

## 2019 Edition No 16 - Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> November

Dear Parents, Carers and Students,

*Be my protector, O God,  
a mighty stronghold to save me.  
For you are my rock, my stronghold!  
Lead me, guide me, for the sake of your name. Amen*

### CANTEEN SPECIAL



We have several packets of frozen chicken nuggets in the canteen freezer so .... we are having a Friday special until sold out!

4 chicken nuggets + juice box	\$2
8 chicken nuggets + juice box	\$3
Salad cup	\$1



Grab your eye-patches and parrots, it's

# Pirate Day

## 2019!!

## November 22



We didn't forget Pirate Day – we just postponed it to a later date. So rummage through the dress-up chest and pull out the pirate costumes.

No lap-a-thon this year – instead please bring a gold coin donation for the Archbishop's Christmas LifeLink appeal.

Special pirate lunch orders that were sent home yesterday need to be in to the canteen by next Tuesday, November 19.

### Important Dates



## November

### Wed Nov 13

- Yr 3 Excursion - Scitech

### Thur Nov 14 & Fri Nov 15

- CMSHS Transition Days - Yr6

### Wed Nov 20

- Kindy 2020 Orientation Day  
9-11am

### Fri Nov 22

- Senior Room Assembly
- Dress Like A Pirate Day

### Mon Nov 25 & Wed 27

- Bookfair
- PP Excursion - Woolworths

### Wed Nov 27

- Kindy Super Starters 9-11am

### Thur Nov 28

- School Board and P&F AGM  
7pm in School Library

## December

### Wed Dec 2

- Kindy Super Starters 9-11am

### Fri Dec 6

- Awards Night at MPAC

### Tue Dec 10

- Year 6 Graduation Dinner

### Thur Dec 12

- Reports available at Office  
from 2.30pm

- P&F Movie Night

### Fri Dec 13

- Whole School Mass 9am
- LAST DAY OF SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS

### St John the Baptist Parish

Moora

### Weekend Masses:

1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Saturday 6.30pm  
4<sup>th</sup> Sunday 10.30am

### Mass this weekend –

**Saturday, 6.30pm**

### Weekday Masses:

Wednesday - 5.30pm

Friday - 8am

## 2020 ENROLMENTS

We are currently in the process of planning for 2020. If your child (other than current Year 6s) will be leaving our school at the end of the year, please let the office know as soon as possible.

If you know of any families who might be interested in enrolling their children at St Joseph's, please ask them to begin this process by completing an enrolment form that can be collected, or posted, from the front office.

## SCHOOL FEES

All fees should have been paid in full by the end of Term 3 so by this time of the year, everyone should have almost finished paying off their fees if paying by installment. If this is not the case and you are experiencing problems meeting your school fees payments, please make an appointment with our Bursar Natasha Butcher to work out a payment plan. Overdue Notices will be sent out soon for those who have not made arrangements with the us. Non-payment of school fees may result in referral to a debt collection agency.

## SCHOOL SOCIAL MEDIA PAGES

A reminder to parents and carers that the school has a private Facebook Group, and also a public page for updating the community on the good work going on at St Joseph's. Our Social Media pages are a good way to keep up to date with what is going on in the school. Don't forget that with Facebook algorithms you will need to like some of our posts so they will appear in your news feed.

**Facebook:** <https://www.facebook.com/stjosephsschoolmoora/>

**Twitter:** <https://twitter.com/StJosephsSchoo5?lang=en>

**Instagram:** <https://www.instagram.com/stjosephsschoolmoora/?hl=en>

*God bless,*

*Therese Bandy  
Principal*

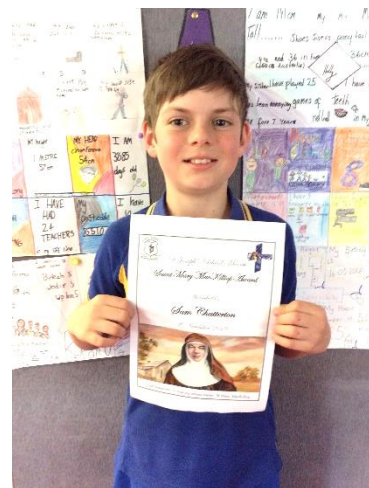


## *Gospel Gold*



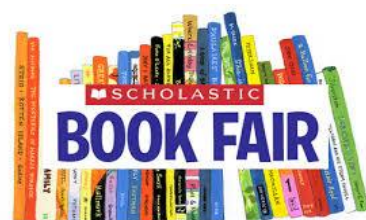
Gospel Gold is a new school initiative. Students are awarded Gospel Gold Certificates for displaying Gospel Values in class and in the playground with peers and staff. These certificates are stored in the Gospel Gold box as entries to be drawn for the Mary MacKillop Award. Each Friday, one student's Gospel Gold certificate is drawn out and awarded the Mary MacKillop Award to recognise their outstanding achievement. Mary MacKillop Award recipients' photos are displayed in the front office and undercover area for all to see.

Gospel Gold Mary MacKillop Award recipients for the past fortnight are Sam Chatterton and Rachael Farley. Congratulations Sam and Rachael!



## BOOK FAIR

Our Christmas Book Fair is on later this month, **Monday, 25th November** from 8am-3.30pm and **Wednesday, 27th November**. This is a great opportunity for parents to come in and select books for Christmas presents.





## Remembrance Day

A Remembrance Day Service was held at the School on Monday to commemorate those soldiers who died fighting to protect the nation. We were lucky enough to have three special guests join us to mark the occasion. Mr Colin Headland, who did our “Welcome to Country” and was wearing his Father’s medals, Mrs Michelle Toia, who served 7 years in the regular Army and 3 years in the Army Reserves and Mrs Emma Spong, who served 3 years in the Army Reserves including a 6-month stint served overseas in Papua New Guinea.

Our Head Girl and Head Boy, Hannah and Lachlan, also joined Mrs Bandy at the town Remembrance Service conducted by the RSL where they laid a wreath on behalf of our St Joseph’s community.





# *What's been happening in Pre-Primary?*

The Pre-Primary students have been busy this term exploring big and little. Students have been researching the different mini-beasts they have found living in the vegetable garden as well as enjoying eating scrumptious carrots and other produce they have grown. Students are currently learning to retell the story "The Three Billy Goats Gruff" using a wide range of actions and expressions. They have created artwork on the trolls they imagined to be living under the bridge.








# St Joseph's School Choir Concert

Family and friends please join us to celebrate the hard work and dedication of our choir students.

Monday 25<sup>th</sup> of November 2019  
Beginning at 4.30pm  
In the St Joseph's School Hall

Afternoon tea will be available for purchase  
Tea and coffee provided



## *P&F News*

### **MOVIE NIGHT**

On Thursday, 12<sup>th</sup> December we will be holding an end of year movie night to celebrate the end of term. As it will be just before Christmas, we have decided to screen the Christmas classic Home Alone! This event will be open to pupils of St Joseph's and their parent/carer and will be free to enter. A movie meal deal will be available to purchase for this event – details will be available closer to the time.

### **UNIFORM SHOP**

The uniform shop will not be open again this year, we will be open in the week before school starts in 2020 for all your new term/growth spurt needs. However, if you need uniform you can still call into the office and leave a completed form in and we will fill the order ASAP.

### **P&F MEETING**

It was wonderful to see some new faces at our wine and cheese night on 21<sup>st</sup> October, please remember that you are always more than welcome to join us for a meeting! Our next meeting will be Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> December at 7pm in the staff room.



## Community News

### CENTRAL MIDLANDS SHS SCHOOL COUNCIL PUBLIC MEETING

When: 02 December 2019, 4.45 pm.

Where: CMSHS Library

Everyone welcome. This is a fabulous opportunity for new parents in 2020 to meet School Council members, the School Principal and other members of the Central Midlands SHS Community.



Moora Police along with Rotary Moora are supporting the Charity of **Share the Dignity #itsinthebag**

Donate a handbag with ladies personal items then these are to make life better for a women or girl experiencing homelessness, poverty, women at risk, women experiencing domestic violence. First of all, choose a handbag in good condition that you no longer use. Then, fill it with items that would make a woman feel special. Ask yourself what would a homeless woman need? Chances are, she needs the same personal care and sanitary items you do. Your handbag can be packed full of useful things and little luxuries. Especially relevant items are those little things you need every day, from your toothbrush to your hairbrush. Because nobody should go without life's little essentials!

There are drop off points at the Police Station, Moora CRC and post office from Friday November 22<sup>nd</sup> to

## VACSWIM 2019/2020

Enrol your children now in VacSwim swimming lessons during the December/January school holidays.

With swimming pools and beaches a part of the Western Australian lifestyle, ensuring your children can swim competently and safely is a must for all families.

Your children can learn to swim for just:

- \$16 per child for a five day short program
- \$30 per child for all other programs.

Visit [education.wa.edu.au/swimming](http://education.wa.edu.au/swimming) or call 9402 6412.



### Junior Tennis Coaching

**Starts Friday the 1/11/19**

**PP - year 7**

**Times TBC once we know numbers**

**\$50 per person**

**\$25 if MDTC member**

**Please register child name and age to**

**Melissa Cameron 0458696916**

**Club Membership**

**\$160 family membership**

**\$100 Single parent family membership**

**\$80 Single membership**

**Pay cash or EFT**

**Moora District Tennis Club 306-023 0144551**





# CENTRE FOR FAITH ENRICHMENT TERM 4, 2019

# COURSES & EVENTS

## EVENING COURSES

Tuesdays, 19 November – 3 December • 7:30pm – 9:00pm

### Advent 2019: Christ and the Future of our Life

Advent time comes to question our expectations for the future of our life. Are we afraid of what our existence will face? Is Jesus Christ the person we are waiting for? Join us as we explore how the teachings of the Church help us to see the great things that God has prepared for us.

*CEWA Ongoing Renewal: this course has been approved for **Knowledge***

Cost: 3 sessions,  
suggested donation \$15

With: Mr Paolo Sala

Location: Kelmscott Parish  
(42 Strelch Avenue, Kelmscott)

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Thursdays, 14 November – 5 December • 7:00pm – 9:00pm

### Advent 2019 – Making our hearts, homes and community ready for Christ



Cost: 4 sessions, suggested donation \$20

With: Mr Derek Boylen

Location: Ellenbrook Parish (cnr. Coolamon  
Drive and Strathmore Parkway, Ellenbrook)

Advent calls us to remember that the truth of the Incarnation was so profound that the early Church fell to her knees at these words: "and He was incarnate by the Holy Spirit, from the virgin Mary, and became man." In the ordinary form of the Roman Rite, each week, we bow to these same words. These gestures acknowledge the profound mystery of the truth of the Incarnation. How does the infinite enter the finite? How does He, whom the very heavens cannot contain, enter the womb of Mary? These talks call us to embrace Advent as a special time for preparing our hearts, homes and communities to receive Christ.

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## EVENTS

### Plenary Council 2020 Listening and Discernment Sessions

The second stage of the Plenary Council process invites us to continue to listen to what the Spirit is saying as we move from listening and dialogue into listening and discernment. Along with parishes in the Archdiocese of Perth, the Centre for Faith Enrichment will be hosting listening and discernment sessions as we discern how God is calling us to be a Christ centred Church that is: Missionary and evangelising; Inclusive, participatory and synodal; Prayerful and Eucharistic; Humble, healing and merciful; A joyful, hope-filled and servant community; Open to conversion renewal and reform. Join us on one or all the dates listed!

*CEWA Ongoing Renewal: this course has been approved for **Knowledge***

Location: Newman Siena Centre, Doubleview (Clune lecture Theatre)

For more information. For enquiries, contact us at [cfe@perthcatholic.org.au](mailto:cfe@perthcatholic.org.au).



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## SUMMER SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM

6 – 24 JAN 2020

#### FOR PRIMARY SCHOOL STUDENTS

DRAMA MINI-WAAPETTES  
MUSIC THEATRE MINI-WAAPETTES  
SCREEN ACTING WAAPETTES  
DRAMA WAAPETTES  
MUSIC THEATRE WAAPETTES

#### FOR SECONDARY SCHOOL STUDENTS

ACTING UP 1  
MUSIC THEATRE KICKSTARTER (JUNIOR)  
DANCE SQUAD  
THE SHAKESPEARE STUDIO  
JAZZ MUSIC SUMMER SCHOOL  
ACTING UP 2  
MUSIC THEATRE KICKSTARTER (SENIOR)

#### SUMMER FILM SCHOOL 2020

SCREEN PERFORMANCE (JUNIOR)  
SCREEN PERFORMANCE (SENIOR)  
MOVIE MAKING MAGIC!

