

**GRACE ON THE GREEN**

Thank you to our families who joined with other members of the Uralla Parish to go to Armidale last Sunday for the Christ the King celebrations. The procession from the park to the Cathedral, the Mass and amazing music will be an enduring memory for all who could be there.

Our students—Jessica Munzenrieder, Alice Prowse, Zac, Zoe & Ethan Walters sang beautifully with the combined schools' choir at *Grace on the Green*.

The day was very enjoyable with the picnic on the lawns of O'Mahony House under the beautiful oak trees.

The music provided by the band from Sydney (Momentum) as well as the O'Connor College Chapel Band made it a very enjoyable and uplifting day for over 600 people from around the Diocese.

**Dates to Remember**

**Fri 25 Nov & 14 Dec:**

Gymnastics

**Mon 28 Nov—Fri 9 Dec:**

Swimming Program

**Sun 4 Dec:** School/Parish Fete

**Wed 7 Dec:** Carols in the Park

**Mon 12 Dec:** School Play

**Tue 13 Dec:** Presentation

**Fri 16 Dec:** Last day of Term

**CANTEEN ROSTER**

**Mon 28 Nov:**

**Fran Prowse**

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

**21 Nov:**

**Callie White**







# St Joseph's School Newsletter



**FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT  
27 NOVEMBER**

23 NOVEMBER 2016  
TERM 4 WEEK 7

## NEWSLETTER ITEMS

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## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents



### NECOM Piano Trio

Today St Joseph's hosted the New England Conservatorium of Music's Piano Trio and it was a wonderful experience for us all. The trio comprised Eliza Scott on violin, Charlotte Low on cello and Margaret Burstow on piano. They performed chamber music and presented a music appreciation lesson for all our students. We are so fortunate to have the Conservatorium on our doorstep in Armidale. We are also grateful that they offered to travel to us and perform at such reasonable cost to the school.

### Chocolate Drive

Could all chocolate money and any unsold chocolates please be returned to school by Monday so we can finalise the fundraising for the Year 5/6 Excursion. Thank you to those who have sold multiple boxes and to anyone who supported this effort.

### Fete

#### ⇒ Tombola

The FETE will be held on the 4th of December and it is just around the corner.! If you could please send in your tombolas it would be very much appreciated.

#### ⇒ Wood Raffle

How are your ticket sales going? There are more tickets available from the office if you need some.

### School Play

Please note that due to a clash of dates with the Uralla Pre-school's Christmas party we have changed our school play to **MONDAY 12 December starting at 6pm.**

### Swimming Program

Our intensive Water Safety program commences next week. Please ensure that your child comes to school with a towel, swimmers and sunscreen in a bag labelled with their name. All items of clothing should also be labelled. Children are also asked to bring their \$2 pool entry money or season ticket each day. Please return the swimming permission note as soon as possible.

Regards

Judy Elks



**SCHOOL MASS**

There will be a whole school Mass this Friday at 9:10am. All welcome.

**ASSEMBLY**

There will be NO Assembly this Friday due to the gymnastics session.

**JELLY CUPS ON FRIDAYS**

Our Year 6 students are still selling their yummy jelly cups each Friday lunchtime for 50c each.

**SCHOOL PLAY—CHANGE OF DATE**

Our annual School Play will be presented on **MONDAY 12 December** (not Tuesday 6 December as previously advertised).

*This year's play "Fractured Fairytales" promises to be a magical and entertaining night!*

**PIE DRIVE**

Just a reminder that all orders for the Year 6 Pie Drive are due back by this Friday. Thank you.

**CAROLS IN THE PARK**

St Joseph's students will again be participating in the Uralla Carols in the Park to be held on Wednesday 7 December in Alma Park. There will be a BBQ from 5:30pm, Carols at 7:00pm and Santa at 8:00pm. Notes will go home closer to the event.

**PRESENTATION NIGHT**

Our Presentation Night will take place on Tuesday 13 December beginning with Mass in St Joseph's Church at 6:00pm followed by the presentation of awards. There will be a social gathering afterwards in the school grounds. Further information will be provided closer to the date.



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**SHEEP MANURE DRIVE**

Our sheep business entrepreneurs in Year 5/6, Jack, Zac, Ronald & Alex, gave up some of their weekend recently to pack, load and distribute bags of sheep manure. Other family members (Matilda & Ron Boxsell and David Reddon) helped out as well. Thank you to Mr Tim Bower for allowing them to collect the manure from his woolshed. Sheep manure orders are still being taken so if you wish to place an order call the school—for only \$3 per bag, it's a great bargain!

**PRIMARY MATHS FUN**

Last week our primary students had to use computer coding instructions to program a robotic ball (sphero) around an object in a configuration of their choice. They discovered the significance and inter-relationship of angles, distance, time, speed, percentages, position, direction and so much more!

