



St Joseph's School NEWSLETTER

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Dates to Remember

Term 1 31/01/18—13/04/18
Term 2 30/04/18—29/06/18
Term 3 16/07/18—21/09/18
Term 4 09/10/18— TBC

Monday, April 9

School Nurse visit
Camp Australia Meeting, 9am
Parent/Teacher Meetings,
2:30pm

Tuesday, April 10

Yr 6 Leadership Day
Board Meeting, 5pm
P & F Meeting, 7pm

Wednesday, April 11

Interschool Swimming Carnival

Friday, April 13

Mass, 9am
MJR Award
ANZAC Day Liturgy, Yr 4, 11am
Last day of Term 1

Monday, April 30

First Day of Term 2

Thursday, May 3

First Eucharist Parent /
Candidate meeting, 6pm

Friday, May 4

National Story Dogs Day (**dress
in orange, gold coin donation**)
News Assembly—Yr 6

Sunday, May 6

First Eucharist Commitment
Mass, 8:30am

Tuesday, May 8

St Joseph's Feast Day Mass,
75th School Anniversary
Board Meeting, 5pm
P & F Meeting, 7pm

Thursday, May 10

P & F Mother's Day stall
Yr 4 MCC Taster Day

Friday, May 11

Newsletter, Yr 1
Mother's Day Mass, Yr 3, 9am
Winter Sports, Yrs 5 & 6 @
Carcoola

Sunday, May 13

Mother's Day

Monday, May 14

NAPLAN Week

Friday, May 18

News Assembly, Yr 2
MJR Award

6th April 2018

Mission Statement

To provide an affordable, quality Catholic education.

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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,

"For the sake of His sorrowful Passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world. Amen."

Welcome: To Timmothy Drage (Year 3) and his mother, Stephanie & Piper Armstrong (Year 1) and her mother, Natasha, to the school community. Both students commenced this week at St Joseph's and they have been well looked after by their classmates.

Parent/Teacher Interviews: Parent/teacher interviews will be conducted on Monday 9th April. This is a very important part of our reporting process and the staff look forward to having a quality conversation with you about your child's progress, their achievements and future development. A note has been sent home for families to choose interview timeslots. Please ensure this form is returned to school as soon as possible. Each interview time will be strictly 10 minutes in duration. Please be punctual so that interviews run on time, the next family is not kept waiting and teachers can finish all their interviews by 7.00pm.

Whole School Mass: There will be a Whole School Mass to conclude Term 1, on Friday 13th April commencing at 9am in the Church. At this Mass, the school will acknowledge and farewell Mrs Lyn Della Franca who is retiring after 34 years involvement with the school. The P&F is organising a morning tea for Mrs Della Franca after Mass which will be held in the school Library.

Camp Australia Parent Meeting: There will be an information meeting held by Camp Australia for all interested parents on Monday 9th April at 9:00am in the school Library. This is a wonderful opportunity for parents to learn more about the before and after school program and ask questions.

Faction & Interschool Swimming Carnivals: Congratulations to **LEAH** (574), for winning this year's Faction Swimming Carnival. Well done also to **CLAUDE** (530) and **ELIZABETH** (526). Well done to everyone for the wonderful way in which you participated in all the events and for the excellent sportsmanship shown throughout the day. A big thank you to Miss Rimmer for organising a great carnival and to all the parents and staff for their support on the day. I wish all those students selected to represent the school for the first time at the Interschool Swimming Carnival on Wednesday 11th April the very best. Congratulations on being selected for the team.

Easter Hat Parade & P&F Easter Egg Raffle: Congratulations to all the winners of this year's Easter Egg Raffle and Hat Parade. A big thank you to our P&F for organising this fundraising event and to the wonderful ladies who gave their time to wrap the prizes – A job well done!
1st prize : Ethan Edwards, 2nd Prize : Luke Stokes, 3rd Prize : Oliver Barr



SCHOOL NEWS

ANZAC Day Liturgy: The whole school will partake in an ANZAC Day Liturgy on Friday 13th April at 11am. The Liturgy will be led by our Year 4 class. Everyone is also invited to attend the community ANZAC Day Parade and Service to be held at the War Memorial commencing at 11.00am on Wednesday 25th April. Several of our senior students will lay a wreath on behalf of St Joseph's and recite a poem during the service.

MJR Award: The next MJR Award winner will be announced after the Whole School Mass on Friday 13th April.

P&F Meeting: All parents and friends are very welcome to attend the next P&F meeting on Tuesday, 10th April at 7pm. I look forward to seeing you at the meeting on Tuesday.

First Eucharist Parent & Candidate Meeting & Commitment Mass: There will be a parent and candidate meeting held in the school library on Thursday 3rd May commencing at 6pm (Week 1, Term 2). It is essential that all candidates and at least one parent attends this important meeting. The First Eucharist Commitment Mass will take place on Sunday 6th May commencing at 8:30am. All candidates and their parents must attend this Mass and commit to the Sacramental program.

St Joseph's Feast Day Mass & Celebrations: On Tuesday 8th May, there will be a Whole School Mass commencing at 11am in the Church to celebrate the Feast of St Joseph. The P&F will provide staff and students with a sausage sizzle lunch and an ice cream. To finish off the festivities, the students will partake in tabloid sports events. Once again, there will be a colouring-in competition with one lucky entrant per year level, winning a free lunch from the canteen. Entries will be given out in the first week of Term 2.

Coles Sports for Schools: Thank you everyone for your tremendous support in collecting Coles tokens to help support St Joseph's School in acquiring new sport equipment. It's now time to send in any outstanding tokens. Tuesday 10th April is the last day the school can accept tokens.

As this is the final newsletter for the Term, I would like to wish all our families a safe and enjoyable holiday break. Term 2 recommences on Monday 30th April.

Travis Bienkowski - Principal

Striving In Faith

SCHOENSTATT MAY PILGRIMAGE

Sunday May 6 2018, 2.30pm-4.30pm, 9 Talus Drive Mt Richon; www.schoenstattwa.org.au Phone 9399 2349

Come to honour Mary our Mother in the Marian month of May. Rosary procession; reflection with hymns to Mary; Benediction. You are welcome to bring your Pilgrim Mother Shrine and flowers for Mary.



STAFF PROFILE:

Name: Naomi Zappia

Birthday: 17th March

Role: Mrs Fuller's Other Half (Yr 2)

Favourite colour: Purple & Green

Hobbies/Interests: Travelling, reading, visiting friends and family

Favourite food: Cheesecake and BBQ chips

Pets: Scooby—the Labrador retriever and Misty—the Mini-lop bunny

A Proud Moment: Becoming a mum!

If I was a tree/animal/character, what would I be and why? I would be a tree, strong, dependable and useful

3 words to describe myself: Honest, friendly and a good listener

2 interesting facts about me: I have visited over 10 different countries

I wanted to be a journalist and work for 60 Minutes and travel the world!



YEAR OF YOUTH 2018

Introduction to Australian Year of Youth 2018;
www.youtube.com/watch?v=-TloGCra7HI

Theme Song;
www.youtube.com/watch?v=8YRrEqGSNQ

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

April 8th : -
April 15th : Lily & Indi D Franca
April 22nd : -

St Patrick's Church Cleaning Roster

April 7th : Karen Odorisio
April 14th : John & Judy Smallcomb
April 21st : Lucy Anzellino & Jeannie Turner

YOUTH FEST 2018

WAROONA SKATE PARK

Friday, 13th April 2018
4pm - 8pm

FREESTYLE SKATE | ZORB BALLS | SPIDER MOUNTAIN | COMPETITIONS | BOUNCY CASTLES | PRIZES | MUSIC | HEALTH PROMOTION STALLS | GIVEAWAYS | OUTDOOR BASKETBALL | FREE SAUSAGE SIZZLE | FREQ DOCKERS OBSTACLE COURSE | AND MUCH MUCH MORE!



Youth Week WA 2018



FAMILY SUPPORT SERVICE

SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM

FOR KIDS AGED 6—12

WEDNESDAY 18TH APRIL —10AM—2PM

Wild & Wonderful



COME & EXPLORE THE WORLD OF WEIRD & WONDERFUL AUSTRALIAN WILDLIFE



CREATURES ON DISPLAY

ART & CRAFTS

CREEPY CRAWLY CUPCAKES



COST: \$2.00 PER PERSON - INCLUDES MORNING TEA & LUNCH

**WHERE: WAROONA COMMUNITY RESOURCE CENTRE
10 HENNING STREET WAROONA**

CALL EARLY TO RESERVE YOUR PLACE - 9733 2902 OR 9733 3011

LIMITED PLACES AVAILABLE!



CANTEEN ROSTER

Tuesday, April 10 : Rebecca Whitbread,
Friday, April 13 : NO CANTEEN
Tuesday, May 1 : Jeanette Stampone, Cassy Newman, Stephanie Drage
Friday, May 4 : NO CANTEEN
Tuesday, May 8 : Simone Magno, Lisa Rowland, Sandra Stampone

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.

We are seeking a volunteer willing to spend a few hours on a Monday morning helping in the Uniform Shop. Contact the office if you are interested.

Pre-Primary Newsletter Item

Investigations

The PPs have had plenty of fun disassembling and reassembling things in the tinkering corner, exploring with natural materials and experimenting at the science and nature table, building amazing constructions in the block corner and using their imagination for dramatic play in the home corner.



English

We have been learning how to sound out each sound in a word in order to read. This is called blending! We play many fun games to help us learn this skill such as clapping and saying each sound we hear in a word, or jumping through hoops for each sound we say in a word. We are getting so good at this!!

Maths

The PPs have been learning all about numbers to 10 this term. Not only can we count the number forwards and backwards, but we can match amounts to each number and we are even getting better at identifying numbers that come just before or after a certain number. There's so much to learn about our numbers! We have also been exploring 2D and 3D shapes and recognising these shapes in our everyday environments!



Easter

The Easter Bunny visited the PP class this year and boy were we excited!!!

It has been a fabulous Term and we look forward to having even more fun throughout the rest of the year!

