



St Columba's Newsletter

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Reminder Dates

Good Friday
Way of the Cross
Church of Our Lady
3pm

Easter Sunday
Mass
8am

Sunday 12th April
10am

Sunday 19th April
8am

Sunday 26th April
10am

Dear Friends

It certainly is hard to believe that we are at the end of Term One 2015. We can reflect upon the past ten weeks and be very satisfied in all that has been achieved inside and outside the classroom, contributing to a quality Catholic education for our students. All students have worked well throughout the term and are definitely ready for a well-deserved break from the routines of school life.

Tomorrow, Thursday begins the Easter Triduum, the most sacred days of the year. Let us put ourselves into the hands of the Lord, and pray that God will bless us and our families during the coming holy days. May each of us help to make our homes places of joy, love, peace and safety. May we be generous and considerate, helping others keep the celebration of the dying and rising of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ.



Holy Week - Easter Timetable 2015

HOLY THURSDAY 2nd April

10am Way of the Cross with St Mary's School

Mass of the Lord's Supper

6:00pm Wellington

GOOD FRIDAY 3rd April

Way of the cross

10:00am Stuart Town

3:00pm Yeoval

Liturgy of the Lord's Passion

3:00pm Wellington

HOLY SATURDAY 4th April

7:00pm Vigil Mass Wellington

EASTER SUNDAY 5th April

8:00am Yeoval

10:00am Wellington

6:00pm Stuart Town



Change in Mass Times

The Parish Pastoral Council has supported Fr Carl's decision to change to Sunday Mass times. This will enable Fr Carl to spend more time with the parishioners in Yeoval. New times will commence on the weekend after Easter.

Yeoval Sunday Mass Times will be:

8.00am on 1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays

10.00am on 2nd & 4th Sundays

Wellington Sunday Mass Times will be:

8.00am on 2nd & 4th Sundays

10.00am on 1st, 3rd and 5th Sundays

6.00pm Saturday Mass will remain the same.

Please keep Fr Carl in your thoughts and prayers as he begins radiation treatment on Easter Tuesday.

Merit Awards Week 10

Congratulations to the following students who are receiving Merit Certificates this week.

Primary: Jack Job, Althea Pastor

Infants: Clancy Judd, Fergus Kerin, Simon Brown

Department of Fisheries Visit

All students (and teachers) thoroughly enjoyed learning about the Purple Spotted Gudgeon which lives in our local waterways. Following a very informative session about this special little fish, the students participated in a great game with Mrs Kiel and then began a piece of artwork which will be on display at the Yeoval Show.



Easter Raffle

Many thanks to all families for so generously supporting the Easter Raffle. We look forward to hearing who the lucky winners are tomorrow afternoon.

Term One Progress Reports

Student Progress Reports will be sent home Tomorrow. All students received many positive comments and are to be proud of their achievements. An opportunity for parents to discuss their child's progress will take place at our parent/teacher interviews to be held next Term. All relevant information regarding these interviews will be sent home at the beginning of Term 2.



CWA Speeches

Please remember that the Primary Students will be presenting their CWA Speeches on Monday 27th April (Week 2 Term 2). This may be a good holiday activity if your child hasn't started their speech.

School Photos

Please remember that School Photos will be taken on Monday 27th April. Students will need to be in **full Winter School Uniform** for photos. Order forms will also need to be returned by photo day.

Term 2 Commences Monday 20th April.

This is not a Pupil Free Day for St Columba's. Students are to commence Term 2 in Full Winter School Uniform.

WINTER UNIFORM

Girls

Maroon tunic or trousers
Fawn blouse
School Tie
Maroon school jumper

Boys

Grey trousers
Blue shirt
School Tie
Maroon School jumper

Term 2 Calendar

Term 2 is appearing to be just as busy as Term 1. Please keep the attached calendar somewhere safe.

Best wishes wish for a happy, holy and safe Easter.

Glen Brown
Principal

Community News



Wellington Netball Registration

Will be held on the following dates:

Wednesday 1st April 4 pm to 7 pm

Wednesday 8th April 4 pm to 7 pm

Friday 10th April 4 pm to 7 pm

See: Kaye Jacobson

Where: 43 Whiteley Street

Wellington (Opposite Notts Rural)

Registration forms will be available here

Note Netball will commence on Saturday 2nd May 2015

St Columba's Term 2 Calendar 2015

| | Mon | Tues | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat | Sun |
|-----------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|
| Week 1 <i>Apr</i> | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 Anzac Day | 26 |
| Week 2 <i>Apr / May</i> | 27 School Photos Yr 3 – 6 CWA Public Speaking | 28 | 29 | 30 | 1 May | 2 | 3 |
| Week 3 | 4 | 5 Yeoval Show | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
| Week 4 | 11 P & F Meeting 6pm | 12 Yr 3 / 5 Naplan | 13 Yr 3/5 Naplan | 14 Yr 3/5 Naplan | 15 | 16 | 17 |
| Week 5 | 18 | 19 World of Maths YCS | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 Pentecost Sunday |
| Week 6 | 25 | 26 CWA Public Speaking Kinross | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 |
| Week 7 <i>June</i> | 1 June | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| Week 8 | 8 | 9 St Columba's Day Mass 10:15am | 10 | 11 | 12 EMY Athletics Eugowra | 13 | 14 |
| Week 9 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 |
| Week 10 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 |