Congratulations to our S.E. Water Art Competition winners!

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Families,

Thank you to all who have been proactive in supporting our Fete. Due to the anticipated poor weather for tomorrow we have moved the fete to Friday 4th November from 4.9pm.

School will run as normal tomorrow, Friday 21st October until 3.15pm. The canteen will be open as normal. School will now finish at 1pm on Friday 4th November.

There is a Prep excursion scheduled to the Melbourne Museum on Friday 4th November. This will still go ahead as planned. The children will return to school at 3.15pm. The remainder of the school will be dismissed at 1.00pm. Thank you for your understanding as we are unable to change the excursion date.
A new caremonkey notification went out on Tuesday for fete volunteers. We will do a new volunteer roster for this night. Your urgent and quick response to this request for help will allow us to confirm volunteers and prepare rosters by next Friday 28th October. Thank you to our families who have responded.

Wrist bands/ticket sales – the current orders will be automatically transferred to Friday 4th November. They will now be available to pre purchase online https://www.trybooking.com/NCGA until Thursday 3rd November. If a refund is required please contact the office.

Trash and Treasure – Please now hold on to your trash and treasure until Wednesday 2nd November.

Cakes – Please hold on to your plates and bring cakes/slices to the Discovery Centre on the morning of the 4th November.

Marquees and eskies – We still require the use of marquees and eskies (clearly labelled) to borrow on the night. Please forward these to the Discovery Centre on the morning of the fete. They will be available for collection from the Discovery Centre on Monday 7th November.

Raffle tickets – Please continue to sell tickets and send them into the office. More tickets are still available. Please come in or call the office if you require more.

Advertising Boards/Flyers – These have been redone. Boards were changed yesterday and flyers are being sent home today. We ask all families to deliver flyers to their neighbour’s letterboxes asap please.

Fete meeting – There will be a further meeting on Thursday 27th October at 7pm to finalise everything.

Raffle tickets
We distributed raffle tickets last week for the fete, if you would like more tickets they are available at the office.

1st Prize $500 cash
2nd Prize Apple iWatch
3rd Prize Apple iPad mini 2
4th Prize 1 night accommodation at Portsea Village Resort (conditions apply)

Tickets are $2.00 each or 3 for $5.00. Each family will receive 4 books to sell to family and friends. Please return all tickets (sold or unsold) by Thursday 20th October. The raffle will be drawn at the fete on Friday 4th November. Thank you for your support.

Breakfast Club has operated at St Joseph’s for about 6 years with the goodwill of volunteers and donations from the community. We have struggled of late to have enough volunteers to have breakfast club operating. We desperately need more volunteers. If you can donate an hour of your time on any day it would be appreciated. It would be a shame to see it close. Moving into 2017 we need your help as well. Please consider helping out.

School Fees
All fees were due last term. We would appreciate it if families could attend to this urgently if you have not already done so. Child levies for next year will be distributed in early November.
The purchase of a Ride Band provides for unlimited access for one person on the following rides between 4pm and 9pm:

Jurassic Adventure, Bouncy Boxing, Giant Super Slide, Chair-o-plane, Carousel Merry Go Round & Rock Climbing Wall

Children will be given wrist bands on the morning before school finishes at 1pm.

The wrist bands will be available to buy through TRY bookings.

Simply log on: https://www.trybooking.com/NCGA

Pre Sold Bands through TRY bookings up to 3rd November are $25.00

Pre Sold Individual tickets through TRY bookings are $3.70

(booking fee of .30C will apply per ticket)

Bands Purchased on the day will be $30.00 (CASH ONLY)

Individual tickets can be purchased for $4.00 each for stalls such as laughing clowns & dunking machine. The high striker and wet sponge throw are free.
A gift for Christmas

My name is Cian (3/4 Mc) and for Christmas I would like to help a child and it’s community.

If you would like to support my project by donating $1 (or more if you wish), we could help with a child’s health, a school or even help to train a teacher.

I hope together, we can make a little difference for Christmas.

Thank you for your support.

Cian.


Please give your donation to the office in a cleared labeled envelope

For tax receipt please indicate on envelope with name

St John's Catholic School - School Library
5 Jayne Street, Frankston

This workshop is for dads/carers and their primary school aged child/ren

The staff from St John's will present a fun and hands on night of games and activities where families can learn about using technology with their children.

The session is interactive so you are encouraged to bring your child/children along.

Register at http://boonwurrungfspcluster.weebly.com/

Or contact Justine Shachar on 97840221, or alternatively contact your child’s school.

Please register for each person attending including children as registration numbers are limited!
Special offer for Monday 31st October at Gravity Zone
Simply mention St Joseph's School to our staff, for the super special price of $16 for the day jumping or $25 for unlimited jumping and laser tag! So students from St Joseph's can have five hours (10am – 3pm) for the one low price!

Parents can enjoy a relaxing cup of coffee while the kids go crazy!
25 Oliphant Way, Seaford
www.gravity-zone.com.au

Term Dates 2017
Term 1  Wednesday  1st February – Friday 31st March
Term 2  Tuesday  18th April – Friday 30th June
Term 3  Monday  17th July – Friday 22nd September
Term 4  Monday  9th October – Wednesday 20th December

IMPORTANT DATES

• Friday 21st October
• Wednesday 26th October
• Thursday 27th October
• Friday 28th October
• Monday 31st October

School closure
Melbourne Cup Public Holiday, All Saints day

• Tuesday 1st November
• Wednesday 2nd November
• Thursday 3rd November
• Friday 4th November

Yr 5/6 summer sport vs St Louis, 2.30pm Assembly Prep and Music Count Us In

• Monday 7th November
• Tuesday 8th November
• Wednesday 9th November
• Friday 11th November
• Tuesday 15th November
• Wednesday 16th November

Yr 5/6 summer sports vs Aspendale Gardens, Prep excursion to Museum with a 3.15pm return for Prep,

Yr 1 – 6 SCHOOL FINISHES 1PM FETE 4-9PM
2pm Prep 2017 Numeracy session (Parents & Child)
9.15am Prep – Yr 2 Mass
Yr 5/6 Mission Action Day
Remembrance Day, Yr 5/6 summer sports vs Bonbeach, No Assembly
9.15am Mass Yr 3/4
2pm Prep 2017 Literacy session (Parents & Child)

School closure
12 noon – 1.00pm Prep 2017 Meet your teacher
Reconciliation Yr 3-6, 4pm Parish function in hall
Yr 1/2 excursion to Taskworks
2.30pm assembly Yr 1/2, working bee 4.30-6.30pm
5pm Christmas Paraliturgy in the Church followed by a BBQ
Prep – Yr 4 Swimming
9.15am Mass Yr 5/6, 7pm PEB
Yr 5/6 Lifesaving
Reports & class lists go home
9.15am End of year Mass, 10.15am Parent helpers morning tea
2.30pm Graduation assembly

Crib blessed after each Mass over the weekend
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Meet your teacher 2017

• Friday 9th December

Yr 6 Graduation excursion, 6pm Graduation Mass

End of year 1pm