Term 1, Week 3
17th February 2017

St John the Apostle Primary School
Twilight Fete
Multicultural Carnevale

Friday
17 Feb 2017
4pm - 8pm
Come along & enjoy the fun!

United in love truth and courage.
Yesterday we celebrated opening mass with our school community. I was in the privileged position of being up the front of the church facing the congregation. It was a beautiful mass. The children were quiet, respectful and so well behaved but it was more than that. They were engaged in the mass. They sang, they responded and every child received communion or a blessing.

Mass is about celebrating as a community. It is our relationship with God and each other that makes us who we are at St John the Apostle. Yesterday, the children, staff and family members who attend, accepted the invitation to spend time with Jesus in the house of God.

GENERAL SCHOOL NEWS

Multicultural Carnivale Fete
The St John’s Multicultural Fete will be held this afternoon 4:00pm-8:00pm. All welcome. We would love to see you here.

Community Council Meeting
The Community Council AGM for 2017 will be held on Wednesday 22 February at 6:00pm. ALL parents are invited to attend this meeting. Positions will be filled at this meeting, including Chair, Deputy Chair, Treasurer and Secretary. Parents who wish to nominate for a position, or enquire about more information, can do so by writing to the Council on: CommunityCouncil.sjaps@cg.catholic.edu.au.

Swimming Carnival
The swimming carnival will be held on Monday 20 February at CISAC Aquatic Centre for Years 2-6. If your child is competing in the 50m, 100m butterfly or 200m IM events they need to be at the pool at 8.50am. The rest of the school will be transported by bus from school at 9:15am.
Class Awards

Presented at Assembly next Monday, 2.00pm

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Dates to Remember

- 17 Feb – Multicultural Carnevale Fete - 4:00-8:00pm
- 20 Feb – Swimming Carnival
- 21 Feb – Kinder and Family photos
- 22 Feb – Community Council Meeting
- 1st March – Ash Wednesday

Student Banking

Student banking is every Tuesday. Bank books will be sent to the front office for processing. The books will be returned to students within a few days.

Happy Birthday...

Happy Birthday to Yolanda G and Jarrah K who all had birthdays during the last week.

Raffle Tickets

Please return all raffle tickets (sold or unsold) and money to school now.

School Photos

Sibling envelopes are available from the front office.

Glass Jars Needed

Dear St. John’s Community – If you shop at ALDI and enjoy delicious desserts we need your help. Year 3 would like the glass jars that this dessert is sold in. Please send these jars to Year 3 or to the Front Office.

Thank You,

The Year 3 Team – Beth Curtis and Angela McDonald

Tuckshop News

We are in need of volunteers for our Tuckshop. The tuckshop operates Tuesday-Friday. If you are able to help please contact the front office. Any help would be greatly appreciated.

Weekly Notes & Forms

The following notes have gone home this week and are currently on the school website or as an e-form on Skoolbag.

- Netball note Yr 2 – 6
COMMUNITY NOTICES

The Journey THROUGH ADOLESCENCE

The Program is called The Resourceful Adolescent Program for Parents (RAP – P). This program is suitable for parents and carers of children attending primary school years 5 & 6 and secondary school students attending years 7—12.

RAP – P will help you:

- Help your teenager to develop a healthy self-esteem
- Help your teenager to gain independence while still feeling safe and part of the family
- Manage your stress so you can do your best job as a parent
- Prevent and manage conflict with you teenager
- Promote harmony in your family

The course is offered 3 hours per week over a 3 week period.

DATES: 20th March, 27th March & 3rd April
TIME: 6pm—9pm
VENUE: 57 Hicks Street, Red Hill
FEE: $80 (Concessions available)
Fee includes light supper & course materials

Bookings Essential
Contact
1800 068 698
2017 Dominican Art Exhibition
An Exhibition by Dominican Artists

ATF Press and
Australian Catholic University, Canberra Campus

Invites you to the Dominican Art Exhibition to be held at
Australian Catholic University
Room 300.G.23 ground floor of the Blackfriars Building
127 Phillip Ave
Watson

Saturday 25 February 11 am to 5 pm
Sunday 26 February 11 am to 5 pm
Enter via entrance on Phillip Avenue
$5 entry for catalogue of artists