John Paul College
In association with St. Joachim’s Primary School
Presents
Seussical

“A person’s a person no matter how small.”

Thu 9 Aug 7:30pm
Fri 10 Aug 7:30pm
Sat 11 Aug 2:00pm
Sat 11 Aug 7:30pm

Adults $20 Concession $15
George Jenkins Theatre, Monash University
Tickets are available from 23 May via the JPC Website www.jpc.vic.edu.au
For more details, contact JPC at 97840200

[Photos of children]
Dear Parents, Students and Friends of St Joachim's,

Next week we celebrate 25 years of Catholic Education at Carrum Downs. In doing so, we have an opportunity to give thanks for the commitment of our Parish and staff in providing a school of first choice for our families. The continued high demand for placement into St Joachim's each year affirms the achievements of teachers and leaders, those that have gone before and those who continue to make a positive difference to our children and community.

Schools in their very nature, are catalyst for change. Not all change is good but it will always be necessary if there is to be improvement. Change allows us to test what exists, explore new possibilities, keep what works and implement new ideas to take us forward.

Our school is a beautiful school, its children a reflection of the effort, expectation and hopes we as parents and teachers have for them. St Joachim's is moving toward an exciting new era. Next year we begin to implement the new AusVels Curriculum, a forth specialist subject, Performing Arts, will be offered and the school's e-learning capacity will be enhanced. It's an exciting time for all of us but especially for our students.

I hope that next week provides you with an opportunity to reflect upon the journey that you have made during the life of the school, celebrate what has made you a better person and learn from what has challenged you.

In celebrating 25 years, welcome back, welcome everyone.

My kindest regards,

Des Noack Coordinating Principal

CELEBRATING
25 Years of Catholic Education in Carrum Downs
1987 - 2012

NEWSLETTER NO.24
FRIDAY 10TH AUGUST 2012

As we celebrate our 25 Year Anniversary we remember the many people who help to make St Joachim’s such a wonderful school. John Hurren has been our crossing man for 16 years. During rain, hail or shine, John has a smile for everyone.

Thank you John!

Coming up....

25 Year Anniversary
"Party Day"
Tuesday 21st August

Free Dress Day:
Students are encouraged to come in 1980s gear eg: fluoro tops, happy pants, leg warmers....

Outline of the day:
9:00am  Prayer Service in the Hall
9:30am  Sing Happy Birthday to the school.
11:00am Preps - Juniors Tabloid sports.
11:30am Recess
12:00pm Middles & Seniors Tabloid Sports.
12:30pm Party Lunch - starting with Preps.
1:40pm Lunch time
2:15pm Special activities in classrooms.

It's going to be a great day!!!!!
Congratulations to our new SRC students.

JYL - Georgia Marlow
JGC - Lochlan Clarke
MCM - Natalie Katafiasz
MCC - Cooper Joyce
MTO - Daniela Chalupa
SCP - David Conroy
SMH - Hailey Pargetter
SDM - Toni Cooper
SDB - Jemma Loos

Tile Mural Project

Please note all families who have replied that they wish to complete a tile for our Tile Mural Project will have received a letter today notifying your family of the time allotted.

Helina Walker, Art Teacher

Dates for the Diary

20 – 25 Aug ...............25th Anniversary Celebrations
25 Aug Sat.....................25th Anniversary Celebrations
28 Aug Tues ...............Father’s Day Stall
30 Aug Thurs ................2013 Prep Info Evening
31st Aug Fri....................Father’s Day breakfast.

This Weekend’s Gospel

Each week, our students learn about the coming weekends Gospel. It provides for them an insight into their journey of faith and the opportunity to understand the faith story of their family and parish community.

First Reading
Prv 9:1-6
A reading from the book of Proverbs
Come and eat my bread; drink the wine I have prepared.
Wisdom has built herself a house, she has erected her seven pillars, she has slaughtered her beasts, prepared her wine, she has laid her table.
She has despatched her maidservants and proclaimed from the city’s heights: ‘Who is ignorant? Let him step this way.’
To the fool she says, ‘Come and eat my bread, drink the wine I have prepared!
Leave your folly and you will live, walk in the ways of perception.’
Responsorial Psalm
Ps 33:2-3. 10-15. R. v.9
(R.) Taste and see the goodness of the Lord.
1. I will bless the Lord at all times, his praise always on my lips; in the Lord my soul shall make its boast. The humble shall hear and be glad. (R.)
2. Revere the Lord, you his saints. They lack nothing, those who revere him. Strong lions suffer want and go hungry.

Father’s Day Stall
Tuesday August 28th.

Father’s Day Breakfast
Friday August 31st.

Come to school with Dad (and/or granddad) and have an “Egg and Bacon” roll, mingle and have a browse in the classroom.
Breakfast will be served from 7:30am in the hall and classrooms will be open from 8:15am.
Note the date in your diaries.

MASS TIMES

20th August – 26th August
Wednesday 9.30am - Holy Family
Saturday 6.00pm - St Joachim’s
Sunday 8.30am - St Anne’s Church
Sunday 10.00am - St Anne’s Church

Liturgy of the Word
Thursday 9.15 - St Anne’s Church
Friday 9.00am - St Joachim’s
but those who seek the Lord lack no blessing. (R.)
3. Come children, and hear me
that I may teach you the fear of the Lord.
Who is he who longs for life
and many days, to enjoy his prosperity? (R.)
4. Then keep your tongue from evil
and your lips from speaking deceit.
Turn aside from evil and do good;
seek and strive after peace. (R.)
Second Reading
Eph 5:15-20
A reading from the letter of St Paul to the
Ephesians
Be watchful that you may know the will of God.
Be very careful about the sort of lives you lead,
like intelligent and not like senseless people. This
may be a wicked age, but your lives should
redeem it. And do not be thoughtless but
recognise what is the will of the Lord. Do not drug
yourselves with wine, this is simply dissipation;
be filled with the Spirit. Sing the words and tunes
of the psalms and hymns when you are together,
and go on singing and chanting to the Lord in
your hearts, so that always and everywhere you are
giving thanks to God who is our Father in the
name of our Lord Jesus Christ.
Gospel Acclamation
Jn 6:56
Alleluia, alleluia!
All who eat my flesh and drink my blood
live in me and I in them, says the Lord.
Alleluia!
Gospel
Jn 6:51-58
A reading from the holy Gospel according to John
My flesh is real food and my blood is real drink.
Jesus said to the crowd:
‘I am the living bread which has come down from
heaven.
Anyone who eats this bread will live for ever;
and the bread that I shall give
is my flesh, for the life of the world.’
Then the Jews started arguing with one another:
‘How can this man give us his flesh to eat?’ they
said. Jesus replied:
‘I tell you most solemnly,
if you do not eat the flesh of the Son of Man
and drink his blood,
you will not have life in you.
Anyone who does eat my flesh and drink my blood
has eternal life,
and I shall raise him up on the last day.
For my flesh is real food
and my blood is real drink.
He who eats my flesh and drinks my blood
lives in me
and I live in him.
As I, who am sent by the living Father,
myself draw life from the Father,
so whoever eats me will draw life from me.
This is the bread come down from heaven;
not like the bread our ancestors ate:
they are dead,
but anyone who eats this bread will live for ever.’

Kilbreda College
Enrolment Dates
Year 7, 2014
Kilbreda College Mentone is currently accepting
Enrolment Applications for Year 7, 2014.
Enrolment Information Packs can be obtained
from your Primary School or Kilbreda College
Enrolment Information Evening Year 7, 2014
Thursday 13th September 2012, commencing at
7.30pm. The Mary Dalton Hall will be open for
registration from 7pm. Attendance is a prerequisite
for enrolment into Year 7, 2014
College tours are available on Monday mornings
at 9.00am or by appointment
To make a tour booking or for further information
please contact the College Office on 9584 7766 or
Mrs Melissa Dwyer on
dwyerm@kilbreda.vic.edu.au

CDF STUDENT BANKING
JUST A REMINDER THAT
BANKING DAY
IS
THURSDAY

Application forms for new accounts are available
from the School office

UNIFORM SHOP
TRADING HOURS

Wednesday 8:30 – 9:00am
Thursday 3:30pm – 3:30pm

Tracey Craddock - Uniform Shop Coordinator
tcraddock@sjcarrumdowns.catholic.edu.au
OSHC NEWS

Welcome to another week of OSHC, firstly I’d like to say a BIG WELCOME to all the new families that have joined camp Australia. This week it has all been about children’s choices. So that we as team leaders have a better understanding of each individual child’s likes and interests. During this week the children have also put on a talent show to show their talents and I’d like to say a BIG thank you to everyone that got involved.

STAFF ON ROSTER
In BSC it is Jacinta and Rohini
And ASC it is Jacinta and Tegan

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Save on Care You can save 50% or more on Before and After School Care fees with the non-means tested Child Care Rebate. Almost all families are eligible. To find out more call our Customer Service Team on 1300 105 343 Monday to Friday.

Also this week and next week I will be sending out enrolments forms to parents to complete it is important that you do return it as soon as you can. If any parents have any questions please do not hesitate to come in and we will be happy to assist you.

WHAT’S ON THIS WEEK
This week it has all been about children’s choices.

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