



St Joseph's School NEWSLETTER

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Dates to Remember

Term 2 27/4/16 to 1/7/16

Term 3 19/7/16 to 23/9/16

Term 4 11/10/16 to 9/12/16

Tuesday, May 24

DanceSport

Wednesday, May 25

Yr 3 Assembly

Thursday, May 26

Special Canteen Day

Book Swap

Altar Servers Workshop, 2pm—
3pm

Friday, May 27

Yr 6 attending Mass

Tuesday, May 31

DanceSport

Friday, June 3

Yr 6 Retreat

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Yr 3 & Yr 4 excursion

Monday, June 6

WA DAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY

Tuesday, June 7

DanceSport

Constable Care incursion

Wednesday, June 8

Yr 2 Assembly

MJR Award

Pam Corker Yr 3

Thursday, June 9

Family Maths Night

Friday, June 10

Yr 5 attending Mass

Sunday, June 12

Confirmation, 10am

Tuesday, June 14

DanceSport

Board Meeting, 5pm

P & F Meeting, 7pm

Wednesday, June 15

StartSmart Incursion

Friday, June 17

Yr 5 & Yr 6 excursion

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Tuesday, June 21

Dancesport

20th May 2016

Mission Statement

To provide an affordable, quality Catholic education.

Newsletter No: 7

Vision Statement

St Joseph's School, as an integral part of the Waroona Catholic Community,
is inspired by Christ's teachings.

We endeavour to nurture all children to grow as confident, independent, life-long learners, enabling them
to contribute to society with dignity, respect and a spirit of service.

From the Assistant Principal

Dear Parents/Guardians, Friends and Students of St Joseph's School,

Trinity Sunday: This weekend we celebrate the Feast of the Holy Trinity – Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Whenever we speak of the Trinity, we speak of the Father (God the Creator), the Son (Jesus the Word of God) and the Holy Spirit (breathing out of God). It was the Holy Spirit who kept Jesus in touch with God, constantly reminding Him of the things of God, prompting Him to do and say things of God. It was the Holy Spirit who reminded Jesus to keep in touch with God through prayer. We are filled with God's Spirit. He reminds us to do and say things of God in our world today. We are also reminded of the importance of keeping in touch with God through prayer.

You and I, each one of us, is called to be Trinity

Both to speak the wonderful words of God, and do them.

Bishop Myles McKeon RIP: Recently we were informed that the second Bishop of Bunbury, Bishop Myles McKeon passed away on the 2nd of May. He served as the Bishop of Bunbury from 1969 – 1982. "Bishop McKeon is well remembered as a kind and caring pastor. He was also one of the four Western Australian bishops who collaborated for the founding of the Catholic Education Commission and the Catholic Institution of Western Australia, both of which were unique in the world of that time." The funeral for Bishop Myles was held during the week at St Patrick's Cathedral. Kaid Baesjou, Morgan Deleo and I represented St Joseph's School.

Year 6 Camp: The Year 6 students, Mr Bienkowski and Miss Figueiredo have had a fantastic 5 days at camp. The students certainly enjoyed their time in Albany and having the opportunity to experience all the activities that were planned for them. I know they will be looking forward to catching up on some sleep and enjoying their own bed this evening. A huge thank you to Miss Figueiredo for all her planning and preparation and for making the camp so successful.

Prayer: Daily prayer is an important part of our school. Our classes learn and recite formal prayers and children are also given the opportunity to create their own prayers about things that are important to them. We encourage our students to use prayer for many reasons and not just when they want something! One way you could encourage prayer at home is to use Pope Francis' five finger prayer. He suggests that we use our fingers to remind us of what to pray for. Our thumb is often closest to us, so we pray for those close to us, such as family and friends. Our index, or pointer, finger reminds us to pray for those who point us in the right direction, such as parents, teachers and coaches. The third finger is the longest and tallest so use it to remind you to pray for the leaders of our school, community, parish and church. The ring finger is the weakest, so we pray for the sick, homeless, lonely and those living in poverty. Finally, our pinkies are used to make promises so we make a promise in prayer to do our best for God and our families.

Pope Francis' Five Finger Prayer



God Bless

Lisa Gallin - Assistant Principal

Striving In Faith



SCHOOL NEWS

Uniform Shop—We would also like to advise parents/guardians that there was a recent price increase from Perm-A-Pleat. We decided to not increase our prices until parents had purchased their winter uniform requirements. As from Monday, 30th May, the new prices will take effect. The new price list will be available on the school website, www.stjoeswaroona.wa.edu.au. We apologise for any inconvenience.

Staff Profile;

Name : Maxine Mulholland Role : Year One Teacher

Birthday: 23rd September Favourite Colour : Pink

Hobbies/Interests : Travelling, gardening, sewing and Reading

Favourite Food : Fruit in season, especially figs

Pets : Sheep, Chickens and a long haired Jack Russell named 'Scruffy'

A Proud Moment : My children graduating from university and all being gainfully employed

If I was a tree/animal/character, what would I be and why? A bird so I could be free to travel

3 words to describe myself : Quiet, patient, a listener

2 interesting facts about me : - I love travelling around the world to learn about indigenous cultures

- I love textiles, yarns and wool



Did you know.....

- We desperately need volunteers to work in the canteen on the following days; Friday, May 27, Tuesday, June 28 and Friday, July 1. Please see Mrs Brown in the office if you are available.
- We have a pair of brown sunglasses handed in at the office. They were left in the Josephite Centre in the last couple of weeks.
- We have a HP 940XL black printer cartridge for sale. Retail is normally \$45.00 and we are selling it at the bargain price of \$15.00. First one to come and see Mrs Della can have it.
- The recent Casuals For Catholics day raised \$156.20 which has been donated to the Diocese of Bunbury Bishop's Appeal.
- Thank you to Bianca Wilson (Huntah Yr1) for cooking her delicious chicken for the canteen and to Jen Stokes (Luke PP) for making her famous lasagnes and soup for this term!! We couldn't do it without you gorgeous ladies!!
- Our latest MJR recipient was Tia Baesjou in Year 6. Congratulations Tia! Unfortunately we were unable to interview her before she took Joseph to Albany for the Year 6 camp. Watch this space to hear about their adventures in the next newsletter.
- We have included a photo taken at the St Joseph's Feast Day with all of our visiting sisters. Maybe some parents and grandparents may recognise some familiar faces.



Parish News

Commencing in May, an additional Sunday Mass on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month will be held at 5:30pm. In May, the 5:30pm Mass will be on the 22nd May.

The 8:30am Mass will continue every Sunday morning.

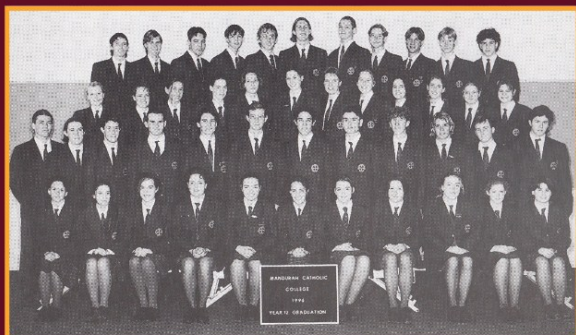
Altar Servers

May 22nd : Sophie & Mackenzie P, Elise C
May 29th : Ryleigh & Thomas S
June 5th : Angelina & William D

St Patrick's Church Cleaning Roster

May 20th : Ray & Jo Ann Vergone
May 27th : Rebecca Fiorenza & Family
June 3rd : Simone Fiorenza & Simone Magno

WHERE ARE THEY NOW?



Find out at our 20 year reunion!

Staff and past students who attended this class from 1992-1996 at Mandurah Catholic College are invited to celebrate the



'Class of 1996'

at 2pm on Saturday, 6 August 2016.
Meet under the tower at the front of the College for a guided tour, followed by light refreshments.
Partners are welcome, (no children please).

R.S.V.P. to Mrs Debbie Cole
cole.debbie@catholic.net.wa.edu.au or ph: 9531 9519

Jenny Regterschot, the school Piano Tutor, has a couple of times available for students wishing to learn Piano.

For further information,

Please contact Jenny direct

on 0402 014 147.

She is also willing to tutor adults!!



Waroona Karate

Traditional Shotokan Karate

Josephite Centre at

St Joseph's School, Waroona

Beginners class 5.30-6.30

Seniors class 6.30-7.30

Contact Gerry Freeman 0427331153

Or Anton Bombara 97331284

Ages 8 to 80 Welcome

1st lesson is free



CANTEEN ROSTER

Tuesday, May 24: Peter LeRoy, Jen Stokes
Friday, May 27 : Pat Dunne, Naomi Edwards
Tuesday, May 31 : Lidia T.T, Jen Deleo, Katie Simpson
Friday, June 3 : Gloria Snell, Harrena Platell

Please make sure you write your child's year number on their lunch orders.

UNIFORM SHOP

The uniform shop will be open every Monday between **8:40am—9:40am during school term**. If you need to order something outside of the usual uniform day and hour, please fill in an order form (either collect one from the office or download from the school website) and leave it with full payment (correct money if paying by cash) in the office. The uniform shop volunteers will fill the order when they are in on the next Monday, sending the items home with your eldest child. "Buy & Sell Waroona School Uniforms" is a Facebook page set up for Waroona schools second hand uniforms also.

We have now received in our winter stock and the red library bags too!!

Eftpos facilities are available

A copy of the school uniform policy can be found at;
http://www.stjoeswaroona.wa.edu.au/app/webroot/js/tiny_mce/plugins/filemanager/files/Uniform_and_Grooming_Policy_2014.pdf

ART ROOM ANTICS

It has been a hive of activity in the Art room this term. We have been focussing on Process Art this term in the lower grades – looking at artwork that takes time to complete over a number of steps, using a variety of mediums. In the upper grades, we have been looking at different forms of art and completing an assignment based on recent units of art that we have completed. These assignments have been over a number of weeks and as you can see, GOOD ART TAKES TIME!



The Year Ones have been learning about insects in class this term. We made bees using collage materials and used Mrs Fuller's old pool blanket and paint to make a print for the honeycomb.

The Year Twos have been learning about the Sea in class this term. We learned how to draw seahorses step by step and painted using tempera paint pallettes.





The Year Threes have been learning about complimentary colours this term in Art. We learned how to draw a spider web and coloured them in a pattern using complimentary colours. Can you tell what the complimentary colours are?

The Year Fours have been learning about the colour wheel this term in Art. They created a warm sun & cool moon picture using tempera paint and have been working on their weaving skills.



The Year Fives have been learning about the artist James Rizzi this Term. They completed assignments based on inspiration from Rizzi's artwork. These took 4 weeks to complete and look FANTASTIC!



The Year Sixes have been learning about Optical Illusion Art and have created their own optical illusion.



Altar Servers Workshop

Thursday 26th May 2.00 -3.00pm

St Patrick Church Waroona

Facilitated by Fr Jay, Kerry Shore and Sharon Hannah.

Parents of children are encouraged to attend.

Parents if you are unable to attend, could you please pick up your child promptly, as children will only be released in to the care of an adult or placed directly on the bus.