At our last assembly we acknowledged 3 areas of excellence.

1. Medals and ribbons were presented to our Athletics champions. Best Wishes as the team prepares for a special WAS carnival next Tuesday. We are still on the lookout for parents who may be able to assist with either the conduct of the carnival or the catering.

2. The Equestrian team showed their ribbons, reported on the most successful debut and presented Team Manager Bronson Breen with a lovely gesture of thanks. They are presently looking at their next event, at Oberon.

3. The Robotics team reported on their recent representation at Dubbo and are looking forward to the Spring Fair - you will be amazed at what this team has achieved.

There is so much of which we can be proud at our school and yet there are issues which require our constant vigilance to ensure that bullying/upsets/stress do not spoil a student’s enjoyment of their school years.

Student Council was invited to be a part of a whole school approach to harassment/bullying and developing an effective form of communication amongst the student body. Healthy Harold arrives next week and we are looking forward to his visit – there will be a Life Education charge of $5.50 to cover this event. Jackie French will also be visiting All Saints College next week as part of our Literature Festival.

Jackie is not only a popular author but speaks well with children and should prove quite inspirational.

**Transition News**

This week in 2 day and 3 day, our phoneme was ‘v’, we had a visit from Vic’s Van (alias Mr Whippy) and had a delicious ice cream for morning tea. Although it was a chilly day, the children all seemed to enjoy their treat. We also had a lot of fun painting volcanoes. Be sure to come and see them hanging up in our room.

In 5 day our phoneme was ‘oo’. We read the story of Little Red Riding Hood, and made little puppets of our own to tell the story.

We would also like to say a big thank you to Mr Blattman for helping out on Monday and Tuesday while Mrs Rolfe recovered from the flu. We must not forget to also extend our thanks to Mrs Bidwell for her wonderful assistance every Thursday morning in Mr Bidwell’s class.

I hope that everyone has had the privilege of meeting our wonderful new Gappies, Rachael and Lotte (Charlotte). Rachael is working with Mrs Porter and Lotte is working with Mr Bidwell. We had a great night at The Oxford Hotel for our Drinks, Coffee and Dessert evening. Thank you to all those parents who could come. Let’s hope we can do it again soon.

Regards Jock, Deb & Liz

**EQUESTRIAN**

A Show Jumping weekend is to be held at Lithgow on the 8th & 9th of September. This event is open to all ages. Entries Close 21st August. If you wish to attend please contact Kristina Webber for Details and Entry Form. Kristina Webber (w) 63310032, (h) 63377227

**Gold Assembly Awards**

Congratulations to the following students who have received a Gold Assembly Award.

Melanie Lo, Sarah Goodman, David Cant and Carnaby Gilany. Well done!

**CHILD CARE RECEIPTS**

Mrs Keogh is now preparing receipts for Transition and After School Care payments. These receipts are to be presented to The Family Assistance Office and are not a part of Income Tax. Please contact Mrs Keogh by Friday 10 August if you wish to receive receipts for Second Term.
Following a presentation at last assembly, as well as interest expressed earlier, there will be an opportunity for our students to support the students at my future school, the School of St Jude in Tanzania. This school survives only on goodwill from abroad (mainly Australia) and there will be a shipping container (sponsored by Rotary) which will leave Brisbane in one month. This container will supply materials for the school to use.

The following Wishlist is repeated from the school website www.schoolofstjude.co.tz and any student may wish to bring in any item that they can part with or that they have purchased specially for donation.

There will be a “St Judes” box in the Junior School Office for the next 3 weeks to collect donations – many thanks, in anticipation, for your support.

Again, with thanks, J. Bidwell

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**ST JUDE WISHLIST**

- roll of clear contact (for covering books)
- any good educational software including latest Encarta and Encyclopedia Britannica
- compass/protractor sets for maths
- children’s socks (age 7-16 in navy, knee length)
- rechargeable batteries (AA – Energiser preferred)
- paper clips/glue sticks/coloured pencils/lead pencils
- printer cartridges b/w BX20, for colour BIC-21 HP Laser Jet 1160
- easy jigsaw puzzles/Lego/Duplo
- story books/children’s non-fiction/illustrated dictionaries/puzzle books
- writable DVDs and CDs
- band aids/plaster for knees etc/first aid supplies
- single bed sheets (not fitted)/towels

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**2007 Spring Fair**

**IT’S ON AGAIN…..**

**Sunday 2nd September.**

Prepartitions are underway for this year’s Spring Fair. Below is a list of stalls and the year parents who will be contacting you for assistance both before the fair and on the day.

- Year 12: Barbeque- Lorraine Rogers
- Year 11: Devonshire Tea Cafe- Sarah George and Olanna Hibberson
- Year 10: Books- Robyn Scrivener
- Year 9: Cakes- Jenny Tomllnson
- Year 8: Pavlovas- Heather Cozens
- Year 7: Chocolate Wheel- Tina Webber
- Year 6: Drinks- Louise Hall
- Year 5 & 6: Drinks- Jenny Cartwright
- Year 4: Garden-Jenny Cartwright
- Year 3: Baskets- Linda Cant
- Year 2: Craft- Cindy Pickard
- Kindergarten & Transition: Trash and Treasure- Brouwn Garden and Robyn Crowley

You may start bringing in your books, trash and treasure and leave them on the book shop verandah.

There will be a meeting of year parents in the library at 7:30pm on Tuesday, 14th August.

Please contact Leigh Tindall at work on 63311533 or home on 63313754 or email; erivers@mcmc.com.au if you have any queries.

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**GARDEN STALL**

Year 4 are holding a garden stall at the Spring Fair on Sunday 2 September. We are looking for any donations of pots, plants or other general gardening items to sell on the stall. Any items kindly donated can be left in the Year 4 classroom.

**ST ALK**

With Spring Fair fast approaching, here is a very easy recipe you might like to try out at home before the Big Day.

**EASY BOILED FRUIT CAKE**

**Ingredients**

- 2 cups mixed fruit
- 1 cup brown sugar
- ¼ 1b butter
- 1 teaspoon bicarb soda
- 1 cup water
- ½ cup plain flour
- 1 ½ cups self raising flour
- 2 eggs

**Method**

Place in a saucepan the fruit, sugar, butter, soda and water. Bring to the boil and simmer for 1 minute only. Remove from the stove and allow to cool. Then add both lots of flour and beaten eggs. Mix altogether well with a wooden spoon. Bake in a moderate oven for 1 hour in a greased 8 inch square cake tin.
Inter-House Athletics

Congratulations to all students who participated in the Junior School Inter-House Athletics carnival last week. Conditions were far superior to the original carnival date and conducive to some very positive performances.

Special congratulations to Scarlett Breen who broke the 11 yrs Girls High Jump record with a height of 1.25m. Again congratulations to Scarlett Breen and to Michael Matthews who have been nominated as the Athletics Captains for 2007.

We look forward to the WAS Athletics carnival held here at All Saints’ on the Stiles oval next Tuesday beginning at 9.20am. Again we would greatly appreciate any parental help either with the catering or as an official on the track or field. If you are able to assist please contact Mrs. Leonie Keogh in the Junior School front office.

Kay Nelson

WAS Athletics Carnival

The WAS Carnival is on next week and we urgently need volunteers for the day. We need helpers in the following areas: Cooking the BBQ, supplying cakes and other yummy nibbles, selling these yummy goodies and also help with the Carnival itself. Please fill out the form below and return to Mrs Keogh in the office or ring Rosie on 6331 3334.

Let’s make this an eventful day and show our support and warm welcome to our visitors. Many thanks.

Name: ____________________________
Phone: __________________________
I can help with: ____________________

WAS ATHLETICS CARNIVAL PROGRAM OF EVENTS

Event 1.  Jnr Girls 800m  Event 31.  10 Yrs Boys 100m D
Event 2.  Jnr Boys 800m  Event 32.  10 yrs Boys 100m C
Event 3.  11 yrs Girls 800m  Event 33.  10 yrs Boys 100m B
Event 4.  11 Yrs Boys 800m  Event 34.  10 yrs Boys 100m A
Event 5.  12 Yrs Girls* 800m  Event 35.  Jnr Girls Long Jump
Event 6.  12 Yrs Boys* 800m  Event 36.  Jnr Boys Long Jump
Event 7.  Jnr Girls High Jump  Event 37.  11 Yrs Girls Shot Put
Event 8.  Jnr Boys High Jump  Event 38.  11 Yrs Boys Shot Put
Event 10.  11 yrs Boys Long Jump  Event 40.  12 yrs* Boys Discus
Event 11.  12 Yrs Girls* Turbo Jab  Event 41.  11 Yrs Girls Discus
Event 12.  12 Yrs Boys* Turbo Jab  Event 42.  11 Yrs Boys 100m
Event 13.  Jnr Girls Turbo Jab  Event 43.  11 Yrs Girls 100m A
Event 14.  Jnr Boys Turbo Jab  Event 44.  11 Yrs Girls 100m B
Event 15.  11 yrs Girls Discus  Event 45.  11 Yrs Girls 100m C
Event 16.  11 Yrs Boys Discus  Event 46.  11 Yrs Boys 100m
Event 17.  12 yrs* Girls High Jump  Event 47.  11 Yrs Boys 100m B
Event 18.  12 yrs* Boys High Jump  Event 48.  11 Yrs Boys 100m A
Event 19.  8 Yrs Girls 100m B  Event 49.  12 yrs* Girls 100m D
Event 20.  8 Yrs Boys 100m A  Event 50.  12 yrs* Girls 100m C
Event 21.  8 Yrs Boys 100m B  Event 51.  12 yrs* Girls 100m B
Event 22.  8 Yrs Boys 100m A  Event 52.  12 yrs* Girls 100m A
Event 23.  9 Yrs Girls 100m B  Event 53.  12 yrs* Boys 100m D
Event 24.  9 Yrs Girls 100m A  Event 54.  12 yrs* Boys 100m C
Event 25.  9 Yrs Boys 100m B  Event 55.  12 yrs* Boys 100m B
Event 26.  9 Yrs Boys 100m A  Event 56.  12 yrs* Boys 100m A
Event 27.  10 yrs Girls 100m D  Event 57.  13 Yrs Girls 100m
Event 28.  10 yrs Girls 100m C  Event 58.  13 Yrs Boys 100m
Event 29.  10 yrs Girls 100m B  Event 59.  Jnr Girls Discus
Event 30.  10 yrs Girls 100m A  Event 60.  Jnr Boys Discus

ASC U9 Football Vs Bx 75 Whites

What a Game! It was called the match-up of the year and the size of the crowd that had assembled in better conditions to watch the ASC V Bx 75 Whites fixture were not disappointed. It was the game that the ASC U9’s ‘had to have’ to really test their mettle.

ASC’s ability to dominate field position with their use of width and space was ultimately a deciding factor. Blake Sanders distribution to both left and right side flanks allowed Fletcher Begley and Lachlan Wilkinson along with Lachlan McAloney and David Cant to set up a number of attacking possibilities eventually leading to an ASC goal. The ASC defence comfortably thwarting any 75’s attack with Ben Griffith providing outstanding defensive work whilst a cool and calm Roan VH in goals dealt comfortably with any stray goal shots. Victor Chua was given a roving role which allowed him to pop up and make some crucial plays when needed and Cryan De Silva made some valuable touches at the back when needed.

The 1-0 advantage remained until half-time. More of the same was required in the second half and ASC delivered more of the same this time Blake and Henry Marson created more pressure in the middle resulting in an ASC second goal. With a 2-0 lead under the belt ASC began to feel comfortable but this was a mistake. Bx 75’s made it 2-1 late in the second half and within minutes turned that into 2-2. This was the challenge many had been waiting to see. True to form when confronted with this challenge ASC didn’t panic and didn’t drop their heads, the opposite occurred. ASC lifted their intensity and energy and dominated the final quarter of the half, sustained pressure gave Blake Sanders the opportunity to score the “unstopable” goal. With about a minute remaining on the clock, Blake struck the ball from a wide and distant spot that hit the top of the net - an unforgettable moment an unforgettable goal. This touch of class was the perfect full stop on a memorable encounter. What a game! Congratulations to all the boys for a wonderful effort and thanks to the parents and friends who supported, I’m sure they won’t forget that one in a hurry.

Mr Van Heekeren
**Lost Property**

One red polo fleece jacket with the name of Stephanie Ferguson on it. Could all parents please check their child’s jacket as it has accidentally been picked up from lost property.

One Pair of Track suit pants with the name Keira Germeg written on the inside.

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**Database update**

Are your children following in your footsteps. All Saints’ College is currently updating its database of current students whose parents and grandparents attended ASC and Marsden. Please contact the Registrar Helen Schwab on 63313911 or email admin@saints.nsw.edu.au.

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**Greig Program at the Cathedral**

Saturday 12 August at 4pm in the Cathedral. Pianist Simon Tedeschi and Bathurst Chamber Orchestra with an all Greig Program including favourites such as the Peer Gynt Suites, Elegaic Melodies and Piano Concerto Op.16.

Don’t miss this rare opportunity to hear Simon’s marvelous presentation of the Greig Piano Concerto.

The Bathurst Chamber Orchestra will be conducted by Michael Deasey. Cost - $25 adult, $15 concessions, $5 seniors, school aged children FREE.

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**All Saints’ College Rugby Dinner**

Friday 31 August 2007
at Bathurst Panthers
Piper Street, Bathurst
6.30pm for 7.00pm

Neat Casual – Coat & Tie

Tickets $40.00 each
On Sale Now with Rachel at Reception

Players & Students to be seated at Team Tables
Parents & Friends please organise Tables of 8

Please note; Tickets must be paid for and collected prior 24th August.

Payment by cash, cheque or credit card only.

No ticket sales to be put on the School account.

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**All Saints’ Literature Festival**

Starting next Monday, 13th August, we are celebrating reading and writing through our Literature Festival. On Monday we will be having Jackie French as our visiting author for Years T-6.

Jackie French will be talking to the children in T-4 in a morning session. Years 5 and 6 will be involved in two sessions, including a writing workshop. A charge of $5.00 per session will be placed on your account.

If your child has a book at home written by Jackie French, they are welcome to bring it in for Jackie to sign. If you would like your child to purchase a book on the day and have it signed, please fill in the slip below and return it to Leonie Keogh by next Monday. Cash and credit card facilities are not available on the day, purchases can only be placed on your school account.

Years 5 and 6 children who are not involved in the WAS athletics carnival will also attend a session on Tuesday with the author James Roy, there will be no charge for this session.

We look forward to an exciting time during the Festival.

_Maree Crofts_

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**Donor Blood Mobile**

On Thursday the 16th of August the donor blood mobile is coming to the school. We have entered into the school challenge and all staff, students and parents can give blood here. Anyone interested please contact Ben West, Kacie Fulton or the School Clinic for an appointment time.
Under 6s Soccer

Over the last two weeks the BADIES have played two very exciting games of soccer. The first of these matches was against City Red Tops. Despite bitterly cold conditions the team played exciting soccer and scored a thrilling goal in the dying seconds to equalise the match at one all. Congratulations to Alexander Buckley who scored his first goal of the season and Bailey Jardine who played brilliantly to win Soccer Teddy.

The second game was payed last Saturday against Bathurst 75s. Once again cold conditions prevailed, but the team rallied and played bravely despite the biting wind. Their bravery was rewarded with a convincing 3-1 victory. Congratulations to Sean Gardner who warmed the hearts of the spectators with his best game of the season. He was presented with Soccer Teddy at the end of the match in recognition of his efforts.

This week the team has the bye and will enjoy a well earned rest. Keep up the good work BADIES.

Mr P. Cant

Under 8s Soccer

Saturday 4th August 2007 – by Ian Redpath

Another chilly day met the All Saints Under 8’s this weekend. Our team were well prepared, warming up under the guidance of Coach Geyer to ensure a good start.

Jack was a great Goalie in the early minutes saving several goal attempts, backed up by the support of Henry and Thomas. David was also a great Goalie with improved confidence, saving numerous goal attempts and showing growing goal keeping ability. Good work to both of you. While protecting the goals later in the game, David took a big blow to the head when he and another player collided near the goal post. Fortunately neither were seriously hurt but the cold wind made it all the more painful.

Anna played well this week midfield, stealing and kicking well and not afraid to get in and have a go. Good work Anna. In another move, Riley and Cameron were busy passing and kicking to keep possession against the light footed Eglington team.

Henry put in a big kick at one point that was received by Chris who kept possession of the ball while moving up the field. Chris then passed the ball to Thomas who placed the only goal for All Saints with a very quick kick that saw the ball fly past everyone, even the Eglington Goalie. Good work Thomas.

Good team work and sportsmanship on the field was also shown by Tim, Cameron, Jack and Riley throughout the game and in spite of the cold wind, All Saints proved to be a much improved team this week with a loss not really reflecting how well they all played. David was recognised as Player of the Week, for all round good play and his hard work as Goalie.

ASC REDS

On Saturday 4 August, the ASC Reds played a very exciting game with Collegians Roxy’s. Sophia Grant as centre and Laura Dennis as WA worked hard to get the ball up to the goal shooters, Alex Coates and Courtney Moller who scored 17 goals. Camilla Paton, Vanessa Cozens and Emily Brabham were defending goals and staying with their players. At the end of the game the score was 17 to 7 with a stong win to ASC Red. The player of the week went to Emily Brabham for great defence. We would like to thank Sophia Grant for filling in for Lucy Thompson and the parents for always supporting us. By Camilla Paton

NETTA BUNNIES

On the coldest and iciest Saturday this season the Netta Bunnies showed their dedicated supporters (plus extras!) what wonderful Netballers they have become.

Playing the Eglington Eagles, their passing down the court to the goal circle was exceptional. The feeding into the goal circle was accurate with great timing. The standout was the number of intercepts that every player made both in attack and defence which allowed our team to win possession time and time again. Every player showed great sportsmanship and excelled throughout this game. Well done girls, another great team effort rewarded with some yummy chocolates after the game kindly supplied by Ella’s mum, Marlene. Player of the week was Libby Crampton.

By Catie Crampton.

HOCKEY REPORTS

U9 Girls Hockey Saturday 3 Aug

The combined All Saints and Oberon under 9 girls’ met Souths in a great game of hockey. This was the first time they played on a three quarter of a field. The player had to learn positional play, marking opponents, hitting and passing the ball. Hannah learnt more about Centre Striker and Inner, Ella about Back and Half, Erin about Back and Left Striker, Anna about Back and Centre Half and Rebecca about Back and Half. We would like to thank Lachlan Menzies Year 4 for umpiring. The team had a 0-0 draw and the Encouragement Award went to Jess from Oberon.

Anna Cartwright

Under 7’s Hockey

On Saturday 4 August, ASC got 4 goals and Souths got 2. Souths did try hard. They lent us a player to help even the numbers. Lucy got the award. By Rachel Corbett-Jones

From the parent’s perspective, it was a very exciting game. We saw some good team work with clever tackles and passes. Thank you to Mrs Gardiner for her “on field” coaching.

Mrs Corbett-Jones.