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MOTHER'S DAY



How lovely it was to host over 100 mothers and grandmothers today for an extravaganza of an afternoon celebrating all that it is to be a mother and a woman of influence. I thank especially, Mrs Wilson for her energy and assistance as well as Miss Latimore, Mrs Mascord and each of the classroom teachers in preparing the students for the Mother's Day

Assembly. I do hope all mothers are treated this coming Sunday and the pampering continues.

SYMPATHY

We offer our heartfelt sympathy to Kellie (S3PS) and Ron Burke (School Groundsman) and family following the death of two much loved family members this week. Ron's dad, Eddie passed away at the weekend and Anne-Maree's brother, Greg Froud died suddenly and unexpectedly on Monday afternoon.

Coincidentally, Greg is also Mrs Beltzig's next door neighbour and a great friend.

You are all in our thoughts and prayers at the difficult time.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Mrs Natasha Holloway who will represent our school and the Lismore Diocese at the upcoming World Youth Day to be held in Poland later this year.

Special congratulations to Mrs Robyn O'Brien. Her fifth grandchild, Marli Charlotte was

born yesterday.
Great excitement.

2017 KINDERGARTEN ENROLMENTS

This week enrolment packages were sent home to families who have siblings beginning at school next year. We invite any family interested in enrolment to submit an application. These are available from the School Office or online on our website.

www.wauplism.catholic.edu.au

Donations of wool, coloured buttons and glass jars required for Term 2 children's craft activities.

ST JOSEPH'S PRIMARY SCHOOL WAUCHOPE

KINDERGARTEN ENROLMENTS 2017

Enrolment forms available
King Street, Wauchope. | Phone: 6585 1745

Vacancies exist in most grades
Enrolments close 27th May 2016
Respectful, responsible, learners

ENROL NOW FOR 2017

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FUN TIMES AT BAND



LIKE US ON FACEBOOK to keep up to date with all that's happening at St Joseph's.



VOLUNTEERS WANTED FOR THE P & F

Our next P & F Meeting is scheduled for **Thursday 12 May 2016 at 6.00 pm** in the St Joseph's Meeting Room. Can you volunteer some time? Are you interested in becoming our Treasurer? We welcome all to attend and assist with what the year ahead holds.

NAPLAN

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday this coming week will see our Year 3 and Year 5 students complete NAPLAN. It is important to know that NAPLAN is not a pass or fail test. It looks at what level students are achieving in literacy and numeracy against the national standards and compared with their peers throughout Australia. NAPLAN assesses literacy and numeracy skills which students are already learning through the school curriculum. As a parent, you can help your child by treating NAPLAN test days just like any other school day. Some nervousness is natural – just as your child may find other school events a little challenging. Friday 13 May 2016 is set aside as a catch up day for students who require this.

PUPIL FREE DAY

Each family received a note throughout the week in relation to changes to Pupil Free Days for the remainder of 2016. If you have not received this note please contact the School Office. **Our next Pupil Free Day is scheduled for Tuesday 14 June 2016.**

BRAIN GYM WORKSHOP

Switched On For School & Loving Life

MAY 16, 2016 5.30 – 7.30 pm
@ St Agnes Primary School, Port Macquarie.

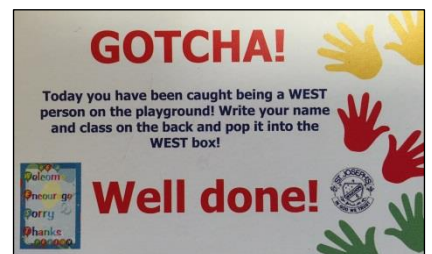
Brain Gym is a program which focuses on the physical aspects of learning and behaviour. Doing the Brain Gym movements switches on the physical functioning of your brain and central nervous system, improving learning, thinking abilities, behaviour, motivation, self-esteem and confidence.

Understanding that there is a physical side of learning, we can open new pathways of communication within the brain to access more of our potential.

To register go to

<http://goo.gl/forms/Lu1HM0R7VQ>

RSVP: 9 May 2016



Congratulations to our **GOTCHA** Winners this fortnight, Charlie Holloway and Teiki Bower.

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FOCUSING ON FAITH

CHILDREN LITURGY

Saturday 14 May 2016 is our next scheduled Children's Liturgy which will incorporate the Inscription Ceremony for those students receiving the Sacrament of Eucharist. The actual ceremony will be celebrated on Saturday 18 June at 6.00 pm.

MAKING JESUS REAL

FOCUS

You grow from your experience.

Many experiences are about hardship, pain and unhappy moments. Looking at our experiences in a positive way helps us to become better people. Jesus showed us the way through his crucifixion.

The choice is ours as to how we carry our cross.

GOD MOMENTS

Teiki Bower: supporting a number of her peers whilst completing a challenging Maths task.

Jarrold Fletcher: helping some younger children with their game during lunch breaks.

Teach your child valuable saving skills.

School Banking is rewarding in so many ways.

Prizes to collect

School Banking available every Tuesday.

FROM THE SPORTING FIELD

ZONE CROSS COUNTRY

Congratulations to our Zone Cross Country team on a successful carnival.

The children were well behaved and participated enthusiastically in the carnival. Giving their best and running as hard as they could.



Congratulations to Grace Smith for taking the win in the Under 9 years girls race.



Ellouise Kirkman was lucky enough to win a netball as a lucky prize draw for her participation. A big thank you to Miss Kate Agnew and Mr Owen Hamill for looking after the students whilst travelling and at the carnival. A special thank you, also, to parents who

travelled with the team and assisted on the day.

ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

Please mark Wednesday 18 May 2016 in your diaries as this is the date for our School Athletics Carnival. Next week a note will arrive home providing the carnival details. We will need many parent helpers on this day, especially time keepers. If you are able to assist, please keep the day free.

CANTEEN ROSTER WEEK 3 TERM 2

Monday 9 May	Julie Keena Gina Williamson
Wednesday 11 May	Julie Keena Ann Eggert
Friday 13 May	Julie Kenna Rachel Sonter Molly Warrenner

UNIFORM SHOP EXTENDED HOURS

To cater for the changeover to winter uniform the Uniform Shop will open:

Wednesday 11 May 2016

1.30 pm – 3.00 pm

Thursday 12 May 2016

9.00 am – 12 noon

Order forms available on the school website or from the Office

Changeover to Winter Uniform

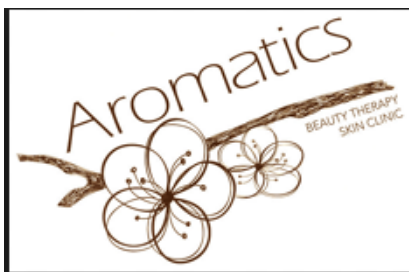
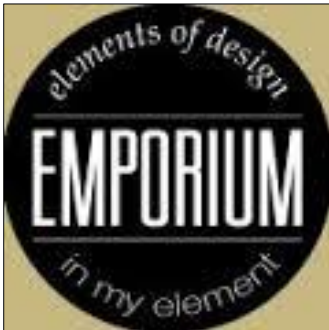
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BOOKCLUB

Book Club orders due Friday 13 May 2016. Clearly mark the form and place with payment in sealed envelope. Mrs Hillard will be at the COLA from 8.45 am. Please note if you wish your order to be kept at the Office for a surprise gift.

Thanks to our Mother's Day Lucky Door Prize Sponsors



COMMUNITY NOTICES

Mini-Roos Junior Disco Under 6 – Under 11 Presented by Wauchope Soccer Club

Friday (tonight) 6 May 2016
6.30 pm – 8.00 pm
Wauchope RSL club, upstairs
Lots of prizes and lots of fun!!
\$5.00 per child
(all proceeds go to the Wauchope Soccer Club)
Adult supervision.
Children must be signed in and for collection at 8.30 pm, by an adult.

WAUCHOPE SOCCER CLUB

Still have vacancies in some teams. Welcome old and new players. The Club offers flexible payment arrangements for membership. Registration will remain open for another week. Contact Bec on 0409 401 926

Fire and Rescue Open Day

Saturday 21 May 2016 between 10.00 am and 2.00 pm.
You are invited to watch fire safety demonstrations, road crash rescue scenarios, board a fire truck and learn about becoming a firefighter.

Go4Fun Funded by NSW Health

Go4Fun is free and funded by NSW Health to provide fun games, exercises and nutrition learning experiences for attending local children and parents. Phone 6562 0324 for more information regarding activities during Term 2.

Health & Services Expo

Wauchope Neighbourhood Centre
For more info phone 6586 4055
Where – Wauchope RSL Club
When – Tuesday 10 May 2016
Time 10.30 am to 1.00 pm
Cost – Free
Bringing free health services to you.
Morning tea provided
Fun activities



Tuesday 10 – Thursday 12 May

- NAPLAN: Year 3 & Year 5

Thursday 12 May

- P & F Meeting: 6.00 pm

Saturday 14 May

- Children's Liturgy and Eucharistic Inscription
- Mass, 6.00 pm. OLOL Church

Monday 16 May

- Changeover to Winter Uniform

Tuesday 17 May

- ICAS Competition

Wednesday 18 May

- School Athletics Carnival

Monday 23 May

- St Joseph's Wingham staff visiting

Thursday 26 May

- P & F School Disco
- Stage 2 visit to Glasshouse
- National Sorry Day

Friday 27 May

- Diocesan Cross Country

Tuesday 14 June

- Pupil Free Day

Saturday 18 June

- Sacrament of Eucharist

Friday 24 June

- Zone Athletics Carnival

Tuesday 28 June

- NAIDOC Day celebrations
