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I give permission for my child…………………………………... in Year …………… to purchase a book by Jackie French and charge it to his/her school account.

Parent’s/Guardian’s Name………………………………………………………………………………..

Signature………………………………………………………………………………………………..
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

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

2007 Spring Fair

IT’S ON AGAIN.....
Sunday 2nd September.

Prepartions are under way 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 Hlbberson
- 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- Louise Hall
- Year 4: Garden- Jenny Cartwright
- Year 3: Baskets- Linda Cant
- Year 1 & 2: Craft- Cindy Pickard
- Kindergarten & Transition: Trash and Treasure- Bronwyn 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.

FROM THE CHAPLAIN

Something to prepare for. The World Vision 40 Hours Famine takes place next weekend.

Many students have taken their booklets, and I hope that there are many who will be willing sponsors.

It is not only food which can be given up for 40 hours, but technology or furniture!

Preparing, Father Paul.

15% off HSC Study Guides

ALL HSC EXCEL STUDY GUIDES ARE CURRENTLY 15% OFF
AT BOOKS ON HOWICK, SHOP 8, 177 HOWICK STREET, BATHURST.
FULL RANGE OF SUBJECTS AVAILABLE.

Show Jumping weekend

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 Tina Webber for details and entry forms on (w) 63310032, (h) 63377227.
**Equestrian**

All Saints’ College will take an equestrian team from both the Junior and Senior schools to the Oberon High School Jumping & Sporting Day. This event is an inter-school competition and will be held on Friday 24th August at the Oberon Equestrian Grounds.

Entries close on August 7th and full All Saints’ equestrian uniform is required for both horse and rider.

For further information and entry forms contact Tina Webber on 63377227 (home) or 0439564639 (mobile).

We will be taking a team to the One Day Event in Harden on Sunday, 12th August. Entries close 3rd August. All those wishing to attend, contact Tina for further information and an entry form.

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**Sports Draws**

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**Spend a year in the United States**

Cultural Care Au Pair is an organisation that offers students graduating from Year 10 or 12 the opportunity to spend a year in America living with a host family and caring for their children for up to 45 hours per week.

The programme includes two weeks paid holiday, a month off at the end to travel around the US, flights to and from America, a week’s training at the Au Pair Training School in New York and SUS500, for study at a US College or University.

See Mrs Thornton for further information.

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**New postal address for Frank Colzato**

Parents of All Saints’ College Debutantes please note that Frank Colzato Photographer’s postal address has now changed.

The new postal address is: Frank Colzato Photographer, PO BOX 1323, Bathurst NSW 2795.

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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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**Boarding P&F Meeting**

The next meeting of the Boarding P&F will be held on Saturday, 1st September at 2.00pm in the Performing Arts Centre.

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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.

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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 marvellous 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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**Weekly Revelations**

Weekly Revelations is distributed on Thursday afternoons to all senior school students. Items for inclusion should be submitted to Cherylene Anderson or Michele Thornton by Tuesday.

A copy of Weekly Revelations is available on the College Website: www.saints.nsw.edu.au