

St Joseph's College Newsletter

27 April 2012

Term 2 - Week 1

IMPORTANT DATES COMING UP

Thur 3 May

- Middle School Parent Teacher Interviews

Fri 4 May

- P&F Disco

Mon 7 - 9 May

- JS Book Fair
Cunningham Block

Tues 8 May

- P&F Meeting 7.15pm
Staff Room

Wed 9 - 11 May

- Year 6 Camp

Thur 11 May

- Yr 8-12 Bendigo Bank
Netball Carnival

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

Direct Deposits Welcome

Please enquire -

Business Manager

Mrs Marion Leonhardt

ANZAC PRAYER

On this day, above all days, we recall those who did not return to receive the welcome and gratitude of their nations:

those who still sleep where they fell:

in the valleys and ridges of Gallipoli:

on the rocky terraced hills of Palestine:

in the lovely cemeteries of France:

in the shimmering haze of the Libyan desert, of Bardia, Tobruk:

amid the mountain passes and olive groves of Greece and Crete;

the rugged, snow capped hills of Syria:

the rich jungle of Malaya, New Guinea, the Pacific Islands and Vietnam.

amid loving friends in England and in our own Far North and in many an

unknown resting-place in almost every land and sea.

We think of those of our women's services who gave their lives in our own and foreign lands, and particularly those who proved in much more than name, to be the sisters of our fighting men. We think of them all this day.

Amen



FROM THE PRINCIPAL

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



Welcome back to Term Two and to our first electronic edition of our College Newsletter.

Thank you to students and families that supported the College involvement in ANZAC Day commemorations.

*Head Boy and Head Girl
Jake Smith and Mollie Forbes
prepare to lay a wreath*



Staff began the Term with Professional Development Days. On Monday St Bernard's Kojonup, St Matthews, Narrogin and St Patrick's, Katanning joined our staff for input from Catholic Education Office staff on the Australian Curriculum. This was a great opportunity to discover more and work collaboratively with our colleagues.

Middle School parents: a reminder about the Parent Teacher Meetings next week: an important follow up to the Interim Report.

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PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

QCS Survey Forms

The Quality Catholic School survey forms will be sent out to families within the next ten days. The families (25 per year level) are randomly selected.

If you receive an envelope, I would urge you to complete the survey, it will help inform us for our Quality Catholic School Review process and make our great school even better!

B Hall

Mr Bradley Hall - Principal

COLLEGE NOTICES

Winter Uniform

With the commencement of Term Two students are required to wear their winter College Uniform. Please refer to the Student College Diary for Winter Uniform requirements.



Coming Soon ...
BOOK FAIR
SHOWTIME
Your Ticket to Read!
Mon 7 & Tues 8 May
8.15-8.45am & 3-3.30pm
Wednesday 9 May
8.15-8.45am (morning only)
IN THE CUNNINGHAM BLOCK

JUNIOR SCHOOL NEWS

Illustrator to Visit the Library

The Library has invited a local Illustrator, Colin Montefiore, to come to the Year Three to Year Six library classes next week to do a workshop. He will describe some of his artistic techniques and give the students a chance to have a go.

Colin has illustrated the book "He's my Dad" for a local author Leanne White.
Mrs Jude Wiegele - Librarian



MIDDLE SCHOOL NEWS

Can You Help?

Wanted beanbags and floor rugs for the two Year Seven class rooms. Donations would be put to good use and most appreciated.



PARENTS & FRIENDS NEWS

It's **bin** a great break, so lets do something **wheelie** fun soon...



The St Joseph's College P & F Association presents the **2012 Disco GLOW Party**

Friday 4 May
(Week 2 Term 2)

St Joseph's Gymnasium

5.30pm – 7pm (Years 1 to 6*)

7.30pm – 9pm (Years 7 and up)

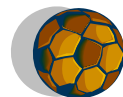
(*Years 1 – 3 must have a parent/guardian stay)

Tickets \$5 each (available from the P&F Ladies around the College now (no door sales)

Refreshments and plenty of glow products will be on sale on the night.

**Parents/guardians must collect children at the door.*

WEEKEND SPORT



St Joseph's Soccer Club

Our Club is on

Canteen Roster

Saturday, 5 May 2012

It would be much appreciated if parents could provide cakes, slices etc on the day and assist with running the Canteen.

Forms will be given out to players through their classrooms.



Any queries please contact:
Angela Paratore on 0439 204 709.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Encounter days for Youth & 10-12 Year olds - Pemberton

Friday 1 June 2012: 10-12 year olds; Sat 2nd June : 13-17 year olds. Run by NET, a dynamic group of young people (see www.netministries.com.au).

A time of fun and faith and a wonderful opportunity to meet others who share your faith. We'd love to see you there! For accommodation and further information please ring Br Robert on 9776 1734.

