



Santa Clara School

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IMPORTANT DATES

31 August 2017

- Friday 1 September:**
- 9:00am Kindy & Pre-Primary Athletics Carnival
 - 2:15pm Year 1 Curriculum Assembly
 - 5:30pm SCHOOL DISCO



SUNDAY 3 SEPTEMBER

- Friday 8 September:**
- NO CANTEEN TODAY
 - Faction Athletics Carnival at Wyong Reserve (Years 1 – 6)
 - SUBWAY LUNCH ORDERS
 - No Assembly today



SUNDAY 10 SEPTEMBER 9:30am CONFIRMATION MASS AT SANTA CLARA CHURCH

- Friday 15 September:**
- Interschool Athletics Carnival at Good Shepherd Catholic Primary School, Arbuthnot Street, Kelmscott
 - 2:30pm Assembly
- Wednesday 20 September:**
- 9:00am Music Incursion

THURSDAY 21 SEPTEMBER LAST DAY OF TERM FOR STUDENTS

FRIDAY 22 SEPTEMBER PUPIL FREE DAY – STAFF PD – SCHOOL CLOSED

TERM 3 BEGINS FOR STUDENTS & STAFF MONDAY 9 OCTOBER

- Friday 13 October:**
- 2:30pm Assembly
 - P&F QUIZ NIGHT
- Tuesday 17 October:**
- 6:00pm P&F Meeting
 - 6:45pm Board Meeting
- Friday 20 October:**
- 2:30pm Assembly

FRIDAY 3 NOVEMBER SCHOOL CLOSED – STAFF CATHOLIC DAY

PRAYER:

Lord
 You have enriched our lives
 In many ways,
 And we are grateful
 For all who have influenced our lives
 For the better.
 Show us how best to use the time and talents
 You have given each one of us,
 And inspire us to live full
 And bring benefit
 To our own part of the world. Amen.

Dear Parents/Carers, Staff and Students

The promotion of student wellbeing is central to teaching and learning in contemporary learning environments. At Santa Clara School we recognise that strong staff student relationships underpin effective teaching and that children learn best when they are in a safe and engaging environment.

We aim to promote:

- A positive sense of self in relationship with God and others
- A sense of optimism and confidence in one's abilities
- Parent and community partnerships with our school
- Opportunities to enhance student engagement, connectedness and belonging
- The explicit teaching of social and emotional skills

Santa Clara School – Cyclic Review 2017

The Catholic Education Western Australia has introduced a school cyclic review for all Catholic schools in WA. The School Cyclic Review occurs once in five years, and focuses on the

the engagement with self-review, the impact of self-review on school improvement and the future directions for the improvement of student outcomes.

We are one of the 30 schools involved and the review will take place in Term 3, commencing in September 2017. The duration of the review would normally be 1-2 days. The process will involve the Leadership Team, some staff, some parents and the Parish Priest. This review will be conducted by means of written evaluation, followed by visits of the review panel.

Makerspace at Santa Clara School – Living a Dream

As we reshape our teaching and learning to ensure that our students are equipped for their future learning journey, I would like to inform you of our Makerspace dream for Santa Clara School. In brief, makerspace is a place where young students have an opportunity to explore their own interests, learn to use tools and materials, both physical and virtual,

and develop creative projects. Makerspace provide hands-on, creative ways for our students to design, experiment, and invest as they engage in science, engineering and tinkering.

Bereavement

It is with sadness I inform the school community that Mrs Hawkins's father passed away recently. And I inform you with regret that Mr King's Mother in Law also passed away last Sunday. The Santa Clara School community offers their deepest condolences and our prayers and thoughts are with Mrs Hawkins, Mr King, and their families.

Enrolments

We are currently organising 2018 enrolments. If you are aware that your child will not be returning to Santa Clara in 2018, please inform us in writing or via email as soon as possible. It is not necessary to write to us if your child is currently in Year 6.

Personal Note

I would like to take this opportunity to say thank you to the parent community for all that you do to assist us within the school from being on classroom rosters, helping in the canteen, library and school banking, supervising on excursions, being on the P&F Committee and School Board and so on. The staff and Leadership Team truly appreciate your continual support of our endeavours and words of encouragement and thanks.

I hope everyone has a safe and enjoyable weekend!

God bless

Richard Win Pe
Principal

ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL NEWS

YEAR ONE ASSEMBLY – FRIDAY 1 SEPTEMBER 2017

Tomorrow, Friday 1 September, the Year One class will be presenting their Curriculum Assembly in the hall at 2:15pm. Thank you to Miss Carcione and the students for an anticipated exciting Assembly.

PRE-PRIMARY & KINDERGARTEN ATHLETICS CARNIVAL – FRIDAY 1 SEPTEMBER 2017

Tomorrow, Friday 1 September, the Pre-Primary & Kindergarten Athletics Carnival will be held on the school oval from 9:00am to 10:30am. Special thanks to Miss Fitzpatrick for organising this carnival.

YEAR ONE TO YEAR SIX FACTION ATHLETICS CARNIVAL – FRIDAY 8 SEPTEMBER 2017

Next Friday, 8 September, the Faction Athletics Carnival will be held at Wyong Reserve. The Year Three to Year Six students will be walking to the Reserve at 9:00am and the Year One and Year Two students will depart the school at 10:00am. The Carnival will conclude around 2:30pm.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION MASS – SUNDAY 10 SEPTEMBER 2017

Congratulations to the fourteen Year Six students who will be receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation on Sunday 10 September 2017. The Mass will commence at 9:30am.

INTERSCHOOL ATHLETICS CARNIVAL – FRIDAY 15 SEPTEMBER 2017

This year's Interschool Athletics Carnival will be held at Good Shepherd Catholic Primary School in Kelmscott on Friday 15 September 2017. The Junior Carnival (Years 1-3) commences at 9:50am and concludes at 11:35am and the Senior Carnival (Years 4-6) commences at 11:45am and concludes at 2:00pm. Both groups will be bussed back to school at the end of each Carnival. We wish all the children the very best for the day.

Larry King
Acting Principal



DON'T FORGET....

The West Australian and Channel Seven are giving West Australian Schools the chance to WIN a share of \$20,000.

An entry coupon will be in this Saturday's The Weekend West, 2 September 2017.

Remember to ask your family and friends to collect coupons and drop them off at the school office.

Any money won will go towards our Makerspace!



School Book Fair

What a great community Santa Clara Primary School is!!

We had our Scholastic Book Fair in Week 5 and the Book Week Committee would like to thank the classroom teachers and students for their enthusiasm when participating in the activities the committee planned. Also, a big thank you to the school community for their support in purchasing enough books to allow for a commission of over \$700!! This means some nice new books for our library. Well done everyone!!

One of the activities was our Art Gallery Walkabout where the students created a piece of artwork to display in their classroom. Our winners from each class were presented with a book from the fair at our assembly.

Congratulations to our winners: Anaad, Noah, Andre, Bethany, Lachlan, Ella, Zeyann and Savannah.



YOU'RE INVITED TO

Pyjama Day

WHEN: THURSDAY THE 14TH OF SEPTEMBER

COST: \$2 ON THE DAY

WHAT TO WEAR: YOUR PYJAMAS!

WHY: TO RAISE MONEY FOR OUR MAKERSPACE, A DIGITAL EDUCATIONAL RESOURCE THAT WILL BE USED BY ALL STUDENTS K-6



Santa Clara P & F School Disco

Kindy – Year 6



Friday 1st September
5.30pm till 7.30pm
In the School Hall

Entry \$5 per child

Parents are welcome to stay for a gold coin donation

Glow Sticks, Drinks and Treats available to purchase throughout the night
Professional Photobooth & Photographer
Lots of games & prizes

Drop off and pick up at the Pollock St gate
This event is for Santa Clara students only



SANTA CLARA P & F

QUIZ NIGHT

Friday 13th October

7.00 pm for 7.30 pm start

BYO Alcohol, nibbles and snacks

Cool drinks available to purchase

Loads of Prizes to be won including Raffles, Door Prize and Spot Prizes

Tables of 8

\$20.00 per person

Tickets on sale after school in the undercover area or phone Michelle Kinsman 0409 05 05 22

Come along for some fun and test your knowledge and game skills.

Sorry no children allowed



Athletics Carnival Lunch Order

Subway orders for the Athletics Carnival are due on Wednesday MORNING 6th September.

No late orders will be accepted.

Thank you
Santa Clara P & F



WOOLWORTHS EARN & LEARN

*Don't forget to
keep collecting
your stickers every
time you shop at
Woolworths!*

Earn 2 bonus stickers when you purchase any products from participating brands including Airwick, Australia's Own, Bega, Cold Power, Finish, Mr Kipling, Nature's Way, Tamar Valley, Uncle Tobys, Vanish and Yumis.

Place them in the box provided in the School Office for our chance to earn some fantastic educational resources for our School.

Thanks for your support!



SIPAHH MILK FLAVOURING STRAWS

Available in Choc Mint, Cocoa Bean Chocolate, Strawberry and Cookies & Cream.

They come in a pack of 4 of each flavour for \$2. Alternatively, you are more than welcome to purchase a carton to help fundraise which contains 24 packs for \$44.00. **That's only 50c per straw!**

Each straw contains less than half a teaspoon of sugar!

I will be available every Monday and Friday morning and afternoon in the School Undercover area if you would like any further information or wish to make a purchase.

Thank you for your support!

Michelle Kinsman
P&F President

CANTEEN ROSTERS TERM 3

Friday 1 September Tanya Spiegl	Monday 4 September HELP NEEDED
FRIDAY 8 SEPTEMBER SPORTS CARNIVAL - CANTEEN CLOSED	Monday 11 September HELP NEEDED
Friday 15 September Lyn Nurzenski	Monday 18 September HELP NEEDED
FRIDAY 22 SEPTEMBER - PUPIL FREE DAY – STAFF PD - SCHOOL CLOSED	