Term 4 Begins!
Welcome back to a new term. The students have made a fantastic start to the term and have come back most enthusiastic after their well earned rest. Term 4 is always a very busy term. I encourage you to keep an eye on the Important Dates Calendar below.

Uniform & Hair
Students should now be wearing full summer school uniform. I have had to speak to a number of boys lately regarding the length of their hair. Please read and adhere to the following guidelines about hair.

All students are required to wear their hair in a clean and tidy manner at all times and of a style or colour that does not draw attention to the wearer. No shaving of the hair and patterns shaved in the hair, and no undercuts, steps etc are allowed. For boys the length may not be below their shirt collar while for girls with hair below collar length, it must be tied back using red ribbons. Girls must also keep their hair off their faces by using either small combs or hair clips of a neutral colour or red. Boys may not have long fringes that interfere with eyesight.

Creative Arts Week
In week 7 and 8 of this term students in Year 3 Creative Arts Week

Drop Off Zone
If you are dropping off or picking up your child in the Junior School car park in the Blue “Drop Off” zone, please remain in your car and do not leave it parked there. This causes congestion in the car park and frustration for the people wanting to use the drop off zone in the correct manner. Thank you, in anticipation, for your support with this matter.

Junior School Assembly 9.00am on Fridays
depending on what activity your child is involved in. Mrs Maree Crofts will be coordinating Creative Arts Week.

The Jackman Challenge
Question: John put 1 marble in a jar on the first day, 2 on the second day, 3 on the third day and so on. How many marbles were in the jar after 10 days?
Entries due to Mrs Keogh by 10.00am on Thursday 23 October.

Spring Fair raises $20,000
I would like to thank all the parents, students and staff for helping to run stalls and activities at the Spring Fair.

In particular I would like to thank the Year Parents and Heads of House for organising rosters and co-ordinating the Year Group Stall. We are still awaiting some invoices but we think we have raised approximately $20,000.00 which is fantastic.

We have several projects in the wings for the money the P & F raises. We have been asked to assist with revamping the School Clinic, provide play equipment for the junior school and help fund a memorial garden walk.

Without your help this Spring Fair would not have been as rewarding or entertaining for the community. So, again, Thank you.

Nutrition Talk for Year 5 and Year 6
On the 24th of October, Year 5 and Year 6 students will be involved in a Nutrition Talk conducted by students at Charles Sturt University, Bathurst. Students will be involved in many activities including moulding food shapes and making a healthy lunch. This talk aims to promote healthy living through healthy eating.

Carparks
At our school we value the safety of all children. We would like to request that when dropping children to school and picking them up that only the designated car parking areas are used.

Parents are not permitted to use the area behind the Year 3/4 classrooms or the circular drive at the front of the school as a drop-off area.

We thank you for your support in maintaining the safety standards of our school.

SPEED LIMIT
All roads within our school have a speed limit of 20kph. It would be appreciated if all drivers could adhere to this limit so that our school grounds remain as safe as possible.
The College website is now being updated with stories and events on a daily basis. Please take a look at all the current stories and photo galleries www.saints.nsw.edu.au

Welcome back to Term 4! We hope you have had a happy and enjoyable break and are ready for a busy term. Liz is very glad to be back after her amazing overseas adventure! We all thank Lisa very much for the absolutely wonderful job she did in Liz’s class and for the great assistance Esther gave her.

This week our phoneme is ‘oi’. We have had fun rubbing ‘coins’, experimenting with ‘oil’ and ‘joining’ paper chains. We are now busy practicing our Christmas concerts. Thank you for helping your child learn their words.

Dates for our concerts and end of year activities have been sent home. Please read them carefully and put them in a safe place. Please make sure your child has a hat. In Term 4 our policy is “no hat no play”. We look forward to an exciting term and look forward to your visits.

Regards Liz, Deb & Sally

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Chess Champions

Congratulations to the following Chess Champions.

They are:

**Junior Boys**
- Champion – Victor Chua
- Runner Up – Marcus Milton

**Junior Girls**
- Champion – Stephanie Ferguson
- Runner Up – Madeline Buckley

**Senior Boys**
- Champion – Travis Cartwright
- Runner Up – Hugh Elbourne

**Senior Girls**
- Champion – Melanie Lo
- Runner Up – Tayla Austin

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**Scholastic Book Fairs**

**BOOK FAIR BASH!**

You Are Invited to Join the Party!

**Date:** Friday 24th October

**Time:**

**Place:** Junior School Library

Our Book Fair is a lively and fun event that enables children, parents, teachers and community members to purchase quality books and classroom materials at reasonable prices, while raising funds for our school.

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Birthday Parties

Hold your child's birthday at the Bathurst Tennis Centre

Cost: $10.00 per child (minimum of 10 children)

Days available: Saturday (afternoon)
Sunday (extra cost)

Price includes:

- One hour of coaching, games, activities, prizes etc., with qualified coaches
- Racquet hire
- Use of BBQ
- Use of clubhouse, kitchen and facilities

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