01/06/2016

The Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

Sacred Heart Day is a celebration of the apparition of Jesus to St. Margaret Mary Alacoque in the 1600’s. In these apparitions Jesus spoke of His undying love for Mankind. The following Aspiration Prayer to the Sacred Heart is a short one which is meant to be prayed frequently – even a few times during the same day.

Aspiration to the Sacred Heart:
May the Sacred Heart of Jesus be loved in every place.

Friday is our day of special celebration commencing with the celebration of Mass at 8.45am. Children are to wear FREE DRESS for a gold coin donation and our stalls and fun activities commence at 10.30am. Parents are invited to attend Mass and then enjoy a cup of tea or coffee for a gold coin donation in the Brennan Hall, kindly organised by the P&F. Pre-ordered sausage sizzle lunch will be served at approximately 12.00 noon. If your children have not ordered a sausage sizzle for lunch please ensure that they have a healthy lunch provided. No fast food, (McDonalds, Subway etc) is to be brought to school. Children need to be back in their classrooms at 12.45 ready for the soccer tournament and fun afternoon activities. Please note the School Office will be closed in the afternoon. School finishes as per normal at 2.45pm and it is NOT expected that children will leave early.

Western Australia Public Holiday
Monday 6 June

The first Europeans to visit the Western coast of Australia were Dutch explorers in the 1600s. Many early visitors were not positive about the land's potential so they travelled further.

In 1826, the first British settlement, an outpost of the army, was established in Western Australia. During 1827, Admiral Sir James Stirling led a number of explorations along Australia’s west coast and recommended that a permanent settlement should be established in the Swan River area.

On June 1, 1829, Australia’s west coast was sighted from the Parmelia. Later that year, more ships arrived in the area and Perth was officially founded. The area was known as the Swan River Colony until 1832, when it became known as Western Australia. In 1834, Stirling, who was now administrator of Western Australia, decided to hold an annual celebration to unite the settlers, masters, servants and Indigenous Australians within and around the colony. June 1 was the chosen date because it was the anniversary of the first sighting of Western Australia from the Parmelia.

The day was formerly called Foundation Day and changed to Western Australia Day in 2011.
Protective Behaviours – “We all have the right to feel safe all of the time.”

This is the first life rule of protective behaviours education. It is a basic human right and this mantra is a positive one for children to recite, learn and believe in! It is important for children to learn that it is normally an adult’s job to keep children safe, however there are some situations where adults are not always around and children need to have control over what happens to them.

So, what does it mean to feel safe? There are no right and wrong answers because we all feel secure and protected in different ways in different places and situations. It’s important to discuss the word safe with your child. It could mean protected, secure, loved, warm, happy, okay, snug, sheltered, valued, comfortable and cosy.

Feeling unsafe may also differ from child to child. What makes them feel threatened, insecure, helpless, uncomfortable, in danger or unprotected? In some situations a person can start off feeling safe but the situation can change to where you are feeling unsafe. For example, being tickled can start off being fun but can end up with a person having aching ribs and feeling unhappy or angry. In a similar way a person may begin feeling unsafe in a situation and over time and with persistence, they begin to feel safe. For example, when learning to ride a bicycle, learning to swim or beginning at a new school or sports club.

Eagles Cup
We had another strong performance in Eagles Cup last Friday with three out of four wins! I am extremely proud of the fact that the school is competitive in all three sports. We have two weeks off to train hard in preparation to play against St Munchins on Friday 17 June at home.

Soccer
The soccer team fought all game and kept spirits high but went down 3-2. They were supportive of each other to the very end but came up against a better team. If they train hard for the next few weeks they are more than capable of winning in the lightning carnival.

AFL
The AFL boys came back extremely well from the loss the previous week, winning 79-8! They worked really well as a team. They have a big game next round versing St Munchins who are always a tough team to play against.

Netball
Both Netball teams had big wins this week with Netball A defeating St Joseph’s 33-4 and Netball B defeating St Joseph’s 11-0. B Team were down two players – one of which was our star shooter Breanna. Abby from Netball A stepped up to the plate and tackled a rough goal defence for most of the game. Netball A fought hard with Jasmine and Shae smashing the opposition. We returned battered and bruised with a couple of injuries, but really excited about our third win in a row!

Week 6, Friday 3 June—Sacred Heart Day—BYE

Week 7, Friday 10 June —BYE

Week 8 Friday 17 June—Sacred Heart v St Munchins—Home
Soccer & AFL – Walter Padbury Reserve (Berehaven Ave & Cassidy Rd)
Netball— Sacred Heart Thornlie

School Banking
Due to the Public Holiday on Monday 6 June and the Pupil Free Day on Tuesday 7 June, for next week only School Banking will take place on Wednesday 8 June.

Book Club brochures will be going home today. All cash and cheque orders to the office by close of school Friday 10 June. Loop orders will remain open until Wednesday 15 June.
National Walk Safely to School Day
Friday 20 May

It was great to see the number of students, staff, and parents walking to school on Friday 20 May. In total, our Year Six volunteers handed out over 200 stickers. It was a wonderful effort by everyone who participated in such an important event.

Here is a snapshot of the day and how some classes participated.

Year 6B started discussions about Walk Safely to School Day by looking at a map of Thornlie and surrounding suburbs and marking where the class lived. The students decided they wanted to make a banner, posters and create a chart to mark the occasion. We tallied the way our class came to school on Wednesday 18 May, then created a comparison chart with results from Walk Safely to School Day. We were impressed to see that there were a lot more students that walked to school on Friday. What a great way to start the day! Mrs Donna Bathols, Teacher 6B

On Friday 20 May we celebrated walk to school day. Year One made the most of the beautiful weather when we decided to organise a WALKING BUS to school. We all met just before 8:00am at a local park. With a quick goodbye to mum and dad, we swung our bags over our shoulders and began the walking bus ride to school. We had to make several stops along the way to pick up extra passengers. We were met by some of the Year Six Leaders of our school who warmly greeted us before giving each of us a sticker to commemorate Walk to School Day. A special thank you to the parents who walked with us and helped to make our bus run on time. Mrs Cannell, Teacher 1W

For more Information, visit www.walk.com.au
Shane Landers—Wellness Coordinator
**Entertainment Books**

*All books are now due back*, therefore if you do not wish to purchase the book please return it in the personalised envelope to your child’s classroom as soon as possible. For those who have purchased the digital membership, please return the book as soon as possible.

**Raffle**

Thank you to all who purchased raffle tickets and cookies before and after school assembly last Friday. We will continue to sell more raffle tickets in the weeks leading up to the draw, which will be on the day of the Edu-Dance Concert, **Friday 1 July**. Further details of where and when we will be selling more raffle tickets will be advertised in the school newsletter.

**Sacred Heart Day**

A big thank you to those who have submitted their form, volunteering their time to help the P&F Committee on the day.

Your P&F Committee will be hosting the morning tea after Mass and you are most welcome to come and partake of the delicious treats we have for you. All we ask is for a gold coin donation at the door and all donations go to charity.

During the day, we will not only be in charge of the sausage sizzle but will also have a number of stalls for you to take enjoy. We will be selling:
- Popcorn for $1
- Fairy floss for $3
- Show Bags for $3

So, please come and enjoy Sacred Heart Day with us as it is a lovely time to join the school community in support of charity.

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**BEAUTIFUL HAND CRAFTED CARDS ARE AVAILABLE FROM THE FRONT OFFICE AT VARYING PRICES.** SUITABLE FOR ALL OCCASIONS SUCH AS BIRTHDAY, SPECIAL OCCASION ETC, EASTER Ranging from $4.00 onwards. $1.00 FROM EACH CARD GOES TO THE P & F.

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**GIRL GUIDES AUSTALIA**

**Canning Sapphire Girl Guides**

Vacancies for girls aged between 6 and 8 years of age in our Brownie Guide unit. We meet each Friday night between 6 pm & 7.45 pm at our hall which is located in Parkwood. Activities during the year include cooking, craft, badge work, outings & participation in community events. Contact: Rosslyn on 9490 1017 after 6 pm daily.
TERM DATES 2016—STUDENTS

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ABSENTEES/SICKNESS
In order for the school to reconcile attendance it is a requirement that a message is left on the Absentee Line 9251 3005 as emails to teachers are often not opened at the start of the day. Your co-operation in this regard is appreciated.

School Hours: Mon - Fri 8.30am to 2.45pm
Office Hours: Mon - Fri 8.00am to 4.00pm

APPOINTMENTS
Parents are reminded to contact the office in order to set up an appointment with staff members.

Principal: By appointment only.

Loreto Child Care Centre: 9251 3014
Outside School Hours Care: 9251 3015
0417 091 296

PARISH TIMETABLE
WEEKEND MASS TIMES
Saturday Vigil 6.00pm
Sunday 8.00am and 10.00am
WEEKDAY MASS TIMES:
Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 8.45am
Wednesday 8.45am Parish or School Mass
Saturday—8.45am
RECONCILIATION
Sat 5.00-5.30pm before Mass or anytime by Appointment.
PH: 9459 4459
Website: www.thornlie.perthcatholic.org.au

UNIFORM SHOP OPENING HOURS
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If you are unable to come at these times please complete a uniform order form available from the Office, pay for it and your orders will be filled and delivered to your child’s class.

RECYCLE YOUR USED BATTERIES INTO THE BATTERY RECYCLING BIN IN THE LIBRARY MONDAY—FRIDAY

COMMBANK SCHOOL BANKING EVERY MONDAY.

MAGUIRE 137
MURPHY 140

WELCH 74
WRIGHT 96

GOING HOME THIS WEEK
HOUSE CROSS COUNTRY CARNIVAL ELDEST YR 1-6
Scholastic Book Club Brochures K-Yr 6

Honour Certificates

YR 1 ANDIE McAULIFFE—POLEEN INFAENTE-LIEVEN FERNANDES—ARIA D’SILVA
YR2 TOBY TRYHORN—CATHERINE GABRIEL—MOLLY ANDREWS—TAHLIA KEENAN
YR3 THOMAS BOWMAN—ZOE GILES—HAYDEN THOMAS—VIVIAN NGUYEN
YR4 RYAN THOMSON—JONATHON JUDE—SKYLA LANDER—THEA MANTON
YR5 ZARA D’CRUZ—BREE STEYN—BRAYDEN DUFFY
YR6 MATTHEW SCHULTZ—TAHIRAH McGOWAN—AMY GAO—JAYCE DOHERTY

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