**REFLECTION**

**SLOW ME DOWN, LORD**

Slow me down, Lord, Slow me down!
Ease the pounding of my heart
By the quieting of my mind.

Give me amid the confusion of my day
The calmness of the everlasting hills.
Break the tensions of my nerves and muscles
With soothing music of the singing stream
That lives in my memory.
Help me to know the magical restoring power of sleep.

Teach me the art of taking minute vacations,
Of slowing down to look at a flower,
To chat with a friend, to pat a dog,
To read a few lines from a good book.

Remind me each day of the fable
Of the Hare and the Tortoise,
That I may know that the race is not always to the swift -
There is more to life than increasing speed.

Slow me down, Lord, and inspire me
To send my roots deep into the soil of life's enduring values
That I may grow towards the stars of my great destiny.
Amen

**PRINCIPAL’S REPORT**

Welcome back to Week 3. The weeks are gathering momentum and flying by quite quickly. Now is a great time to contact your child’s teacher if you have any concerns about your child’s learning. A reminder to parents that there will be NO morning assembly on Wednesday and Thursday mornings. This is to accommodate our Swimming Program and Teacher Release requirements.

Have a great week!

Phil

**Prayers please**

Please remember in your thoughts and prayers those members in our school community who are experiencing illness, the loss of a dearly loved family member or friend, and those who struggle to find peace in their lives.

**2014 School Fete News**

Thank you once again to all who have decided to volunteer and take up the challenge of organising our 2014 School Fete. All positions have been filled, except one. We are still looking for a well organised person to take on the role of Fete Convener. If interested please contact the office as soon as possible. Our first Fete meeting will be held on **Tuesday 18 February, starting at 7pm in the Library**.

**No Hat – No Play**

Please be aware of our ‘No Hat – No Play’ policy at All Saints’. If a student does not come to school with their school hat then they will not be allowed to play outdoors. While we are blessed by the sunny climate we have in Queensland, we are cursed by the damage it can do. We all know that the majority of the damage that the sun can cause happens when we are young. It is imperative that all students wear their school hats each and every day and come to school with sunscreen applied. Hats will NOT be given out at school to those who forget them. Children who do not have a hat will be directed to stay in the undercover area and in the Fr Ellis Clifford Hall.

**Swimming**

Last week was a great success with both the students and teachers enjoying our new swimming lesson format. Just a reminder that school will begin at 8:45am on Wednesdays to accommodate our swimming lessons.

**Prep 2015 Enrolments**

I would just like to remind parents with children eligible for Prep for 2015 that it is very important to confirm that your child’s name is on the waiting list. Spaces are filling fast so if you know of family or friends who may like to send their children to All Saints’ please ask them to contact the office as soon as possible.

**Parent Sign in / Sign out**

It is imperative that all parents come to the front office and sign in when entering the school grounds during school time and especially at lunch times. This ensures that we know who is on the school grounds. This information is vital, especially if we have an emergency situation such as a fire of lockdown. Parents also need to sign in if volunteering in classrooms or in the Tuckshop. Please don’t forget to sign out when you leave.
Parents are also reminded that there is a Late Arrival / Early Departure Register located at the office that **must be filled in** if your child arrives late to school or is leaving school before 3 pm. If students need to be collected by parents during school time they must be collected from the office. I ask that parents do not go to their child’s class to collect them but to wait at the front office.

I thank you for your cooperation with this important school procedure.

**Absent from school**
Just a reminder to parents that the school needs to be informed if a student is absent from school. Most often when a student is sick or cannot attend school the parent or caregiver makes contact with the school via a phone call. The office records this information and passes it on to the relevant class teacher. When the class teacher marks the roll he or she registers this absence on the class roll. School Rolls are legal documents that are required by law to be accurately maintained on a daily basis. They can be checked at anytime by State Government authorities and are often called upon in matters of family law. I ask that parents be aware of the need to inform the school of your child’s absence by phone or written note.

**2014 Canberra Trip**
The date for our Canberra Trip is **Monday 8 September to Friday 12 September**. Please take note of this date. This year we are taking Year 5, Year 6 and Year 7 students to Canberra. As always there will be more parents who want to attend than places available. We will let parents know when expressions of interest to attend the Canberra Trip are open. As we are taking a very large group of students to Canberra I intend to take quite a large number of staff with us this time around. Further information and a date for our first Canberra meeting will be forwarded onto parents in the next few weeks.

**Volunteers**
Parents who volunteer to help are a vital component of a school community. We cannot express how thankful we are that we have such wonderful volunteers who help keep All Saint’s running smoothly. If you volunteer, or would like to volunteer, to help in classrooms could you please approach your child’s teacher to get a Volunteers’ Pack. These will be available early next week. This pack has important information that you must read and contains a form that all volunteers must sign. This is to cover our legal obligations in relation to volunteers in schools. Another aspect of being a volunteer is the importance of confidentiality. There will be times when volunteers become privy to information or happenings within a classroom that must remain confidential. This is vital if a volunteer program is to work within a school.

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**APRE REPORT**

**Assembly**
Year 3 presented the assembly yesterday. They recapped the school rules and gave examples of children following them. Thank you Year 3 for taking the first assembly of the year. Next week Year 4/5 will lead the assembly.

**Staff Prayer**
Thank you for your co-operation in not contacting the office on Thursday mornings. The staff truly value the opportunity of coming together to pray for a few minutes before school.

**Opening School Mass**
The whole school will gather for Mass on Friday 27 February at 9.30am with Father Peter. Because of our growth in numbers, Mass will be in the Fr Ellis Clifford Hall. At this Mass we will also induct our school leaders for 2014 and officially welcome our new staff and families.

**Staff Professional Development**
Tomorrow the staff will meet after school to engage in professional development in the new Religious Education Curriculum. Thanks to Mr Pat Lavercombe (Education Officer Religious Education) from Brisbane Catholic Education for his leadership of the session.

**Sacramental Program**
This year Father Peter and I will be preparing children to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. At this stage the Archbishop has booked the evening of Thursday 31 July
to come to Boonah to confirm the children so please note this date and keep it free. This is for Catholic children who have been baptised and made their Reconciliation last year.

**Just a thought...**Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world. Nelson Mandela

God bless,

Karen

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**P&F NEWS**

**P&F Meeting**
The first P&F Meeting for 2014 will be held **Wednesday, 19 February** commencing at 7pm. P&F Meetings are held in the school library. Anyone interesting in becoming involved is welcome to attend.

**Annual General Meeting**
The Annual General Meeting will be held **Wednesday, 19 March** commencing at 7pm.

At the AGM the following positions will become vacant and nominations sought:

- President;
- Vice-President;
- Treasurer;
- Secretary;
- Tuckshop Convenor/s;
- Fundraising Convenor;
- Fundraising Committee Members; and
- Grants Officer.

If you would like to discuss any P&F matters, please do not hesitate to give me a call.

Thank you.

Alan Cant
P&F President
5463 2856

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**OFFICE NEWS**

**Newsletter Items**
Any notices for our newsletter should be sent to a new email address. It is pboonahnews@bne.catholic.edu.au

**Have You Changed Your Phone Number/s or Moved Address?**
Do you have contact details (address, phone, or email) that have changed? Please don’t forget to advise the office.

Please find attached to the newsletter a slip that can be completed and returned advising us of your new contact details.

Thank you!

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**BIRTHDAYS**

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Hi all!
Welcome back!

We have made some new changes to the price list for 2014. Please be sure to look at them when doing your child's tuckshop bag. If you have any questions feel free to come and see us or get in contact.

Next Week.
17th February.
Colleen Maudsley, Gordon Saunders and Kirsty Maynard will be joining us at Tuckshop.
Amanda Cant will be Baking.
(Please note when doing baking, we make at least 24 slices).
Rachel Nicola will be doing eggs.
(1 dozen boiled please.)

Thank you to the lovely ladies who helped us out on Monday. We look forward to seeing you all again in the Tuck Shop. Also a big thank you goes out to all those people who kindly donate their produce, cooking or eggs. It is all a great help to us in the tuck shop.
We are still very much in need of some helpers for the tuckshop so if you are able to give us a small amount of your time on a Monday morning, the children, myself and Linda would be very grateful. Even an hour first up on a Monday would be a help.

Thank you again to all those that help us out it is greatly appreciated.

Julie Hancock 0427631817
Linda Faulkner 0417765830

NOTICES

Circuit Training
Cardio and strength training combined
Tuesday at 3:30pm @ Springleigh Park
Thursday at 3:30pm @ Frank St Oval

Sessions are 45min, $12
Call Tamille for enquires 0433 339 937

NOTICES

Expressions of Interest for a Bus Route for Mt French?

Fassifern Coaches are seeking expressions of interest for a bus route for Mount French.

Please phone John Musso at Fassifern Coaches on 5463 1407 or 0434 264 380.
Boonah Soccer Club
Club for the Entire District
Established 1993

***2014 Season Sign On***
Saturday 15 February
9.00 – 11.00am

Where:-
BOONAH SPORTS COMPLEX
CORONATION PARK

Or
Register online at:
boonahsoccerclub.org.au

All Age Groups
Mixed U7-U14, Girls U15-16,
Boys U15-U16, Junior Men,
Senior Women & Senior Men

New players welcome, please bring your birth certificate
For further information please phone Cameron 0417 617 191

If you’re after Fun, Fitness and Friendship sign on now!

***Registrations Close 12pm Midnight Sunday 16th February 2014***

PILATES
Before picking your kids up from school come and try a Pilates Class with Sam.
Pilates classes use a range of Stott Pilates exercises that are varied, interesting and challenging which will get you stronger, leaner, more toned and fit. Exercises are modified to each person’s ability. This is a beginner’s class for those that have never tried Pilates before. Mats provided. Please bring your own towel.

Monday at 2:00pm @ All Saints Primary (in the Fr Ellis Clifford hall)

Sessions are 45 min, $3. As part of Council’s Be Healthy & Active program running from the 10 February until the 11 May 2014.

Call Sam for enquiries 0413 086 204
# TERM 1 TUCKSHOP LIST

## Bread, Wraps and Rolls
- Cheese $2.00
- Egg and Lettuce $2.50
- Ham and Cheese $3.00
- Ham, Cheese and Tomato $3.50
- Salad $4.50
  (lettuce, beetroot, tomato, carrot and cheese)
- Ham and Salad $5.50
- Toasted $.50

Small plastic Chinese container must be supplied.

Salad on plate
(Lettuce, Beetroot, tomato, carrot, cheese and egg) $.500

Ham and salad plate or small Chinese plastic container to be supplied $5.50

## Hot Food
- Hot dogs with sauce $2.50
- Hot dogs with cheese and sauce $3.00
- Lasagne $3.00
- Macaroni cheese $3.00
- Sausage rolls $3.00
- Potato gems x 10 $2.00
- Chicken strips x 5 $2.00
- Chicken strips x 10 $4.00
- Chicken wrap with lettuce and mayo $3.50
- Chicken wrap with sauce no lettuce $3.00
- Sweet chilli chicken wrap with lettuce $3.50
- Chicken fillet burger (mayo, lettuce, chicken) $4.00
- Chicken and cheese burger with sauce $4.00
- Hamburger with salad $4.50
- Cheese burger (meat, cheese and sauce) $4.00

BBQ or tomato sauce $.20

## Ice Blocks
- Frozen yoghurt, mango or strawberry $1.50
- Vanilla ice cream cups $1.00
- Zooper Doopers (assorted flavours) $0.50
- Ice Mony $0.50

## Drinks
- Bottled water $1.50
- Focus water 350ml, fruit tingle, lemonade and raspberry $1.50
- Pop top 100% juice (Apple, Strawberry or Orange) $1.50
- Milk poppers (chocolate, strawberry or Vanilla) $1.50
- Slushies $2.00

## Treats
- Popcorn $0.50
- Chips $1.00
- Ovalteenies $1.00
- Hello Pandas $0.50
- Ropes $0.50
- Liquorice $0.50
- Baking $0.50
- Salami stick $1.00
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Dear Parents,
Great news! We now have an Occupational Therapist visiting the school every fortnight!!

Occupational Therapists can assist children to enhance their participation at school, home and within the community. LTTS occupational therapists can also help children to improve:

- Gross and fine motor skills (e.g. Running, jumping, playing sport, tying their shoelaces, doing up zippers and using scissors or pencils).
- Visual perception skills (e.g. reading words, identifying letters, forming letters correctly, reading from the board, copying from books or following the steps in their books)
- Concentration and attention (e.g. Finishing work without prompting, sitting in the same place for an activity, or working through an activity from beginning to end)
- Sensory processing and modulation (e.g. Assisting children who wriggle in class; cannot sit still, make lots of noise to themselves when working, do not hear or process instructions given to them verbally, do not like certain textures in material or food, or do not participate in messy play)
- Social skills (e.g. Participating in group activities or leaning to read emotions and social cues)
- Activities of daily living (dressing, eating, toileting or showering)

The Occupational Therapist’s name is Kate Foley and she is with Lifestyle Therapies and Training Solutions. She has been sourced to provided private sessions for children at the school who require occupational therapy support.

If families have younger siblings who are currently accessing therapy outside of the area or the parents are concerned about their child’s development, they may also have the opportunity to access Kate’s services here at school. If you are interested in using this service you are welcome to contact Kate directly (see flyer) or you can talk to me at the school.

Cheers
Vicki Hinrichsen
Support Teacher
REVISION OF FINANCIAL OBLIGATIONS
FORM
This form is to be used when Account Holder financial arrangements change.

School fees and charges are set and published by the school/college each year. Statements are sent to the nominated Account Holder(s).

### Financial Agreement

By choosing and accepting one of the financial arrangement options below, the account holders:

- agree to be Account Holder(s) and accept financial responsibility for the school fees and charges incurred for the enrolment of ____________ STUDENT’S LEGAL NAME
- agree that this arrangement is to be in place from __ __ / __ __ / __ __ __ _ and will apply to the fees and charges incurred from this date until the conclusion of his/her enrolment at the school/college or until a new financial arrangement is made in writing
- have read and accept the School Fees and Collections Policy
- undertake to pay school fees, levies and charges by the due date and understand that it is the responsibility of each Account Holder to approach the school to discuss payment options should difficulties arise meeting this obligation
- understand that as an Account Holder, additional details or changes to details such as addresses and contact numbers, are to be provided via the Additional Contact Person contact form
- understand that as a new Account Holder, the BCE Information Collection Notice must be signed.

### Financial Arrangement Options

Please select one of the following three options

#### Option 1: JOINT AND SEVERAL FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

(Both parties, each of whom are nominated as Account Holders, are jointly and severally responsible)

Where two parties, e.g. a mother and father, assume joint financial responsibility for 100% of the account

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#### Option 2: SOLE FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

(100% responsibility is allocated to one person who is nominated as the Account Holder)

Where only one party, e.g. a mother or a father, assumes financial responsibility for 100% of the account

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Option 3: SPLIT FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY
(Split financial responsibility is allocated to each party. Individual statements are sent to each Account Holder. Where multiple parties are financially responsible for a portion of the account, e.g. mother - 50%, and father - 40%, and a grandmother - 10%.

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Any changes to existing Account Holder contact details and/or new Account Holder contact details are to be provided on the Additional Contact Person form.

New Account Holders should also sign the BCE Information Collection Notice.