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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

FUN RUN FAST APPROACHING – 25 JUNE 2015

Our annual Fun Run is fast approaching and it has been delightful to talk with the children at morning assembly this week and note many have endeavoured to gain sponsorship for this event. Our prize draw will contain many treats that the children are able to win. Parents are welcome to join us at Bonny Hills during the day. Some of our major prizes include *Smiggle* bags (valued \$70 each) and iTunes vouchers. Remember for every \$5 your child returns in sponsorship money they will receive a ticket in the prize draw. **All students are required to return sponsorship forms with permission slip complete by Wednesday 24 June.**



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 this is a Pupil Free Day.**

STAFFING UPDATE

As Mr Ogilvie prepares for two terms Long Service Leave I wish to welcome to our school Mr Nigel Toole who will replace Mr Ogilvie as Acting Assistant Principal for the remainder of 2015. Mr Toole comes to us with a wealth of knowledge and experience having taught both in the Bathurst Diocese and our own Diocese of Lismore. I am sure you will make Mr Toole feel welcome within our school and support him as he joins our staff from the beginning of Term 3.



**PROGRESSIVE PAYMENT
FOR YEAR 5 AND YEAR 6 CAMPS DUE 25 JUNE 2015
\$100**

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.

MINI VINNIES SLEEPOUT

Our very best wishes go to those students who are participating in the Mini Vinnies Sleepout this evening. We are very proud of their efforts and the awareness they have created within not only our school community but the wider community. My sincere thanks goes to Miss Marion Horton, Mr Kurt Newell and Mrs Cherie Knox for their co-ordination of this event.

YEAR FIVE CAMP

We wish to make note that the first day of the Year 5 Camp is also a scheduled Pupil Free Day. We are aware of this matter and advise that the camp date **will not** change in light of this. Any families with Year 5 students will be required to have their children at school ready to leave for camp on that day. Thanking you for your understanding with this matter. School buses will be running as normal.

TRISH COELHO



FUN RUN PERMISSION SLIPS DUE MONDAY 22 JUNE 2015

FUN RUN SPONSORSHIP FORMS DUE WEDNESDAY 24 JUNE 2015

ZONE ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

The Zone Athletics Carnival which was meant to be held today has been postponed until next term. The new date is during Week 1, Term 3 on **Thursday 16 July 2015** at St Joseph's Regional College. The team will remain the same for this event. We thank you for your understanding in this matter. The grounds haven't dried enough to hold the event. We appreciate the efforts of the Regional College allowing us to use their facilities.

PORT MACQUARIE ALL SCHOOLS RUGBY LEAGUE GALA DAY

On Wednesday, our Year 5/6 Rugby League team competed at the Port Macquarie All Schools Rugby League Gala Day. The boys played exceptionally well in the B – Division and won all of their pool matches, to finish as the runners up, going down to Kendall Public School in the final. The boys showed good defence and some creative flare in attack. All our boys competed well and showed good sportsmanship. Big thanks to Mr Vince O'Brien for his mentoring and coaching of the boys and Mr Ogilvie for his involvement with training the boys and preparation. I am sure they will perform well next term in the rescheduled Schubert Sevens. Congratulations on your efforts!



DAVE POULTON

CANTEEN ROSTER

Monday 22 June	Wednesday 24 June	Friday 26 June
Rebecca Kirkman Molly Warrener	Lisa Nardella Belinda Smith	PUPIL FREE DAY

P & F NEWS

A very successful P & F dinner meeting was held at the Country Club last night. Momentum is building for our Fair, but we do need specific commitments from parents and the wider community regarding stalls by Wednesday 15 July 2015. Funds raised from such a Fair are returned to the school for purchases of resources and equipment which in turn benefit your children. The next scheduled P & F Meeting is Thursday 16 July 2015 at 6.00 pm.

Thank you to our P & F who will run a BBQ at our Dance concert on Tuesday evening.

CHRISTIAN GIBBS – P & F PRESIDENT

COMMUNITY NOTICES

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

Contact Vicki on 6581 6600 to register for this course.

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

TERM 2 – WEEK 10 CALENDAR

Saturday	JUNE	20	Children’s Mass: OLOL Church Wauchope: 6.00 pm; All welcome
Monday	JUNE	22	Staff Briefing: 8.30 am – Office opens approximately 8.45 am ASD Workshop – Miss Elliott and Miss Lewis attending
Tuesday	JUNE	23	Band Rehearsal 8.00 am Band and Guitar tuition School Banking School Dance Concert 6.00 pm: P & F BBQ & Raffle from 5.00pm
Wednesday	JUNE	24	Kindergarten 2016 interviews continue Fun Run Sponsorship forms due back
Thursday	JUNE	25	FUN RUN: Bonny Hills Beach Please note children are to supply all their own food and drinks Progressive Payment for Year 5 and Year 6 Camps due.
Friday	JUNE	26	STAFF SPIRITUALITY DAY – PUPIL FREE DAY

UPCOMING EVENTS

JULY	13	First day of Term 3 for staff and students
JULY	22	Sacrament of Confirmation
AUG	3–6	Year 6 Camp
AUG	17–19	Year 5 Camp
AUG	17	Pupil Free Day

RECENT HAPPENINGS AT ST JOSEPH’S

