# PARENTS ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER

## AUGUST 2016

### Newsletter 06/16

### Upcoming Events in Term 3 and Term 4

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### Term 4

- Kids Disco: 5:30-7:00PM - Juniors
- 7:30-9:00PM – Seniors
- PA Google Doc Training 7:15PM*
- Father Son Camp at “The Summit” in Trafalgar East
- 2017 Foundation Welcome Mass
- Subway Lunch
- World Teachers Day
- End of Term Sausage Sizzle

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Hello All,

I can’t believe we’re nearly at the end of term three! It has been a jam-packed year so far with so many events and activities successfully delivered to our growing school community, and more are yet to come! I can’t find enough words to express my gratitude to all the parents who help our Association in so many different ways: contributing ideas, offering their time, taking on tasks and responsibilities, and essentially helping out and feeling part of this close-knit vibrant community we have here at Sacred Heart. I am very proud of it all.

*The PA training session on Google Docs* that was scheduled for Tuesday 2nd of August did not take place as planned because the internet was down at our school. This has been rescheduled and it will now be held on Friday 7 October at 7:15PM in the school library. The training session will be delivered by our Vice President Rob Gardiner.

Why are we doing this? You may ask. Well, early on this year I realised that one reason why many parents who would love to help out at events don’t end up actually becoming involved is because of all the unknown factors, the many questions like “how do I know what I’m supposed to do?” will I be good enough?” and “what if” – and in fact, these are all valid questions. So we decided that it was time to write up sets of instructions and procedures for each of the events that we hold throughout the year, collect them and save them in a shared location accessible by all. This year, part of the behind-the-scenes activity has been precisely this task of collating and storing documents.

The evening is open to all parents who are already organising events, and to those who would like to become involved in the future but are not familiar with Google Docs. Google Docs is an ‘on the cloud’ file storage and synchronization service created by Google. Depending on the level of access granted, users can either browse, or store files, share files, and edit documents, spreadsheets, images and lots more. In essence, Google Docs will be the repository of all our PA documents for years to come.

The use of Google Drive will be in addition to the current use of Skoolbag.

Noura

**RECENT EVENTS**

**Pot & Parma Dads’ Night**

Thank you to Terry and Vicky Sotiriou for organising this night which turned out to be a very successful evening with sixteen dads participating, it was a really enjoyable night.

A note from the organiser:

I would like to thank all the dads who attended the pot & Parma night, it was a fantastic turn out. Good to see new faces & hope we can increase the attendance for the following year.

Terry Sotiriou

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

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Father’s Day Stalls will be on Tuesday 30th & Wednesday 31st August. Children will have the opportunity to purchase a special gift, this year we have some great gifts to suit every Dad/Grandad - from quality bamboo nail brushes, travel mugs, shaving kits, silk ties, bamboo notebooks/pens sets and men’s hankies. Plus more... The quality is fantastic and all products will be on display in the front office two weeks before the Father’s Day stall to give everyone the opportunity to see them.
Please remember your child can only purchase 2 gifts on the first day so that every child can have the chance to purchase a gift. On Wednesday at recess, the stall will sell the remaining items to anyone who forgot their money on the Tuesday, or who wants to buy more for Dad, Grandpa or that someone who’s special to you!
We will need parent helpers for the stalls, so if you can spare two hours on the Tuesday morning or one hour on the Wednesday at recess, we would love to hear from you.
Please contact Priscilla Hansen 0473 427 820 or Lisa Matusewicz 0408 599 998.

Fathers Day Stall 2016

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<td>Fathers’ Day Cards (hand-made by Christina)</td>
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<td>Table Lantern with bug-off citronella candle (Blue or Clear)</td>
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Father’s Day Breakfast – Raffle Gifts: We require a little help with the Fathers Day Breakfast Raffle Gifts. These gifts are usually donated by parents, and are then raffled off on the breakfast day. So we are in need of some donations. These can be anything from a box of chocolates, a bottle of wine, a voucher, a book, beauty products etc..... Any gift is a great gift. These donated gifts can be placed in a box in the office.

Father’s Day Breakfast is on Friday 2nd of September. The invitation form has already been distributed and is due back by Monday 29 August. A lot of work is already under way by a large group of volunteer parents, including Noura Atluri, Athena Impala, Christina Conforti and Cecilia Schock, so please remember to complete the slip at the bottom of the form indicating your availability. We will also be requiring assistance with setting up of the hall on Thursday 1st September from 2pm. A notice will be sent out next week.

Subway Lunch – Tuesday 6th September: Forms have gone out and are due back on Friday 19th August. Thank you to Maria Raucci and Bianca Taylor for organising this special lunch for our children.

End of Term Sausage Sizzle – Fri 16th September: Thank you to Nicole and Dave Cochrane who are back on deck to run this favourite event, and this time it will also be Footy Day! Children can come to school wearing the colours of their favourite team.

Kids Disco will be on Friday 7th October which is the end of week one in term four, more information will be sent out in early September. Thank you to Claire Scanlon and Lori Turner for coordinating this favourite event.

Father Son Camp this year is on Saturday and Sunday 22 & 23 October and it will be at “The Summit” in Trafalgar East, the same location as last year due to the overwhelming positive feedback received. The cost will also be the same as last year: $145 per person. The camp is being organised by Russell and Romilla James. More information and a participation form will be distributed in early September so stay tuned!

The 2nd hand uniform shop is well stocked and ready for the change of season in term 4; you have two more opportunities this term to find that bargain for your children, on Friday 26 August and Friday 9 September from 2:30 to 3:20PM. Opening times in term four will continue to be on alternate Fridays from 2:30 to 3:20PM.

Thank you to the Lisa Matsewicz, Kate Withwell and Veronique Moutia for their on-going work at the shop.

Footy Tipping Competition Update with just 2 rounds to go, it is extremely tight at the top of the ladder, with at least half our entrants still in strong contention for a share of the prize pool and the school administration leading the way. Current standings are as follows –

1st Marion Casserly – 132
2nd & 3rd – Brian Martin & Aisha Whitwell – 131
"TheHeart"
Open all week!
Monday afternoon at 3:00pm
Tuesday to Friday
8:30am - 3:30pm
Stay for a cuppa after morning drop off
or shelter from the cold at school pick up time

**Ask for a key at the Office if the hall door is closed**

Please mention our school number: 200 when buying from any of these locations 5% of all sales are donated back to the school.

Bakers Delight
We’re for real.
Chadstone Oakleigh Links Oakleigh

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