



St Paul's Update

14 October, 2015

Term 4, Week 2

Dates for your diary

14 October	P & F Executive Meeting 7:30pm
15 October	Year 6 Debating Team Celebration
17 October	Whole School Working Bee - looking forward to seeing you there!
17 & 18 October	Discussion Groups for Confirmation Saturday/Sunday 3pm
20 October	Kindergarten 2016 Information Night 7:30pm
20 October	Basketball Gala Day - Cambridge Park
23 October	Assembly Year 3 2:30pm
23 October	Year 5 & 6 Excursion to Manly - Surf Education
24 October	Garage Sale Trail - places still available!!
27,28,29 October	Kindergarten 2016 Transition Days
30 October	Holy Faith Awards - Liturgy 10:15am in the Church
30 October	World Teachers' Day

Reminder....

CHRISTMAS CONCERT - THURSDAY 26 NOVEMBER

STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAY - FRIDAY 27 NOVEMBER

SWIMMING CARNIVAL, HOMEBUSH - MONDAY 30 NOVEMBER

PLEASE NOTE: WEEK 3 ASSEMBLY - YEAR 3 NOT YEAR 5

Working Bee

Just a reminder... Our whole school Working Bee will be held on Saturday 17 October from 8:00am - 12:00pm. We have a list of jobs to get through, many hands make light work! The morning will conclude with a sausage sizzle. We look forward to seeing as many of you as possible on Saturday.



Work Health and Safety

At all times we are required to be aware of the health and safety of others. If you see something around the school or grounds and you think it is unsafe, please contact the office so that the problem can be rectified as soon as possible. The health and safety of our children, staff and parents is our number one priority.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Skipathon Funds

Once again thank you to all of our families who supported our Skipathon. We were only \$50 short of our target of \$20,000. We have already put the funds to good use purchasing 25 laptops and 14 iPads. As you can see from the photo our staff are hard at work preparing them for use in the classrooms.



Second Hand Uniform Swap Stand

Mrs Veronica Brogden is planning to have a Second Hand Uniform Swap Stand at the Garage Sale Trail on 24 October, 2015. If you have any St Paul's uniforms that you will not be using she would love you to drop them off so that others can make use of them!! She would be grateful if you could leave the uniform in bags, and deposit in the clothes bin provided by Friday 23 October. The clothes bin will be located outside the school office. If you have any questions please contact Veronica on 0414 345 526 or email her on veronica.parramatta@gmail.com

Thank you for your help.

URGENT 'The Garage Sale Trail' - Book your spot now!!

Get Ready to Declutter! Car Boot spaces and stall plots on sale now for \$25. What an opportunity to sell your no longer needed used toys, clothes, household goods and bric-a-brac. Anything goes! Support the environment by reusing, reducing and recycling - Support your school to raise funds for your kids.

Come to St Paul the Apostle Garage Sale Trail - 24 October 2015 from 9am to 3pm.

Email or phone your friendly P&F member - Lauren Alley (lozc12@hotmail.com - 0421 818 606) Alyssa Dwyer - (alyssa_barry@hotmail.com - 0411 270 296) or Alex Mowbray - (alex.mowbray@gmail.com - 0416 094 454) We are also looking for volunteers to help out at the sausage sizzle and cake stall.



Working with Children Check

Parent helpers are required to have completed the CEDP online Child Protection Training for Volunteers which can be found at <http://childprotection.parra.catholic.edu.au>. It is also a requirement that you have completed the NSW Working with Children Check for Volunteers which can be found at www.kidsguardian.nsw.gov.au. When you complete this check, you will

receive a confirmation email which you are requested to forward to the school office, along with date of birth details. Thank you.



Please ensure these checks are both completed before volunteering. *Parents who have not completed the above are not be eligible to be chosen to assist.*

St Paul's Netball Club Catch and Play Clinic

Just a reminder.... St Paul's Netball Club Catch and Play Clinic will commence on Friday 16 October at 3:45pm. The clinic will take place on the school's netball courts. There are still places available and girls aged 5, 6 and 7 are still able to register and join in the fun!

Spring Cleaning? - CD's and DVD's needed

If anyone has any old CD's or DVD's they are willing to part with Mrs Sargent would love to use them in an upcoming artwork. It does not matter if they are cracked, scratched or written on as they will be cut up anyway.

Also if you have any old crayons, any colour, any size, that you no longer need, Mrs Sargent would gladly make use of them too!

Please forward your goodies to the school office in a bag marked 'Mrs Sargent - Art'.

Thank you in advance

Scholastic Book Club

Scholastic Book Club order forms for Term 4 were sent home yesterday. This issue will be due back to school on **Monday 19 October**.

A reminder that we will no longer be accepting cash as payment for these orders. Payments can be made by cheque or credit card using the Linked Online Ordering and Payment (LOOP) system. Please follow the instructions on the order form.

Please note there is definitely **NO OBLIGATION** to buy any books.



TRIVIA NIGHT THE OSCARS

Saturday 7 November, 2015

DOORS OPEN 7.00PM

FIRST QUESTION 7.30PM

FATHER SCOTT PARISH CENTRE



BRING YOUR PARTNER, BRING YOUR FRIENDS & COME WOW US WITH YOUR MOST CREATIVE THEMED MOVIE TABLE FOR YOUR CHANCE TO WIN!

FORM YOUR TABLE OF 8 - NOTE: *ADULTS ONLY*

PLEASE INCLUDE PAYMENT (**\$15 EACH PERSON**) WITH YOUR BOOKING SLIP

Sport Days



TERM 4

KINDY Monday/Tuesday
YEAR 1 Wednesday/Thursday
YEAR 2 Tuesday/Wednesday
YEAR 3 Tuesday/Thursday
YEAR 4 Tuesday/Friday
YEAR 5 Thursday/Friday
YEAR 6 Wednesday/Friday

Happy Birthday - to all those celebrating their birthdays from 15 - 21 October, 2015

Giuliano P, Harry P, Daniel J, Will C, Kayla D, Nathan K, Marcus V, Nicholas B, Matthew C.



Assembly

Term 4, 2015

Assembly – Fridays 2:30pm

Week 1 – No Assembly

Week 2 – No Assembly

Week 3 - Assembly - Year 3

Week 4 – Margaret Aylward Liturgy

Week 5 – Assembly Year 1

Week 6 – No Assembly

Week 7 – No Assembly

Week 8 – Staff Development Day

Week 9 – No Assembly

Week 10 – Leaders' Assembly

Please note change to **Week 3**

Assembly – ASSEMBLY WILL BE ORGANISED BY YEAR 3 and NOT YEAR 5 AS PREVIOUSLY STATED.



OUR LADY OF MERCY COLLEGE PARRAMATTA

**Year 7, 2016
Orientation Day
Thursday
November 12, 2015**

OLMC Parramatta Mercy Scholarships

Our Lady of Mercy College Parramatta is now accepting applications for Mercy Scholarships for Academic Excellence and Music Excellence. Girls entering Years 7, 9 or 11 in 2017 are invited to apply. Visit the College website www.olmc.nsw.edu.au for more information.