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*At St Joseph's Primary School Wauchope
we place our 'Trust in God' when we are respectful, responsible learners*

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

SEMESTER ONE REPORTS

Your child has been given their Semester One report today. These reports are a culmination of ongoing assessment for the first half of the year. The reports, in combination with the Parent Teacher Interviews provide feedback and an opportunity to help set further learning goals for your child. I invite parents to sit with their children to discuss the reports and to work with your child's teacher fostering future learning goals.

FUN RUN

Our annual Fun Run is scheduled for **Thursday 25 June 2015** at Bonny Hills beach. In previous years this day has always been a highlight in building networks for the children, fostering leadership amongst our senior students and an avenue for fundraising for much needed resources. This year our funds will purchase required mathematic resources to assist with the implementation of the new Australian Curriculum launched earlier this year. In order to provide the learning opportunities in line with this new curriculum, our resourcing needs to be up to date. All children were given their FUN RUN sponsorship form earlier this week and are encouraged to gain as many sponsors as possible. We look forward to a wonderful day to end our term. Please ensure all permission notes are signed and returned – they are at the bottom of the green sponsorship form.

2016 KINDERGARTEN INTERVIEWS

Next week begins the process of welcoming new Kindergraten students and their families to our school. The interview process will commence on Monday as a means by which to get to know our new 'Joey's Junior' students. I look forward to meeting with families and their children and welcoming them to our school community.

TRISH COELHO

ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL

PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS

Bookings for our Parent/Teacher Interviews have now closed. If you have not made a booking you will be given a time and date by your child's class teacher.

SCHOOL FEES

I wish to thank all those families who are currently fulfilling their financial commitments to our school by means of paying school fees. Invoices for both Term 1 and Term 2 have been sent home to families. I ask

families to seek clarification if they are uncertain of any invoice amounts. It is requested that families choosing to pay term by term fulfil their commitment before Friday 19 June 2015.

STAFF SPIRITUALITY DAY

As indicated in our Parent Handbook and in recent newsletter calendar events our Staff Spirituality Day is scheduled for **Friday 26 June 2015**. On this day we, as a staff take the opportunity to reflect on what it means to be leaders of faith within our Catholic schools. **Please note that this is a Pupil Free Day.**

SCHOOL DANCE CONCERT

As a culmination of our Dance program held throughout Term 2 we will be hosting a Dance Concert on the evening of Tuesday 23 June 2015 commencing at 6.00 pm. This is an opportunity for families to see their child perform new skills and witness the development of all children throughout the term. The details are as follows:

WHAT TO WEAR:

All students wearing black pants or tights
Black shoes or runners
Black socks
T Shirt –

Kindergarten	GREEN
Year 1	RED
Year 2	BLUE
Year 3	YELLOW
Year 4	ORANGE
Year 5	WHITE
Year 6	BLACK

The students will be required to be in their classrooms by 5.45 pm. The P & F will provide a light BBQ dinner from 5.00 pm. Bring some spare coins to purchase a raffle ticket.

SCHOOL UNIFORM

Our school uniform has been established over recent years with wide consultation from parents. In fact it has been parents' insistence to maintain and implement this uniform policy. So, the school enforces uniform policy on behalf of parents. It is disappointing, then, to see some students continually flouting uniform rules when these could be easily supported from home. Please ensure children wear correct uniform in its entirety, to avoid your child suffering the consequence of uniform detention at school. If your family is experiencing difficulty with uniform issues please contact Mrs Coelho, Mr Ogilvie or the office. Black polishable school shoes or joggers – no canvas shoes. No jewellery except white gold or silver studs.

KEN OGILVIE

FOCUS ON FAITH

Please note that our Children's Liturgy will be held on Saturday 20 June 2015 at the Parish 6.00 pm Mass at Our Lady of Lourdes Wauchope. It was previously advertised as Saturday 27 June 2015, however due to unforeseen circumstances the Children's Liturgy has been moved forward. We are look forward to seeing everyone there!

RACHEL MOSS AND JESSICA PEARMAN

P & F MEETING

Our P & F Meeting to be held this coming **Thursday 18 June 2015** will be a dinner meeting at the Wauchope Country Club. 6.00 pm for 6.30 pm dinner/meeting. Momentum is building for our Fete and other fundraising activities. If you are able to help or have ideas to submit, please take the time to join us for our meeting. Drinks and dinner at own cost.

CHRISTIAN GIBBS - PRESIDENT

ZONE ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

The Zone Athletics Carnival will be held on Friday 19 June 2015 at St Joseph's Regional College. All competitors are asked to return their permission slips as soon as possible. The team will be required to wear their school sports uniform while representing the school. We wish our competitors all the best and look forward to hearing about their achievements. Congratulations again to the successful children for their selection into the team.

Adam Squire, Aidan Grove, Amelia Stubbs, Ashley Middleton, Bella Kilmurray, Blake Haywood, Dylan Lambert, Eboni-Rose Surrey, Eliza Smith, Flynn Hull, Hannah Dakin, Hannah Summers, Jack Bradshaw, Jarod Fletcher, Jasmyn Debreceny, Jed Kirkman, Jett Fletcher, Joshua Carney, Joshua Goldberg, Kaedan Martin, Kayleigh Falls, Kellie Burke, Lachlan McMurray, Lachlan Morgan-Monk, Lola Delandemare, Luke Squire, Madeline Lynch, Montaya Hinton, Matthew Walsh, Mia Haywood, Monique Rudder, Nathan Ward, Rhiannon Slater, Riley Cribb, Satayah Donovan, Sharlea Templeman, Tahnee Holland, Thomas McMurray, Tom Baker, Tyla Templeman.

DAVE POULTON

CANTEEN ROSTER

Monday 15 June	Wednesday 17 June	Friday 19 June
Julie Keena Charlene Hartas	Joanne Sproul Virginia Leister	Nicole Tilston Karmen Marchment



YEAR 3 AND YEAR 4 – HSIE EXCURSION
KINDERGARTEN – CHICKENS VISITING

TERM 2 – WEEK 9 CALENDAR

Parent Teachers Interviews – Monday to Thursday

Monday	JUNE	15	Staff Briefing: 8.30 am – Office opens approximately 8.45 am Parent/Teacher Interviews Kindergarten 2016 interviews ICAS – Writing competition
Tuesday	JUNE	16	Band Rehearsal 8.00 am Band and Guitar tuition School Banking Parent/Teacher Interviews Kindergarten 2016 interviews ICAS – Spelling competition
Wednesday	JUNE	17	Parent/Teacher interviews Rugby League All Schools Carnival Leaders of Curriculum meeting – Miss Miles attending
Thursday	JUNE	18	Sport Parent/Teacher interviews Kindergarten 2016 interviews P & F Dinner Meeting, 6.00 pm for 6.30 pm, Wauchope Country Club
Friday	JUNE	19	Uniform Shop open – Parish Hall, 8.30 am to 9.30 am Staff Prayer, 8.40 am: Office opens approximately 8.50 am Mini Vinnies Sleep Out – Hall
Saturday	JUNE	20	Children's Liturgy, 6.00 pm Mass, Our Lady of Lourdes Wauchope (Please note change of date for Children's Liturgy)

UPCOMING EVENTS

JUNE	23	School dance Concert
JUNE	25	FUN RUN – Bonny Hills Beach
JUNE	26	Pupil Free Day

COMMUNITY NOTICES

2nd WAUCHOPE SCOUTS GARAGE SALE – Huge fundraising day, great bargains, cake stalls and BBQ. Donations are most welcome. Saturday 13 June 2015 from 8.00 am at the Wauchope Scout Hall, Tallowood Street, Wauchope.

ENGAGING ADOLESCENTS – PARENT COURSE

Parenting skills for resolving teenage behaviour problems – A three session program for parents and carers.

Thursday 16, 23, 30 July 2015, Training Room Mingaletta Building, 7 Sherwood Road, Port Macquarie

10.00 am to 12 noon. Free – all materials and light refreshments provided

The trainer – Vicki Rankin completed Parentsop Engaging Adolescents training in April 2013 and is a qualified Family Worker with Hastings Family Support Service at Uniting Care Burnside

Contact Vicki on 6581 6600 to register for this course.

HASTINGS JUNIOR BASEBALL – Come and try day. Sunday 14 June 2015 at Blackbutt Park, Wauchope from 8.30 am for a 9.00 am start. Boys and Girls 4 to 15 years. Come and Try T Ball, Zooka, or Liveball.

You are welcome to stay and watch the seniors play baseball. Canteen in operation

info@hastingsbaseball.com.au

NEWCASTLE YOUTH ORCHESTRA led by musical maestro Mr Jack Machin and talented students of the orchestra performing works by Prokofiev, Tchaikovsky, Copland and more. Hear bold brass players, a wonderful woodwind section, powerful percussionists and the sublime strings. Accompanied by special guests, the puppet people, it's a concert for the whole family.

Sunday 28 June 2015 at 2.00 pm – tickets \$15 adult, \$10 under 18 and \$40 per family (2A 2C)

Glasshouse, Port Macquarie – Book now online or call 02 6581 888