



St Augustine Primary School Newsletter

31 March 2017

Week 9

YEAR THREE PRAYER

ASSEMBLY Congratulations on an outstanding performance, a job well done! It was a true reflection of your learning. Costumes were fabulous and it was another outstanding performance from the choir. Thank you to all families for your support.

STAFF NEWS TERM 2

Mr Di Carantonio and Mrs Fuller have extended their leave for term two, Mrs Southwell will remain Assistant Principal, Mr Ettridge will continue Health, Phys Ed and Sport and Ms Meinck will continue in year one. In week 5 Mrs Khose returns from parental leave and will work Monday and Tuesday in year two with Mrs Mclure working Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

THE SCHOOL BOARD seeks to co-opt interested parents onto the School Board for the duration of the year. This is a great opportunity to share your skills, expertise and experiences for the benefit of the community. The Board meets once a month, usually the second Tuesday. Should you be interested, please contact me via the school office.

SCAFOLD will remain in the dead end of Newey St until the windows in the library are replaced. Unfortunately during the storm at the beginning of the term, the wind caused major damage.

STAFF PROFESSIONAL LEARNING DAYS

next Thursday and Friday. Thursday's theme is 'Building the Camp Fire' facilitated by Brendan Spillane, working on whole school improvement and team building. Friday is a day of prayer and reflection based on the Christian model of Lectio Divina, facilitated by Fr Oscar Aguilera. Please note the office

will be closed both days and the staff will not be onsite on Friday 7 April.

CATHOLIC DAY is Monday 24 April, this is a pupil and staff free day. **STUDENTS RETURN TO SCHOOL WEDNESDAY 26 APRIL**

SCHOOL UNIFORM

please ensure that children are in correct uniform (Please refer to the Policy attached). Please note that school shoes are either black lace up or black buckle; school socks for both academic and sport uniform are the 'sport' sock. As of term two, parents will receive uniform notes ought your child not be in correct attire.

ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS 2017 ARE HERE!

Pre-order your 2017/18 Entertainment Book or Digital Membership here: <https://www.entertainmentbook.com.au/orderbooks/83211> Order now and receive bonus offers to use straight away whilst stocks last. This is a great P&F fundraising initiative.

UP & COMING DATES

3 April Liturgy of the Word ~ Easter Story Led by Years 1 & 6 @ 8:50am & 2:40pm by Years K & 4

4 April Liturgy of the Word ~ Easter Story Led by Years 2 & 3 @ 8:50am & 2:40pm by Years PP & 5

4 April Combined ANZAC Day Service ~ Year 6 Faulkner Park @ 9:30am

5 April Interschool Swimming Carnival ~ Selected Year 4-6 @ 9:00am – 1:30pm

5 April Last Day of Term ~ Students

26 April Wednesday students return to school

School Mission

Founded in the tradition of the Presentation Sisters, St Augustine is a welcoming Catholic school community committed to fostering total faith-life development. Our children are nurtured and encouraged to reach their full potential in an environment fostering respect, responsibility, tolerance and self-worth.

For God & Country

School Vision

St Augustine Primary School community works to provide its students with a love God and spiritual guidance for its students. Inspired by and enriched by the teachings of Jesus, students are encouraged to attain 'great heights' in their whole development.

Reaching for Great Heights

School Values

Nurture
Assist
Guide
Live
Embrace

*The Year of embracing the Earth
and all of its peoples*

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Love thy neighbour

We must regain the conviction that we need one another, and we have a shared responsibility for others and the world, and that being good and decent are worth it. Pope Francis, Laudato Si

Almighty and Everlasting God, You have given the human race Jesus Christ our Saviour as a model of humility. He fulfilled your will by becoming man and giving his life on the cross. Help us to bear witness to you by following his example of suffering and make us worthy to share his resurrection. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son.

Amen

BIKE & SCOOTERS REQUIRE A LOCK

Under the terms of the School's Composite Risks Property policy there is no scope for cover of bikes and scooters.

TERM & PUPIL FREE DATES

Term 1 ~ 1 Feb – 5 April

Pupil Free 6 & 7 April

Term 2 ~ 26 Apr– 30 Jun

Pupil Free 24 April; 6 Jun

Term 3 ~ 17 Jul – 22 Sept

Term 4 ~ 10 Oct – 8 Dec

Pupil Free 9 Oct

CALENDAR

ACCESS THE GOOGLE CALENDAR

https://calendar.google.com/calendar/embed?src=staugustines.wa.edu.au_gp0r1h6taa4t4kkc1ole8dbdd8%40group.calendar.google.com&ctz=Australia/Perth
100 POINT CRIM TRAC FOR VOLUNTEERS AND HELPERS AT SCHOOL
<http://www.det.wa.edu.au/screening/detcms/navigation/screening-for-criminal-history/national-police-history-check--application-package>

SOCIAL CALENDAR NEWS

Open Invite to All Parents

The Victoria Park Hotel
5 April Wednesday from 7:00pm
Some food available care of the P&F

COMMUNITY NEWS

Chess Thursday Mornings

Chess has returned for 2017. If you love to play chess or would like to learn, come and join Mr Huntington in the Year 4 class room from 8:00am Thursday mornings, all students are welcome! It's great fun! and challenging. If you are interested in getting better at chess or learning how to play, a helpful website is Chess Kids: <http://www.chesskids.com.au/>, it's free to sign up and is very helpful.

Perth Children's Hospital

Volunteers Since 1929, the volunteer presence at Princess Margaret Hospital has been extremely important to the

experience that our patients and families have during their time here. We are looking for people who can commit to a minimum of 4 hours per week (1 shift). You can download an application form from our website:

http://www.cahs.health.wa.gov.au/help_us/volunteers_pmh.htm. For further information contact Andy Wahid, Coordinator Volunteer Services 08 9340 8716 or email andy.wahid@health.wa.gov.au

St Mary's School

Northampton Invite Past Students, Families & Staff

A Celebration of 150 Years of Catholic Education in Northampton on Friday 13 April and Saturday 14 April 2018-Currently we are collecting a variety of memorabilia and photos would also be appreciated
RSVP hasleby.maree@cathed.net.wa.edu.au or phone 08 9934 1112

PARISH

Alter Servers for this Weekend

Saturday 6:00pm 1 April:

Tiana S; Ella S; Annabelle G; Josie L; Noah K; Nicholas T

Sunday 9:00pm 2 April:

Charlotte V; Caitlin F; Sarah F; Aaliya S; Caitlin C

Weekday Masses are held on Tuesday, Thursday & Friday mornings at 9:00am and Wednesday evenings 7:00pm

EASTER CEREMONIES

Holy Thursday 13 April at 7:00pm

Good Friday Stations of the Cross

14 April at 11am

Good Friday Service 14 April at 3:00pm

Easter Vigil Saturday 15 April at 6:00pm

Easter Sunday Mass 16 April at 9:00am

UNIFORM SHOP

OPEN Thursdays Term 2

3:00-3:30pm

Uniform Orders Are Processed On Thursdays

Orders to be placed *no later than Tuesday 4 April* for boys long academic pants, boys shorts and girls skorts.

CANTEEN

OPEN Fridays Term 2

SCHOOL BANKING

OPEN Fridays Term 2 ~ School Hall 8:30-8:45am

School banking is open to ALL school years. Students who make 15 or more school deposits before the end of Term 3 2017 will automatically go in the draw to win a trip to Tokyo Disneyland. For further information please see me Friday mornings in the school hall. Chelsea Silva School Banking Coordinator

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