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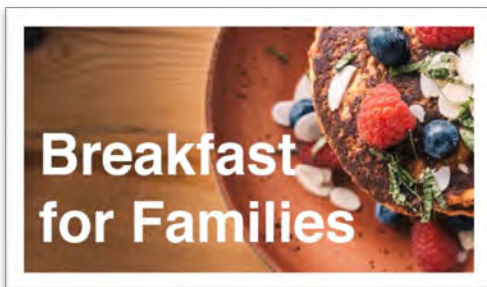
Companions on the Journey

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*Walk with us, Lord, in our life journeys,  
Guiding, teaching and helping us,  
As we learn our lessons of loving,  
In our homes, our schools and our communities.  
Amen.*



Dear Parents,



We eagerly look forward to our FAMILY BREAKFAST on Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> September. All mothers and fathers are invited to attend and a separate note has been sent home by Mrs Young, coordinator of this event, with further details and an rsvp for catering purposes. This event is once again followed by our Pre-Primary Father's Day Assembly.

### **YEAR 6 CONFIRMATION RETREAT – MONDAY 30<sup>th</sup> AUGUST - SCHOOL HALL**

A reminder to all Year 6 Parents that the Confirmation retreat will be held on Monday 30<sup>th</sup> August all day, in the School Hall. All Year 6 children will be participating. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact your child's classroom teacher.



### **BOOK WEEK AT ST ANDREW'S**

Each year since 1945, the Children's Book Council of Australia has brought children and books together across Australia through Book Week. During this time schools and public libraries spend one glorious week celebrating books and Australian children's authors and illustrators. Book week encourages children to listen to stories relating to a theme to highlight the importance of reading.

The St Andrew's Book Week parade was held in our school hall on Tuesday. We were in awe of the fabulous and creative costumes that both children and staff came dressed in. As always, the focus of our book week parade was to highlight the joy of reading and to inspire our children to delve into the many wonderful stories that books have to offer. A big thank you to Mrs Baldock for coordinating the event and Mr Bartucciotto for hosting!



### **P & F WINE AND CHEESE NIGHT**

Once again, the P & F Wine and Cheese Night, which was held last Friday night, has proven to be an outstanding success. The fun that both staff and parents had together demonstrates what a cohesive and supportive community we are developing. While I fully understand that with the business of life, many people were not able to make the night, I would like to recommend the event for the future as I am sure that all who attended can attest to its success. A special mention to Vanessa Neave, who as part of the school's P&F, co-ordinated the event.



God bless you

Sam Fontaine  
Principal



# National Science Week 2021

To celebrate National Science Week 2021 (14<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> August) all students from Pre-Primary to Year 6 attended a Biological Science presentation by Julie from **Honey in the Garden**. The students learned all about the importance of bees in our environment and the process of making and collecting honey. We all eagerly tried the different varieties of delicious honey they produce!

We thank the Ag Academy for facilitating this informative science incursion.



## VISION STATEMENT

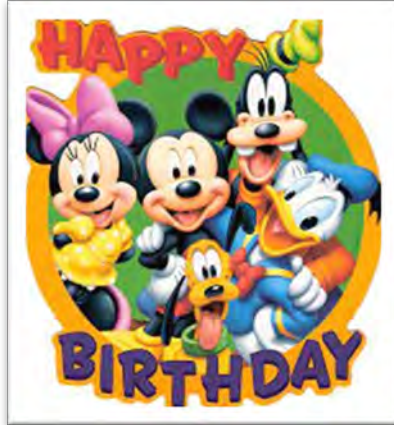
Saint Andrew's School offers an education that acknowledges, respects and nurtures the uniqueness of each child.

Within a framework of Catholic values and teamwork, the students will be challenged and supported to recognise their gifts and to develop their potential as they learn and contribute to their community.

We endeavour to provide a quality Catholic education which is Christ centred, child focused.

### ST ANDREW'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL TERM 3, PLANNER 2021 PARENTS (10 week term)

21/22 AUG  WEEK 6  Children's Book Week 23- 27 August	23 AUGUST	24 AUGUST  Staff Prayer  <b>Book Week Character Parade – Hall 8:50am</b>  Playgroup 8:30 -10:30 Under cover area  Staff Meeting	25 AUGUST  P & F Father's Day Raffle tickets finalised	26 AUGUST  <b>Performing Arts – School Choir</b>	27 AUGUST  <b>Year 3 Merit Assembly (Both Classes)</b>
28/29 AUG  Week 7	30 AUGUST  <b>Confirmation Retreat SACPS 8:45am – 2.15pm Hall and Year 6 Classrooms</b>	31 AUGUST  Staff Prayer  Playgroup 8:30 -10:30 Hall  Staff Meeting	1 SEPTEMBER  <b>Year 1 Liturgy of The Word 8:50am - Church</b>	2 SEPTEMBER	3 SEPTEMBER  <b>PPB Father's Day Assembly (NO Merit)</b>  Mothers & Father's Day Family Breakfast  Father's Day Raffle drawn today AT Assembly
4/5 SEPT Week 8  <b>FATHER'S DAY</b>	6 SEPTEMBER	7 SEPTEMBER  Crunch n Sip 10:15a.m. Staff Prayer  Playgroup 8:30 -10:30 Hall  Staff Meeting	8 SEPTEMBER	9 SEPTEMBER  Year 4 Excursion WA Museum	10 SEPTEMBER  <b>Confirmation Rehearsals 9:00am Church</b>  <b>Confirmation Year 6 Reconciliations 10:00am Church</b>



Happy Birthday to Rose A, Manav R, Ivy M and Alice D

## P&F NEWS



Do not forget to check out the P&F Facebook Page to keep up to date with things going on at school or to get in touch with us. The page name is St Andrew's Clarkson CPS P&F Group. We can also be contacted on the email address:

[standrewsparentsandfriends@gmail.com](mailto:standrewsparentsandfriends@gmail.com)

### **FATHER'S DAY RAFFLE**

Father's Day tickets are due back next Wednesday, 1st September. We have a fantastic prize again this year of a weekend stay in Jurien Bay.



### **PERTH ENTERTAINMENT MEMBERSHIP**

Please support St Andrew's Catholic Primary School by purchasing a Perth Entertainment membership.

**Memberships are valid for 12 months from the time of purchase**

<http://www.entertainmentbook.com.au/orderbooks/839r16>



Thank you for your support.

A very big thank you to all those who attended our Wine and Cheese night on Friday night. We hope everyone had a great night and enjoyed the event.

## PARISH NEWS

# St Andrew's

Catholic Church  
Clarkson



For all parish information please follow the following link.

[clarkson.perthcatholic.org.au](http://clarkson.perthcatholic.org.au)

## COMMUNITY NEWS

### **WALKING AND EXITING THE SCHOOL TO ANTHONY WARING OVAL AND CAR PARK**

Thank you to those parents who park at Anthony Waring Oval after school and collect their children.

To further improve traffic and pedestrian access, both the school and the City of Wanneroo, request that the parents of students that leave from our School, USE GATE 1, which is the gate AFTER the OSHC Gate near the Pre-Primary and next to the lawn area.

This gate is open and will allow easier and safer exiting to occur (please see the map to assist you.)

All children have been shown this gate as well to assist you.

We thank you for your assistance.

