

**"WE ARE  
ONE"**

#### IMPORTANT DATES

- **ASSEMBLY**  
**12:15pm**  
**Friday in the**  
**Library**  
**ALL**  
**WELCOME**
- **Monday 11th**  
**March PUPIL**  
**FREE DAY**
- **CARITAS**  
**FUNDRAISING**  
**Please bring in**  
**your coins!!!!**
- **Friday 8th**  
**March 567**  
**Football**  
**Carnival in**  
**KNX**

# St Joseph's Wyndham

TERM 1, WEEK 5

5TH MARCH, 2013

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## From the Principal - Ms Naomi



To St Joseph Parents and Families,

I hope you all enjoyed the long weekend, and took the opportunity for rest, recreation and family time.

#### GROW the MUSIC

What a celebration! Well done to our students who performed at the concert. I am so proud of you and the job you did. I think the whole community will look forward to GROW the MUSIC's next visit to Wyndham in July this year.

#### SACRAMENTS

If there are any parents in the community that would like their child or children Baptised into the Catholic Church, or to receive Reconciliation, First Communion of Confirmation, please see myself or Mr Damien. We are in the process of arranging the dates for the celebration of all Sacraments for 2013.

#### A DAY OF REFLECTION

Everyone is welcome to a Prayer Day at Mirilingki (Turkey Creek) on the 16th

of March, please contact school or see our notice board for details.

#### SCHOOL UNIFORMS

Thank you to all our students who take care of their uniforms and hats. There have been a number students however, coming into the office to buy (or book -up) a hat because they have misplaced theirs. I ask the parent to come to the office for new hats please. We will no longer 'book up' hats unless a parent is present. I believe we have a duty to the students to instill a sense of responsibility.

#### CARITAS FUND RAISING ACTIVITIES

Our annual fund raising activities for CARITAS is being held in the next couple of weeks. Students will be able to purchase small treats or pay a small

fee to participate in activities. The funds will be sent to CARITAS. CARITAS is the Catholic organisation that help people in the world less fortunate than ourselves. Please generously support these activities.

**FOOTY IN KUNUNURRA**  
WDHS have invited the St Joseph's boys in Yr 5,6 &7 to join with them in a footy clinic in Kununurra on Friday 8th March. We will depart St Joseph's around 8.00am and not be back in Wyndham until around 2.00pm.

#### REMINDER.....

**MONDAY MARCY 11TH IS A PUPIL FREE DAY FOR ST JOSEPH'S SCHOOL, WYNDHAM.** The staff will be attending a Spelling Professional Development Day in Kununurra.  
**Ms Naomi Martin**

#### Prayer of the Week

DEAR LORD, I pray for the poor and the rich, I pray for the injured and hurt, I pray for the hopeful and the hopeless. And I also pray for the dead and alive. AMEN

By Miamon Taylor

#### INTERNATIONAL WOMENS DAY - FRIDAY MARCH 8TH, 2013

*"Women's dignity has often been unacknowledged and their prerogatives misrepresented; they have often been relegated to the margins of society and even reduced to servitude. This has prevented women from truly being themselves and it has resulted in a spiritual impoverishment of humanity ..."*

Letter of Pope John Paul II to Women, 1995, #1, 3

Friday 8th March we acknowledge the great achievements women have accomplished over the years. We celebrate the economic, political and social achievements of women - past, present and future, and we pray for women in Wyndham, in Australia and women all over the world that they continue to be strong leaders in the community in their chosen fields, be it mothers, career women or volunteers.

# Student of the Week Awards



**Kindy-Kally Lewis**  
Kind and Caring Friend



**Yr 1/2/3-  
Montaya Thompson**  
Having a go at Everything



**Yr 3/4/5-  
Jodana Blythe**  
Taking Responsibility  
for Learning



**Yr 5/6/7- Jenny Carter**  
Excellent Work Ethic

## PATHS Kid of the Week



***Ti-Lorna  
Carroll***

***Resolving  
Issues in the  
Playground***



***Robvina  
Rook***

**CAUGHT BEING  
GOOD  
Joining in with  
Class Activities**



**KINDY PATHS *Kid of the Week:***

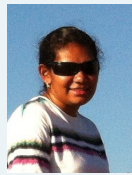
**LEANDA STEVENS**

## MISS ZABBY - COMMUNITY LIAISON OFFICER

If your child is absent please feel free to msg me on my new school phone - **0488 453 377.**

I am also available on email: [birch.zabby@sjwyndham.wa.edu.au](mailto:birch.zabby@sjwyndham.wa.edu.au)

It would be great if you could let the school know before school starts for that day or bring in the note (at the end of the newsletter) the next day.



## RE NEWS

Caritas Fundraising -This week!!!!

Tuesday: 345s-Secret Bottle 50c

Wednesday: KPPs-Popcorn 50c

Thursday: 567s-Games 50c

Friday: 123s-Cupcakes \$1

Please bring your coins to help fundraise!

## CANTEEN

*Miss Hannah*

### REMEMBER:

***If you are in the Red you can only purchase food and at recess you choose 1 item only!!***

### BUDGET TIPS:

**\$5-7 a day!!**

## AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES



*Mr Damien*



*Miss Sunny*



*Mr Danny*

Active After School Sports is on:

**Wednesday and Thursday**

## LITERACY TIPS

*Miss Kylie*

Reading is all about making meaning from text. Pictures provide meaning to text by helping to provide a context for what is written. Therefore, encourage children to use the picture cues to help them solve words when reading.

Never cover a picture and ask the child to "just read the words".

Imagine if you were given the task of assembling a set of shelves and the instructions didn't include illustrations that supported what the text said!

Useful prompts to use to help your child use picture cues when reading are:

"Look at the picture and think about what might make sense"

"Think about what's happening in the story"

In addition-look through the book before reading it and talk about what is happening in the story to give the child a good orientation as to the meaning that the story has, (and also to talk about (de-bug) and words/concepts (ie. Autumn/polar bears) which will be unfamiliar and therefore hard to access.)

**HAPPY READING!!**



## GUITAR LESSONS

*Mr Danny*

**Attention Guitar Players!!!!**

***Thanks to Ms Naomi, the school has now got 8 shiny new guitars that are a perfect size for kids to learn some guitar chords and some basic tunes on.***

***The Year 3/4/5 class have already experimented with them!***

***Throughout Term 1 on Monday nights students are invited to stay after school for 30 minutes to practise and share their guitar skills. As we only have 8 guitars we are limited to having only 8 students at one time. The guitar sessions are open to guitar players of all abilities and the guitars are provided to use at school.***

***If you are wanting to have free guitar lessons and join our club, see Mr Danny during school hours.***

**What: Guitar lessons**

**When: Every Monday afternoon**

**After school during Term 1.**

**Where: Year 3/4/5 c;lassroom**

**Who with: Mr Danny**

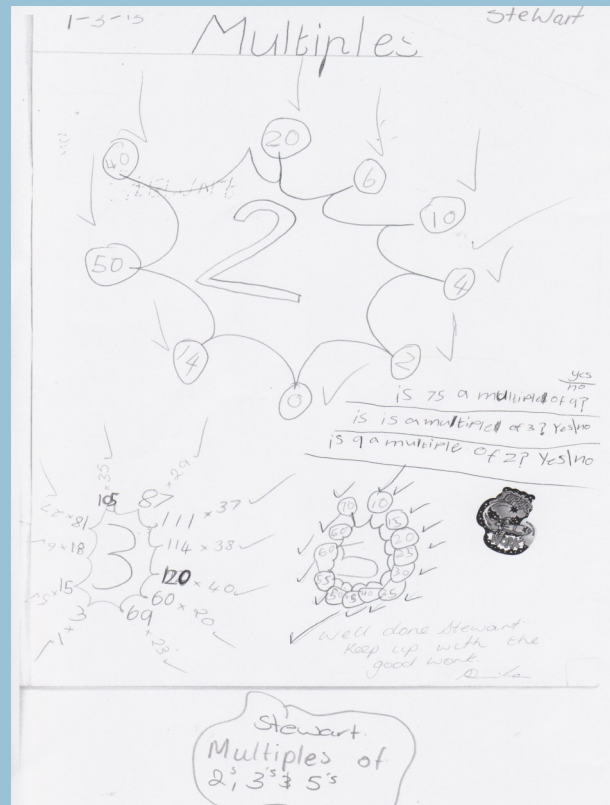
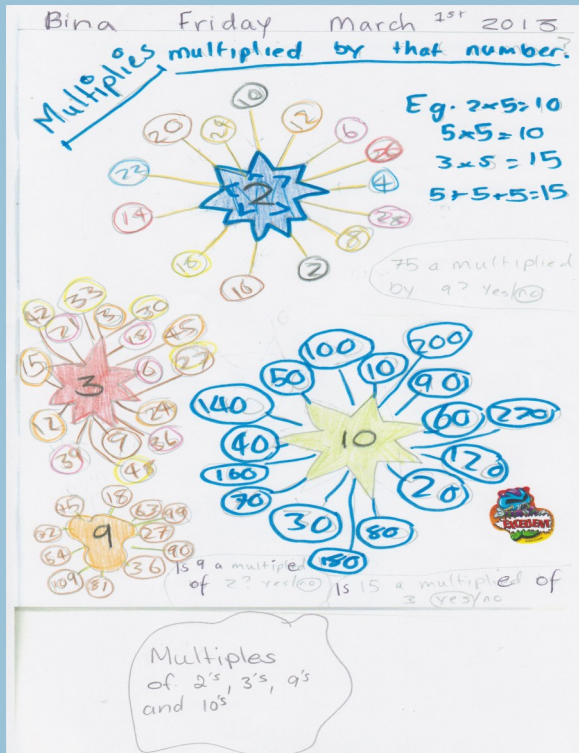




# FEATURE CLASS

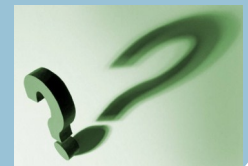
5/6/7

## Multiples in the 5/6/7 Class!



# GUESS WHO???

1. I have short hair.
2. I have 4 brothers and 2 sisters.
3. My mum is having a baby.
4. I love riding bikes.



### SCHOOL TIMES:

Start: 7:45 am  
 Recess: 9:45 am  
 Lunch: 12:15 in class  
 12:30 outside  
 End of day 2:15 pm

### ABSENCE NOTE - ST JOSEPH'S SCHOOL WYNDHAM

Please be aware that \_\_\_\_\_ Is/was away from  
 school on \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/13 due to \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

ANSWER: TARA