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A Caring School for the Future

NEWSLETTER

Term 1, Week 9, 2011

Event	Date
Chapel	
Sports Day	Fri 1⁵ Apr
Movie Excursion Reception & Rec/ 1	Thurs 7 th April
Chapel	Fri 8 th Apr
Parent Teacher Interviews	Tues 12 th & Wed 13 th Apr
Airshow Briefing for parents	Thurs 14 th Apr
ChapelPortfolio HomeEnd Term 1	Fri 15 th Apr
BAROSSA	Sun 1st May
(32 sleeps to go!)	
Pupil Free Day	Mon 2 nd May
School Returns	Tues 3 rd May

Term Dates	
Term 1	<u>31st Jan - 15th Apr</u>
Term 2	3 rd May — 8 th July
Term 3	26 ^њ Jul – 30 ^њ Sep
Term 4	17 th Oct – 14 th Dec

Devotion

Changing hats!

One of the things that can be really difficult for us as adults and parents is to switch off from the day's activities when we get home and have time with our families. I don't know about you, but my brain is usually still processing the day, planning and preparing for the following day or week, and running through the solutions. We can have a hard time changing hats – not just from work to home, but also from home to work.

So how do we do it? How do we go from home to work or vice versa and keep our minds where they need to be? We certainly need to be aware of the problem first of all, to acknowledge that our mind is not always where it should be. We need to make a conscious effort to redirect our thoughts so that we are fully present for our families. We can have habits and routines that help us make this change, for instance changing out of work clothes when we get home, a physical and mental symbol that we are entering family time.

Prayer too can be a great way to help us make the switch. It helps us to hand things to God, who knows where we've been in our day, where we are at now, and what is coming up. It helps keep our mind in tune with God, so that we can be there for our families in the same loving way that God is there for us.

It isn't always easy juggling the demands of raising a family and work. The bible verse from Proverbs 3:5-6 reminds us to:

"Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make your paths straight."

When we hand changing hats to the Lord, He will be there to help us make the transition between home and work, and to be fully present for our children.

May God bless your week, Kathryn

ANZAC DAY Dawn Service 2011 Monday April 25th 2011



Senior Ćitizens / RSL Hall WILLIAMSTOWN



Service starts at 0630

An open invitation to all the residents, young and old, of Williamstown, Lyndoch, Sandy Creek, Cockatoo Valley and surrounding districts and visitors to our area to attend an ANZAC Dawn Service in Williamstown.

ANZAC Day is about showing respect and a way of saying thank you to the men and women of this great nation who gave up their time, their way of life and their freedom when this young country needed them the most. As we know many of our diggers paid the ultimate sacrifice and did not return to the shores of Australia.

It is also about recognizing and acknowledging the commitment of our current serving members as well. These men and women have been in conflicts such as the Gulf Wars, East Timor, Iraq, Afghanistan, Solomon Islands and other peace keeping responsibilities around the globe.

It is also about the partners and families that are at home trying to maintain a normal lifestyle for the children whose parent may have been called overseas on duty.

Help make this a stronger community and come along to this commemorative service and honour the fallen.

There will be a "Gunfire Breakfast" served after the conclusion of the service.

LEST WE FORGET







Non Government Schools Registration visit

Thursday next week we will welcome a panel of guests from the Non-Government Registration Board who will be having a look over the school and the new building. Whilst they are here they will meet with administration, staff and SRC students, who will welcome them to our school and represent the student body. This visit is an important occasion for us as they will give us invaluable feed back on how the school is travelling and possible future developments.

What a difference!

Despite having a limited number of helpers for the working bee on Saturday 19th March, we accomplished an enormous amount. We spread mulch around the new building and topped up the garden beds, pruned roses, weeded, lifted and leveled bricks that had dropped, cleaned up some of the residual bits from the building process, and moved fridges, freezers and a dishwasher to their new homes. Would you join me in giving a big thankyou to Kaylene and Karlson Jaensch; Ali, Mick, Lauren, Jake and Sam Hoopmann; Maria and Molly Ahern; Stefan Sosnowski; April, Jack and Kate Duffy; Don McCondichie and Grant Hermann. We are truly grateful for the wonderful donation of your valuable time to benefit the students by helping to provide a safe and beautiful environment.



The **biennial Barossa Airshow Dinner** will be held this year on Saturday 30th April at 6pm, Lyndoch Hotel. Red Bull competitor, **Matt Hall** will be one of the guest speakers on the night. Tickets are \$50.00 for a 3 course meal and are available from the front office. Tables of 10 are available.

Work force t-shirts are available from the front office at a price of \$12 per t-shirt. All workers at the Airshow are encouraged to wear a t-shirt to identify them as a worker. Feel free to begin wearing them as soon as purchased – they are a great way to promote the event! Don't forget that we need your time to make the Airshow a success – this is our big, biennial fundraiser, and the benefits to the students will be enormous through it's success. Many hands make light work!

Sports day this FRIDAY!

We welcome you to come and enjoy sports day this Friday the 1st of April. An itinerary of the day is attached at the end of this newsletter. We encourage families to eat together at lunch time if you wish. We look forward to seeing you there!

Lost Property - Clothing

There is a mounting pile of 'lost' school uniforms in our office. These items will be placed in a box underneath the veranda by the Krieg road gate. If you are missing any items please check the box before these items return next term as second hand goods to be sold in the uniform room.

Happy Birthday

Name	Date	Age	
Chloe Buchanan	26 th Mar	13	
Aarie Turner	26 th Mar	8	
Kyle Wilkinson	27 th Mar	9	
Mieke Wilkinson	27 th Mar	9	
Jasmine Cross	27 th Mar	11	
Jordann Nelson	28 th Mar	9	
Matthew Quinn	29 th Mar	13	
Archie Smith	31 st Mar	12	
Jake Herrmann	1 st Apr	9	

Prayers/ Thoughts/ Thanks

- 🛿 Congratulations to Kirsten and Roger James on the birth of a little girl. A sister for Emjay.
- ${\mathbb Y}$ Thank you so kindly to Barb Kilpatrick for the donation of folders and files to the school.
- ☞ For all our families that been in hospital or unwell our thoughts and prayers are with you on a speedy recovery.
- 🤝 Our Deepest Sympathy to Ian Lange and family after the passing of his mother.

2011 Meal Roster

Term 1, 2011	3/4 Megan Nappa & Gabrielle Pisano 6/7 Paul Adler	Term 2, 2011	Rec/1 Heidi Schulz 1/2 Nina Berzins
Term 3, 2011	2/3 Joanna Juers 6/7 Ian Lange & Vivien Arhens	Term 4, 2011	Rec/1 Tina Nicholls 5 Sarah Koop

Childcare Visit

The year 3 / 4 class enjoyed an exciting visit to the childcare centre this week to colour in our 'helping hands animals' that we had created in class. After tracing around our own hands we spent some reflection time thinking about different ways that our hands can help others around us. We wrote our best ideas on to our hand shapes and then joined them together in pairs to make butterflies, jellyfish, octopuses, angels, birds and other animal shapes. We had a great time sharing our creations with the children over at the childcare centre, and we were able to help them colour in as well as write their own names on each one!! We were very impressed with how clever the kindergarten children were!

NEW Parent contact details

Please find listed below new contact details for St Jakobi families to be added/amended in your parent contact handbook.

- Mostyn & Jana Pridham 0432 620 564 - Andrew & Janine Dekker 8524 5678

Lyndoch Tennis Club Congratulation/!

On Saturday the 26th of March St Jakobi students competed in the Lyndoch Tennis Club Grandfinal with some fantastic results:

- Aiden Saunders and Arielle Fittes-Tarbard runners-up in the Div 6
- Alexander Duggan and Kirrilee Liebelt won Div 5
- Tyson Liebelt and Eleanor Hughes (Yr. 7 2010) won Div 4

Year 1/2 & 2/3 Sleepover

Friday 18th of March. Miss Berzins and Miss Juers class enjoyed a sleepover at the school. They enjoyed playing, balloon character making, playing with a parachute, eating at Hungry St Jaks, eating cupcakes and finished the night with a disco before bed.









PARENTS & FRIENDS CALENDAR AS AT 29 MARCH 2011

DATE AND TIME	EVENT/FUNDRAISER	COORDINATOR/S	HELP REQUIRED
Friday 1 April 2011	Sports Day P & F to provide tea/coffee/Milo, cold drinks and morning tea (i.e. cakes, muffins, slices etc) for sale	Fi Jones and Julie Gifford	We have helpers to serve at recess but would really appreciate donations of cakes etc for sale – THANK YOU!!!
Monday 11 April 2011 at 7:30pm	St Jakobi P & F Committee Meeting Held in the new building	Fi Jones – 0419 853 846	Everyone is welcome to attend!
Friday 20 May 2011	Special Lunch Day – Pizza Subs	Barb Kilpatrick/Sheree Hoffman Host – Ms Koop's Year 5 class	Helpers are required to coordinate food and serve on the day. Please contact Barb Kilpatrick on 0413 691 968 if you are able to assist
Friday 27 May 2011	Australia's Biggest Morning Tea P & F will donate all funds raised to the Cancer Council	Kaylene Jaensch – 0401 122 160	Donations of morning tea and helpers to serve on the day would be appreciated

SPORTS DAY 1 APRIL 2011

By now you would have received a flyer from the P & F requesting baked items for sale at Sports Day this Friday. So far, we have the items listed below pledged – THANK YOU SO MUCH. Please let me know (0419 853 846/8524 5583 fionajones7@bigpond.com) as soon as you can if there is anything you are able to donate.

- o Lemon slice (Mel M)
- o Fruit muffins (Ali H)
- Apple and carrot cake (Jo H)
- Chocolate cup cakes (Anthea V)
- Cup cakes (2 dozen) (Kaylene J)
- o Lemon slab cake (Marianne K)
- Hedgehog slice and chocolate crackles (Kellie G)
- Anzac biscuits and rocky road slice (dairy, egg and nut free) (Kate M)
- o Banana cake (Fi J)
- o Muffins (? Maclachlan)
- o Honey crackles (Fi J)
- Vanilla slice and/or apricot balls (Naomi D)

MOTHER'S DAY STALL

Because of the huge amount of fundraising that is required for the Air Show, the Mother's Day Stall has been cancelled for this year. I would like to thank Sue Bussenschutt (Sam's and Daniel's grandmother) for her kind donations of goods for the Mother's Day Stall, but because this is not taking place now she is happy to offer those items for the School Stall at the Air Show. As Mother's Day is only one week after the Air Show, perhaps your children could be encouraged to buy a gift for their special mother/carer/grandmother from the School Stall as there will be plenty of fantastic items on offer.

Kind regards and blessings

Fí Jones

President St Jakobi P & F

Community New



<u>Boat Licences</u> Here at St Jakobi EXTRA DATE Mon 9th May Mon 20th June Mon 5th Sep 6:45pm to 9:00pm Adults \$45.00, Students \$20.00

GUMERACHA NETBALL CLUB

Gumeracha Netball Club is running a Net-Set-Go programme at our netball courts and your students aged 5-10 are invited to attend Net-Set-Go is very similar to auskick but for netball 30^{TH} MARCH or 6^{th} APRIL 2011

Contact. Barb Email. 0413 69 1968 petstopgawler@people.net.au





Junior Comp at Kapunda Golf Club 3rd of April 2011 at 9am Golf, Lunch & Drinks provided

Non Members/ Visitors \$10.00 Contact Al Hayter on 8566 2272 Or 0439 361 086

Sports Day

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9:00am	n Chapel								
9:45am	am Sports Day Opening: Team Chants and Welcome.								
	R	R /1	1/2B	2/3J		3/4NP	5K	6/7LA	6/7A
10:00	Bean Bag	Hoop Throw	Soccer Kick	Javelin	10:00	High Jump	Accuracy Kick	Obstacle Run	Long Jump
10:15	Catch	Bean Bag	Hoop Throw	Soccer Kick	10:15	Long Jump	High Jump	Soccer Goal Kick	Obstacle Run
10:30	Soccer	¥							Soccer Goal Kick
10.50	Kick	Catch Soccer	Bean Bag	Hoop Throw	10:30	Obstacle Run Accuracy	Long Jump	High Jump	High
10:45	Hoop Throw	Kick	Catch	Bean Bag	10:45	Kick	Obstacle Run	Long Jump	Jump
11:00 to	11:25am	Recess							
11:30am	l	Sprints:							
		Receptio	n to Year 2 –	all running in	their yea	ar level			
		Year 3 to	o 7 – Year lev	el representa	tives will	be running. (2 girls & 2 b	oys/ year lev	∕el∕ house)
12:00 nc	oon	Class Re	lays						
		Rec	N Jump	ing Relay (on	dots)				
		R/1	S Jump	ing Relay (on	dots)				
		1/2	B Tunne	el Ball					
		2/3	J Egg	& Spoon Rac	е				
		3/4	N/P Corn	er spry					
		5	K Capt	ain Spoke					
		6/7	L/A Team	n Medley					
		6/7	A 'Life l	oe in it', Mec	lley				
12:40 to	1:05pm	Lunch							
1:10pm		Fun Rela	ys: Combined	Year Level R	7 (Dress	up Relay) &	(Water bucke	t Relay)	
1:40pm									
	Year, 4, 5, 6 & 7 (Race 1,Yr 4/5 boys & girls together) (Race, 2Yr 6/7 boys & girls together)								
2:00pm									
2:25		Staff / Parent Fun Race.							
2:40		Pre-Schoolers Fun Run							
2:50		Pack up/ Grounds Tidy / Sit in Team Bays							
3:00	PRESENTATIONS & Report to Class Teachers								
3:25	Dismissal								