

ST. JOSEPH'S SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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"Where Learning and Friendship Grow"

Dear Families

Welcome back for Term Two! On Monday we welcomed Mrs Elsie Kool, class teacher for Colman Monday-Thursday; Mrs Louise Kidd, Learning Support Officer and Mrs Amanda Robinson, Administration Officer, to our school. Please introduce yourselves to them when you get a chance. It is great to have them on board and we hope that they enjoy being part of our friendly community at St Joseph's.

The children settled back into learning quickly in all classes and it is great to see some quality discussions taking place as they engage in a wide variety of hands-on learning tasks.

Please remember that student safety is our major priority. Thanks to everyone for remembering to let us know of any changes to arrangements for the end of the day and for helping us to navigate the buses and unusual busyness at the front of the school each afternoon. Please make sure that children, especially younger students, are accompanied to the footpath in front of the school in the mornings too. There can still be buses and cars at this time and we would hate for anyone to be involved in an accident.

As previously notified, there is a free session for parents with students who have **anxiety** on line on Saturday morning. I am sure that parents will gain some insights and tips about dealing with anxiety that will prove most useful. I encourage you to spend time doing this if you possibly can. I have always found that what I learn from these sessions work well when dealing with all students

and it is not very often that parents have free opportunities to learn strategies – and parenting is the most important job in the world!

Please remember those who have fought for our country, their families and friends on Anzac Day this Sunday. There is no march this year. There are services at dawn (6am) and at 10.55am that you are welcome to attend please see Miss Jenny if you attend.

Kind regards
 Marie



Dates to Remember	
Mon 25 th	Anzac Day
Mon 26 th	11.15am Charlie Lynn Visit Whole school Tennis Clinic Division Cross Country – Nagle College
Wed 28 th	Kitchen Garden Program – Colman Class
Thurs 29 th	9.45am Playgroup with Storytime and Beat Boppers group movement and fun

Calm – Courageous – Curious – Caring – Creative

Weekly Reminders

Lunch orders: are available on Friday from Rosie's Hot Bake.

Sports: Mondays.

Uniform Shop: Orders to be placed at the office.

Out of hours childcare/vacation care: Is offered on Monday to Thursday, coordinated through Orbost Primary School.

For bookings phone 0455 417 320



Prayer

Loving God, you sent Jesus to shepherd us into the mystery of your love. Guided by his Spirit, may we hear his voice calling us in love and to love in all the events of life. We ask this in his name confident that you will hear us.



Digital Parenting Tips

Curation

Curating your feed is the best gift you can give yourself. You can choose what you see on your screen by filtering out the noise, the nonsense and the nastiness. Take a moment and favourite the newsfeed and content that adds to, not erodes your wellbeing.

For more, visit: digiisocial.com

School Banking Details for Direct Payment

Account Name: St Joseph's Primary School, Orbost

Bank: NAB, Sale

BSB: 083-879 **Account No:** 69545 276

PLEASE include your surname and/or family code if possible to help with online payment identification

St Joseph's Playgroup

Playgroup with Storytime and Beat Boppers Music, Movement & Fun is every Thursday during the school term.

9.45am – 10.30am in MacKillop Hall.

All families are most welcome!



Catholic School Parents Victoria invites parents of children in Catholic schools to:
CSPV Connect Webinar Series 2021

Saturday 24th April, 10:30am-12pm

CSPV proudly presents a free webinar for parents of children in primary and secondary school

Supporting parents of children with anxiety with Dr Jodi Richardson

Are you struggling to support your young child or teenager with anxiety?

CSPV provides this opportunity for you to learn from leading anxiety speaker and educator Dr Jodi Richardson. Jodi is the best-selling co-author of *Anxious Kids* and a regular media commentator on issues related to anxiety, wellbeing and parenting.

This free 90 minute Webinar will provide you with strategies to know how to respond, how you can help, when to seek professional help and much more.

http://vcspb.schoolzineplus.com/_r/ORN2G/607911f85490a

LET'S DO THIS

LEARN THE NETBALL BASICS, GET OUTSIDE AND MAKE SOME FRIENDS.
PLAY SUNCORP NETSETGO AT YOUR LOCAL CENTRE.

VENUE
LOCHIEL PARK, LOCHIEL STREET, ORBOST

SESSION DAYS & TIMES

WEDNESDAYS NetSetGo (5 - 8 yrs) 3.30PM - 4.30PM Junior (8 - 13 yrs) 3.30PM - 5PM

START DATE

Wednesday 28th April

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Find your nearest centre at play.netball.com.au

