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Companions on the Journey

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PRAYER FOR CONFIRMATION

Almighty God,

We pray for those students being Confirmed this Tuesday.

May your high expectations, Lord be matched by their faithfulness.

On this special occasion, when their Baptism is transformed into Confirmation by Your Grace and their free will.

Let the Church rejoice and their schools applaud.

May the Sacraments deepen their spiritual experience of You and encourage them in the exploration of their faith.

Let us pledge ourselves in doing all that we can to support them in their commitment. We ask this through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Dear Parents,

Please keep in your prayers the *children in Year 6 who will be confirmed this Tuesday*. They have spent a significant amount of time in class, at meetings and retreats understanding what it means to be Confirmed in the Catholic Church.



Creator Spirit,

Strengthen this child with your gifts of grace, to love and serve as a disciple of Christ.

Grant that they may grow into the fullness of the stature of Christ.

Fill them with the joy of your presence. Increase in them the fruit of your Spirit: the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of love, patience and gentleness, the spirit of wonder and true holiness.

Amen

Tomorrow, the children who are preparing to receive the **Sacrament of Confirmation** will participate in a rehearsal. Thank you to all involved.

I hope all Fathers and Grandfathers had a wonderful Father's Day last Sunday! I would like to thank the staff who prepared a wonderful family breakfast last Friday for our community, especially Mrs. Young who coordinated the event. Again, I am so amazed by the generosity of our staff to give to our community as one.



Athletics forms a very important part of the Physical Education Program at St Andrew's culminating in the School carnival. The faction carnivals will be held next Thursday and Friday. Congratulations to the children who have been so eager in participating at run club and other training programs. May all your hard work and training pay off. I wish all competitors the very best of luck and hope that you all achieve your own personal best! (Mr Waddell has sent home notes regarding the carnivals and you are also welcome to contact him directly should you require any further clarification.)

ATHLETICS FACTION CAPTAINS

Last week we had our elections for the Athletic Faction Captains. We are delighted to inform the school community that our 2021 Athletic Faction Captains are:

Patras: Elysia B, Taj S, Sopheria N

Galilee: Ebeny G, Thomas S Amalfi: Eleanor B, Steven S

We extend our congratulations to all of these students.



THE GREAT VEGIE CRUNCH



On Tuesday the whole school was involved in the Great Vegie Crunch. In addition to the small grant we received from the Cancer Council of WA to buy crunchy vegetables for the whole school, a big thank you is extended to the Canzirri families (Marcus, Natalie and Danika, Ariana) as they also supplied crunchy vegetables for this healthy event. (We again apologise for the oversight in last week's newsletter. We are always grateful for any help that families provide to the school.)

At 10:15am, a special call was put out on the PA; ready, steady CRUNCH! The children then simultaneously

snacked on the healthy vegies supplied. A special thank you is extended to Mrs Lo Faro for co-ordinating the event for our school as well as the many P&F helpers that assisted on the day.





All children in Years 1 to 6 on Friday will participate in a Cricket Clinic organised by Mr Waddell. We have SEDA Cricket coming in, where your children will be put into small groups and given an opportunity to play some fun Cricket activities.

FAMILY BREAKFAST

Cricket

Our Family Breakfast last week was a special event where we honoured our fathers, mothers and other significant adults in our lives. We would like to thank you all for attending this special day. We would like to especially thank Mrs Young who coordinated this event. We hope that you all enjoyed your Father's Day last Sunday.









FATHER'S DAY IN KINDY



Last Thursday we had a wonderful morning in Kindy celebrating all of our fathers, grandfathers and significant adults in our lives. It was a morning filled with much excitement, as we shared activities with our special visitors.



FATHER FRANCIS MARY OF THE CROSS JORDAN

Last night, Mr Archer, Mrs Campbell and I were honoured to attend St Mary's Cathedral for the Western Australian Thanksgiving Mass celebrating the life of Father Francis Mary of the Cross Jordan. Father Francis was the founder of the Salvatorians who was beatified earlier this year. Our prayers are extended to the Salvatorian community for this very significant event.





BOOK WEEK COLOURING COMPETITION

Just a reminder to all students to get your completed colouring in competition pieces into the Library by Wednesday 15th September, 2021!

CROSSING ROADS – PARENT CARE

Please be aware that the staff will be on duty at school gates but it is up to parents to ensure adequate supervision and instructions to their own children when crossing roads on the way home. This includes roads close to the school such as Victorsen Parade and Waring Green. Your children will be supervised up to the school gate, but once they exit the school gate, parents then assume full responsibility for their journey home. For this reason, we strongly encourage you instruct your children exactly where and how you would like them to cross roads on the way home, including near the school.



God bless you

Sam Fontaine Principal

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)

4/5 SEPT	6 SEPTEMBER	7 SEPTEMBER	8 SEPTEMBER	9 SEPTEMBER	10 SEPTEMBER
Week 8 FATHER'S DAY		Crunch n Sip 10:15a.m. Staff Prayer Playgroup		Year 4 Excursion WA Museum	Confirmation Rehearsals 9:00am Church Confirmation Year 6 Reconciliations
		8:30 -10:30 Hall Staff Meeting			10:00am Church
11/12 SEPT Week 9	13 SEPTEMBER	14 SEPTEMBER	15 SEPTEMBER	16 SEPTEMBER	17 SEPTEMBER
Week 9	Performing Arts Festival Concert – Perth Concert Hall	Staff Prayer Playgroup 8:30 -10:30 Hall	Finance Meeting Advisory Council Meeting	School Athletics Carnival Track & Tabloids	School Athletics Carnival 800m and Field Events
		Staff Meeting		EVENTS CHANGED	Junior Tabloids Sports afternoon EVENTS
		ST ANDREW'S CONFIRMATION Tuesday 14 th September @ 6:00pm			CHANGED
18/19 SEPT	20 SEPTEMBER	21 SEPTEMBER	22 SEPTEMBER	23 SEPTEMBER	24 SEPTEMBER
Week 10	School Athletics Back Up Date	Staff Prayer			MJR Assembly
		Playgroup 8:30 -10:30 Hall			LAST DAY OF TERM
		Open Night / Book Fair 3:00 -5:00pm Festivities Conclude 5:00pm No staff meeting			Free Dress Theme – Sports Donation for Catholic Missions: Gold Coin.





HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO CHLOE S, LUCA P, AMELIA C, KOBY A, LILLIANI M, RACHEL H, JONATHAN W, CHLOE B AND SKYE F



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

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FATHER'S DAY RAFFLE

Mrs Champion

A big thank you to everyone who bought raffle tickets for our Father's Day raffle last Friday and congratulations to all of our winners!

Sean 3B



Kaiden KW	Ethan 3W	Eireann 4B	Logan 3W
Reef KB	Hope 4B	Molly 2W	Elly 3B
Jonah PPW	Sienna 3B	Thomas 6B	Ella 4W
Emily PPB	Lachlan 3W	Judd PPB	Bryer 4B
Layla 1W	Elijah 2B	Sean 1B	Caleb 5W
Jane 1B	Dafney 1W	Talia 5B	Chloe 5B
Peyton 2W	Scarlet 6W	Aaron 6B	Simon 6W
Teddy 2B	Vivienne 5W	Chase 3B	Izabella 6B
Mrs Campbell	Liam 5W	Elen 4B	
Mrs Parata	Irene 5B	Sophie 3B	

We would like to extend a huge thank you to all the local businesses and school families that very kindly donated prizes towards our raffle!

The Pelc Family
A&S Canzirri and Sons
Greenstar Hot Water and Heating
Premier Martial Arts
Latitude
Joondalup Sports Association
Lorraine Lea
Wisteria's Edge
On the Border Mexican grill, Mindarie

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



PARISH NEWS



For all parish information please follow the following link.

clarkson.perthcatholic.org.au

COMMUNITY NEWS

Do not forget to check out the <u>St Andrew's School Face Book Page</u>. Many events and great photos are available here for viewing.

https://www.facebook.com/standrewscps/



Western Australian
Junior Cricket Club of the Year
J017/18 and 2018/19







National Winner Community Cricket Club of the Year 2018/19

REGISTRATIONS ARE OPEN!

It's that time of year already! Winter is nearly over and it's time to register for cricket! At Quinns Rocks Junior Cricket Club, we welcome children of all ages and cater for both boys and girls.

	Competition Name	Age Group	Game time
	Junior Blast	5 – 7 (PP to Year 1)	1 hour
BLASI	Master Blast	7 – 8 (Year 2 to Year 3)	1.5 hours
	Star Blast	5 – 11 (PP to Year 6)	1 hour
	Girls U11's	8 – 10 (Year 3 to Year 5)	2 hours 2 hours
GIRLS CRICKET LEAGUE	Girls U13's	11 – 12 (Year 6 to Year 7)	
ELAGOE	Girls U15's	13 – 14 (Year 8 to Year 9)	2.5 hours
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2 -2	Junior 2 (U12)	11 (Year 6)	2.5 hours
9	Junior Cricket	12 – 16 (Year 7 to Year 11)	Varies
I reminist 💠	Youth Integrated Cricket League	12 – 17 (Year 7 to Year 12)	1 – 1.5 hours

So get all your friends together and join in on the excitement of playing cricket at Quinns. Simply go to www.play.cricket.com.au to register.

For more information on fees, uniforms, team formats and everything else you need to know about playing cricket at Quinns, please visit our website www.grjcc.com.au

Registrations close on 31st August 2021, so don't wait or you'll miss out as teams fill up fast!

We look forward to seeing you soon!

Jade McMillan REGISTRAR grjcc.registrar@gmail.com

QUINN'S MINDARIE SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB

Quinn's Mindarie Surf Life Saving Club is holding its New Member Registration Day on Saturday the 11th September.

Woodside Nippers is open to all children from 5-13yrs*, and our Youth program caters for the 14 and overs. (*must turn 5 before 30th September)

Our Nippers program is a great way for kids to make new friends, develop vital surf skills, and grow a lifetime connection to the surf. If you want your child to be part of a fun, active community then come and join us

The skills taught at Nippers builds kids confidence in and around the water. Set your kids up with skills for life.

With activities and memberships for all ages, including adults, QMSLSC has something for everyone.

We have a year-round calendar of social events, and our bar area offers some fantastic sundowners on a Friday evening during summer!

For more information about the club, check us out at www.qmslsc.com.au

QMSLSC Registration Day:

Saturday 11th September 2021 10am-2pm

Quinn's Mindarie Surf Club - Bar area (downstairs)

