



Shannon working at the inquiry centre.

### Principal's Highlights of Kindy / Pre-Primary & Yr. 1

So much good work happens in our classrooms at Saint Joseph's, I thought I would make it a regular habit to share some highlights of the learning/environment in each classroom, from the point of view of the Principal.

Last week, the newsletter outlined our school-wide focus on inquiry learning. I take my hat off to Mrs. Ellis, Mrs. Kelly and Mrs. McRae in KP1, as they have put in a tonne of work to create opportunities for our KP1s to engage in inquiry learning experiences. In the KP1 room, you will notice 'Inquiry Learning Centres', like the one in the above photo. These centres feature a range of interesting objects designed to stimulate student curiosity and to generate 'big questions' worthy of investigation. I must admit, I am very tempted to have a tinker at these inquiry centres myself when no-one's watching!

You might also notice that one of the large pin-up boards in the classroom is dedicated to recording the students thinking around these big questions.

I also recommend that you check out the 'Library Corner' - it looks so inviting and certainly helps us to foster a love of reading in our students.



With so many amazing things happening in our early childhood classroom, I encourage you to pop in for a look, no matter how old your children might be.

### Condolences to the Bendotti & Moynihan families

Our school community has had some sad news this week with the passing of Suzanne's dad and Shelby's granddad - Mick Bendotti. We send out our deepest condolences and prayers to the Moynihan & Bendotti families. Our hearts go out to you during this trying time. May our Lord bless and comfort you and your families during this time of grief.

Mick Bendotti was on St Joseph's first school roll in 1952 and was the 3<sup>rd</sup> student listed. He also was a member of the schools first School Board along with Fr Hubert Kelly in 1976. There have been 3 generations of the Bendotti family attend St Joseph's so far.

*Rosary & Vigil prayers will be held this Friday 14th- 6pm at the Church.  
Requiem Mass will be celebrated @ 1pm Saturday 15th at Sacred Heart Church, followed by the burial at Pemberton Cemetery.  
All are welcome to attend.*



### Class Newsletters

On Monday your child should have brought home the latest Class Newsletter. These are also available on our school website <https://www.stjoespemberton.wa.edu.au/> I hope you enjoyed reading about some of the exciting things that are happening in each class.

### Cross Country Carnival

I would like to wish our students from Year 3-6 the best of luck for the Interschool Cross Country Carnival at East Manjimup Primary School tomorrow. The students have been training hard and I am sure they will show the perseverance and sportsmanship that we expect. Hopefully, they also remember to enjoy the day! Thank you to Mr. Kelly for his work in preparing the students for this event.

### Absentees

It is now a school policy that parents need to contact the school office either by phone or email if their child is going to be absent or late. If your child is absent or hasn't arrived by 9.30am and we haven't heard from you, then you will be contacted by the school to confirm their absence. All absentee notes can be either be sent to the office or emailed to [admin@stj.wa.edu.au](mailto:admin@stj.wa.edu.au) Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

### Saint Joe's Got Talent

Wow, what a fun afternoon we had yesterday, at our Saint Joe's Got Talent event!



Year 5 / 6 Girls  
These girls love to dance...



Amelie & Felicity  
with their musical rendition.



Our own  
Colonel Sanders

### First Communion- Catering and Decoration of Hall

By now, you should have received a note, asking for a contribution of food for the celebration that will follow our First Holy Communion on Sunday the 23rd June. Parents from the Year 2/3 Class will be responsible for coordinating the catering, while Year 4 parents are responsible for the decorating of the Hall. First Communion is a wonderful opportunity for our whole community to celebrate together, so we certainly appreciate your support and willingness to assist. If you are able to help out, please call the school office.

### P & F / School Board Meetings

Please note that next week, we have our P & F and School Board Meetings, on the evening of Wednesday 19th June. The P & F Meeting will be at 5.30pm - all parents are warmly welcome to attend. The Board Meeting will follow at 7.00pm.

### Data Collection Forms

Thank you to those families who have already returned their Data Collection Form, which was attached to last week's newsletter. Just a reminder of the importance of these forms- the information you provide directly influences our school funding. Please submit these to the office by no later than Friday 21st June.

God Bless,  
Brett Wilkie

### Congratulations to all our MJR Award Winners



#### Kindy / PP / Year 1

**Layla Bendotti**

For being a caring and compassionate class member. You like to share your special gifts to help your friends.

#### Years 2 /3

**Lucia Gibellini**

For being a cheerful and friendly member of our class! You always start the day with a positive attitude and consistently go out of your way to help others. We love having you in our class!

#### Year 4

**Edge Van Hazendonk**

For always showing compassion towards your classmates. You appreciate everyone's gift and talents, and love to share your own with us. Keep it up Edge!

#### Years 5/6

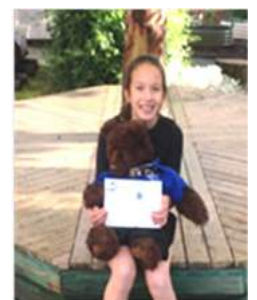
**Kayne Flick**

For always welcoming everyone into the classroom and being a happy and cheerful classmate.

### Joseph the Bear

Well done Adrienne Gibbs 🐻

For your positive attitude towards everything. You are always will to help others and include anyone in your games. You are ALWAYS smiling and if you see someone down you do best to cheer them up. You are a MJR Star!



## From Rose's desk...

### Office Hours:

The office will be attended on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday next week.

## P & F News.....

### Canteen Roster:

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> June Morina Pratt

Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> June Amanda Keough



We appreciate your time and service volunteering in our Canteen. If you are unable to do your rostered day, please contact another parent and arrange a replacement. Thanking you again for your assistance.

## Celebrating their birthday

16<sup>th</sup> June  
Joshua Ebsary

20<sup>th</sup> June  
Isabella Ng



We hope you have a great day

### Winter Uniform

Please students should now be wearing Winter Uniform.

If you require uniform items, please contact our Uniform Co-Ordinator, Jodie Omodei (0427 718 986) or speak to Lisa or Brett in the office.

### WINTER UNIFORM (Term 2 and Term 3)



#### GIRLS

- Blue woollen school jumper with crest
- Tartan pinafore/skirt
- Blue short sleeved shirt
- Navy blue tights
- White ankle socks (if not wearing tights)
- Black lace up school shoes.  
Black buckle girl's school shoes may be worn.

#### BOYS

- Long grey school pants
- Blue woollen school jumper with crest
- Blue short sleeved shirt
- Grey socks
- Black lace up school shoes

## Community News

Bunbury Regional YouthCARE Council  
presents

### MAGGIE DENT

Real Kids in an Unreal World  
(10 Resilience Building Blocks)

**JULY 31, 2019 - 6-8PM**  
Bunbury Regional Entertainment Centre

Are you worried, confused or concerned about parenting in today's chaotic world? Children need to have certain basic experiences to build the competencies that will help them manage life -- the good, the bad and the ugly. Maggie has developed a common-sense, practical model of 10 building blocks that will reassure parents and educators that what we have always known to be important in the early years of a child's life is still important. This seminar will offer you practical, common-sense ideas and strategies to make small changes in your home or school, which will make a big difference to children's cognitive, physical, psychological, emotional and social health later in life.

**Tickets: \$30**  
Tickets on sale at  
[www.bunburyentertainment.com](http://www.bunburyentertainment.com)  
Times: 6pm-8pm  
Register interest at:  
[www.facebook.com/ChooseRespectBunbury](http://www.facebook.com/ChooseRespectBunbury)

This event is a fundraiser to support the vital contribution of YouthCARE to schools in the South West.



**YouthCARE**  
Chaplaincy

### WHAT'S COMING UP?

**Fri 14<sup>th</sup>** Cross Country Event  
East Manji Primary

**Wed 19<sup>th</sup>** School Board and  
P & F Meetings

**Sun 23<sup>rd</sup>** First Holy Communion  
Sacred Heart Church  
10.30 am

### Bedwetting Program Information for Parents



#### About the Bedwetting Program

The WA Country Health Service Bedwetting Program helps children between the ages of 5½ and 17 years who wet the bed more than twice a week. This is a common problem which can be treated.

The Bedwetting Program runs over 6 – 8 weeks, with specialised support provided by a community health nurse. The nurse meets fortnightly with the parent and child to help achieve night-time dryness. Children learn to take responsibility for staying dry at night, with support and praise from their parents.

#### What to expect

Families need to attend weekly appointments for 6 – 8 weeks, and use the mat and alarm system as instructed by the nurse. The child commits to being responsible for drinking a healthy amount of water, setting the alarm, waking up, changing sheets and keeping a record of their progress. Children learn to wake up to a full bladder and to take responsibility for their behaviour.

The parent's role is to support, praise and encourage.

#### Getting started

The Bedwetting Program requires parents and child to be ready to commit to the Program. Success **depends on the child being ready and motivated to stay dry.**

The first step is to make an appointment with a doctor for a check-up and referral. **Families cannot be considered for the program until the referral form is returned.**

When the referral form has been completed by the doctor, parents can make phone **9772 5258** to be put on the waitlist for their first appointment at the Warren Health Service.

Julia Green

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#### Other help and information

- Australian Continence Foundation – [professional information](#)
- Raising Children's Network - [www.raisingchildren.net.au](http://www.raisingchildren.net.au)

### Southern Stage Performing Arts Studio

Southern Stage Performing Arts Studio  
Incorporated offers:

Jazz, Tap, Ballet, Lyrical, Hip Hop, Musical  
Theatre, Acrobatics and Adult Burlesque  
Classes.

Classes are for ages 2 years to Adults and we  
run the same as the school terms.

A great, fun way to keep fit and make new  
friends. Enquire today.

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