

FETE WINNERS

Thank you to everyone who supported our annual school/parish fete—your time and generosity contributed to another successful day. Below are the results of various raffles and lucky draws.

Wood Raffle

Load 1: Dave Reddon; Load 2: Des Harris; Load 3: Ross Mabbott; Load 4: Andrew Milroy;
 Load 5: Dan Riley.

Staff Raffles

Norma Bower; Ronald Boxsell, Tina Ryan, Pauline Carlon, Lisa Heagney, Katie Biddle, Liz, Dawn Toomey.

PT&F Family Number Draws:

D & T Reddon, Fiona Munzenreider, Shelly McMillan, Lisa Heagney, D & C Baker, Carol Handebo.

LIBRARY BOOKS

Could all library books currently on loan and any other books from school (eg. take home readers) be returned to school by no later than next Monday 12 December. Thank you.

Hint: Ask Santa to bring books for Christmas so that everyone can continue to read over the holidays!

If your child does read over the holidays this will help him or her start the new school year with confidence.

Happy reading and happy holidays!

Mrs Heagney



Dates to Remember

Wed 7 Dec: Carols in the Park
Mon 12 Dec: School Play
Tue 13 Dec: Presentation
Fri 14 Dec: Gymnastics
Fri 16 Dec: Last day of Term

2017
Fri 27 Jan: Staff return
Mon 30 Jan: Students return
Thu 16 Feb: School Swimming
 Carnival



CANTEEN ROSTER

Mon 12 Dec:
Toni Tricker





St Joseph's School Newsletter



SCHOOL PLAY MONDAY 12 DECEMBER
"FRACTURED FAIRYTALES"

7 DECEMBER 2016
TERM 4 WEEK 9

NEWSLETTER ITEMS

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SEE YOU AT THE CAROLS TONIGHT



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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents

Fete

Thankyou to all those who were able to support our school/parish fete in any capacity at all. Your donations and your support on the day were very much appreciated. We belong to an amazing Parish where God's presence is very much alive. It was a wonderful day out for all.

Carols Night

Tonight Wednesday 7 December, St Joseph's students will be participating in the Uralla Carols in the Park to be held in Alma Park. There will be a BBQ from 5:30pm, the carols commence at 7:00pm and Santa arrives at 8:00pm. Our students will be singing two carols. We ask that you bring your children **dressed in their school uniform** and ready to assemble with our teachers by no later than 6:45pm. In the event of bad weather the venue will be the Uralla Memorial Hall, 27 Salisbury Street.

Swimming

Wow! What progress our students have made in their Water Safety Program. It is important that students keep building their confidence in the water and practise learnt safety skills. Thank you to Mrs Kim Heagney for all her organisation for this program.

School Play and Presentation Night

The final events on our school calendar will be the School Play on Monday 12 December commencing at 6:00pm and Presentation Night on Tuesday 13 December beginning with Mass at 6:00pm. I look forward to seeing you all at these special occasions.

Regards

Judy Elks

Third Sunday of Advent



SCHOOL MASS

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

**ASSEMBLY**

There will be an Assembly this Friday in the school hall at 2:45pm. (Please note later time.) All welcome.

SCHOOL PLAY

Our annual School Play will be presented on **MONDAY 12 December at 6:00pm.**

An information letter detailing your child's role description and costume requirements will be sent home with each child.

Students will participate in a full dress rehearsal on Friday 9 December and Monday 12 December.

On the play night (Monday 12 December) students will be



required to be at the school NO LATER THAN 5:30pm for props to be assembled, face paint applied and finishing touches made ready for show time at 6.00pm sharp.

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

PRESENTATION NIGHT

Our Presentation Night will take place next Tuesday 13 December beginning with Mass in St Joseph's Church at 6:00pm followed by the presentation of awards. There will be a BBQ tea afterwards in the school grounds. **The PT&F have asked that parents other than Year 6 parents could offer to cook the BBQ. If we have anyone who could support us with this it would be much appreciated.** The school will provide the steaks and sausages but we are asking that Koolyangarra families please bring a salad and MacKillop families please bring a dessert to share.

Give yourself a present this Christmas.

Make your Christmas one to remember by opening your own ADIG Christmas Club

You can also access your Christmas Club from December 1.

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PT&F CORNER

CHOCOLATE FUNDRAISER MONIES DUE BACK: Please send in any unsold chocolates and any monies held from these sales by this Friday to school. Thank you.

Kathy Dodd (President) Phone 6778 4774 or Mob. 0423 418 467

CANTEEN NEWS

There is a new item added to the canteen list: **Norco Cheese & Crackers** \$1.50 (includes 3 crackers and three wedges of cheese).

Uralla Junior Rugby League 2017 REGISTRATIONS

We invite you to now register with UJRL for the 2017 season! We are aiming to field the following teams:

- **Under 8's**
- **Under 10's**
- **Under 12's**
- **Under 14's**
- **Under 16's**
- **Junior Girls League Tag (9-12 years)**
- **Senior Girls League Tag (13-16 years)**

Registration fees for 2017 are \$80 - this includes shorts and socks for all players, with jerseys being supplied by the club. This fee represents outstanding value, when compared with other sports in our community! So please, tell your friends, tell your relatives to come and play footy for UJRL in 2017. New players are ALWAYS welcome!!

Registrations and payments can be completed online at the following web address:

<https://membership.sportstg.com/regofrm.cgi?formID=64646>

Please note that we will be enforcing a strict 'no pay, no play' policy in 2017, so please ensure payment is made as soon as you register, to ensure you don't miss out on valuable game time!

Any parents or carers experiencing difficulties with registration or who do not have access to credit card facilities, can contact our Club Registrar, Clare Baker on email: clarelbaker@bigpond.com or by phoning 0427 705 058.

HOLIDAY CRICKET CLINIC

Sport and Recreation, in partnership with NSW Cricket, will run a number of cricket clinics for boys and girls during the 2017 Christmas school holidays.

Armidale Harris Park, Kirkwood Street 19 January 2017 (Program number 0077885)

Tamworth McCarthy HS Fields, Tribe Street 20 January 2017 (Program number 0077888)

Time 8:30am – 1:00pm each clinic

Cost \$45:00

Bookings close Friday 16 December 2016

Age Groups 7 to 12 years (born 2010 to 2004)

Delivered by qualified coaches, each clinic helps participants develop and/or enhance their:

- Batting and wicket running skills
- Fielding and throwing skills
- Teamwork and communication skills
- Game knowledge/game sense

INCLUSIONS All participants receive a quality T20 cricket bat and ball to take home with them.

Book now! Places are limited. Call 13 13 02 or book online at sportandrecreation.nsw.gov.au