Junior School Inter-House Athletics Carnival

The annual Inter-House Athletics Carnival was held last Friday, 6th June on Watson Oval. Congratulations to Esrom House for gaining the most points on the day. I would like to thank all of the parents who came and assisted on the day.

Semester One Reports

A comprehensive written report will be mailed home in the last week of this term. There will be Parent/Teacher Interviews early in Term 3 which provide an opportunity for parents to discuss their child’s progress.

Rugby

This coming weekend, Sunday, 15th June, our Under 11, Under 9 and Under 7 rugby players will be participating in games against the Bathurst Bulldogs at Ann Ashwood Park. Good luck boys!

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 Kemmis Building. Assemblies begin at 9.00am.

Important Dates for the Calendar

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Eisteddfod Congratulations

To Adelaide Cunningham for winning the major award at Dubbo Eisteddfod last week being for the Speech & Drama Encouragement Award for 10 years & Under. Good luck to Adelaide who is performing in the Forbes Eisteddfod next week.

To Georgie Geyer who was awarded the Gwen Jones Memorial Award for All Round Excellence for Speech & Drama at the Northern Beaches Eisteddfod. Georgie was notified this week that she had won this award along with a $300 cheque. Well done Georgie! Kristie Thorne

Thank you to all those amazing donations of knitting to adorn our Pre-Kindergarten yard trees. Please bring in all completed stripes by the beginning of next week so we can make those trees warm and bright over the holidays.

Sally Parsons, Pre-Kindergarten 5 Day Teacher

Uniform Shop Hours: Monday 8.30am to 5pm; Tuesday 12 noon to 2pm; Thursday 2pm to 4.30pm; Friday 8.30am to 3pm
Cash, Cheque, Eftpos available; Phone: 6332 7303 or email l.moller@saints.nsw.edu.au
What a Ggggggreat week PK5 are having. Our literacy choices are exploring the theme of friendships, things we have made, the letter Gg and number 8. The class have been enamoured over a book called PRESS HERE and we have read it daily. PRESS HERE changes according to the instructions it gives us. To either press, rub, tilt, blow etc. They are amazed they have the power to change it each time they turn the page. We are making our own version of the dot book. The new dramatic area of transportation set up to pursue Chaise’s interest has been a hit with absolutely everyone. Animal races, car racetrack in a figure 8 with tunnel, trains above and designing new car parking allows us to use creative construction, negotiation and cooperative skills along our friendships theme. We are so excited with all the knitting donations brought in already and can’t wait to finish dressing the trees next week. The two Pre-Kinder classes will be farewelling our fabulous Gappy helpers next Thursday afternoon with a party. Everyone is welcome to join us at 2pm for our last ‘hoorah’ before school holidays.

Sally Parsons, Pre-Kindergarten 5 Day Teacher

Grace loves her pet rock made in class and described it for news.

Archie brought in something he had made for news.

Chaise used the paint swatches on the car garage then colour matching cars.

Fynn rebuilt last weeks dinosaur!!

Groovy green glittery glasses are great.

Eliza has loved creating from our new craft trolley.

Hannah and Harry brought in some more amazing knitting. Our first branch on our wool bombed tree looks amazing and gets lots of hugs. Please bring in all knitting early next week. Thank you everyone for your amazing help!!! Thinner branches are also getting dressed so small lengths are welcome.

Phoenix, Sian, Hayden and Grace working together and negotiating train directions.

Lily, Eliza, Hayden and Archie race cars around their racetrack 8.
**FROM THE CHAPLAIN**
**Rev. Tony Card**

“Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptising them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you.” (Matthew 28:19-20a, NRSV)

As we come to the end of our series on the appearances of Jesus after his resurrection we join the eleven disciples at the top of the mount with Jesus for the last time. We hear his final command, the great commission. The disciples have journeyed with him, they have learnt from him, they have watched him die, and they have had numerous encounters with him since he rose again. They are now told what they must do after he goes – make disciples of all nations, baptise them, and teach them to obey His word. We have been on the same journey and now we are asked to do the same thing.

Interestingly we are told that there were some of the eleven who still doubted. As I wrote a couple of weeks back, doubt about the resurrection of Jesus is normal and expected. But we should note that although some doubted they were not excluded from participating in the mission. Perhaps Jesus knew that there doubts would be overcome as they participated. Perhaps as they explored the scriptures and their doubts along with ‘the nations’ they would find the answers they were looking for. It is a wonderful thing about God’s word and his nature that we can never know all there is to know about him. We can read the scriptures over and over again and each time we will be given new insight and understanding...we will be drawn into a deeper relationship with Him.

Matthews Gospel ends not just with this command of Jesus but with his promise. As we go out into the world to make new disciples we know that we never walk alone, for he has promised to be with us, ‘And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age.’ (Matthew 28:20b, NRSV)

With all the blessings of Christ,
Rev. Tony Card.

**Collecting food and cash for Anglicare.**
Thank you to everyone who contributed to the Anglicare Pantry Appeal. We raised just over $240 and collected boxes and bags of food that will be distributed in Bathurst. Further contributions can be made at Chapel next week or at the Cathedral Office in Church Street.

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**Hockey Draw for Wednesday 18th June**

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**Netball**

I hope that everyone has great games on Saturday. Please note that we have games on the first Saturday of the holidays, June 21.

**Draw: Saturday, June 14**

ASC Seahorses 11:05 am Court 12 Captain Lottoe O’Hehir-Corones
ASC Stingrays 11:05 am Court 13 Captain Georgie Geyer
ASC Prawns 8:45 am Court 7 Captain Gena King

All players need to be at the courts 30 mins prior to the commencement of the game, please.

**Clubhouse Duty Roster:**

- ASC Prawns July 19
  - ASC Seahorses August 16
  - ASC Stingrays Finals Rounds (Allocation to be notified)

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**Student Medical Information**

Parents received last week a letter regarding a new medical information system called CareMonkey.

CareMonkey is an electronic system that allows parents to securely provide excursion medical and contact information directly to teachers.

The system is accessed using your computer or a free app on your tablet or smartphone. You simply log in and complete the electronic medical form.

Once the system is rolled out you will receive excursion and camp permission notes electronically via the system and will be able to respond to the requests with the push of a button.

No more returning notes and filling out excursion medical forms!!!

The only exceptions to this will be the Lands Edge camps in Years 7, 8, and 9 as they are outsourced to an external provider. Please don’t hesitate to contact Felicity Brown or Kerry Tobin in the clinic or Felicity Challita in Dr Miller’s office if you have any questions. We will be in touch with more information shortly.

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**Round 10-Sunday Game**

U10 and U12 Teams - Please note that on the weekend of July 26 and July 27 games are scheduled for both Saturday and Sunday.

Gabrielle Darlington, Junior School Netball Coordinator
The Challenges of the STRONG WILLED CHILD
A 6 Session Program for Parents of Two to Six Year Olds

The program aims to give parents (fathers and mothers) extra skills and information to deal with their child’s strong-willed behaviour. It will also be an opportunity for parents to share some of their parenting ideas and ways they deal with the everyday challenges of parenting.

This group starts on the 22nd of July 2014 and runs for six weeks.

Day: Tuesday
Dates: 22nd and 29th of July, 5th, 12th, 19th and 26th of August
Time: 10.00am to 12.00noon
Venue: Community Health Centre, Level 3, Bathurst Health Service.
Cost: $10 per family

Please contact Alicia or Elizabeth at Bathurst Community Health Centre (Ph. 6330 5677) for more information.
Plenty of time as usual will be given to fellowship, food and fun for all ages.

Living as the family of Faith is the theme for this year’s camp with talks from Colossians by the Rev Dr Matt Brain.

No matter your age, there will be something for you. The youth and children will be wonderfully looked after by Soul Survivor this year.

EVERYONE WELCOME!

Talks, discussion, worship, free time, Saturday Night Spectacular, great meals and stunning surrounds makes for a great weekend.

Registrations now available from your parish, or by emailing ntachurch@bigpond.com or by calling Rev Phil Howes on 6889 1046.
School Holiday Tennis Clinic

Monday 30\textsuperscript{th} June – Wednesday 2\textsuperscript{nd} July 2014

9.00am – 1.00pm

\textit{No tennis experience necessary}

\textbf{AGES 5-15 YRS}

- Great activities
- Great skill development
- Excellent fitness
- New Friends

\textbf{BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL!}

For bookings or more information please call the Bathurst Tennis Centre on 6331 3786