Dear Parents

Meeting

Don’t forget… Our meeting on Tuesday 17th May.

100s Club – Payment now due!

Thank you to all the families who have purchased tickets. It is now time to all money owing. Monies can be sent into the school office or payment can be made directly into the P&F account:

BSB: 086 006
ACC: 8485 58925

The first draw is to be held on Tuesday 17th May so it would be appreciated if all payments could be received before this date.

Thank you

The P&F Executive Committee

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From Rose’s desk…

Office hours this coming week is…

Monday and Thursday.

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Canteen corner!

Tuesday 17th May: Marilou Fox & Jasmin Genegobis

Tuesday 24th May: Paula Della Franca & Laura Bendotti

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Did you know you don’t need to be a registered charity in order to apply for a standard lottery permit?

You are invited to attend a free Charitable Status Workshop facilitated by the Dept. of Racing, Gaming & Liquor. This workshop is ideal for anyone who is involved with a club, charitable group, community based organisation or sporting body. The workshop will provide you with understanding of the community gaming laws in Western Australia in respect to raising funds through the conduct of a gaming activity. The presentation is for two hours and participants are encouraged to ask as many questions as you like.

Date: Wednesday 25th May 2016, Pemberton Sports Club, Club Road Pemberton

Time: 6:00pm - 8:00pm refreshments provided

RSVP: Sharon Wilkinson, Community Development Officer
via Sharon.wilkinson@manjimup.wa.gov.au or call 9771 1757 x 1
0427 479 125

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY

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K/Pp/Yr1

This week the class has been exploring healthy and unhealthy food.

We discussed that although we love certain foods like chocolate we should only eat them now and then!

The children have taken home a meal diary to complete over the week which they will share with their peers next Tuesday. Today, the class is looking forward to doing some healthy cooking during learning centres this afternoon. Please remember to pack a jumper for your child now the weather is changing, and ensure your Year One child is wearing the correct uniform according to our uniform policy.

Have a good week!

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Yr 2/3

A massive congratulations and well done must go to the Year Threes; Peter, Gaia, Zye, Sienna, Elyssa, Samuel and Kayne as they put on their determined faces and completed the required NAPLAN testing. It is always a bit daunting completing your first ones but they completed all that was asked of them and I couldn’t be more proud. This week has seen us study the character of Edward in the Australian classic book “Edward the Emu”. There are many adjectives we have used to describe him but flexible is by far our favourite!

We are getting very excited about our excursion on Monday - Ten Pin Bowling here we come! Not sure how many gutter guards we will be requiring but I am sure it is going to be great fun! Thank you to all the parents for returning the permission slips and payment so promptly.

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Sport

Practice for the Cross Country event on Friday 27th May is going very well.

The children are very enthusiastic and looking forward to taking part and competing against the students from the other schools in the district.

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Yr 4

This week we have been learning about what life was like in Britain in the late 1700’s and why convicts were sent from Britain to Australia. We have learned many interesting facts so far. Did you know that people were sentenced for 7 years for stealing just a loaf of bread!! Today we spent some time researching the convicts of the First Fleet to find out what crime they committed and their punishment. Very interesting indeed!! Today, the students who will be celebrating their First Holy Communion will bring home a note outlining an upcoming parent session about Holy Communion. Please take note of the time and date of this session as it is a time where we can talk about your child and their First Holy Communion. Hope you had a lovely Mother’s Day and wish you a wonderful weekend.

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Yr 5/6

The class is very excited to have reached a milestone target with Accelerated reading and this means we will be looking at a class excursion. We will put our thinking caps on and come up with an experience that the class can enjoy this term. Well done to the entire class for working so well at reading ‘blue dot’ books and ensuring personal bests are achieved in order to reach their goals.

Very soon our class will begin working on ‘public speaking’ and looking at how to use our voices to persuade an audience!

Have a great weekend!
**COMMUNITY**

**Mental Health Forum**

To provide information and answer questions on

PREVENTING MENTAL HEALTH PROBLEMS

- Anxiety - Depression - Eating disorders - Dementia

There will be support groups attending (from 8:30pm)

Manjimup Town Hall 37-39 Rose St, Manjimup

Thursday, June 2, 2016

7:00pm-9:30pm

Your family and friends are most welcome.

Admission is free - tea and coffee provided.

For more info. Please call Alex 0428772349

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**COMMUNITY**

**Sisters of St Joseph of the Sacred Heart**

Listening - Heartbeat - World

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**SESQuicentenary Events**

In Western Australia

2016 ... Celebrating 150 years

We invite you all to join us in thanking God for His mercy and love to us all.

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**Decorate Your Letter Box**

Be involved in the Unearthed Festival

1ST PRIZE $100 CASH

Encouragement Prize $50 Cash

Sponsored by the Pemberton Post Office.

Judged by Nathan (the Postie) Lovelle

Unearthed runs from 30th April to 15th May

Letter boxes will be judged on 13th May and winners announced on 15th May.

First prize can only be won by a letter box that meets the Australia Post standard (Between 900-1200mm above ground, easily accessed by postie, able to fit a normal size envelope without bending, safe to access).

Encouragement prize can be won by anyone.

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**PBS (Positive Behaviour)**

We are still progressing well with our whole school program centered around our goals of:

- Respect
- Compassion
- Safety
- Responsibility

As a school we have looked at in-class and whole school ways to recognise and celebrate positive behaviour when we follow the school rules. This term we will be working to develop the next phase which is consequences.

This is not the focus of PBS as we want everyone to feel the positive effects of a whole school approach, however we need to know that every child is supported through a clear set of consequences which are articulated to everyone. As parents, you will all be made aware of our consequences through regular updates.

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**Parish Vision Statement**

Please take some time to read the Parish vision statement. If you have any feedback you may email the Parish on sacredheartpemb@live.com.au

The Pemberton Sacred Heart Parish gathers, as a faithful people to bring peace, hope and love through the Eucharist and the Living Word, so that we may be evermore the visible face of our invisible God.

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**Uniform**

There are a number of variations of the sports uniform coming to school. Please note, from Year 1 to Year 6 all students need to wear black air flow shorts or micro-fibre tracksuit pants which are available for sale in our uniform shop. Leggings are not part of the uniform.

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**Casuals for Catholics Day**

Please don’t forget, tomorrow is casual dress day to raise money for St John of God Hospital Bunbury. A gold coin brought to school tomorrow will be greatly appreciated. Make sure you dress in warm clothes!!!

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**First Holy Communion**

The P&F are calling on the support of all families this year to assist with morning tea following First Holy Communion Mass (Sunday 29 May at 8.30am). Please see the attached letter to see how you can help.

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**Cross Country**

This event is fast approaching. More information to all families closer to the actual day which is held at East Manjimup Primary School on Friday 27 May.

Have a great weekend,

Carlo Pardini

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**February Events**

- Fri 13th May: Casuals for Catholics Day
- Mon 16th May: Year 2/3 Excursion to Bunbury!