FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2014

A message from Mr Pardini...

First Holy Communion
As a Parish and school community we gathered last week for First Holy Communion at the Feast of Corpus Christi. A lot of preparation and time went into to many facets of the Mass and celebration afterwards. I would like to thank Miss Pedulla who ensured all the preparation was carefully tied together. The morning was probably one of the most ‘seamless’ celebrations I have been involved in.

The celebration following mass was lovely and thank you to all our families who assisted by providing a plate of ‘yummy’ sweets to eat! Well done Jodie Omodei and her band of helpers for taking care of this part of the day. Congratulations to Daniel, Kieran, Ana, Sophia and Chiara on making this next step in your faith journey. You did a great job!

Primary Winter Sports Carnival
Training for our winter sports carnival will commence this coming Monday. We are still looking for any volunteers to coach our hockey and soccer teams. All parents should have received the permission slip regarding walking/driving down to training sessions. If you have not returned this yet, please do so by Monday 30 June. Thank you.

A reminder the carnival will be held in Pemberton on Friday 22 August.

Stationery items
As we approach the half way mark of the year, now is a good time to check in with your child (or their teacher) about any stationery items you may need to purchase so your child can begin Term 3 with fresh supplies.

K/P/1 Assembly
The K/P/1 class are looking forward to presenting their assembly to you all next Thursday 3 July. Assembly will commence at 9.00am.

Options 2014
Thank you for returning your child’s Options slips in a timely fashion. We will endeavour to sort out the preferences as soon as possible and create our option groups.

Last day of Term 2
A reminder that the final day of term 2 is Friday 4 July. School will commence for all students on Tuesday 22 July.

PDHS Centenary Ball
If any of our families would like a great night out over the coming holidays, please see the advertisement overleaf regarding the PDHS 100th year Gala Ball. As a community school this would be a great opportunity for us all to show support of our fellow Pemberton school. Why not get a table together and kick your heels up? I will be looking from someone to ‘churn up the dance floor’ with me!

Enjoy the weekend everyone!

Carlo Pardini
Principal

WHAT’S COMING UP?
Thurs 3 July K/P/1 Assembly
Fri 4 July Final day of Term 2
Tues 22 July First day of Term 3
Sat 26 July PDHS 100th Ball
Classroom news...

**K/P/1**

This week we have continued with our community theme. We have learnt about how the doctor can help us and have imagined how we could help our friends if we were a doctor. On Friday the Ambulance will be visiting us at 1.30pm. The Kindy class are most welcome to come in and join us as we learn the very important role of our volunteer ambulance officers.

We look forward to seeing you at our assembly next Thursday. We have already started practising hard!!

**2/3**

We have been making a HUGE effort to investigate aspects of the Making Jesus Real program and indentifying ways we can do more in our class to make Jesus real. We have discussed Teamwork at School (or TAS as we like to call it) and we are implementing lots of strategies to showcase or TAS skills! Miss Roper has introduced a wonderful challenge every morning called "Word of the Day". A new word is displayed on the board and we have to research what it means and to put it in a sentence to show we know what it means. The dictionaries and the iPads in the class have become our new best friends to help us with this challenge. It is so good Mrs Tempra thinks she will continue with it next term - THANKS Miss Roper!

**4/5**

Congratulations to Daniel, Kieran and Sophia on your First Holy Communion. It was a beautiful morning topped off with a fantastic spread of food for lunch. Thank you to all those that helped with the event. Without your help, none of it would have been possible.

In class we have just about finished reading Misery Guts. This story has taken us all the way from London to Queensland. However, while reading Misery Guts we are realising just how many dangerous animals there are in Australia. Over the next week we will be researching dangerous Australian animals and creating fact filled posters.

Lastly, if you haven't done so already can you please return your students permission slip for our trip to Bunbury. Thank you.

**6/7**

A very short and sweet note this week! The class is excited about a number of things coming up....excursion to Bunbury, Winter sports carnival and options. Please don't forget to send in your forms pertaining to all these events. Thank you!

**Sport**

Over the last few weeks students have been doing a variety of activities in PE lessons with a focus on teamwork. I have been pleased by the improvement students have shown.

K/Pp/1 class activities are focused on students developing their ‘space finding’ to be aware of others and improving balance and coordination skills. 2/3 class activities are aimed at improving teamwork and strategies needed to be successful team player.

4/5 class activities are focused on encouraging teamwork and thoughtful ‘thinking’ where to place the ball when batting to get maximum results.

6/7 class are learning to play lacrosse. They have been developing their catching and passing skills. There have been some very close games played during sport. Their skills have improved each week.

*Great works are performed not by strength, but by perseverance.*

*Samuel Johnson*
Office Hours:
The office will be open Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday next week.

CANTEEN ROSTER
July 1    Kelly Cabassi & Jodie Omodei (May)
July 22   Anne Falcinella & Lara Veseta

ALTAR SERVERS
June 27   Nick
July 6    Jack

28 June   Oscar Omodei
29 June   Jack Cabassi
30 June   Jeremiah Chamoun
3 July    Charli Omodei
3 July    Madison Little
3 July    Kiara Little

Parents,

HELP OUR SCHOOL WIN CASH

The West Australian is giving schools the chance to WIN part of $10 000 cash in the Quick Cash for Schools promotion.

On Saturday 21st & 28th a coupon will be published in The Weekend West and each coupon collected will give our school an entry into the draw to win part of $10 000.

THE MORE COUPONS COLLECTED THE MORE CHANCES TO WIN!

Please collect as many of these coupons as you can from your friends and family and bring them into school to our front office.

Southerners Junior Football Club

There will be no Players Tea tonight.

3 July
Robert ‘Dipper’ Dipierdomenico will be attending junior & senior training. There will be a players tea afterwards where ‘Dipper will provide the entertainment

We are playing Tigers in Manjimup this Saturday 28 June.
Normal game times.
Good Luck & See you there!!

MANJIMUP DENTAL THERAPY VAN WILL BE CLOSED:

FROM: Monday 23rd June 2014
UNTIL: INCLUSIVE: Friday 18th July 2014

If your child requires emergency dental treatment please contact: West Busselton Dental Therapy Centre for emergency advice.

Phone: 9754 4460
Opening Hours: 8:15 am until 4:30 pm
Pemberton District High School

Centenary Ball

Date: Saturday 26th July 2014
Time: 6.30pm 'til late
Venue: Pemberton Community Centre
*Licensed event- over 18 Years only

Tickets available !!!

Tickets $75.00 each

Live Entertainment!
Royal Australian Navy Band performing!

Tickets available from:
Pemberton District High School
97761544 or
leanne.roche@education.wa.edu.au