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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Once again thank you so much for the way you have all adapted to this new way of schooling for term 2. On behalf of the staff we appreciate the support you are giving your children to complete the set tasks. We also appreciate the feedback that you are providing to us. It helps us fine tune the process and also know where we are doing well.

Each week you will receive an email with your child/rens weekly timetable. This will be sent at the end of the week and you will have it by Saturday at the latest. Please look out for the email that will be coming from CareMonkey.

Please be mindful that it is still a legal requirement for us to mark the roll each morning. If your child is in Foundation-Grade 2 you will need to submit the Remote Schooling Attendance eform which can be found on skoolbag. If your child is in Grade 3-6 they will need to mark attendance via their google classroom

Fete

In these extremely difficult times we have made the decision to cancel our Fete for 2020. This is not a decision that we have made lightly. We understand that the Fete is not until November and this pandemic could be over by then, however as you know there is an enormous amount of preparation to be completed before then.

We also rely heavily on the generosity of our local businesses who support us with sponsorship and donations for the spinning wheel as well as other goods and services to help make the day a success. As we all know many of these businesses are either currently closed or operating on limited opening hours.

Once this pandemic has passed, they will need time to get back on their feet and we believe it is time for not only the St Joe's community but all those community members who would normally attend our fete to get behind these local businesses and help get them back on their feet.

We thank you for your understanding and look forward to making our 2021 Fete bigger and better than ever.



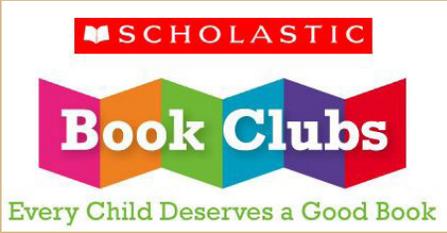
PRAYER TO THE VIRGIN MARY FOR THE PROTECTION FROM CORONAVIRUS

O Mary, you shine continuously on our journey as a sign of salvation and hope. **We entrust ourselves to you**, Health of the Sick. At the foot of the Cross you participated in Jesus' pain, with steadfast faith. You, Salvation of the Roman People, know what we need. We are certain that you will provide, so that, as you did at Cana of Galilee, joy and feasting might return after this moment of trial. **Help us, Mother of Divine Love**, to conform ourselves to the Father's will and to do what Jesus tells us: He who took our sufferings upon Himself, and bore our sorrows to bring us, through the Cross, to the joy of the Resurrection. Amen.

We seek refuge under your protection, O Holy Mother of God. Do not despise our pleas – we who are put to the test – and **deliver us from every danger**, O glorious and blessed Virgin.

Prayer by Pope Francis

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Bookclub

We are lucky to have continued access to book club even in these different times. To access the virtual catalogue go to this link <http://scholastic.e-newsletter.com.au/pub/pubType/EO/pubID/zzzz5e95317b77d9b555/interface.html> all orders can then be placed via scholastic loop as normal. When the orders arrive at school and are sorted we will let you know so that you can pick them up.

Newsletter

We will continue to put out our newsletter every fortnight, we will try to include ideas and experiences from our students who are remote schooling and help everyone ease into this new way of learning, you might have something to share or you might get some ideas about how to change the way you do things! Each fortnight we will feature a different class or level.

This fortnight we are featuring our Foundation students.

Harry, Sunny, Tommy and Peyton have been working hard at home. Mrs Kratz has been keeping her morning message to the kids fun with different animals and characters appearing each day. 'Well done to all students and parents, you are all doing an amazing job and I am proud of the way everyone is working and progressing through all tasks.' Mrs Kratz

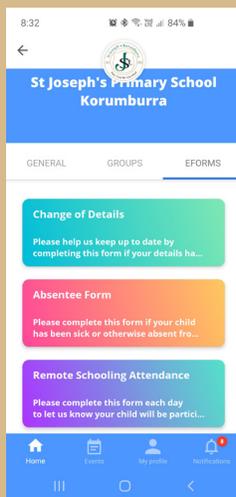
Next fortnight we will feature our 5/6 students, if you would like to send us a picture or sample of your work for the newsletter please email it to office@sjkorumburra.catholic.edu.au





How to log attendance

Skoolbag:



Google Classroom:



ANZAC Day

This Saturday is ANZAC Day. Students will have lessons in this week or next week's plan focusing on the significance of this day. The RSL usually attends our school service and our school captains would normally attend the Dawn Service at Coleman Park. Sadly this year we are unable to do either of these ceremonies. However you can commemorate from home by taking part in the #standto movement. From your driveway, or within your home, at 5.55am let us all 'stand to' and remember.

This gesture is a sign of gratitude and respect for all our fallen soldiers and for all the people who fought for our amazing country.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EMFf4y_d4GU&feature=emb_share&fbclid=IwAR0wUhHmWPKaDugQ13nWlp14vELxH5mVnWa8cl9C2koLBVno-yQb7gGY4ZY

LEST WE FORGET

Enrolments

2021 enrolments are now open. If you have a child starting foundation next year or know someone who does please contact the office. Expression of interest forms and enrolment forms can be collected at the office or emailed directly to you. Please contact us at office@sjkorumburra.catholic.edu.au



2021 Enrolments now open!

St Joseph's are now taking 2021 enrolments.

Our office is still open daily between 9am-3:30pm, all enrolment forms and information can be downloaded from our website: sjkorumburra.catholic.edu.au

For more information contact us via email:
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