Junior School Picnic on the Oval

On Tuesday 23rd February at 6.00pm all members of the All Saints’ College Junior School community are invited to a picnic on the Junior School Oval. The Junior School Parents and Friends Association will be selling sausage sandwiches and the crew from Annie’s Ice Cream Shop will be there selling ice creams.

Grandparent’s and Special Friend’s Day

Next Friday the 26th February students in Year 5 will be hosting their Grandparents or Special Friends for the day. It is always a fantastic family day and I look forward to meeting our many visitors next week.

Summer Sport Team Photos

Next Wednesday 24th February at 3.30pm all summer sport teams that train on a Wednesday will have their photo taken.

Swimming Carnival – What a great Day!

The Junior School Inter-House Swimming Carnival was held on Friday 12th February at the college pool. The students performed superbly and really enjoyed the fine weather and friendly competition. A special thank you to all of the parents and friends who assisted with the running of the carnival and who donated their time and delicious food to the cake stall. A more detailed report appears later in the VIM.

Swimming Carnival thank you

We would like to publish a note in the VIM thanking all of the parents who contributed wares for sale at the Junior School Swimming Carnival. The outstanding effort shown in providing such an amazing array and also incredibly amount of produce was just fabulous. We made a record amount of money $628.

A special thank you should go to the following people who also assisted on the day in the stall: Sue Parkes, Lisa Saint, Lisa Anelzark, Ruth Crampton, Mel Elms, Stacey Whittaker, Georgina Sanger, Xanthe Morgan, Linda Chua, Lesley Bland, Catriona Roach and Naomie Miller. Please forgive me if I have omitted to mention anybody. We are constantly amazed at the generosity in giving both time and items to sell. The community spirit in All Saints College is wonderful and we thank all the parents for their contributions.

Scholarships Open for 2011

We offer Academic, Music and ICPA Scholarships to students entering Years 7, 9, 10 and 11 in 2011. Apply by Friday, 9th April 2010 to avoid a late fee.

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Junior School Sport Calendar

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Junior School Assemblies

All parents are welcome to attend Junior School assemblies. In the warmer months they are conducted on the Outdoor Assembly area and during the colder months we move into the Performing Arts Centre. Assemblies begin at 9.00am.

Important Dates for the Calendar

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Weel Year 6 is looking for old wooden cotton reels. If you have any of the older type cotton reels, Year 6 would ‘reely’ appreciate it. Send in any reels to Mrs Keogh in the Junior School office.
Basketball Draw

Round 11  Thursday 18/2/10
4.15pm   ASC Leprechauns v Eglinton Gladiators
5.05pm   ASC Panthers v Hawks

Round 10  Friday 18/2/10
4.15pm  ASC Redbacks V Ladybugs
5.05pm  ASC Torpedo Tigers V Glitterbugs

We also learnt about the ‘Life Cycle of a Spider’ then sequenced pictures about it.

We had lots of exciting news this week, including Sophie talking about her special ‘First Aid Bag’, Daniel sharing his favourite book and Toby showing us photos of him dressed up as Batman and other Super Heroes.

Check out the Junior School Swimming Carnival photo gallery and video at www.saints.nsw.edu.au

This week in Transition…(Term 1, wk 4) we are thinking about Nursery Rhymes. We are learning ‘Incy Wincy Spider’ and making hairy spiders. We are singing ‘Little Miss Muffet’ and dramatising it. We are thinking about the colour ‘yellow’.

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The season of Lent begins with a focus on penitence. Our individual life with God moves toward the restoration of all human relations. The eminent poet and preacher John Donne (1573–1631) points the way in this painfully honest prayer.

Forgive me, Lord, my sins:
the sins of my youth,
the sins of the present,
the sins I laid upon myself in an ill pleasure,
the sins I cast upon others in an ill example;
the sins which are manifest to all the world,
the sins which I have labored to hide
from mine acquaintance,
from mine own conscience,
and even from my memory;
my crying and my whispering sins,
my ignorant sins and my willful;
sins against my superiors, equals, servants,
sins against myself, mine own body, mine own soul,
sins against thee, O almighty Father,
O merciful Son,
O blessed Spirit of God.

Forgive me, O Lord, through the merits of thine Anointed, my Saviour, Jesus Christ. Amen.

—The Rev. Timothy D. Dobbs, Rector
The Church of the Redeemer, Baltimore

Application forms are available from our website: www.saints.nsw.edu.au or from Reception.

And a quick reminder about scholarships. We have received a number of calls from interested families and information packs are now being sent out. Please call me (Roslyn Cox) 6332 7313 or Belinda Thompson on 6331 3911 if you are interested. Registrations are needed by Friday 9 April 2010 to avoid a late fee.
Inter-House Swimming Carnival 2010

The Junior School Inter-House swimming carnival began with much hype amongst our infants students. All Kindergarten and Year 1 students presented themselves for the splash and dash 15m race across the pool. The events were contested in great spirit and all departed with a sense of achievement and a lovely yellow ribbon to begin or add to their collection.

Once the infants students departed the serious competition began. This year it was decided that all students would swim in a freestyle heat. This inclusion saw all students from 8 – 12 years swim competitively in at least one race in their respective age groups. Pleasingly this was a fantastic addition to the program ensuring that all students were involved in some healthy competition.

Again this year we saw some terrific individual performances. We were very fortunate to witness Thomas Geyer at his best. Thomas not only won every event he competed in but astonishingly broke every record. This is an outstanding achievement and I wish Thomas every success for the 2010 season. Rachel Corbett-Jones broke away from the blocks in blistering speed in the 9 yrs backstroke to take out first place and a new record, well done Rachel!

A huge thank you must go to all competitors who competed throughout the morning regardless of the outcome and to all of the staff and parents who assisted in the smooth running of the carnival. Congratulations to Esrom House who again this year won the Inter-House trophy.

Age Champions   Runner Up

8 Yrs  Ben Cant        Cane Barnes
         Aleisha Mason      Xantho Booth

9 Yrs  Christopher McEwen    Kian Blackshaw
      Lucy Corbett-Jones    Rachel Corbett-Jones

10 Yrs  Nicholas Booth    Joshua Michael
       Amber Stockman      Anna Van Heekeren

11 Yrs  Thomas Geyer      Cameron Redpath
        Matthew Jackman    Georgina Sutton

12 Yrs  Sophie Cant       Lachlan Wilkinson
        Sophia Grant       Lily McClelland

New records 2010

Boys 11 Yrs 50m Freestyle: Thomas Geyer 35.02
Boys 11 Yrs 50m Breaststroke: Thomas Geyer 43.31
Boys 11 Yrs 50m Backstroke: Thomas Geyer 44.84
Boys 11 Yrs 50m Butterfly: Thomas Geyer 41.90
Boys 11 Yrs 100m Freestyle: Thomas Geyer 1.20.47
Boys 11 Yrs 4 x 25m L.M.: Thomas Geyer 1.31.14
Girls 9 Yrs 25m Backstroke: Rachel Corbett-Jones 24.95

Kay Nelson

(Junior School Sports Coordinator)