ST. JOSEPH'S SCHOOL NEWSLETTER
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Friday 18th November, 2016

"Where Learning and Friendship Grow"

Weekly Reminders:

**Lunch orders:** are available on Monday, Wednesday and Friday from Orbost Bakery.

**Brain Food:** please send along a piece of fruit or raw vegetables cut up for your child to eat at their 10am break.

**Sport:** with Miss Pearson on Mondays.

**St. Joseph's Playgroup:** Thursday 9.15am to 11.30am

**Uniform Shop:** Maintained by Ms Marie Donchi – Orders can be placed at the office.

**Out of hours childcare/vacation care:** Is coordinated through Orbost Primary School. For bookings phone Kassandra Collings 0484 785 119.

Weekly Awards

**MacKillop:**
Ava Martin: For consistently being on task and focused during class time.

**Colman:**
Andrew Robinson: For showing persistence in Numeracy. Well done!

**Xavier:**
Hayley Stewart & Markeisha Ingram: For including paragraphs in their historical narrative.

**Sport:**
Shyer Milliken: For working so well with her team members in P.E.

This Week’s Mass Times

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Prayer

Loving God, on the cross your Son revealed the foundation of his kingdom as he reached out in forgiving love to those who crucified him. May your Spirit guide our hearts and minds so that we too may join the good thief walking with Jesus in the garden of Paradise. We ask this in Jesus’ name confident that you will hear us.

ALERT!

A CASE OF HEAD LICE HAS BEEN REPORTED

Please take some time on the weekend to check the children’s hair and treat if necessary. We will only stop this problem if every family is diligent in monitoring regularly.

Thankyou for your assistance.

Dates to Remember

Breakfast Program – offered daily before school – between 8.30 – 8.45am

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<td>2.45pm Assembly</td>
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Respect - Reverence - Love and Compassion – Honesty – Generosity – Commitment – Faithfulness – Inclusion – Forgiveness

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St Joseph’s Playgroup

Playgroup with Puppets & Play and Beat Boppers every Thursday during the school term. Our final playgroup for 2016 will be held on Thursday 8th December.

Please note that all remaining school fees and levies (including outstanding Camp fees) are due for payment by Wednesday 30th November. Final fee statements will be sent home to parents next week.

School Banking Details for Direct Payments:
Account Name: St Joseph’s Primary School, Orbost
Bank: NAB, Sale
BSB: 083-879
Account No: 69545 2766
Remember to include your surname and family code if possible – if you are unsure, just ask at the Office for assistance

Important end of year dates for your diary!

- **Tuesday 6th December**
  *Helpers Morning Tea*
  10.30am – MacKillop Hall

- **Tuesday 6th – Friday 9th**
  *Grade 6 transition at OSC*
  including Cape Conran Camp (Thurs/Fri)

- **Monday 12th**
  *End of Year Concert & Family Dinner*
  5.30pm MacKillop Hall (flyer attached)

- **Wednesday 14th**
  *Grade 6 Graduation Mass*
  9.30am Colman Church – all welcome
  **Last day of school for Grade 6 students**

- **Friday 16th**
  **Last day of school for all remaining students**

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Did you order from our last Scholastic Book Club – Issue 7???

- We have an order without a name attached, if you could let us know if it’s your order that would be great! (since collected – thank you!)
- We also had a couple of orders that did not have their payment attached. Orders will be given out once full payment has been made to the office.

Thank you! 😊

**STEPS**

Support for Parents of Children with Special Needs

DO YOU HAVE A CHILD WITH SPECIAL NEEDS?

Orbost Regional Health together with DRUMBEAT would like to invite you to the DRUMBEAT program: “our research clearly shows the DRUMBEAT program makes a substantial difference to the emotional health and wellbeing and impacts positively with adults”.

The group shares ideas, gives and receives support and experiences and includes special guests.

Meeting Details: Thursday 24th November from 12.30pm-2.30pm, at the Maternal & Child Health Services, 1 Ruskin Street, Orbost
Jacque: 5154 6636 or Nadia: 0408 896 875

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East Gippsland Library Programs

Junior Lego enthusiasts are invited to attend our after school Lego Club sessions. The supervised sessions are held at the Orbost Library and will incorporate freestyle creativity and some themed construction activities, our next sessions is on:
**Tuesday, 22nd Nov, 2016** from 3.40pm – 4.40pm.

LEGOCub is for children aged 5 – 12
Bookings are essential.
Donations Welcome: The library will gladly accept donations of old or new Lego Brand pieces for our Lego Club collection.
Marlo Triathlon
Saturday 7th January, 2017
Marlo Hotel
Fun for all age groups
Kids Course- Commences at 2pm
U7-25m Swim, 1km Bike & 500m Run U12-75m Swim, 3km Bike & 600m Run Fun Tri Race- Commences at 3pm
200m Swim, 10km Bike and 2.5km Run
Main Race- Commences at 4pm
500 M Swim, 22km Bike and 5.5m Run

Around Our School

• Students enjoying their Arena Theatre Co. workshop this week where they got to design a unique ‘Artificial Intelligence’ digital mask.