St. Columba’s School Bayswater

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Be Allergy Aware!

Families are reminded that St. Columba’s is an Allergy-friendly school. Please DO NOT bring nuts or nut by-products onto the school grounds. Some of the foods to avoid are Muesli Bars with peanuts, Nutella products, peanut butter and any other foods containing traces of nuts.

Parish Priest: Fr Minh-Thuy
Almondbury Street, Bayswater
Phone: (08)9271 1414
parish@stcolsbays.bayswater.org.au

Parish Mass Times
Weekdays: 9.00 a.m.
Saturday—Vigil Mass 6.00 p.m.
Sunday—Mass 7.30 a.m. and 9.30 a.m.
Parish Youth Mass—Last Saturday of each month.

Term Dates: Mon 18 July—Wed 21 Sept
School Times: 8.30 a.m.—3.00 p.m.
Recess: 10.40 a.m.—11.00 a.m.
Lunch: 1.00 p.m.—1.40 p.m.

*PLEASE CHECK THE WEBSITE PLANNER FOR REGULAR UPDATES TO THE CALENDAR
**Out of School Hours Care (OSHC)**

For all enquiries and bookings please call Jess on 9208 2723, or email: oshc@stcolsbays.wa.edu.au

**Uniform Shop News**

The Uniform Shop will be open every Wednesday at 1.00pm to 2.30pm. Order forms can be found on the website. Orders can be paid for at the office, by cash/cheque/eftpos, and placed in the locked box just outside the office. Any orders that cannot be picked up from the uniform shop on Wednesday's, can be picked up on a Friday morning between 9.00am and 9.30am. **NO PURCHASES** can be made at this time. Orders cannot be left at the office for collection. You will be notified when the order is ready to be picked up.

As of Term 3, uniform shop prices have been revised. An updated order form/price list can be found on the website.

**P & F News**

**Save the Date**

Please put 28 October 2016 into your diaries. The P&F will be holding their annual fundraising night and this year we will be celebrating the 80’s (style, movies anything 80’s you have). The entertainment this year will be the band 80’s Inc. So save the date and start getting those outfits prepared.

**Next P&F Meeting**

The next P&F meeting will be held Tuesday 16 August. Hope to see you there.

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What’s New at the Uniform Shop

The uniform shop now have new sports polos available for purchase. The new polos have a coloured faction panel down the side. Please see pictures below. The new polos are not compulsory at the moment, however they will be fazed in over the next 12—18 months. Please note that there is a limit of one per student for the time being. White polos can still be worn until further notice.

*** The new sports polos are like the year 6 leavers polos without the writing on the back.
The staff would like to say a big ‘THANK YOU’ to the P&F for the following items that were able to be purchased from P&F funds:

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| Pre-Kindergarten | Little Architect building sets (x2)  
Wooden Car Wheel for dramatic play |
| Kindergarten Green & White | People of the World play set  
Large tray table and stand |
| ECE – Collectively | Blackboard set, crash mat, trampoline, water trolley |
| Year 1 Green | Combined: Literacy and Numeracy materials, mostly games |
| Year 1 White |  |
| Year 2 Green | Combined: Laminator, maths solving card, Maths manipulative resources, home readers, Maths Task Cards word problems, Magnetic Australian Money |
| Year 2 White |  |
| Year 3 Green | Grammar Box with activity cards, Hokki stools, numeracy games/activity cards, posters |
| Year 3 White | Books, Clock, Fractions on tiles, Maths box – task cards, Reading book tubs, Giant Magnetic MAB’s |
| Year 4 Green | Combined: Maths Resources, novels |
| Year 4 White |  |
| Year 5 | The Maths Box and Books from Crow Books |
| Year 6 | Maths Box – individual cards that engage children in independent work and further  
practise mathematics concepts  
Readers |
| Science/Humanities | History & Geography resources |
| Music | Bass Guitar Amplifier, Shelving unit for storage of class workbooks, Fun Music Company Preschool Music Programme for Kindergarten classes |
| Library | Easter Books |
| Support | Additions to EV3 Lego Robotics program |
| Italian | Italian children’s books |
From the Social Worker

Here’s more from Michael Grose for families in our community with younger children

www.parentingideas.com

Pokemon Go! What a craze!

Beats just about any fad I’ve seen including yo yo’s, swap cards and the original Pokemon Gameboy way back in the old days – remember the 90’s.

While Pokemon Go is geared toward adults and teenagers it’s taken off among primary aged children – even some pre school kids – as well. Both genders are playing the game, but a rough count among colleagues and friends indicates that it’s boys more than girls that are hooked on the game.

Pokemon Go has plenty of psychological hooks to make boys love it. The roam and search nature of the game appeals to the hunter-gatherer that exists in most boys. There are plenty of things to collect which appeals to a boy’s fundamental need to put order and control in his world.

And the competitive element embedded in the game makes it almost irresistible to many boys who love nothing better than to better someone else.

How can we approach this craze?

Many parents have asked me how they should approach the Pokemon Go craze, particularly when their children are besotted by it.

Start by accepting that Pokemon Go, like all fads, has captured your child’s interest. It’s hard to fight against or even stop your child from being involved in games that ‘everyone is playing’.

That leads to two parenting requirements. First, find out all you can about the game so you know what you are up against. Ask your child to explain what it’s all about. Figure out which parts of the game are age-appropriate and which parts are going to present you with headaches. Once kids are old enough to have their own phones and transportation, they’re certainly old enough to play the game without help. Pokémon Go gives users plenty of chances to spend real money, so you probably will want to limit in-game purchases.

Lures, an aspect of the game, can present tricky situations for parents. A player can set out a lure to attract pokémon, but because these lures can be seen by any nearby player, you’re not sure who they are attracting. Revisit those Stranger Danger lessons with your kids.

Second, you need to meld your existing family technology rules with the expectations and opportunities that Pokemon Go presents. These include, how much time children are allowed to spend on technology; consider what activities Pokemon Go takes kids away from (including homework); and be aware that’s is not healthy for your child to be hooked on one activity at the expense of everything else.
Keep your Pokemon Go player safe

Pokemon Go gets kids outside roaming and exploring their neighbourhoods, which on the surface, is a good thing. However as one mum told me her son's Pokemon Go experience was leading them to a local quarry, which had some obvious risks attached. So if your kids are old enough to wander unsupervised some quick reminders of safety rules maybe in order, such as crossing a street with a phone in their pocket and only playing the game with kids their own age.

If you join in the craze then be prepared to drive your players around as many Pokemon stops are in interesting places such as parks, historical markers and other gathering spots. Different places have different Pokemon things to collect…..yes, it can get complicated, which is the intrinsic value of the craze.

So my advice for parents is to approach Pokemon Go positively and intelligently. Discover about it as much as your time, your current circumstances and your kids will allow. Join them if possible. Remember, it’s a lot of fun; it does get kids exercising more than their thumbs and there are some great learnings (maths, nature and even history) built in to the game. On the other hand, ensure that kids keep a balance in their activities so that a fun craze doesn’t become an absolute, all or nothing obsession- which can so easily happen with boys.

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Canteen

Attached to this newsletter is an updated Canteen Menu for Term 3, along with a ‘What’s New to the Canteen’ flyer.

Please also note that as from Term 3 there will be no Eftpos available in the Canteen.

We are in urgent need to helpers for term 3. Please add your name to the roster via www.ouronlinecanteen.com.au

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Pupil Free Day
Pastoral Care Raffle

Term rosters are placed on the classroom door and printed in the weekly newsletter for you to check when your child/children are due to donate the prize (one prize donated per child a year) for their class. The idea is to provide a small gift (eg book, puzzle, pencils etc) to the value of $5.

The child rostered to donate a prize is required to hand the prize to the class teacher on the morning.

Tickets are 20c each, with a maximum of 3 tickets.

Your participation and continued support is greatly appreciated.

Kindy Green
- Week 2 Eliza Joewono
- Week 3 Oliver Landis

Kindy White
- Week 2 Edward Armstrong
- Week 3 Scarlett Edwards

PP Green
- Week 2 Thea Bradley
- Week 3 Chloe Byatt

PP White
- Week 2 William Buckley
- Week 3 Liam Jarvis

Year 1 Green
- Week 2 Rory Shanahan
- Week 3 Willow Bull

Year 1 White
- Week 2 Zoe Ierace
- Week 3 Jayden Thistle

Year 2 Green
- Week 2 Brody Clark
- Week 3 Imogen Biddle

Week 2 (29/7/16)
- Week 2 White
- Week 3 Chloe Murnane

And

Week 3 (5/8/16)
- Year 3 Green
- Week 2 Caleb High
- Week 3 Amelia Bedell

Year 3 White
- Week 2 Holly De Luca
- Week 3 Xavier Brajevic

Year 4 Green
- Week 2 Julian Pincus
- Week 3 Peter Cornish

Year 4 White
- Week 2 Oliver Coates
- Week 3 Sophie Klass

Year 5
- Week 2 Angus Dodd
- Week 3 Liljana Ziino

Year 6
- Week 2 Tobey Grant
- Week 3 Stella Ashley
Pilates for the Soul: If your soul could do with a bit of stretching, the Centre for Faith Enrichment is for you! Check out the wide range of online and face-to-face courses and events on offer by visiting www.cfe.org.au. An on-site crèche is available on request. ALL are welcome (you don’t have to be Catholic!), there are no exams or assignments, and the environment is always relaxed and friendly. P.S. Have a child preparing to receive a Sacrament? Go to www.cfe.org.au and click “Sacraments Website”!

La Salle College
Annual Quiz Night
Friday 29 July at 7pm
Tickets now available from the Administration Office or call 9274 6266.

To be part of the College’s Community Directory please contact 9449 0635.
A donation to the Quiz Night is all that is required.
Classifieds

Advertising space available!

$50.00 per term
for a business card-sized ad.

Contact admin@stcolsbays.wa.edu.au
with your pdf and to arrange payment to the P&F.

Giving Back to the community.

As a past Parent of St Columba’s, I know how important Fundraising is. The following is my way of giving back to the school. I will donate $500 to St Columba’s Fundraising, upon the Settlement of each home that is listed with me through Parents, Friends or Family members. I love my job as a Licensed Real Estate Agent.

Kind Regards,
Dianne Sobejko

Please contact Frank on 0455 922 472

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Enrolments for Year 7, 2018 are now being accepted. For a prospectus and enrolment form, please contact La Salle College on 9274 6266 or visit the College website www.lasalle.wa.edu.au

**OPEN DAY**

**Tuesday 5 April 2016**

**Tour Times:**

9:15am, 11:15am and 1:30pm

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