



St Joseph's Wyndham

TERM 1, WEEK 7

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"WE ARE ONE"

IMPORTANT DATES

- ◆ **Assemblies Friday at 12.15pm. ALL WELCOME**
- ◆ **Yr. 6/7 assembly Friday 21 March.**
- ◆ **Active After School Sports begin this week. Wednesday's Yr. 5/6/7, Thursday's Yr. 1/2/3/4. 2.30—3.30pm**

MASS TIMES

Sunday 9am

Fr Frank and Fr Joel

ALL WELCOME

From the Principal - Ms. Naomi Martin

Dear Parents and Carers,

Week 7 already! We have 4 weeks remaining until the end of the term. Term holidays are from after school on Friday 11 April until Monday 28 April.

I would like to thank the staff and students for the extra effort last week when we had so many staff absent from school. It was a real community effort and I thank everyone for their help and patience—especially the students for their good behaviour and because they missed a couple of specialist sessions.

On Wednesday this week is St Joseph's Day. 19 March, 1964 some Sisters of St Joseph's landed in Wyndham to begin our school. To mark the occasion, we are having Mass at 7.45am in thanksgiving for the sisters. The photo (following) is Fr Carl Boes welcoming the sisters to the Kimberley and to Wyndham.

St Joseph's Day is in remembrance of St Joseph, the husband of Mary and step father of Jesus. There are

many things we can learn from St Joseph. He was a very



quiet, humble man who had great faith. St Joseph listen to God and trusted that God would guide him and his family and provide for them.

The Yr. 6/7 assembly is this Friday. We welcome all parents to the assembly.

Active After School Sports starts this week. Because the upper Primary students have an opportunity for an activity on Thursday's after school with the staff from Wyndham Sports and Recreation, we will run the Yr. 5/6/7 on Wednesday's and the Yr. 1/2/3/4 on Thursday's. The activity will begin at 2.30pm and conclude at 3.30pm. The students from Guda Guda Community will be taken home. All other students from town will need to walk home or make their own arrangements.

3 WAY INTERVIEWS

In week 8 ,9 & 10 I ask a parent from each family to make a time to come in and see the teachers . This is an opportunity to discuss your child's learning and go through the learning journals with the teacher and your child. The meeting will only take a few minutes of your time and will greatly support your child in their learning journey. Meeting times can be from 7.20am—7.40am or from 2.15pm onwards. There will be other meeting times during the day—please contact your teacher for an alternative time.

Please keep Friday 11 April free from 11.00am. We will have our Holy Week celebration at this time and we hope to see as many family members as possible. This is a time when our community can pray together and reflect on the events of Holy Week and Easter and how they impact on each one of us.

Happy St Patrick's Day to everyone and may the luck of the Irish be with you all!
Naomi Martin

BOOK CLUB

**BOOK CLUB IS DUE
BACK TO MR DAMIEN
BY WEDNESDAY THE
19TH MARCH**

LIAISON OFFICER

Miss Zabby

Please be at school by **7:30am** for a **7:40am** start.

If your child is late please remind them to sign in at the front office.

If your child is absent please contact me via email or phone

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ST MARY MACKILLOP

Have faith!

'Remember we are but travellers here.

Trust in God and I leave you in

St Joseph's care'

Mary MacKillop

ACTIVE AFTER SCHOOL SPORTS

Wednesday's

Yr. 5/6/7

Thursday's

Yr. 1/2/3/4

2.30—3.30pm

ALL WELCOME

Prayer

**Father, just as you
delight in Jesus, we
know that you also
delight in us. Turn
our hearts towards
you that we may be
more like your Son.**

AMEN

ABSENCE NOTE - ST JOSEPH'S SCHOOL WYNDHAM

Please be aware that _____ is/was away from school on ___/___/14 due to _____

Signed: _____ Date: _____