

## K/P/1

It has been a magical week in the class, with our Faraway Tree in full bloom. The children have completed some fantastic writing about what the forest and some of the characters the children have met from the book. In maths we are starting to investigate 2D and 3D shapes. Did you know a diamond's correct name is a rhombus! Have a good week!



**Altar Servers**  
Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> Aug  
Jeremiah

## Yr 2/3

This week we have commenced reading Charlotte's Web and following how the friendship is developing between Wilber and Charlotte.

It has been very interesting and we are looking forward to seeing what happens next!  
Have a lovely weekend.

## Sport

Parent are very welcome to come along and cheer the children at tomorrow's primary winter sports carnival. Times for games were sent home with child earlier in the week.

**Note – the venues for the hockey and netball have changed:**

**Hockey – PDHS**

**Netball – Sports Club**

## What's happening in the classrooms?

### Yr 4

I hope everyone has recovered and unpacked from camp last week. It is fair to say the students had a wonderful time. This week we have begun our assembly practise but YIKES! We can't believe it is only next week. During Cars and Stars we have been learning about idioms, so I think I should say 'I better crack that whip out'.

I think the students will be looking towards the end of next week as it is definitely jam packed full at the moment, even I feel like my 'head is in a spin'.

Make sure to ask your child what similes, metaphors and idioms are. It would be interesting to see who can remember from our lesson yesterday.

Good luck to all teams in tomorrow's carnival. Fingers crossed we get lucky with the weather!!

### Yr 5/6

The class has worked very hard to prepare for the winter sports carnival tomorrow. It has been really pleasing to see support for the younger students coming through at the training sessions.

Please don't forget to return your child's assessment book as soon as possible so we can add to it by the end of this term.

In class the students have been focused on writing a review. We have come up with our top five parts to include and in the coming weeks, we will be writing some different reviews.

See you tomorrow at the carnival!

## Canteen corner!

**Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> August:**

Kai Flanders & Amanda Keough

**Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> September:**

Leonie Brown & Jasmin Genegobis

## P&F NEWS

### Fundraising

Thank you to all the parents who have volunteered their time this Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> August at the Footy Finals to man the gates.

**7.30-9.30am:** Troy Della Franca  
9.30-11.30am Vanessa Roche & Coralie Love

**11.30am to 1.30pm:** Gary Bendotti & Brad Ellis

**1.30-3.00pm:** Greg Kelly  
Your support is very much appreciated.

### Snack Pack Fundraiser

Thank you to parents who have returned their payment. There are still a few packs available for purchase from the school office. Payment for the Snack Packs, \$24 is due in no later than 16<sup>th</sup> September. Thank you for cooperation.

### Reminder

There is still a small number of families who have not paid for the 'living' herb tins. Please send in your payment ASAP.

### P&F Executive

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Toby Ebsary -  
Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> August

# MJR

## From Rose's desk....

The office will be attended on Friday, Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday.

### Educational Experience Fundraiser

Last week each family received a catalogue. St Joseph's School will receive 20% of all orders submitted. Please return all orders to the school office by Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> September.

### VacSwim

**Enrol now for VacSwim October school holiday swimming lessons.**

It is important for every child to learn to swim properly and develop essential water safety skills. VacSwim October school holiday swimming lessons are run by instructors who teach children the skills to be confident swimmers and safe in the water. To enrol or find out more visit [education.wa.edu.au/swimming](http://education.wa.edu.au/swimming).

**Enrolments close on Monday 29 August.**

Congratulations to the following students who received MJR awards last week for their compassion skills. We look forward to seeing who Joseph the Bear will be going home with at next week's assembly.

**Neva Kelly** for showing compassion to her friends and identifying when others show compassion too.

**William Beck** for always knowing how to avoid 'EASTie' behaviour and trying hard to always think of others!

**Xander Omodei** for showing an understanding of how we can show compassion to all those around us, not just towards our friends. I hope to see you working towards being compassionate in all that you do.

**Josh Ellis** for his friendly and fair manner both in the playground and in the class. Josh is mature and generous he is such a great person to be around and sets a wonderful example.

# Around the COMMUNITY



**BINGO Night**  
 Friday 26<sup>th</sup> August  
 St Joseph's Parish Centre  
 Moore Street  
 \$15 per person  
**WIN PRIZES**  
 Super Silent Auction  
 Licenced bar  
 BYO supper  
 Tea and coffee  
 Cash prizes  
 Doors open at 6.30pm  
 'Eyes down' at 7pm  
 Join us to support St Joseph's Church, Manjimup  
 Call Tracy on 97712873  
 to book your table of 8!



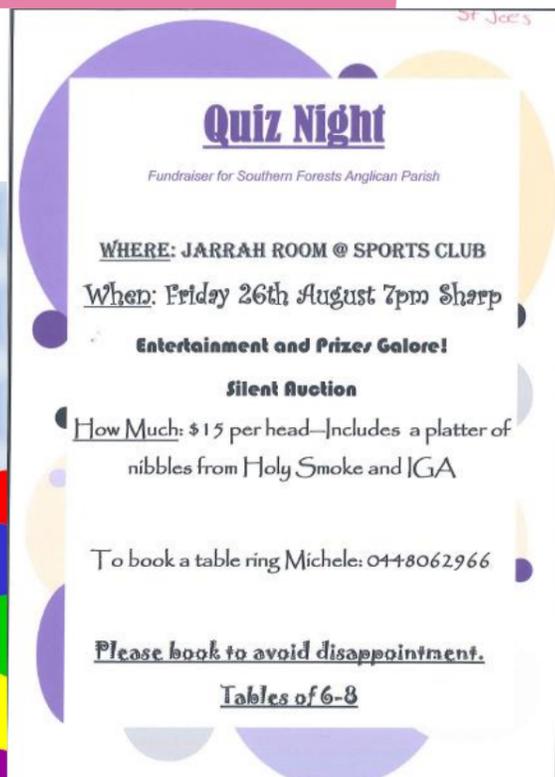
## Annual General Meeting

The soccer season is quickly coming upon us with the first game scheduled to be played at home on Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> September.

For the season to go ahead we need numbers at the AGM and those willing to coach and be on the committee.

For a successful season please attend at **6pm** next **Monday 29<sup>th</sup> August** at the **Pemberton Sports Club**.

Sheree Starling-Lee  
 President  
 Southern Strikers Soccer Club



**Quiz Night**  
 Fundraiser for Southern Forests Anglican Parish  
**WHERE: JARRAH ROOM @ SPORTS CLUB**  
**When: Friday 26<sup>th</sup> August 7pm Sharp**  
**Entertainment and Prizes Galore!**  
**Silent Auction**  
**How Much: \$15 per head—Includes a platter of nibbles from Holy Smoke and IGA**  
 To book a table ring Michele: 0448062966  
**Please book to avoid disappointment.**  
**Tables of 6-8**



### Happy Fathers Day

Spoil Dad this Father's Day at the Pemberton Sports Club  
 Club opens at 4pm Lots of Fun to be had by all  
 Free Bouncy Castle from 4pm  
 Photo Props & Games to play the night away  
 Win Dad an Esky with our door prize  
 Sit back & relax listening to [Latehorse](#) from 4:30pm  
 Wine Tasting & Bar Specials available on the night  
 Conditions Apply (08)97761066  
 Robyn's Kitchen will be open from 5pm  
 Full Menu or treat Dad to a Roast \$20  
 Book your table with Robyn's Kitchen  
 0419927701



**PEMBERTON SPORTS CLUB**  
**SUNDAY 4<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2016**

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Thursday 25th August 2016

Coming events

**Thurs 25th Aug**  
**Spellademic**

**Fri 26<sup>th</sup> Aug**  
**Primary Winter Sports Carnival**

**Wed 31<sup>st</sup> Aug**  
**EARLY CLOSE**  
**2.40pm**

**Thurs 1<sup>st</sup> Sept**  
**Father's Day**  
**Breakfast 8am**




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**Dress up day is on the last day of term – Friday 22 September!**

**Breakfast Club with our Dads – Thur 1 Sep**

### The 'Brilliant' Dawn

I spoke with Terri this week and the latest update from Perth is again positive with Dawn remaining in very good spirits and still seeing specialists for her right eye. We continue to keep Dawn and her entire family in our prayers as I am sure they have many more months of recovery ahead. Terri was again so appreciative of all the support of our school community and I would once again like to thank everyone for the unity and care you have shown towards one of our own. In the meantime, don't forget the Parish is coordinating a welcome home pack for the family. Any items may be dropped into the front office.

### Bon Voyage

At the end of this week we say Bon Voyage to Mrs Moyle for the remainder of the term. Rose will be taking long service leave with Mr Moyle and travelling to Belgium, Germany and Italy. Safe travels Rose. We welcome Lisa Ebsary as the face of our front office in Rose's absence.

### Uniform update

At our recent P&F meeting it was decided to embark on two changes to our uniform for 2017.

#### Blue shirts

We will phase out the long sleeve shirts (and deplete our reserves) and only reorder the short sleeve shirts. It will become part of our policy that children are to wear short sleeve shirts in winter. Hopefully for those families who have purchased long sleeve shirts this year, you are comfortable knowing that with any 'phase out' period, we will accept both short and long sleeve.

#### Boys' socks

Currently boys are required to wear dark blue socks in winter. Although we have these in stock, they are not as common as grey socks therefore we will move to this for 2017. The committee agreed this may also aid the transition to Kearnan with graduating boys able to wear grey socks in middle school. Thank you to those families who contacted the school to offer feedback.

### Spellademic

Congratulations to our team of intrepid spellers who represented

our school today - Gaia Kelly, Xander Omodei, Charli Windberg, Josie Love and Kate Thexton

### PWSC

Please note there has been a change of venues:

- Hockey – PDHS courts
- Netball – Sports club
- Soccer – PDHS oval

### Breakfast Club

The P&F are organising a morning to remember on Thursday 1 September. At 8am all children are encouraged to come to school on this day and enjoy breakfast with their Dads. Included in this newsletter is a list of the food the committee will be making. Although this is not an order form, we would ask you to return this to school for catering purposes.

### Book week – dress up day

We are breaking from tradition and hosting dress up day (celebrating the wonderful joy books bring us) as the final day of this term. So, start thinking about a book character to come dressed in on Friday 22 September.

Enjoy the beautiful sunshine today!  
 Carlo Pardini