 Gold

College Notices

The second half was where St Joseph's really pushed hard, inspired by some fantastic football by Declan McNamara. Joel Bellinger-Brown was a great inclusion for the side having immediate impact with two goals for the match. However, when it looked like one of the Denmark forwards might single-handedly swing the match late in the game, Lachlan Howarth was moved back to defence and shut him out of the game. It was a jubilant team that belted out the team song for the first time this season running out winners 10.8.68 to Denmark 6.5.41.

Goal kickers: 3 Mc Sweeney, 2 Bellinger-Brown, 1 Davies, Howarth, McNamara, Shields, Wilson.

The team played North Albany Senior High School on Wednesday this week and then have a break until they take on the Clontarf Academy on Monday 1 July.

Mr Paul O'Donnell - Physical Education Teacher



Left: Jack Steel clears the ball forward Centre: Declan McNamara takes a specky mark
Right: Riley MacDonald takes possession

Inter-School Equestrian Championships 2013

On 26 to 28 April Satinka Putland (Year 6) and I competed at the Inter-School Equestrian Championships in Perth. We arrived on the Thursday night and put our horses in their stables and prepped them for the next three days of hard competition.

My first event was Show Jumping 75cm. Being the second horse in was an advantage as I pulled some great turns and won that event by 2 seconds. Satinka's first discipline was hacking where she performed well in her Rider Class by coming 6th. The next day I competed in the dressage event and my 90cm round of show jumping. Both of us did an amazing dressage test and Satinka moved into the finals and came 6th overall. I was all done for the weekend but Satinka had only just started as she still had the Show Jumping on Sunday. Both her rounds of jumping were great with a placing of 5th in the 70cm class.

Over all we had a great weekend and we were happy to be able to represent the College with much pride.

Georgia Roberts - Year 12

**Starts
Monday ...**

Come to our
Book Fair!

**St Joseph's College
Junior School
Book Fair 2013**

**Monday 27 May 2013 &
Tuesday 28 May 2013
8.15-8.45am & 3-3.30pm
Wednesday 29 May 2013
8.15-8.45am (morning only)**

**See you in the
Cunningham
Book**

Parish Notices

Family Mass

will be celebrated on

Saturday 25 May

at

Holy Family Church

Martin Road

Commencing at

6.00pm

All Welcome!

Hope to see you there



Junior School News

Art Lessons

Mrs Goodlad is looking for some parent helpers to assist with Year One Art Lessons. The times that assistance would be needed are:

- Year One (G) - Tuesday 10-45am - 12 noon
- Year One (B) - Wednesday 1.15pm - 2.30pm



Art Lessons are held at the old Junior School buildings on Ulster Road in the Multi-Purpose Room. If you are able to assist, please talk to classroom teachers Mrs Sloan and Miss Wilson. Any offers of assistance would be appreciated.

Memorial Service

This Sunday our Year Six class Councillors Benedict Jackson and Ciara Sugg will be representing the College at the US Submariners Memorial Service to be held at the Princess Royal Fortress Military Museum. During World War II Quaranup was used as a submarine base for the US Navy and this year marks the 71st Anniversary of the US Submariners being welcomed in the port of Albany.

Mr Mike Watson - Head of Junior School

Junior School Assembly

Please note that due to the College Photographs being taken in the gymnasium on Wednesday 29 and Thursday 30 May the date for our next Junior School Assembly has been changed from Thursday 30 May to Thursday 6 June. Mrs Palfrey's Year Four class will be running this assembly.

Mr Mike Watson - Head of Junior School

Middle School News

Year Seven Special Elective

Year Seven students are establishing a native garden on the College grounds. Students initially travelled to several sites around Albany to identify the characteristics of a native garden as well as collecting their plants and other equipment from Bunnings Albany. The students then prepared the area by removing most of the weeds and grass, adding a lot of mulch to the surface and planted 30 native plants. Over the next few weeks, another 40 plants will be added to the garden and many loads of mulch.

Mr Michael Crowe - Science Teacher



Accommodation Wanted

Are you able to offer approximately 2 months accommodation for a Catholic man who is waiting for his family to relocate to Albany? Please contact Anthony Wise on 042 958 0785 or email

a_n_t_h_o_-ny.wise@forestrytas.com.au

Senior School News

Senior School Examinations

Students in Years Ten, Eleven and Twelve have been issued with a timetable for the Semester One Examinations. All students should be focussed on a revision study programme and be working towards the completion of all required assignments tasks prior to examinations. This approach will assist all students to be on track for their WACE and for students in Years Ten and Eleven, will affect their course selections for 2014.

Three timetables have been published to all students as follows:

Year Eleven and Twelve Examination Timetable (University Direct Entry) students.

Students will attend school for their scheduled examinations.

All formal classes will **not** be scheduled during examination week.

Students who choose to return home after their examinations will be expected to use their normal school time for home study purposes.

The College Library and Room 212 will be available for study purposes and will be supervised by a staff member.

Full College Uniform to be worn while at the College

Please note, students should not be in town during the school day without an adult as they will not be served in shops and may be returned to school by Police.

Year Eleven and Twelve NON-Examination Timetable

Students **must** attend school during this period and will be participating in a **flexible timetable to ensure all necessary assessments/tasks** have been completed by the required dates.

Blocks of time have been scheduled for practical assessments/tasks. This will maximise students' time to complete their required commitments.

Full College Uniform to be worn during flexible Non-Examination week.

Year Ten Examination Timetable

All Year Ten students will attend **normal classes** with the exception of scheduled examinations in Religion, English, Mathematics, Science and Modern History 1A.

Family support is a positive aspect for students during this time and social life should be kept to a minimum. Parents and carers can assist by encouraging their child to set a routine study plan, get plenty of healthy nutrition and sleep during this demanding period.

A reminder that all absences for illness must be notified by phone to the College Administration Office and a medical certificate is to be presented to avoid penalties. Telephone notification needs to be followed up by a written note.

Copies of examination timetables are available on the College website.

If you have any queries or require any assistance you are most welcome to contact Ms Jude Stringer at the College.

Ms Jude Stringer - Head of Curriculum



Curtin University

Get up to 4 FREE JB Hi-Fi Vouchers!
14-17 year olds wanted for surveys

We are looking for young people to complete a short online survey on attitudes towards drinking alcohol

- All participants receive a free \$15 JB Hi-Fi gift voucher!
- Refer up to three friends and get additional \$10 vouchers for each person referred!!!

Want to get involved?

Contact Janina on:

T: 9266 4739
M: 0433 408 697
E: J.Hildebrand@curtin.edu.au



The survey has been approved by the Curtin University Ethics Committee (No. HR-25/2012).

FREE student DJEMBE making workshop

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THIS IS THEIR CHANCE TO LEARN THE SECRETS AND MAKE THIS AMAZING TRADITIONAL INSTRUMENT

TOTAL COST

\$290 per student

covers the cost of materials, the knowledge is free

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contact us for a detailed information and enrolment pack to be sent out to your school

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20 Proudlive Parade, Albany
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e. afrikantribal@hotmail.com



Sat 6th July, 1pm onwards
& Sat 13th July, 1pm onwards

St Joseph's Lodge

The Board of management of St Joseph's Lodge Inc. wishes to extend a special offer on our new two bedroom units, a recent inclusion to the Retirement Village independent living complex. Sale prices on these units have been greatly reduced, and open to negotiation to interested parties who wish to enter residency.

Of the six units under this offer, three have current agreements to lease under consideration, leaving three outstanding opportunities to enjoy secure inner-city living at an affordable price.

The Board invites interested enquiry and welcomes your visit for further information and inspection. Please contact the office on 98474 3030.