



### Our Year 2,3 and 4 students performing at the Senior Citizens Lunch

#### Carols Concert and Awards Night

Last night, we enjoyed another wonderful Carols Concert and Awards night, where we were able to celebrate as a community another successful year, while enjoying some thrilling performances and acknowledging some worthy award winners. Concerts like these don't just happen by magic- a lot of work by a lot of generous people is required. While there are far too many people who assisted to name them all, I would like to particularly acknowledge Danny Bendotti, who gave up so much time to help with the sound mixing, Kirby and Kylie Bendotti for coordinating the catering and Deanne Ventris for being so accommodating in making the Mill Hall available and assisting in various ways. I hope everyone enjoyed the night as much as I did!

#### Term Dates 2020

For those who like to plan ahead, students will need to be at school for the following term dates in 2020:

##### TERM 1:

Begins for students: Monday 3rd February  
Last day for students: Wednesday 8th April

##### TERM 2:

Begins for students: Tuesday 28th April  
Last day for students: Thursday 1st July  
In-Term Pupil Free Days: Friday 1st May & Tuesday 2nd June

##### TERM 3:

Begins for students: Tuesday 21st July  
Last day for students: Friday 25th September

##### TERM 4:

Begins for students: Monday 12th October  
Last day for students: Friday 11th December



*Respect  
Compassion  
Safety  
Responsibility*

*12 December 2019*

#### Academic Reports, Booklist, Yearbook

Today, your child should bring home a package containing some important items, namely the 2019 Yearbook, the Booklist for 2020 and your child's Semester Two Academic Report. If you have any questions about the Booklist, please don't hesitate to ask. Next week, staff will be available at times to discuss your child's report, should you have any questions or concerns. Please contact the office to arrange an appointment.

#### Year 6 Assembly

Sadly, tomorrow we farewell our beloved Year 6 students. While we are sad to see them go, we are very proud of the young people they have become and we know that great things lie ahead for each one of them. They will perform what promises to be a highly entertaining Assembly at 2.20pm tomorrow in the School Hall. All are welcome to attend to send them off in style!

#### Thank You and Happy Holidays

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all students, parents and staff of our wonderful school for all of their efforts in ensuring that 2019 was such a successful year. St Joe's is such a unique and special community and I do not take for granted the opportunity that I have to be involved with such an exceptional school. Thank you to each of our families for your contributions in 2019. May you have a safe, happy and restful Christmas and holiday period and we look forward with enthusiasm to the 2020 school year!

God Bless,  
Brett Wilkie

## From Rose's desk...

### Office Hours:

The office will be attended Friday this week, Monday, Wednesday & Thursday next week. The School office will re-open on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> January 2020.

Thank you.

### Absentee Notes:

Today some families received an absentee note. Please complete, sign and return to the School office by tomorrow, Friday 13<sup>th</sup> December. We required to have written notes for all absentees. Thank you for your cooperation.

### Celebrating their birthday

Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> December  
Adrienne Gibbs

Monday 17<sup>th</sup> December  
Shelby Bendotti

Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> December  
Lucia Gibellini

Monday 13<sup>th</sup> January  
Jayden Sawyer

Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> January  
Layla Bendotti

Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> January  
Jesse Lin

Friday 31<sup>st</sup> January  
Marcus Pratt



We hope you have a great day

### Congratulations to all our 2019 Award Recipients



Kindy / PP / Year 1 Christian Living  
*Hannah Thomas*

Years 2 /3 Christian Living  
*Neva Kelly*

Year 4 Christian Living  
*Adrienne Gibbs*

Years 5/6 Christian Living  
*Cassandra Ebsary*

2019  
**CITIZENSHIP AWARD**  
Presented to  
*Sienna Vesela*

2019  
**ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT AWARD**  
Presented to  
*Gaia Kelly*

### WHAT'S COMING UP?

Fri 13 Year 6 Assembly 2.20pm  
Last Day for Students

Mon Feb 3 Students Return to School

### CHRISTMAS MASS TIMES

**Christmas Eve 6.00pm** Northcliffe. St Joseph's Church, Wheatley Coast Rd.

**Christmas Eve 6.00pm** Manjimup. St Joseph's Church, cnr Ipsen & Moore St.

**Christmas Day 9.00am** Pemberton. Sacred Heart Church, cnr Guppy & Dean St

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# 2019 ST JOSEPH'S SCHOOL CONCERT AND CHRISTMAS CAROL EVENING



**CHRISTMAS CAROLS**  
**SUNDAY**  
**22<sup>ND</sup> DEC 2019**  
**6.30PM**  
**PEMBERTON MILL HALL**



### St Vinnies Annual Christmas Appeal

Can you help the St Vinnies' annual Christmas appeal? We are calling for the donation of non-perishable goods for hampers for people in need. Goods can be left at the school office and they will be passed onto St Vinnies.

One or two small items from each family will go a long way to make a difference to families!

Thank you for your kind donations.

**BRING AND SHARE SUPPER**

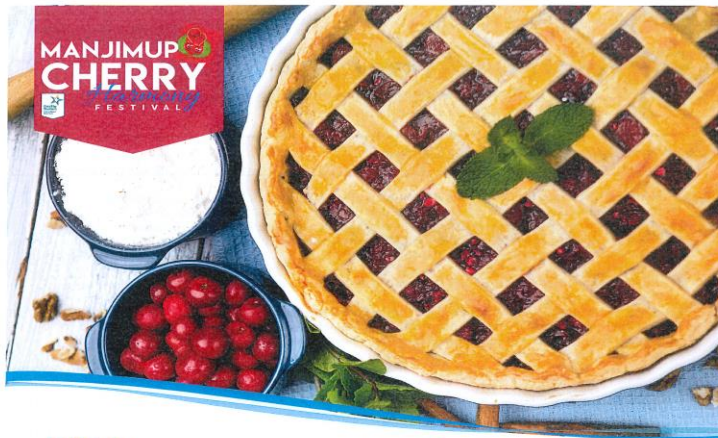
### CHRISTMAS SERVICES

ANGLICAN CHURCH MANJIMUP 9.30AM

UNITING CHURCH CHRISTMAS EVE NORTHCLIFFE

CATHOLIC CHURCH CHRISTMAS DAY 9AM





## 2019 CHERRY PIE COMPETITION

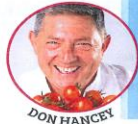
The great bake off is on again, calling all bakers to enter their favourite Cherry Pie.

FREE to Enter | Enter as many times as you like  
Visit Déjà Vu Café to pick up your Entry Form 79 Giblett Street, Manjimup.  
Judged by Derek Lau, Don Hancey, Paula Benson & Diane Milentis.

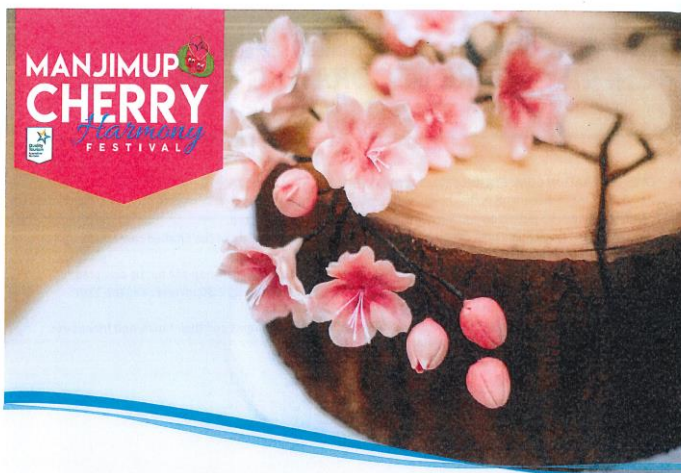
**Entries close on Friday 13th December 2019**

For Terms and Conditions including the pastry recipe, visit Déjà Vu Café for an official Entry Form. Pies must be delivered to Déjà Vu Café (79 Giblett Street, Manjimup) by 2:30pm on Friday the 13th December. Late Entries will not be accepted. Judging will commence at 3:00pm with the winner to be announced and presented with a prize by sponsors thereafter. Pies become the property of the Cherry Festival to be used where required.

Thanks to our sponsors:



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## Cake Decorating COMPETITION - 2019

FREE to enter | Enter as many times as you like

**"CHERRY THEME"**

Visit Déjà Vu Café to pick up your Entry Form: 79 Giblett Street, Manjimup  
Judged by Derek Lau, Don Hancey, Paula Benson and Joy Phillips.

For Terms and Conditions visit Déjà Vu Café for an Official Entry Form or download one from the festival website ([cherryfestival.com.au](http://cherryfestival.com.au)).

Cakes must be delivered to Déjà Vu Café (79 Giblett Street, Manjimup) by 2:30pm on Friday 13th December 2019. Late Entries will not be accepted. Judging will commence at 3:00pm with the winner to be announced and presented with a prize thereafter.

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THANKS TO OUR SPONSOR: Terry Redman MLA for Warren-Blackwood

## This weekend sees Manjimup Town Centre's big weekend for the Manjimup Cherry Harmony Festival!

On Saturday, the CBD area is closed to traffic and the place is swarming with people seeking food, wine, fresh cherries and entertainment.

On Friday evening we are so lucky to have The Company to give a **FREE** concert.. The concert is being sponsored by the Shire of Manjimup as part of the **Brockman Block Party** event to celebrate the mega revamp of Brockman Street. Official opening is 6.00, concert starts 6.30. Food and refreshments will be available.

On this tour, **The Company** - Brisbane's Guitar guru Jamie Clark, North Queensland native Michael Patrick, with his deft tenor vocal and mandolin wizardry and Norwegian born double bassist Markus Karlsen will be joined by local legend, Andrew Winton.

## The bluegrass music continues the next day with an **Afters Party** at Tall Timbers!

Everyone is invited along to enjoy the music by Fremantle based bluegrass band The Lost Followers. **Saturday 14th 6.30-8.30pm.**

Outside of this great music, and apart from all the food, fun, stalls, local shops and entertainment and cherries, the amazing PowerUp Energy Museum will be open to the public for the first time - 9-5 Saturday and 9-3 Sunday.

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