Dear Parents & Children,

It was wonderful to have the opportunity to share breakfast with so many family members this morning. Events such as this highlight the strong sense of community I have witnessed during my brief time here at St. Joachim’s.

As I have written on a couple of occasions, a strong school and family partnership is critical for the development of the whole child. School should be a place which reinforces the values taught and modelled in the home and where values such as respect and tolerance are evident through behaviours and interactions with others.


‘We all know how important it is in the most delicate moments to be able to count on the advice of people who are wise and who love us, Now, through the gift of counsel, it is God himself, through his Spirit, who enlightens our heart so as to make us understand the right way to speak and to behave and the way to follow.’

To all the family members who were able to join us for breakfast many thanks for taking the time to come together as a community and to share in the learning taking place at St. Joachim’s.

A very special vote of thanks to Veronica Wheeler, Aleisha Linares, Melinda Livera, Tanya Peterson and Neil Ramsay for the work involved in feeding the hungry crowd. Thanks also to the staff who turned up early to assist with the serving and to have their rooms open for family members to visit.

Just a reminder that Fr. John Madden is celebrating his Silver Jubilee (25 Years) as a priest on 13 September at the 10am Mass, followed by a parish gathering for refreshments in the hall commencing at 11:30am. We are in need of family support to assist with the catering. If you are able to support us, please send a note indicating what you can provide to the school office early next week.

Our Catholic community has and continues to be enriched by the devotion and service of this wonderful man and in recognition of this, the parish would like to invite families to contribute towards a gift which will be presented to Fr. John. If you would like to contribute to a gift please place your donation in an envelope marked ‘Gift Donation’ and send it to the school office by Friday of next week, alternatively there are envelopes available in the church foyer.

Enjoy the rest of your week,

Craig Carlin
From Mrs Stewart
Deputy Principal
istewart@sjcarrumdowns.catholic.edu.au

In September Fr John celebrates his Silver Jubilee of Ordination. This is a very special occasion for Fr John and for our parish and calls for a huge parish celebration. The following slip can be left at the school office or you can email Irene istewart@sjcarrumdowns.catholic.edu.au with any offers of help.

Name: ________________________________
Contact phone number: ______________

I would like to help with Fr John’s silver jubilee celebration by making / helping with: ______________
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STOP!
Before the White Line

Remember that cars cannot do right hand turns into the school car park. Thanks to all who obey this rule to keep our car park safe for our students and their families.

Preschool Story Time

Every Friday at 3:00pm in the library there is “Story Time” for our pre-school friends.
This story time is open to all of our siblings who are coming to Prep at St Joachim’s next year.

Footy Tipping.

Blakester........140
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It’s getting close!!!!

This week we are very excited to hear that Mitch White (former St Joachim’s student and lovely young man) will be making his AFL debut with the Melbourne Football club this weekend.

So this week it’s

Go Demons!
Happy Father’s Day

It was a fabulous turnout of dads and their children today at our Father’s Day Breakfast!

Thank you to our wonderful Parents Association for getting here so early and getting the bbqs going!
Happy Father’s Day

Thanks to Arek, father of Adam for once again taking such fabulous photos.
Coming this term...  
St. Joachim’s Senior School Production 2015

**Cinderella**

**Wednesday 16th** & **Thursday 17th** September @ 7.00pm  
Carrum Downs Secondary College Theatre

$5.00 per ticket

**Tickets on sale now!**

This year we have set up an online booking account with the TryBooking website where you can purchase your tickets online using your credit card.

The link to purchase Cinderella tickets is: [http://www.trybooking.com/IWFZ](http://www.trybooking.com/IWFZ)

Tickets will be allocated seating costing $5.00 each plus a 30c booking fee which will be charged at the time of ticket purchase. When you book online you will be able to choose your seats, and then simply print out your tickets to bring with you to the theatre on the night so you know where your seat is.

Come along and bring the whole family for a great night’s entertainment!

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**Meet the Cast**

**Security Guards**

Jordan, Drupad, Seth, Owen, Harrison, Karthii, Tiv, Matthew  
(Absent from photo- Ezra, Tom, Gabriel)

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**Village Children**

Alex, Lisa, Ryan, Nadisha, Tyson, Tamsyn, Jai, Angel
Book Club
Lamont Book Club Issue 6

As anticipated “The 65-Storey Treehouse” was an enormous success in the last issue. It is not listed in the brochure that went home earlier this week but it is available to order throughout Issue 6.

I am loving the variety of books offered by Lamont Book Club and the online ordering makes it all so easy.

Thanks to the families who support the library by purchasing books through the Book Club.

Book Week

Thank you to all our families for joining in the Book Week fun.

The children and staff loved dressing up and everyone likes coming to school in their pyjamas!

Here is a link to the St Joachim’s Library Google Site which features lots of fabulous photos.

Quiz Winners!

Congratulations to the 14 families who answered all the questions on the Book Week Quiz correctly.

Each of these families will receive a certificate and a $10:00 voucher which can be spent at the book fair in the third week of Term 4. These will be given out at next week's whole school assembly.

Fraser – Jack & Thomas
Gough – Chelsea & Johnathon
Vella – Alyssa & Alex
Reeve – Joshua & Caitlyn
O’Toole – Harley
Lizama – Bella
Stewart – Benjamin
Toncinich – Seth
D’Souza – Janis
Rutherford – Killian
Kroon – Noah
Livera – Blake
Stapleton – Tristan

The Major Winner of a $25:00 Book Fair Voucher is

The Vriesen Family
Cameron JLG & Chelsea PRF

Lunchtime Fun
@ the library

On the next page you can see how much fun we have in the library at lunchtimes!

Thanks to all the senior students who love coming to the library at lunchtimes.
St Joachim’s Library

We see QR Codes (Quick Response Codes) in lots of places – in magazines, in advertising and now in the St Joachim’s Library!

You can create QR Codes using free apps such as QR Code Reader by Scan and websites such as Unitage.

To read the codes we use an app called Scan. All are free!

QR Codes can be scanned and it will take you to a website, show text, a video and so much more – see where the St Joachim’s Library QR Codes take you.

Thanks to Jai, Cam, Alex and Keira
Wednesday 30 September

**PIXEL ART**
10.30am @ Frankston Library – Community Room
Get your geek on and turn your favourite characters into pixel art you can take home using Perler Beads.
Suitable 9+ years.
*Please note: children under 12 years must be accompanied by an adult.*
$3 - Bookings essential.

Wednesday 30 September

**NATIVE PLANT DISCOVERY**
1.30pm @ Carrum Downs Library
Learn about our beautiful native plants and crafts you can make using them with Paula from George Pentland Botanic Gardens
Suitable 3-8 years.
FREE - Bookings essential.

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**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

⭐ Bookings open 8 September 2015.
⭐ Sessions are specifically designed for each age group. We ask that you only book children of the appropriate age into each session.
⭐ Children under 12 years must be accompanied by an adult.
⭐ Only book tickets for children attending the event - accompanying adults do not require a ticket.
⭐ We ask that children not bring food to the holiday program in consideration of other children who may have allergies.
⭐ For sessions that have a cost, payments must be made at time of booking at either Frankston or Carrum Downs Library.
*No refunds available.

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Frankston Library: (03) 9784 1020
60 Playne Street, Frankston 3199

Carrum Downs Library: (03) 8773 9539
203 Lyndbird Drive, Carrum Downs 3201

libraryenquiries@frankston.vic.gov.au
library.frankston.vic.gov.au

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School Holiday Program
22-30 September 2015

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL FROM TUESDAY 8 SEPTEMBER

Book on 9784 1020 or online at library.frankston.vic.gov.au/whats_on/
Tuesday 22 September
STORYTIME
10.30am @ Frankston Library
Join us for stories, songs and rhymes, and make a craft to take home.
Suitable 3-8 years.
FREE - Bookings essential.

Tuesday 22 September
INTRODUCTION TO PROGRAMMING WITH SCRATCH
1.30pm @ Carrum Downs Library
Join us at the library to get an introduction to Scratch, a programming language that allows you to easily create stories, games and animations to share with others around the world. It is expected that children attending will have a basic understanding of:
• Navigating a computer and using the Internet
• Using simple games/programs
• Knowledge of what “programming” is, in theory.
Suitable 9+ years.
FREE - Bookings essential.

Wednesday 23 September
MANGA WORKSHOP
10.30am-12.30pm @ Frankston Library – Long Room
Learn how to draw Manga style characters in this hands-on workshop with artist Kenny Chan.
Suitable 9+ years.
$5 - Bookings essential.

Wednesday 23 September
BUNNINGS CRAFT WORKSHOP
1.30pm @ Carrum Downs Library
Spring into the library with Mandy from Carrum Downs Bunnings for a fun craft.
Suitable 5-12 years.
FREE - Bookings essential.

Thursday 24 September
MOVIE SCREENING
1.30pm @ Frankston Library – Long Room
A special bond develops between a plus-sized inflatable robot and a boy prodigy, who team up with a group of friends to form a band of high-tech heroes.
Suitable 5-12 years.
FREE - Bookings essential.

Friday 25 September
FAIRY KAYE SHOW
10.30am @ Carrum Downs Library
Come dressed in your favourite fairy gear and enjoy Fairy Kaye’s magical storytime show.
Suitable for 3-8 years.
$5 - Bookings essential.

Monday 28 September
LEGO FOR CHILDREN WITH AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER OR SENSORY ISSUES
1pm @ Frankston Library – Long Room
This Lego session has been specially designed for children on the Autism Spectrum or who have sensory issues. Children will be able to build and create in a quieter, more contained space in a smaller group. Suitable for all ages.
FREE - Bookings essential.

Tuesday 29 September
LUKE THE MAGICIAN
10.30am @ Frankston Library
Join Luke the Magician for a show that is jam-packed with stunning magic, audience participation and witty comedy.
Suitable 5-12 years.
$5 - Bookings essential.