



ST JOSEPH'S PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Thursday 29th August, 2019

***St Joseph's is a Child Safe School.
We promote the safety, wellbeing and inclusion of all children.***

A Father's Day Prayer

God,
Bless all the fathers in our school.
We ask that you guide them to be good role models
And loving to their children
We also ask that You
Help them to be a loving Father just like You
Give them grace and patience
To handle situations in a loving way
Amen

Dear Parents,

Happy Father's Day to all our dads, this Sunday.
Father's Day breakfast and mass is on this Friday morning. All our dads, grand dads and special persons are invited to attend. A coffee van will be attending the breakfast and our wonderful mothers will be cooking and serving breakfast. If you are attending mass then your child/ren can sit with you at mass. A Father's Day stall will be after mass on Friday and all students can bring \$5 for a gift for their dads.

Literacy & Numeracy Week

St Joseph's will be celebrating Literacy & Numeracy week starting on Monday 2nd September and it will finish on Friday 6 September with a BOOK PARADE at 9.15am. For more details on the parade please read Mrs Keely's section.

STUDENTS as Authors – *Thank you to those who have returned their envelopes.*

All our students have been working on writing their own story book complete with illustrations. The students have had an author working with them and we have a publisher who will produce each student's book. These books will be launched at a book launch in early December. We ask the parents to please purchase your child/ren's book as they are very proud of their work and you will be thrilled with the quality of the publication. A CareMonkey has been sent out and an envelope for the money for your child/ren's book is in their school bag. Please dig them out of the bags and return the money to school asap.

Gr 3 & 4 Camp <http://bit.ly/3 4Camp 2019> Take a look at our camp updates

Gr 3 & 4 was a great success. All the children had a great time and rose to all the challenges and fun that was available on camp. Thank you to Mr Sandison, Mrs Botterill and Angela Stutterd for going on camp and giving the students all the support and encouragement that makes being away from home bearable.

SSV Athletics- Thursday 29 August.

We wish all our 26 students the very best of luck for today and to remember to have fun.

First Communion for Grade 4

Please pray for the Grade 4 students as they prepare for their First Communion on Sunday 15 September. This is a very special time for our students and their families.

What's Happening	WEEK 8 TERM 3
30 th August – father's Day Breakfast @ 7.30am and then Mass @ 9.15am	Monday 2nd September Literacy & Numeracy Week PSG meetings STEM- Gr 5 & 6
September	Tuesday 3rd September Miss Wood and Angela with 8 Gr 5 students to Writer's Workshop. Mr Sandison in Gr 5 STEM Gr 3 & 4
Mon 9 – Foundation – Gr 4 Swimming Program	Wednesday 4th September Bike Ed – Gr 5 1-2 pm Gr 6 Bayside Community 2.30-3.30 pm School production
Tues 10 – Grades 5 & 6 Camp	Thursday 5th September Carmel at Student wellbeing meeting- Mr Sandison in charge Mrs Botterill at Catholic Leadership Centre/Ms Cooke STEM 1/2
Tues 10 – Foundation – Gr 4 Swimming Program	Friday 6th September 9 am BOOK WEEK PARADE 12-2 pm Atrium/STEM – Foundation
Wed 11 - Grades 5 & 6 Camp	
Wed 11 – Foundation – Gr 4 Swimming Program	
Thurs 12 - Grades 5 & 6 Camp	
Thurs 12 – Foundation – Gr 4 Swimming Program	
Fri 13 - Grades 5 & 6 Camp	
Fri 13 – Foundation – Gr 4 Swimming Program	
Sun 15 – Grade 4 First Communion	
Mon 16 – Foundation – Gr 4 Swimming Program	
Tues 17 – Foundation – Gr 4 Swimming Program	
Wed 18 – Special Lunch & Casual Clothes Day	
Wed 18 – Foundation – Gr 4 Swimming Program	
Fri 20 – Last day for Term 3. Students dismissed at 1.00pm	
November	
Mon 25 – School Musical at Kilbreda	

LITERACY AND NUMERACY WEEK

St Joseph's will be having our **Book Week** celebrations in Week 8 (2nd September – 6th September). During this week we will also incorporate a numeracy focus so it will actually be 'Literacy and Numeracy' week.

We look forward to sharing some fun activities together including the story books from '**Book Week**' focused on the theme '**Reading is My Secret Power.**' As well, we will be reading some picture story books with a numeracy focus.



OUR DRESS UP DAY AS A BOOK CHARACTER IS FRIDAY 6th SEPTEMBER @ 9am.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Try these conversation starters (If Dad is not available you can still celebrate the father figures in your life):
Tell Dad

1. My funniest or favourite memory of my Dad
2. Some of my Dad's best qualities are...

A prayer for Fathers

Heavenly Father, we praise you for the gift of our fathers
and those who have been father-figures to us.
We thank you for the life and love they have brought to our world.
May they be strengthened in virtue and faith
so that they might give glory to you through their lives of service. Amen.

Ask Dad

1. How did you react when I was born?
2. What's one of your favourite memory of me from when I was little?

We all have a father, and almost any man can biologically father a child, but the irreplaceable and unique role of fathers is often little acknowledged. Fathers today are more likely to be closely involved and emotionally connected with their growing children than their grandfathers were. This is good news for children for many reasons.

Fathers are a great gift to us all. A big thanks to all our fathers!

FIRST COMMUNION

Please continue to pray for our Yr 4 students as they continue to prepare for their First Holy Communion on Sunday 15th September.

'Positive Behaviour for Learning'



Our students are encouraged to practise positive behaviour towards each other to enhance their learning. As they demonstrate these positive behaviours, based on our own school expectations, they earn tokens as rewards. We also refer to our 'Classroom Positive Behaviour for Learning Flowchart' if these behaviours are not demonstrated. These minor and major negative behaviours have consequences. Over the coming weeks, we will revisit these behaviours and their consequences

MINOR BEHAVIOURS (the next seven)

- *incorrect school uniform
- *be in the right place at the right time
- *talking behind others back
- *verbally putting others down-criticising others
- *rude comments
- *rolling of eyes/negative facial expressions
- *modelling bad/poor behaviours to other children

1st instance redirect student/intervene

2nd instance redirect/another intervention. Reminder about the expectation

3rd instance intervention, record on behaviour tracker and move to Major Behaviour

Jenny Keely REL

Calling all St Joseph's Dads

The next St Joseph's Dads Drinks will be held from 7pm on Friday 13 September at the Black Rock Yacht Club. Yes, that will be Friday the 13th, so if you get a little bit nervous around that date then maybe you need to be in a room with a bunch of fearless St Joe's men to protect you. And then we'll make you walk home in the dark by yourself just to harden you up!!! Here's hoping you can come along and join in the informal night and share a laugh with some of the other blokes from St Joseph's. And feel free to reach out to Ian Jones + Nick Harber + Sam Mannix + Paul Davys if you have any questions about this night. Otherwise, just turn up, we won't bite. Or will we....?

It's all happening tomorrow morning at St Joseph's for our Dad's.....

Dear Families,

The P & F encourage you to return your Father's Day raffle tickets by Friday morning at the very latest. The raffle will take place between 0830 and 0845. We have had some fabulous donations from local businesses. More tickets may be purchased on Friday during breakfast. There are a total of 13 hampers to be won. One hamper is valued at \$1000! Good luck.

Please remember to give \$5 to your child or each child to purchase a gift after Mass. We have a total of 200 gifts, so children may buy for Grandparents if they wish. The stall will take place between 1030 and 1100.

The menu is looking pretty good for our Dads. Brad from Howzit Brew will be serving complimentary hot drinks from 0745.

We are hoping most of you can join us for this fun, sociable morning. If you are attending mass then your child/ren can sit with you at mass

Regards,
P & F

The P & F would like to thank the following businesses for their contributions towards our Father's Day raffle:

Nick Harber (Coopers), Chris Greene (Porsche, Brighton), My Little Tribe (Photography), Amos Hair (Sandringham), Rebel Sport (Mentone), Woolworths, Coles, Dymocks, Bad Shepherd, Grill'd, Sandringham Golf, Bunnings, Big W, Squires Loft, The Sandy Hotel, Port of Call (Sandringham), Pierro's Meat (Highett), Burger Exchange (Black Rock), Harbour View restaurant, F45 training (Highett), The Hamptons Bakery, Phillipa's Bakery, Woodlands Golf, Dan Murphys, Regards(Black Rock) and Odo (Black Rock).

ONLINE LUNCH ORDERS ~ EVERY FRIDAY Please click on this link to place a lunch order

<https://classroomcuisine.com.au>

NUT & POTATO ALLERGY At St Joseph's we have a no sharing of food policy due to the number of students with severe life threatening allergies. In particular, we ask that you PLEASE DO NOT SEND NUTS OR NUT BASED PRODUCTS & POTATO CHIP TO SCHOOL.

ELECTRONIC SIGNING IN/OUT IPAD

Please remember to sign your child out of the school when leaving early. It is also necessary to sign in when arriving late. The electronic sign in/out ipad is located in the office on the bench.

SCHOOL HOURS

The school is responsible for the supervision of students from 8.45am. It is important to remember that staff who arrive early for school do so to prepare for the day and cannot do this as well as supervise early arrivals.

SECOND HAND UNIFORMS

Donations or enquiries contact Trisha McKean on 0423 979 745.

WORKING WITH CHILDREN CHECK

A reminder to all parents who wish to assist in the classrooms or on excursions that a WWCC is mandatory and should be displayed at all times when helping in the classroom or on excursions.

HEAD LICE - ONCE A WEEK TAKE A PEEK

Families please check your child's hair for Head Lice each Sunday before they return to school. Please treat immediately if head lice are found. Head lice numbers would be reduced if this quick check happened every week.

HEAD INJURIES

Any child who has a knock / bump to the head will have their parents notified as a precaution. All children who are treated in sickbay or on the playground are issued with a First Aid slip; however, often these are not seen by Parents. All staff is trained in first aid each year to Level 2, which should be very reassuring for parents, but we will not make decisions or judgments regarding head injuries.

STAFF MEETINGS

Will be held each Wednesday at 3.45pm. Please do not detain teachers on these days.



**LEARN NEW SKILLS
HAVE FUN
MAKE FRIENDS
WITH CRICKET!**

**FREE
"COME & TRY"
GIRLS CRICKET CLINICS**

WHAT: ALL GIRLS CRICKET INTRODUCTION
Two free cricket clinics
for girls aged between 9 - 16

WHEN: Thursday Nights in September!
5th & 12th Sept 2019

WHERE: Insportz Sandringham
247 Bay Rd, CHELTENHAM

TIME: 5.00pm - 6.00pm

CONTACT: Ellen McGrath
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M: 0400 085 838
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Cheltenham Park Cricket Club

★ Open day all ages ★

Sunday 8th September 2019

1.00pm – 5.00pm

Cheltenham Park Reserve @ The new clubhouse
(Park Rd, Cheltenham)

Free Sausage
sizzle!



We are 70 years strong. Be part of the new future with our Club!

- Tour our new clubhouse and amazing facilities
- Watch senior training
- Meet our coaches and committee
- Learn about our club's history
- Enquire about our Junior & Senior Programs



We offer junior and senior sides or support to form your own team! We play in grades to support all levels of ability.

A long standing family club and all are welcome, all ages!

GIRLS TEAM ENQUIRIES WELCOME!

Further Information contact Adam Trajer Junior Co-Ordinator
0412 403 162



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MIDNIGHT 8 SEPTEMBER!



Looking for a **Summer** activity that promotes having **fun**, making **friends** and being part of a team?

The team at **Sandringham Little Athletics** bring out the best in every child, by allowing the kids to learn, laugh and get fit through jumping, running, hopping, skipping and throwing, all the skills of little athletics.

Enrolments for the 2019/2020 season open **20 August 2019** for boys and girls aged 5-16 years.

Come and try the fun of athletics!

WHEN Saturday Mornings

TIME U6-U9 – 8.15am to 10.00am
U10-U16 – 9.45am to 12:00pm

MORE INFORMATION & TO JOIN
www.sandringhamlac.com.au