“Remember we are but travellers here”  St Mary MacKillop (1873)

Dear Friends of the St Joseph’s Community,

A big thank you to all parents/carers for returning their interview times notes so quickly. This has helped us immensely in meeting your preferred time and day.

Next week on Thursday many students will be heading down to Bega to participate in the Zone Athletics carnival. We wish all of our students the very best of luck in their event.

Next week work is planned to commence on a major upgrade of the wireless internet connection within the school. There will be minor disruptions to class programs from Wednesday through to Friday, although we will work to keep these disruptions to a minimum. This upgrade will allow all staff and students to benefit from an exceptionally fast internet connection.

All Parents/Carers who collect their children from school are asked to exercise the utmost care and caution when walking from the school to the car park. Walking between buses is not recommended for obvious reasons.

Enjoy your weekend,

Mr Paul Bennett
Acting Principal

Dates to remember:

1-3 August 2016
Parent Teacher Meetings

3 August 2016
2017 Kinder Orientation 10.30—11.50am

4 August 2016
Southern Districts Athletics Bega

22 August 2016
BOOK WEEK

25 August
Book Fair Parade

Notes and Information sent home this week:

Bega Athletics Note for Qualifying Students—due back Monday 1 August
Parent/Teacher Interview Times
2017 Kinder Orientation Information
Head lice note

Lost Property

Lost property is overflowing with jumpers and tracksuit pants. If your child is missing a jumper please visit reception, the basket is located in the foyer.
The Infant's class have been very busy investigating 2D shapes during Numeracy Sessions. The children were able to identify and describe the different shapes that exist in our environment during a schoolyard tour.

Back inside the classroom, they have been immersed in creating fantastic 2D shapes through experimentation with geoboards and making their own shapes out of coloured paper. As you can see in the photos there were some fantastic results.

Mrs Marsha Sten
Infants Teacher
Bombala JRL – Auction Night

27 August 2016 at 19.00
Globe Hotel

Auction items include fully signed jerseys from the Sharks, Cowboys, Bulldogs and Raiders. Tons of wood, signed CDs and more.

MASS TIMES:

Saturday, 30th July 6 p.m. BOMBALA; Mass
Sunday, 31st July 6 p.m. DELEGATE Mass

Wednesday 3rd August, 9.30 am Mass Bombala
Saturday, 6th August, 5 pm DELEGATE Liturgy of the Word & Holy Communion
Sunday, 7th August, 9 am BOMBALA Liturgy of the Word & Holy Communion

Wednesday, 10th August No Mass Bombala

Public Education in Bombala

Current and future parents of Bombala High and Bombala Public Schools are being invited to a meeting next Tuesday (2 August) which aims to start a community conversation about the future provision of public education in Bombala.

The local Director Public Schools NSW, Matthew Brown, who will be the special guest, said the meeting is open to the entire schools communities. Mr Brown said he is looking forward to talking with parents, students and members of the school community in this conversation. At the meeting you will be encouraged to give advice, make comments and ask questions.

The meeting will be held at 6:00pm on Tuesday, 2 August in the Bombala High School Hall.

July/August Birthdays

JULY
21—Mrs Noeleen O’Neill
23—Indiana White
29—Joshua Tellis
30—Mary Ventry

AUGUST
2—Ruby Smith
4—Mathew Reed & Brylie Stewart
12—Max Smith
19—Oliver Bruce