50th Anniversary Celebrations

This Friday is a very special day in gathering the school community to begin the celebrations of Sacred Heart Primary School’s 50th Anniversary. All children are asked to come to school dressed in bush dance attire for a gold coin donation. This may include cowboy/girl hats, jeans and checked shirts, boots, etc. The proceeds of the gold coin donation will go to the St Vincent de Paul Society.

In classrooms and the Child Care services at Sacred Heart, teachers, educators and children have been very creatively constructing scarecrows and other decorations for Friday night’s bush dance. Mrs Hall and Mr Vince will be judging the most creative decorations on Thursday afternoon and you will be able to see the finished products at Assembly on Friday.

On Friday night our first big celebration event will take place on the oval with the BUSH DANCE. Gates open at 5.30pm with dancing along to the Southern Cross Bush Band from 6.30 – 9.30pm. If you haven’t ordered your sausage sizzle, please BYO nibbles and food. The Bush Dance will take place regardless of the weather, so please get your dancing shoes ready for this exciting occasion!

Mothers’ Day Stall

Next Tuesday (for KW) and Wednesday (for KB and classes from PP-Yr6), the P&F will hold their annual Mother’s Day stall. Children will have the opportunity to purchase beautiful gifts for their mums on this day. The cost of presents range from $2.00-$5.00. Please don’t send any more than $5.00 with your child.

Mothers’ Day Mass

All parents and friends, especially Mums, Aunties and Grandmothers, are invited to attend the Year 6 Mothers’ Day Mass next Wednesday at 8.45am. The Year 6 children will be leading the Eucharistic celebration.

The P & F presents: Robin RISHANI—CYBER PLAYGROUND SEMINAR

On Wednesday 13 May at 7.00pm, Robyn will present an information session “Tips on Parenting Gen I in the Online World” to help us as parents, understand what our children are doing online. The session will include information on cyber bullying, our digital footprint, setting boundaries and guidelines. The information form went home with last week’s newsletter. Please RSVP by Tuesday 12 May.

Belonging Improves Mental Health, Wellbeing and Learning

All children need to feel that school is a safe place to be, where people care for them, their needs are supported, they are respected and their friendships met. This wellbeing is promoted as children develop a sense of community and belonging. Parents can support this by being active members in the school community and by attending school events such as the Bush Dance. They can display a positive interest in school events and make time to bring their children along to such events. Children who feel they belong are happier and more relaxed.
REMINDER: 50th Anniversary Commemorative Bricks

This week is the last week to have your family name immortalised in the school grounds.

As part of our 50th Anniversary we are creating a commemorative garden as a focal point for the school community. Surrounding this garden we will be laying the commemorative pavers that have been offered to all school families and staff both present and past. If you wish to be part of this exciting opportunity to connect to the history of Sacred Heart it is important that your order is returned before Wednesday 6 May.

Term Two Reminders

- All Year 1-6 students are to be in full winter uniform from Monday 4 May
- Pupil Free Days/Public Holidays
  - Friday 22 May
  - Monday 1 June

SPONSORED CHARITY WALK FOR CARITAS (Project Compassion)

As you would know from the news, these funds could be put to good use in NEPAL at the moment, so we would really like to finalise the return of sponsor forms and money. Congratulations to 4W and 6B who have handed in all their pledges. PLEASE could you finalise by Friday 1 May. Many thanks.

EAGLES CUP MATCHES

Eagles Cup Competition commences on the afternoon of Friday 8 May and with the exception of one week, all games will be held here at Sacred Heart and Hume Rd oval. We urgently seek umpires in Netball, Football and Soccer. If you could help with any of the above, please see Mrs Bathols or Mrs Hall in the office.

As part of a whole school approach to improving the mental health of our students, Sacred Heart is now a KidsMatter school.

KidsMatter Primary is all about growing healthy minds. KidsMatter is a mental health and wellbeing framework that helps schools focus on the development of all their students in partnership with families. It was developed by mental health and education experts and has already made a big difference to the lives of Australian children.

How can families help?

Families are the biggest influence on children’s mental health and play a very important role in KidsMatter. Children benefit when the important people in their lives work together and have a shared understanding of their development and their needs. KidsMatter Primary has developed a range of information sheets with parenting tips and strategies to help all Australian families support the wellbeing of their children.

View them online at www.kidsmatter.edu.au

There are many things you can do to help make KidsMatter a success at Sacred Heart Primary School:

- Read the KidsMatter Primary information sheets to further your understanding about children’s mental health.
- Develop relationships with staff so you can share knowledge & information about how they can support your child.
- Participate in school activities to build a sense of community.
- Respond to any school requests for ideas or information.
- Let the school know what skills or talents you are happy to share.

CANTEEN MENUS

Menus were sent home with the newsletter last week, however children are either ordering from the previous menu or paying old prices. The menu can be located on classroom windows or online on our Website.
FOR SALE

Should you be visiting the office at any time you might want to look at the box of beautiful handmade greeting cards for ALL occasions that are in the office. In addition there is also a variety of material bunting for room decorating, or parties or for any reason you may have. $1.00 from every card sold will go to the P & F and $5.00 from every bunting sold will also go the P & F.

In preparation for First Communion on 13 September, you may be interested in the dress below.

FIRST COMMUNION DRESS
Size 6: $50.00 Never Worn
White Satin and Organza with sequined and beaded bodice. Contact Edwina on 0413 881 340

LOST PROPERTY

These items are hanging around in the office and we would like them to go to their rightful home. If you own either of them would you please collect from Mrs Hall.

FÊTE

Victoria Square, PERTH
Sunday 3 May, 10.00 am – 4.00 pm
Live music and entertainment all day
Major Fête raffle with the following prizes
1st Prize 65” UHD 3D 4k SMART TV & 3D Blue Ray Home Theatre System,
2nd Prize Deluxe BBQ & Outdoor Setting, 3rd Prize Samsung Galaxy Note 10.5 16GB WIFI 4th Prize Panasonic HandyCam with bag and tripod
Giant & Silent Auctions
International Food stalls, Kiddies Corner, Sports Bar
a variety of Boutique Stalls
Devonshire Teas, Craft
Gift Baskets, Preserves, Cakes, Plants, Toys, Second Hand Music, Gourmet Delicacies & More

Mazenod College Proudly Presents........

The Addams Family: A new Musical Comedy

The mysterious and dark Wednesday Addams is all grown up and in-love with Lucas Beineke, a young man from a ‘normal’ family. The two young lovers have kept their engagement a secret. With help from Uncle Fester and the Addams ‘ancestors of the past’, Wednesday proposes a dinner for the two families to meet. Are the differences between the families too great or will ‘love’ prevail, allowing the two to be married? Is there an aspect of weird and whacky in all of us?

Please go to www.trybooking.com/HHGO to reserve your seats. There are 4 shows only, Thursday 7th May through to Saturday 9th May (including a Saturday matinee). Family ticket (2x2) $70, Adults $25 and students and pensioners $15.

Come and Try Kayaking!

Sat 9th May 3-5pm

YOU MUST BOOK TO GUARANTEE A PLACE.

CONTACT: ROBYN BROWN on robyn.l.brown@bigpond.com.au

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TERM DATES 2015—STUDENTS

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If children are sick or absent please call 9251 3005

UNIFORM SHOP OPENING HOURS

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If you are unable to come at these times please complete an uniform order form available from the Office and if paid for, your orders will be filled and delivered to your child’s class.

RECYLE YOUR USED BATTERIES INTO THE BATTERY RECYCLING BIN IN THE SCHOOL OFFICE MONDAY—FRIDAY

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

APPOINTMENTS
Parents are reminded to contact Mrs Hall 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
ELC MOBILE 0477 385 104

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

CANTEEN ROSTER
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COMMONWEALTH BANK
SCHOOL BANKING EVERY TUESDAY MORNING.

WITH THIS WEEK’S NEWSLETTER

UNIFORM ORDER FORM

Open for 2015 Enrolment
Please contact us to register for a trial class
www.centralschoolofclassicalballet.com.au