

What's been happening this week?

Dear Parents & Families,

Last night we had our second P&F Meeting for the year. Our P&F are extremely supportive of our students and school initiatives. At the meeting they donated:

- \$10,000 for reading books
- \$10,000 for classroom furniture
- \$6,000 for classroom maths equipment
- \$1,600 for new basketball hoops
- \$852 for new musical instruments

Thank you from our students and staff for the P&F's incredible generosity and support.

Parent Teacher Meetings will be conducted on TEAMS this Tuesday 22 March. On this day school finishes at 12pm for ALL students from Kindy to Year Six. The Pre Kindy program will continue. If you are unable to have your child collected at 12pm, please consider booking them into OSHClub (1300 395 735) or email Mrs Bartley on admin@assumption.wa.edu.au. Please note that Year Six Blue and Year Five Red will have their interviews on different days, however, it is still early close for these classes too.



I have been very impressed by the way in which our students have utilised technology this week in their learning. On Tuesday, Year Five Red were creating videos about sin to explain their key learnings in their Religious Education lessons. Year Six Red were creating powerpoints about Lent and prayer. The students in Year Six Blue were busily transforming their holiday recounts into comic strips using StoryBoardthat.com; these were then exported for viewing to iMovie.

Our Pre-Primary children were working hard with Mrs Shepherd focusing on identifying initial sounds in a text being read to them. They were identifying the "n" sounds in the words and were doing a marvellous job. (Check out their brand new floor mat in the photo!)



As emailed to our Year 4-6 parents yesterday, the swimming carnival scheduled for next week has been postponed. The health and safety of our staff and students are paramount as we navigate the expected peak of the pandemic in WA over the next two weeks. This decision is in line with the Peel School's Sporting Association's recent decision to postpone the interschool swimming carnival until term four. We thank you for your continued support and understanding and we look forward to our community joining us in term 4 for our school swimming carnival.





ASSUMPTION HAPPENINGS

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Virtue Focus
'OK' With a Smile

Week 8	Events	
Good Morning Monday 21/3	Canteen Closed Year 6 Blue Parent/Teacher Interviews - Students to attend school	<u>Mass Times</u> Saturday 6:00pm Sunday 8:00am Sunday 9:30am Sunday 6:00pm 
Thank You Tuesday 22/3	Canteen Closed EARLY CLOSE 12PM PARENT/TEACHER INTERVIEWS (Kindy - Year Six)	
Winking Wednesday 23/3	Canteen Open - Online Orders Only	
Thumbs Up Thursday 24/3	Canteen Open - Online Orders Only Harmony Day - Wear Orange or National Dress Harmony Day Liturgy 2pm Assembly 2:30pm	
Friendship Friday 25/3	Canteen Open - Online Orders Only Swimming Carnival Postponed to Term 4	

MJR & Virtue Focus: 'Ok' - With a Smile - Often, when we are asked to do something, we do it reluctantly. We might look grumpy about it. We might even backchat. This makes doing what we have been asked to do even harder. Next time someone asks you to do something - at school or at home - practise saying 'Ok' - with a smile and see what a difference it makes. Remember, you will be Making Jesus Real when you say 'Ok' - with a smile.

Kindy 2023 & 2024 - We will be interviewing for Kindy 2023 classes this term and accepting applications for Kindy 2024. **If your child is born between 1 July 2018 and 30 June 2019, they are eligible to attend Kindy in 2023.** Applications are available from the office or online.

Notes/Emails to Parents - 1. Changes to Close Contact Information Email 2. Parent/Teacher Interview Email 3. COVID 19 Self Reporting Form for Students Email 4. Postponement of Swimming Carnival Email

Unwell Children - **Please do not send your children to school if they are unwell, this is a directive from Health Department. We have sent many unwell children home already this week.**

Parent/Teacher Interviews - Parent Teacher Interviews (Kindy to Year 6) will be conducted on Tuesday 22 March 2022 from 12:30pm until 7:00pm online via TEAMS. The teacher will then send out a TEAMS invite to your session time. If you wish to have more than one person attend the interview, you can notify the class teacher via Seesaw, the other email address(s) to send the TEAMS invite to. Year Six Blue will be holding their Parent/Teacher interviews (via TEAMS) on Monday 21 March from 8am to 12:30pm. Year Five Red will be holding their interviews at a later date. All classes from Kindy to Year Six have early close at 12 noon on Tuesday 22 March.

Assumption Partners - Assumption has partnered with rebel and Gilbert's & Son Fresh Market to provide benefits to our Assumption school. Rebel will give back to Assumption 5% of what our families spend in the Mandurah store. Simply link your rebel active membership to our club next time you shop at rebel. Gilbert's & Sons have already given hundreds of dollars back to Assumption. When next instore ask about the School's Reward Program and start earning points for our school.

OSHClub  Assumption provides before and after school care for your children in a safe and caring environment. We are located on the school grounds in the demountable building. **Upon arrival, please phone 0432337624 for staff to let you in.** OSHClub hours are 7am - 9am and 2:30pm - 6pm. You can obtain more information from www.oshclub.com.au or call 1300 395 735.