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Year 3

Gursimar
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Term 1 Week 1
Tuesday 31 January

St Joseph’s School

ENCLOSURE
Building Relationships

DIARY DATES

Week 2
Tuesday 7 February
7.30 – 8.30am Swimming training at Payneham Pool
7.30pm P&F Meeting in the Staff Room – all welcome

Wednesday 8 February
7.30 – 8.30am Swimming training at Payneham Pool

Friday 10 February
9.15am Beginning of Year Community Mass

Week 3
Tuesday 14 February
7.30 – 8.30am Swimming training at Payneham Pool

Wednesday 15 February
7.30 – 8.30am Swimming training at Payneham Pool
6pm School Board Meeting

Thursday 16 February
5.30pm Out of School Hours
Sport Coaching Meeting in Staff Room

UPCOMING EVENTS

SCHOOL TOUR
9.15am Tuesday 21 February

ASH WEDNESDAY
Wednesday 22 February

SAPSASA Swimming Carnival
Wednesday 7 March

SPORTS DAY
23 March

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Parent Bulletin
Dear Parents, Students and Friends

Hello to the school community of St Joseph’s. I am Leonie De Garis, your Principal for 2012. I feel very privileged to be joining the community of St Joseph’s for 2012. I have recently completed five years as Principal of St Catherine’s School, Stirling. Prior to this I spent a number of years as teacher, teacher librarian and then Deputy Principal at St Francis of Assisi School, Newton.

Last week I was warmly welcomed by the staff and through working with them I am impressed at the commitment and dedication they display. This professional group have all spent an intensive time in preparation for the year and have shown the high level of teaching and learning that occurs here at St Joseph’s.

A warm welcome to all our students and families on your return to school. I am very much looking forward to meeting and working together with you this year. A special warm welcome to our new families joining us for the first time, with many in our PreSchool and Reception as well as other year levels. I hope you enjoy a memorable time with us in the years ahead. I thoroughly enjoyed meeting a number of parents at our welcoming morning tea yesterday. Thank you for joining the leadership team as we begin the new year.

I would also like to warmly welcome the following staff to St Joseph’s; Irene Anibaldi – PreSchool teacher, Lucy Centofanti co-teaching in Year 4 and Year 2 and Mandy Carfora Education Support Officer.

Next week’s Parent Bulletin will include a handy term calendar for all families. We are hoping this will provide detailed dates of forthcoming events and could be a useful addition to display on the fridge!

I was concerned to hear of the inconveniences to you all in regard to purchasing school books this year. We have been in contact with Wooldridges and are working through the issues that occurred. As you will see in Tess Harford’s section of the newsletter she has explained in depth the learning taking place in the school over the next two weeks which will reduce the need for all children to access their stationary. This will provide us time to rectify the problems. Thank you for your patience.

I hope to meet many of you during the next few weeks and do not hesitate to contact me if necessary.

With best wishes

Ms Leonie De Garis
Principal

From the Deputy Principal

Dear Parents, Students and Friends

It’s great to be back! I had a restful holiday, catching up with family and friends plus doing all those odd jobs that I don’t have time to do during the school term. I actually turned 50 on the last day of Term Four and I had a number of lovely celebrations. This significant event has made me think about my life, its purpose and the future. Also about how much coffee I drink but that’s another story!! There is no doubt in my mind that God wanted me to be in this school to serve you and to do the best for the children in our care. For me the bonus is that I enjoy being part of this community so much that at times it doesn’t feel like work!

Included with the Parent Bulletin this week is information about the teaching and learning program for the first two weeks of this term, I encourage you to read it and talk to your children about what is happening in their rooms. We take our responsibility seriously here at St Joseph’s and it is our aim to develop resilient global citizens who can take their place in the big wide world one day and who will make a difference.

I look forward to catching up with you over the coming weeks.

Keep smiling

Tess Harford
Deputy Principal

2012 BOOKLIST

We are aware that there have been a number of issues with Wooldridges this year. Please do not worry if you haven’t been able to collect stationary packs yet. We are in contact with Wooldridges and hope all will be sorted out soon. We will inform you of the outcome and finalise issues as soon as possible. If you have any concerns please do not hesitate to contact the school on 8337 6044.

From the APRIM

Welcome to this New Year. I hope you are well, happy and hopeful! I look forward to working with your children and family, for the growth of our Community and the greater good.

A BLESSING FOR THE NEW YEAR

May you be blessed with love, grace and wisdom; that you would be kind to those you work for, listening deeply and using gentle, peaceful, healing words in times of adversity.
May you be blessed with humility; that you may act out consideration and service to humanity and the earth. May you be blessed with Sacred Presence; that you may have deep faith and cultivate the art of presence … taking longer, loving looks at what is.

Celebations
The first Eucharist celebration to begin this new school year is a whole-school Mass this Friday 10 February at 9:15am in the Church of Annunciation.

Hectorville Catholic Community News
We celebrate two important milestones in the Community this year. The 150th Anniversary of the first Church of Annunciation and the 50th Anniversary of the existing Church of Annunciation. There are three key events planned to celebrate these milestones and the faith and life shared by many over this time:

1. Retreat, starting on Sunday 5 February from 2:30pm – 5pm in the HCC Community Hall. There are pamphlets in the Front Office that outline the format and topics of the retreat. The retreat concludes with a social gathering on Saturday 17 March in the Hall.

2. A Community Dinner Dance on Saturday 21 April in the HCC Hall.

3. An Elvis Show on Sunday 29 April from 12noon - 4pm.

Let us come together and support our Community with gratitude and in prayer!

Michael Proctor
APRIM

REMINdERS
Punctuality and Absence
Regular attendance at school is essential. Parents are asked to report absences from school by ringing the school Front Office by 9:15am on the day the student is absent. This is to be followed with a written note upon the student’s return to school.

Yard Supervision
Yard Supervision is provided from 8:30am until 8:40am and from 3:10pm until 3:30pm (on Wednesdays from 2:50pm until 3:10pm). No supervision can be provided, nor responsibility taken, for children before 8.30am and after 3.30pm except when special permission is given for extra-curricular activities. Students who arrive before 8.30am, or remain after 3.30pm, will be taken to, and cared for by Out of School Hours Care (OSHC). Parents are charged for the use of OSHC.

Parking
Parents please note that parking is prohibited in the Staff Car Park located next to the front oval as it is unsafe for families who use this walkway. Families are asked to use the Montacute Road Car Park.

Pay Office Hours
Please note that payment of school fees and other payments can be made **Monday to Thursday** to Mrs Mary Russo, located under the Year 2 veranda.

WELLBEING
A smile is a curve that sets everything straight.
Welcome to the beginning of the 2012 school year. I hope the holidays were spent doing things your family enjoys.

My role as Wellbeing Coordinator involves providing short term support for the social and/or emotional wellbeing of students at St Joseph’s School Hectorville. As Wellbeing Coordinator I am someone students can share concerns with, work through strategies and possible solutions, clarify issues, monitor wellbeing, challenge thoughts and help resolve conflicts and more. Wellbeing support is offered in a variety of ways including working with individual students, groups, classroom support when required and with staff and parents/caregivers.

Access to wellbeing support is by referral - this can be from staff, parents/caregivers or self-referral by students. Referral forms are available at the Front Office or by request from staff and myself. Alternatively a note can be placed in the mailbox in the Wellbeing Coordinator door. As Wellbeing Coordinator I am available on a Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

Louise Kilpatrick
Wellbeing Coordinator

PARENTING TOUGH KIDS WORKSHOPS 2012 with Mark Le Messurier

Please book as soon as possible as courses fill fast.

**Session 1: Parenting, schooling and ADHD**
Place: At Sophia – 225 Cross Road, Cumberland Park.
Cost: $60 per person. Light morning tea included. Or $95 for Session 1 & 2 with lunch included.

**Session 2: Parenting Schooling and Asperger Syndrome**
Time: 12.30 – 3pm Monday 26 March 2012
Place: At Sophia (as above)
Cost: $60 per person. Light morning tea included. Or $95 for session 1 & 2 with lunch included.

There will be opportunities to ask questions, share ideas, talk and meet people to be inspired by.

Flyers are available from the Front Office.
CAMPBELLTOWN SCHOOL DENTAL CLINIC CLOSURE

The School Dental Clinic formally at the Campbelltown Primary School has amalgamated into the new dental clinic at the Modbury GP Plus Super Clinic. The new clinic at Modbury is scheduled to open to the public on 13 February 2012 and will operate Monday to Friday. The clinic is located at the Modbury GP Plus Super Clinic, 77 Smart Road Modbury SA 5092, Phone: 7425 8700.

JS EXPRESS UNIFORM SHOP

Monday 8am – 1pm
Wednesday 1pm – 6pm
Saturday 8.30 – 12.30pm

Shop 5, 272 Montacute Road Rostrevor
For all enquiries please call 8281 7155.
Credit card facilities are available.

Sport News

Welcome back for a hectic term of Sport! I hope you all had a fabulous holiday!

Diary Dates:

TERM 1
7 February - Swimming trials and training begins, at 7.30am Tuesday and Wednesday mornings at Payneham Swimming Centre
7 March - SAPSASA Swimming Carnival
15 March - Athletics training begins, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday mornings at school
16 March - Sports Day Practice at school
21 March - SACPSSA Catholic School’s Swimming Carnival at Magill Pool
23 March - SPORTS DAY
27 March - SAPSASA State Swimming Day
Swimming: Consent forms for the swimming carnival try outs have gone out to all students in year 4 - 7. Students considering trying out must be able to swim 50m confidently. Please return this form as soon as possible as the try outs commence in Week 2, Tuesday 7 February.

Out Of School Hours Sport

A meeting will be held for all Out of School Hours Sport Coaches on Thursday 16 February at 5.30pm in the Staff Room.

Sport Newsletter: Stay tuned for a sports newsletter which has lots of important information for sport in 2012.

Jessica Woolford
Physical Education Teacher

PLAYGROUP

Playgroup is held in the PreSchool on Fridays from 9.30am – 11.30am and is suitable for children aged from 2 to 4 years. For more information please contact Linda 0422 514 342, Nadia 0413 602 or Giovanna 0426 292 969.

PARENTS & FRIENDS

Welcome back everyone and welcome to all of our new families that join our wonderful community this year. I hope you all had a very enjoyable break and a fantastic year.

Our first P&F meeting for the year is next Tuesday 7 February at 7.30pm in the Staff Room. If you are considering or would like to join the P&F committee in 2012 please come along and see what we’re all about. We have a fun, dynamic group of parents that apart from fundraising are an active voice for the community as well as providing support as needed. New members are always needed and welcomed.

We have some fantastic events planned for this year, so watch this space for more information.

Michelle Basile
P&F President

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The canteen needs your help. If you can spare half an hour or more it would be greatly appreciated.

Di and Sue
Co Canteen Managers

PLEASE NOTE

Parent Bulletin items should be emailed to school by MONDAY 11AM EACH WEEK to bulletin@sjh.catholic.edu.au