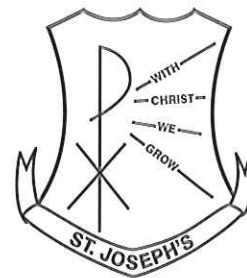


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Wednesday, April 23rd 2014

We Will Remember.

This Friday we commemorate ANZAC DAY as a public holiday for our nation to remember and honour those Australians who have died in all theatres of war especially in World War I. ANZAC stands for **Australian & New Zealand Army Corps**. Celebrated on April 25th each year the holiday is all about remembering those fallen veterans who have paid the ultimate price for following one's duty.

April 25th marks the first major battle where the "diggers" fought side by side in heated combat. The conflict that took place on the Turkish peninsula of Gallipoli was bloody and devastating with Aussie and Kiwi loss of life in excess of 10,000 over 8 months. Next year will mark the centenary of this campaign and it is a sign of strength, fidelity and hope, that to this day, ANZAC Day is not taken for granted. We pay tribute to the sacrifice that has been made by so many men and women, on our behalf, over many years and in different theatres of war.



In honour of those service men and women who passed and also for those who have served in war since we share the following:



In most ceremonies of remembrance there is a reading of an appropriate poem designed to help the listener understand the experiences of service people and their relatives in wartime, one such *legacy* left to us from the Great War, is the poem: For The Fallen by Lawrence Binyon (first published in England 1914), it is usually recited *in part* every ANZAC DAY and is now referred to as the:

ODE OF REMEMBRANCE

*With proud thanksgiving, a mother for her children
Australia mourns for her dead across the sea,
Flesh of her flesh they were, spirit of her spirit,
Fallen in the cause of the free.*

*Solemn the drums thrill: Death august and royal
Sings sorrow up into immortal spheres,
There is music in the midst of desolation
And glory that shines upon our tears.*

*They went with songs to the battle, they were young,
Straight of limb, true of eyes, steady and aglow*

Remember our
Diggers



25th April

*They were staunch to the end against odds uncounted,
They fell with their faces to the foe.*



*They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old:
Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn
At the going down of the sun and in the morning
We will remember them.*

*They mingle not with their laughing comrades again,
They sit no more at familiar tables of home,
They have no lot in our labour of the daytime,
They sleep beyond **Australia's** foam.*

*But where our desires and hopes profound,
Felt as a well-spring that is hidden from sight,
To the innermost heart of their own land they are known
As the stars are known to the night.*

*As the stars shall be bright when we are dust,
Moving in marches upon the heavenly plain,
As the stars that are starry in the time of our darkness,
To the end, to the end, they remain.*

Lest We Forget

(Note: poetic license has been taken in **bold**)



APRIL

25 Anzac Day
29 Mercy Enrolment Night

MAY

2 HSC – 2015 First Round Applications close
13-15 NAPLAN- Yr 3, 5 & 7

APRE NEWS



Welcome back to what will be a busy term. I trust all our students and staff had an enjoyable Easter break.

For us as Christians we are now celebrating the most sacred of all seasons of the Church's year. During the three days of the Easter Tridium – Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Easter Vigil we were invited to journey with Jesus and reflect on the events of those days and experience something of the depths of Christ's pain and the pain of our world.

At Easter we celebrated Jesus' ultimate triumph, even over physical death, in His resurrection. Jesus in rising to the glory of new life, is able to give new life to all who believe in Him.

LITURGY NEWS

ANZAC Liturgy 8.40: Thursday 24/4
Easter Liturgy 8.40: Friday 2/5 1E & 5R,5B
Our Lady Help of Christians: Liturgy Friday 23/5
Prayers please

We remember all those in our community who are unwell or recovering from illness. We ask for prayers for Mr Fahl, (grandfather of Dylan) Mrs Belinda Downes, Mrs Julie Rowen and James Warrington Love. James was a 'preppie' at St Joey's last year and is seriously ill in Brisbane.

*Dear Lord bless all who are sick,
especially those in our school community.
May they experience, in a special way,
the great love and concern Jesus has for them.*

Please also remember in your prayers the Emmert family (Addison 5R) who have suffered the loss of a loved one. Addison's grandfather passed away this week.

**Eternal rest grant unto him O Lord
May perpetual light shine upon him
May he rest in peace
AMEN**

ANZAC DAY

As usual we will be participating in the ANZAC DAY march as a school body. The march will take place on Friday 25th April. Students are required to assemble at the old Coles carpark in Sydney Street from 8.10am. We would strongly encourage any students who are able to please be part of the ANZAC Day march.

Students are required to wear their formal school uniform with black shoes and white socks. School hats must be worn.

This year parents are asked to deliver their students to the carpark and once they have been placed in the care of a staff member parents are requested to vacate the carpark. Organisers of the march have requested this is in order to make the assembly and organisation of all students involved more efficient.

NETBALL



Please note: All registration fees should now be paid. If you have not paid, please contact the office IMMEDIATELY. Players will not be allowed on the court if fees are not paid.

9's Joeyes Gems	3.30pm	Crt 1
10's Joeyes Opals	2.15pm	Crt 7
11's Joeyes Topaz	11.45am	Crt 6
11's Joeyes Diamonds	1.00pm	Crt 7
13's Joeyes Rubies	10.30am	Crt 4
13's Joeyes Sapphires	1.00pm	Crt 3

UMPIRES

8.00am	CRT 3	Johanna Bundesen
	CRT 7	Roby Choy
11.45am	CRT 4	Gabby Hay
1.00pm	CRT 6	Emily Kirkwood

HOCKEY



All hockey fees are now overdue. Please contact the office if you have not yet paid your fees.

Hockey Draw 24th & 26th April 2014

*****Please note that U7, U9 & U13 boys games are being played on Thursday due to the Anzac Day public holiday*****

Thursday 24th April

Hooked in2 Hockey Session 2	3:30pm – 4:15pm
U7	
St Joseph's v Wests	4:30pm Field 2D
U9	
St Joseph's v Emmanuel	4:30pm Turf CD
U13 Boys	
Mercy Green v Wests	4:00pm Field 6
Mercy Navy v Conan's	4:00pm Field 3

Umpires

Mekenna Bowman	4:30pm	Field 2D
Abbi & Madeleine Wilson	4:30pm	Turf CD

Saturday 26th April

U11 Girls
St Francis Joeyes v Fitzgerald 10:30am Field 6
(please note this time change is permanent for the St Francis Joeyes team due to clashes for some players due to netball)

U11 Boys
Emmanuel Joeyes v St Francis 8:00am Turf
Vic Park Joeyes v Eimeo Rd 8:00am Field 2

U13 Girls
Mercy v Vic Park 9:15am Field 3
Mercy White v HSC 9:15am Turf

Umpires

Ethan Currie	8:00am	Field 2
Briena Dean	8:00am	Field 3

Umpires Training Course

There is an umpires training course being held on Wednesday afternoon (today) for all interested players from 4:30pm at the Mackay Hockey clubhouse.

TUCKSHOP NEWS

TUCKSHOP ROSTER	
Friday 25 th April	PUBLIC HOLIDAY
Monday 28 th April	Kylee Kister, Kelly Hawthorn
Wed 30 th April	Tamara Pace, Lida Ospana
HOMEBAKE ROSTER	
Friday 25 th April	PUBLIC HOLIDAY
Monday 28 th April	Christine Davies, Lyn Harris
Wed 30 th April	Kerry Howlett, Susan Hodgson

P & F NEWS

Hi

Well Term 2 has begun already. I hope you all have had a wonderful Easter.

Firstly, I would just like to remind everyone that our next meeting is due to be held on Thursday, 8th May. We meet in the Library at 6.30 pm and I encourage and welcome all parents to come along and enjoy a wine and participate in our monthly discussions.

Secondly, Mother's Day is almost upon us and we will be holding our annual Mother's Day stall in week 3 (6th & 7th May). All gifts will be priced between \$1 and \$5. If anyone can help man the stalls it would be very much appreciated. I would also like to make mention that, as parents, we are all a part of our P&F association here at St Joey's and as such we all play an important part in the ongoing success of our School.

Thank you and please feel free to contact me at any time,
Linda Coleman
(President)
0428644491

ENROLMENTS 2015

Enrolments for Prep are currently being taken for the 2015 school year. Parents of children born between July 1, 2009 and June 30, 2010 are asked to complete an enrolment form available from the school's office. Enrolments for Years 1-7 are also currently being taken for 2015.

SCHOOL MUSICAL NEWS "TERRIBLE TALES IN TIME"

A huge thank you to all the students who put so much effort into the audition process. It was a very hard job to fill the roles of the main cast, but we must congratulate the follow students who have secured the following characters-

RAT	Jacinta Geisler
BLACKBEARD	Keione Hulme-Moir
CAPTAIN COOK	James Neivandt
KING RICHARD	Tiernan McCallum
NED KELLY	Ruby Choy
UGG	Emma Johnstone
GRACE	Emma Kelly
CLEO	Georgia Hurley
BUZZ ALDRIN	Roydan Wood

For the main cast and all our student there will be many hours of fun and hard work to follow.

SICK CHILDREN

If children are unwell through the night or before school, please keep them at home until they recover. We fully appreciate that parents don't wish their children to miss school, but many illnesses are easily passed on between children and spread quickly. Please keep the wellbeing of other children and staff in mind when deciding whether or not to send ill children to school.

SCHOOL DENTAL VISIT

A letter has been sent home with today's newsletter with more information about school dental scheme and the dates for booking deadlines. If you did not receive a copy, please phone the office on 4957 3355.



Year 7 & 8 in 2015 - Enrolment Applications

The 'Round One Enrolment Applications Closing Date' is Friday 2 May, 2014

(Applications are, of course, also WELCOME after the above date (subject to vacancies), and will be considered as detailed in the College Enrolment Policy)

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CONGRATULATIONS

Over the last few weeks of Term 1 we had a number of students selected in representative teams. Congratulations to the following students:

Tianna Wallis-Byrne	Mackay District Netball
Claire Colwill	Mackay District Hockey
Maddi Wilson	Mackay District Hockey
Abbi Wilson	Mackay District Hockey
Ethan Currie	Mackay District Hockey
Lachlan Cook	Mackay District Hockey
Matthew Fackrell	Mackay District Hockey
Rhys Penfold	Mackay District Hockey
Kyan Murphy	Mackay District Hockey
Erin Wicks	Southern Suburbs Soccer
Henry Wells	Southern Suburbs Soccer
Lachlan Cook	Southern Suburbs Soccer

MERCY COLLEGE MACKAY

2015 Year 7 & Year 8 - Enrolment Information Evening
Tuesday 29 April 2014

Pre-register now online www.mercymackay.qld.edu.au
(You must attend the evening to collect an Enrolment Pack)

CARPARK

A reminder, the **Canberra Street - Office Carpark** is only for Staff parking and parents visiting with Office business during the classroom hours.

Note: The Canberra Street Carpark **is not** for the Drop-off and Pick-up of children, because of the density of parking and the safety factor of walking children in and around spaces. Long term parking is via parks at the back section of the Church building only or via street parking during peak times (8.00am -9.00am; 2.30pm-3.30pm).

IMPORTANT NOTICE

TOILETS

A concern has been raised about adults using the toilets allocated for students in our diocesan schools. Adults should not be accessing the student toilets. Adults can use the sick bay toilet via the school office. This toilet is allocated to adults and toddlers who require adult assistance.

Meet the author



Mackay Funerals is proud to host one of Australia's leading authors on the subject of loss and grief. Meet Doris Zagdanski who will share her research, conversations and insights on **Children, Teens & Grief.**

- What do kids grieve over?
- What grief reactions can you expect?
- Children at funerals - Yes or No?
- What are the needs of bereaved children?
- What can adults do to help?

Ideal for parents, teachers, care givers and those who work with or support grieving children.

Date Wednesday 30th April 2014

Venue Mackay Funerals Chapel
189 Alfred Street, MACKAY

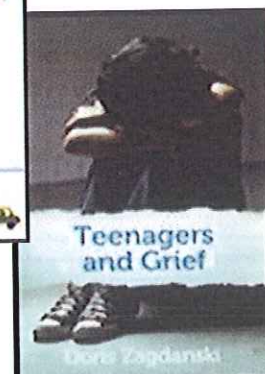
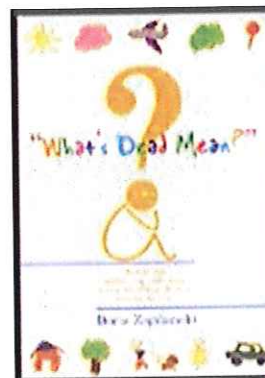
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