



St Joseph's School NEWSLETTER

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Dates to Remember

Term 3 18/07/17—22/09/17

Term 4 10/10/17—08/12/17

TERM 3

Monday, July 17

PUPIL FREE DAY

Monday, July 24

The NED Show Incursion,
1:45—2:30pm

Tuesday, July 25

First Eucharist Parent &
Candidate Meeting, 6pm

Wednesday, July 26

Grandparents Day Mass (Yr 5)
and Morning Tea, 9am

Thursday, July 27

NAIDOC Week Cultural Day &
Incursion

Friday, July 28

Newsletter
NAIDOC Free Dress
NAIDOC liturgy

Sunday, July 30

First Eucharist Commitment
Mass, 8:30am

Monday, July 31

NED Playzone
NAPLAN Online Trial, Yr 3

Wednesday, August 2

Assembly (News) Yr 3

Thursday, August 3

Yr 4 First Eucharist Retreat

Monday, August 7

St Johns First Aid Course,
Yrs 4—6

Tuesday, August 8

St Johns First Aid Course,
Yrs K—3
St Mary of the Cross Mass,
Yr 3, 9am
Yr 5 BRLA
Board Meeting, 5pm
P & F Meeting, 7pm

30th June 2017

Mission Statement

To provide an affordable, quality Catholic education.

Newsletter No: 10

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 Principal

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

*"We thank you Lord, for this term. For the challenges, the successes, and the mistakes from which we have learnt.
Be with us as we spend our time with family and friends. Guide us to be peacemakers in our family, and to always
be conscious of you in our lives. Keep us safe in our activities; give us good rest and good fun. Bring us back
refreshed and ready for a new term. Amen."*

Reports: This week, every child in Years PP-6 would have received their First Semester report and work sample book to take home. I hope that you can celebrate with your child his/her learning gains and support them, in conjunction with the school, in the areas that may provide challenges. I would like to thank the classroom teachers for their hard work and the time spent in writing the reports. Below are a few reminders to consider when evaluating the reports and your child's progress:

- All children learn different things at different rates.
- One of the most important gradings on the report is the effort that is indicated for each Key Learning Area.

Please go through the report with your child. If your child is not doing his/her personal best, then it is a wonderful opportunity to encourage them to improve in the given areas.

- These reports give you an overview of your child's progress for the first two terms of this year.
- Use the report as a tool to improve your child's learning and set some personal goals with your child to achieve their personal best!

Staffing: As of yesterday, Mrs Langan has taken Parental Leave in preparation for the birth of her second child in August. I know that you will join me in wishing Mrs Langan, Tadgh and Annie every blessing as they await their bundle of joy. It will be wonderful to see Mrs Langan when she comes to visit some time next term with her baby. As a result, Mrs Jenny Gorman will be teaching Physical Education, and we welcome to St Joseph's Mrs Naomi Zappia, who will be teaching Music and Mrs Nila Poasa, who will be the new Curriculum and Support Coordinator within the school for the remainder of the year. If you see the new staff around the school, please introduce yourself and make them feel welcome.

Sacrament of Holy Communion Parent & Candidate Meeting: There will be a parent and candidate meeting held in the school library on Tuesday 25th July commencing at 6pm. It is essential that all candidates and at least one parent attends this important meeting.

Sacrament of Holy Communion Commitment Mass: The Holy Communion Commitment Mass will take place on Sunday 30th July commencing at 8:30am. All candidates and their parents must attend this Mass and commit to the Sacramental program.

Grandparents' Day Mass & Morning Tea: There will be a 'Grandparents' Day Mass and Morning Tea' to be held on Wednesday 26th July commencing at 9am in the Church. This will be followed by a morning tea to be held in the school library. Invitations from the students to their grandparents requesting their attendance to this special celebration will be sent home early in Term 3.

NAIDOC Celebrations: To celebrate NAIDOC Week, which occurs in the 1st week of the July holidays, the school will be hosting an Aboriginal VR incursion on Thursday 27th July. There will be a NAIDOC Liturgy held at school on Friday 28th July and students will be permitted to wear free dress on this day – further details will be provided at the beginning of Term 3.

Thank You: Congratulations to Maddy Thaw (Year 6/PE) and Amaya Durnin (Year 1) who have completed their practicum here at St Joseph's. Thank you for being part of our school and I know the students will miss you both very much. We wish you the very best in your future teaching career.



Happy Holidays: I'd like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for an incredibly fast-paced and full term and I wish you all a relaxing and enjoyable holiday. School will resume for all students in K-6 on **Tuesday 18th July.**

Travis Bienkowski - Principal

Striving In Faith

3 Year Old Aboriginal Program

The Books in Homes Program enables communities to immerse themselves in books and helps to foster a love for reading. Building up a collection of books in homes is going a long way to changing attitudes towards reading and literature. Crucial early literacy engagement and the development of reading skills is needed for lifelong success.

On Wednesday, our Aboriginal Playgroup hosted their Book Giving Assembly. We celebrate each term with a community event, and it is wonderful to see parents sitting down to read with their children. Each family chooses three books per term along with a sturdy, waterproof bag. The books are new, bright and shiny and the children are very excited to receive their new books!

The Families as First Teachers (Aboriginal Playgroup) program runs on Wednesday afternoons and Friday mornings at St Joseph's and is an early learning and family support program for Indigenous families. Our Aboriginal Teaching Assistant, Mrs Jennifer Turner, involves the families in activities which have an emphasis both on child and adult learning. Mrs Turner facilitates adult-child interactions through reading and games, enriched care-giving and language priority. For further information about the program, please contact Jennifer Turner at St Joseph's, Waroona on 97826500.



Making Jesus Real



*Religion is easy. Every time you smile, say please, thank you or sorry, help someone by picking up pencils when they fall on the floor, open a door for someone, give a compliment—you are **LIVING** your religion.*

It's part of your life—it's part of who you are.

*In other words, you are living out being **WEST**.*

Did you know.....

- At Aussie sports, our students have been wearing the Waroona Demons football jumpers which have been kindly donated to the school by the Junior Football Club.
- When God solves your problems, you have faith in His abilities. When God doesn't solve your problems, He has faith in your abilities.
- Nate H (PP) told Mrs Brown that he helped out Mrs Birch, the cleaner, by picking up all of the paper off the boys toilet floor. Good job Nate!
- It's always darkest before the dawn. So if you're going to steal your neighbour's newspaper, that's the time to do it!
- The 3 Year Olds had a great time last week pretending they were pirates! Ahoy there me hearties!!
- Kaikuyu is a type of grass. Mrs Young really likes it.
- Yesterday the staff came dressed in either pink or blue to show what gender they thought Mrs Langan's new baby will be. Do you agree with them??



Parish Mass Times

SATURDAY: 6.00 pm **SUNDAY:** 8.30am

WEEKDAYS: Wednesday & Friday 9am Waroona

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE: 3rd & 4th Sundays, 8.00am Waroona

Parish Priest: Fr Jayan Johnson HGN, Phone 9733 1225

Altar Servers

July 2nd : Nicholas D, Morgan D, Taylah P
July 9th : Sophie & Mackenzie P, Mikaylee M
July 16th : Marl A, Lily & Indi D

St Patrick's Church Cleaning Roster

No roster at this time



St. Joseph's School Waroona

- Taking enrolments for 2018

- New music program (guitar, ukulele, keyboard)

- Jumping Joey's 3 Year Old Playgroup



For more enquires

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JULY HOLIDAY CAMPS

Register Now: mandurah.basketball.net.au in the NEWS section, CLICK on story to enrol

MINI MAGIC CAMP

4 – 8 years of age

July 12, 13 and 14th, 9am – 11am daily

Perfect for beginners to the sport, learn basketball skills and drills in a fun, friendly environment.

Bring a snack and water!

Camp Cost: 3 days with bonus Singlet.

Activity Book and Pencils only \$90.00

Daily Fee: \$25.00



Nici
&
Carty

Rick
&
Win

BASKETBALL BOOTCAMP

9 years and over

July 12, 13 and 14th, 1pm – 3pm daily

Let our Imports whip you into shape! Fitness, agility, skills and drills sessions to show you how to workout READY for court action! Followed up with on court ball skills and games.

YOU DO NOT WANT TO MISS OUT ON THIS CAMP

Camp Cost: 3 days with Bonus Singlet, Rection Ball and

Wet Paint only \$95.00

Daily Fee: \$30.00



For more information contact us on 9534 7908 or email development@mandurahmagic.com.au



CANTEEN ROSTER

Tuesday, July 18: NO CANTEEN
Friday, July 21 : Justine McAlinden, Jen Stokes
Tuesday, July 25 : Rochelle Jenkinson, Nessa Wildman, Jeanette Stampone
Friday, July 28 : Megan LeRoy, Belinda Curtis, Craig Barr

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.

Eftpos facilities are available

A copy of the school uniform policy can be found on the school website at : www.stjoeswaroona.wa.edu.au.

New Opportunities for Women

52771WA – Certificate I in New Opportunities for Women



The NOW program will provide you with the information and skills you need to explore your future options regarding entering or re-entering the workforce, vocational training and further education with the aim to increase your confidence and raise your self esteem

You will learn

- Enhance your self-confidence
- Develop your employability skills
- Find new directions and set goals for the future
- Enhance your communication skills
- Develop your computer skills
- Improve your ability to deal with math's
- Equip you to apply for jobs and improve your interview responses

Training Pathways

On completion of this course women will have a better understanding of what opportunities are available in the workforce, pursue a career or use the course as an introduction to further study.

Additional Requirements

There is no formal entrance requirements specified for the Certificate I in New Opportunities for Women (NOW) however, learners need to have sufficient oral and written language and literacy skills to be able to cope with the requirements of the program.

Course commences

17th July 2017

Duration

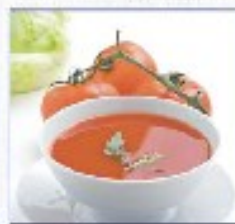
17 weeks (Monday & Wednesday (9am – 3pm)

Venue

St Joseph's Catholic Primary - Waroona

Lecturer: Linda Noonan | Linda.Noonan@srtafe.wa.edu.au
Harvey Campus | Harvey@srtafe.wa.edu.au | Call (08) 9780 7050

Recipe Request Form



At St Joseph's School, Waroona we are publishing our very own COOKBOOK!

The P&F is delighted to announce that we are professionally publishing our very own stylish cookbook.

We chose this project because it can involve all our children, their families and staff. We will produce a very special cookbook full of your most loved family favourites (from quick & easy weeknight dinners to special birthday desserts), and because it will make a truly beautiful and personalised gift for your family and friends.

Please help us compile this wonderful cookbook by submitting your favourite family recipes. We hope to receive recipes from ALL families.

It is SO simple to submit your recipes!

1. Go to the www.PublishedAuthors.com.au website and submit your recipes using their really quick and easy online template.

Don't delay, as submissions will close Tuesday, 18th July 2017

- a. We encourage you to submit more than one recipe, as we may delete duplicate recipes.
 - b. Don't have access to the internet? Just give us your recipe & we'll try to find a volunteer to enter it for you.
2. We will soon distribute order forms so you can pre-order your copies of this very special cookbook.
 3. Why not advertise your business in our cookbook?
 - a. Email Tessa - ziagi456@yahoo.com.au for advertising rates and enquiries.

Pre Primary News!

The PPs have been very busy this term! Let us tell you a bit about what we have been doing:

English- We have been learning all about the skills we need for reading and writing by practising our sounds, digraphs and playing sight word games. Every week we enjoy reading a new big book as a class. We participate in many activities surrounding the theme of that book including art and craft, writing, role plays and even cooking on Wednesdays with Mama Maria, our Italian master chef! The PPs believe Mama Maria and Mrs Vitale have a striking resemblance, but I personally don't see it!



Maths- We have been learning all about numbers to ten, discovering where we can find 2D and 3D shapes in the real world, and matching everyday events to specific days of the week!



Investigations- The PPs are extremely creative and have made some wonderful constructions over the term. They have also been very interested in growing flowers, vegetables, and herbs in our garden centre. We have even had some wonderful parent helpers to assist us in making a garden wall using recycled milk cartons which we appreciate very much!

