



## **NEWSLETTER - 03 June 2022**

Dear parents and caregivers

As mentioned earlier in the year, we have tried to disseminate and reduce the amount of communication sent out, at one stage, daily. I have a meeting next week, where CEWA will inform us of the next stage of COVID protocols, which we will send out as soon as we know. A gentle reminder that if your child is positive, please upload to the COVID portal on our school website – there is also a link after the form that takes you directly to WA Health should you need to access them.

### **SEMESTER ONE REPORTS:**

Student reports will be sent, as last year, via SEQTA Engage at the end of Term Two. You can access SEQTA parent portal via our webpage <https://stjoespinjarra.wa.edu.au> or directly <https://stjoespinjarra.coneqt-p.cathednet.wa.edu.au>

### **SCHOOL UNIFORM:**

Our webpage also has a direct link to the school calendar, CDF Pay (for uniforms, school fees and other one off events as they occur) and an absentee link. I have attached the school's uniform and dress standard policy which include hair expectations. Recently, we are seeing haircuts that are certainly less than the minimum number 3 blade. All hair that reaches the collar needs to be tied up, regardless of gender. You can find this policy in the drop down menu 'Our Families' – school uniform.

### **P&F MONSTER WOOD RAFFLE:**

This weekend, the P&F are holding a stall at the Pinjarra Festival in the Edenvale Complex (George Street side) where they will sell the Wood Raffle tickets and recipe books. The P&F would love you to visit and/or offer some time on Saturday or Sunday to assist.

### **PUPIL FREE DAY:**

A reminder that Monday is a Public Holiday and Tuesday a Pupil Free Day. Next Friday, 10 June is also our Cross Country Carnival and notes have been sent home. We will try to stick to the suggested times, but it could change depending on the conditions.

### **YEAR 6 PRAYER ASSEMBLY POSTPONED:**

The Calendar did have the Year 6 Prayer Assembly on Friday 10 June, however, this has been adjusted to next term, the date to be advised.

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### **STAGE 7 BUILD:**

Tenders have gone out for Stage 7 build, however, we have yet to be advised of a commencement date. Once this begins the Year 1-2 students will need to line up outside the Convent and teachers will take them to class from there.

### **SPECIAL MEAL DAYS:**

As the canteen has been unable to run, we have looked at one off 'meal days' for our students to access. More details will be advised once we have organised it. We are looking to have 'Pizza Meal Day' on Friday 17 June, Week 8, this will be confirmed via SMS. Our CDF payment option for one off events will be used.

Last week we had a photo day and this week MSP came out to catch up on family photos for those who were unable to be at school last week. We really appreciated MSP for providing the catch-up day.

Please take care, keep healthy, be kind to all and as St Oscar Romero said:

*'let us not tire of preaching love; it is the force that will overcome the world.'*

Blessings to you all.

Mrs Joy Ketteringham  
*Principal*

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