



St Joseph's Wyndham

TERM 2, WEEK 4

MAY 19, 2014

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**"WE ARE
ONE"**

IMPORTANT DATES

- ◆ Homework Club Monday's 2.15—3.00 for Yr.'s 3—7
- ◆ June 14— School FETE 8.30am—12 noon.
- ◆ Year 5,6 & 7 Cultural Camp to El Questro May 29 and 30.
- ◆ Assembly Friday 12:15pm everyone welcome.

**PARISH MASS
TIMES DURING
THE MONTH
OF MAY
SATURDAY
5.00PM**

From the Principal - Ms. Naomi Martin

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Mid 2013 Griffith University examined the teaching of Numeracy at St Joseph's School, WYNDHAM. The attached document is the result of this study.

Congratulations must go to Kylie Hardtville and Kila Scotland for the work they did in providing evidence of the success in our Numeracy program.

Although Kila has left the school, the Whole-Small-Whole teaching practise is strongly embedded in all classrooms in the teaching of both Numeracy and Literacy. All current teachers partake in on-going coaching sessions to enrich this practise as I know it is successful in reaching every child at their point of need. Please read the document and take pride in our school, our staff and their teaching practise, and especially our students for their achievements. I would like to take this opportunity to

explain that for best individual results for each student, student attendance must be strong.

It is necessary that all our students wear a school hat when playing outside.

Some students are consistently not bringing their hat to school, and therefore, missing out on playing outside on the playground or the basketball court. I would like to suggest that school hats are left at school, so that all students will always have an opportunity to play with their friends and peers.

Our Cultural Camp for the Year 5,6 & 7 students is being held next week. I ask that all parents/carers with students in Yr 5, 6 or 7 who would like their child to attend the camp, complete the documentation and pay the Cultural Camp costs as soon as possible please.

Reminder: Our school FETE is being held on June 14 this year from 8.30am—12 noon. This is only 4 weeks away. Staff have organised some activities. If any parents are able to help out in any way, please see myself or Jane Petz in the office.

Reminder: Any parents who would like their child to receive any sacraments please see Ms Jean or Mr Damien this week.

Reminder: Monday June 2 is a public holiday for WA Day. Tuesday June 3 is a pupil free day for St Joseph's. Our staff will be attending Professional Development in Kununurra.

Please note there is an accompanying letter to the newsletter re: updating the website. Please read it and respond if necessary.

Have a good week.
Ms Naomi

BOOK CLUB

**BOOK CLUB HAS BEEN
SENT OFF.
WE LOOK FORWARD TO
DELIVERY IN THE NEAR
FUTURE.**

ST MARY MACKILLOP

Live with Integrity

“Be good and patient and full of
charity which thinks no evil of
anyone”
Mary MacKillop

LIAISON OFFICER

Miss Zabby

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

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

If your child/children are absent
please contact me via email or
phone

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**ACTIVE AFTER
SCHOOL SPORTS**

Wednesday's

Yr. 5/6/7

2.30pm —3.30pm

Thursday's

Yr. 1/2/3/4

2.30pm —3.30pm

**Guda Guda students will be
driven home.**

Values we learn from

St Mary of the Cross

**We pray for Courage,
we pray with Hope,
we pray for Faithfulness,
we pray for Integrity,
we pray for Respect,
we pray for Humility**

**that through the intercession of St Mary
of the Cross, each of us courageously
listen to our call to discipleship,
and continually renew our commitment
to our community and to our faith.**

AMEN

ABSENCE NOTE - ST JOSEPH'S SCHOOL WYNDHAM

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

Signed: _____ Date: _____