Dear Parents and Carers,

Traffic Report

It would seem that there are a number of parents out there who may have missed our information in recent newsletters and emails regarding the temporary parking arrangements in place during the building work. So, my apologies to those parents and carers who have already read our updates and have been cooperating with our revised traffic procedures, but we need to keep publicising the new arrangements so that hopefully all parents will be aware and therefore compliant - for the sake of the children’s safety. The current arrangements are as follows:

1. In the afternoons, a temporary drive-thru is operating in Tudor Avenue, outside the church, between the two driveways. There are 4 numbered marker cones on the verge to designate the pick-up bays. We are trying to get children into the habit of moving from the church steps to stand by the cone to be picked-up when they see their parent’s car coming forward in the queue.

2. We would ask that parents do not pick up their children back near the bus stop area, as this prevents the queue from moving forward and on some afternoons has caused the queue to back up beyond the “No Standing” sign and even back through the roundabout, almost causing gridlock.

3. In the afternoons, the basketball courts are available for parents to park and collect their children. Staff on duty will supervise children crossing across to exit out the pedestrian gate. This area is not being well utilised at present with an average of only around 10 vehicles parking there on any day. The basketball courts could easily accommodate 25-30 cars and significantly ease the pressure on Tudor Avenue. Please consider this option.

4. There is no parking or drop-off in the school grounds in the mornings! The church car park gates are only open for staff to enter and park.

5. There is no parking, drop-off or pick-up in the driveway in Tribute Street. This area is to remain clear at all times. It is the only access available for deliveries and services to the school. Street parking only is available in Tribute Street.

I am aware that yesterday afternoon a Shire Ranger was present at home time and issued several cautions to parents. We received several complaints from parents regarding this, so let me be very clear about this issue. We do not have any control or influence over City of Canning Rangers, Officers, Parking Inspectors or other employees. If you have a complaint about a parking ranger, please contact the City of Canning - not us! Let me also be perfectly clear - it is not our fault or responsibility if you are fined for a breach of parking or traffic regulations enforced by the City of Canning. It is every parent’s responsibility to ensure that they park, stand and move their vehicle in a manner that is compliant with current traffic and parking regulations and laws.

As I have explained previously, the current short-term inconvenience caused by our building project and the resultant reduced parking and traffic flow, is so that we can develop new and improved facilities at Queenies, which will benefit not only our present children and families but also future generations of children. The disruption is unavoidable. We accept and acknowledge that there will be some degree of inconvenience caused to many of our families, but we cannot...
change that. We ask that all parents and carers show due consideration, patience and tolerance for the changed conditions. Accept that you may have to park further away and walk an extra 100m to school; accept that you may not be able to pick-up and go by 3.02 pm; accept that your children are safe and supervised, so there is no need for everyone to be here right on 3.00 pm; accept that you could do pick-up at 3.15 when all the queues have disappeared; accept the fact that there is plenty of parking available on the basketball courts in the afternoons - with zero risk of fines!

Once again, I would really like to thank those parents who do read the newsletters and emails sent out and who have been very understanding and tolerant of the disruptions. It has come to our attention that there are many grandparents or other family relations who do pick-up or drop-off in the afternoons and mornings and that many of these extended family members have not read the newsletters and don’t receive our emails, so they have no idea of the arrangements we are trying to put in place. I would therefore ask that parents and carers please make sure anyone else doing drop-off or pick-up is aware of how we want to operate. This will avoid the embarrassment of staff having to stop or intercede to prevent them doing the wrong thing!

**Who’s in Charge?**

Next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday Mrs. Galbraith, Mr. Wylie and myself will be attending the National Catholic Education Commission Conference, to be held here in Perth. The National Catholic Education Commission is the peak body representing all Catholic school systems right across Australia. These conferences are only held every 5 years and with over 1,300 delegates attending next week, it is a very valuable opportunity for those involved in Catholic education to come together and share new ideas, developments, strategies, trends, challenges, opportunities and hear from a range of world-class national and international speakers and presenters.

In our absence for the three days, Miss Fiona Messer will be in charge of the school. If there is an urgent or critical matter that cannot wait for three days, then please contact Mrs. Healey in the office to arrange a time to meet with Fiona. Otherwise, Mrs. Galbraith, Mr. Wylie and myself will be happy to deal with your issues when we return next Thursday.

**Eagles Cup Sport This Friday!**

Good luck to all our Year 5 & 6 students competing in the Eagles Cup Interschool Sport Competition against teams from All Saints College in Bullcreek. All Saints is the venue for all the matches.

**Lightning Carnival**

Next Tuesday 21 June, our intrepid sportspeople will be competing in a Lightning Carnival against teams from several other schools in the region. We will have teams competing in netball, AFL football and soccer. Good luck to all our Year 5 & 6 students competing next week, I know you’ll be great representatives for our school.

Peace and best wishes,

Shaun O’Neill
Principal
Mass
Thank you to the 2.2 class for the lovely Mass they prepared for us today. The theme of friendship reminded us all of how special our friends are and how we can look after each other. Some of the values of a great friend the Year Two children shared with us are: trustworthy; thoughtful; inspiring; encouraging; welcoming; positive, understanding; patient; generous ...
Thank you to all the parents and family members who celebrated this Mass with us.

St Vincent de Paul Appeal
There has been a number of refugees who have arrived in our local community recently, and many agencies have been overwhelmed in trying to supply the children with school uniforms, school stationery and bags. We are appealing to our families for donations to assist these families who have arrived with nothing.

If you are able to make a donation of money or stationery (pencil cases, pens, pencils, rulers, calculators, files etc), it would be appreciated. These donations can be left at the Office.

Confirmation Photos
Confirmation photos are available to view and order online at: www.prophotobooth.com.au.
The passcode is: qa327. Please support this, as it ensures we will continue to have a photographer come each year to photograph these Sacraments.

Russell Wylie and Julie Galbraith
Assistant Principals

IMPORTANT - Are You Report Ready?

An electronic copy of your child’s progress report will be available on SEQTA Engage on the afternoon of Wednesday 29 June. It is important that you are able to access SEQTA Engage to be able to download and/or print a copy of your child’s report. Paper copies will not be issued by the school. If you cannot access SEQTA Engage please contact the school office.

To check if you are report ready go to: https://qoa.coneqt-p.cathednet.wa.edu.au/ Please click on this link to see you get to the appropriate web page.

Work sample folders will also come home on this day. Please take the time to go through the work your child has completed and see the progress they have made during their first semester of this school year.
Hi to all my wonderful school bankers,
This is just a brief message to let you know that unfortunately there will be no school banking this Friday, 17 June. School banking will recommence on Friday, 24 June.

Please also note that I have just received word from the Commonwealth Bank that due to the Flying Snake Tails’ popularity this item is now no longer available. There are still many rewards to choose from and it won’t be long until the ‘Term 3’ rewards will be available to order.

As always if you have any questions regarding School Banking or are interested in signing your child up for school banking, please do not hesitate to send me an email at harrisonfamily4@iinet.net.au

Warmest regards and keep up with the great saving kids!

Mrs Nikki Harrison

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**Wear Your Football Colours Day**

Queen of Apostles will be hosting a “Wear-your-Football-Colours-Day” to raise vital funds for children with cancer this **Friday 17th June 2016**.

The chosen charity is the Princess Margaret Hospital Foundation (PMH Foundation). The PMH Foundation raises funds for vital medical equipment, supports research and provides specialist staff and services at the hospital to make it better for the children in WA.

The “Wear-Your-Football-Colours-Day” will allow students to wear their favourite AFL, netball, soccer or rugby jerseys for the entire day for a gold coin donation.

Looking forward to seeing everyone wearing their football colours with pride and help raise money for a worthy cause.
SCHOOL PHOTO DAY IS COMING!

Photos will be taken in Week 2 of Term 3 on Wednesday 27th and Thursday 28th July.

Approximately two weeks prior to the photo day every student will receive a Kapture Photography order envelope to bring home. The recommended method of ordering your photos is online through Kapture’s website as your payment is secure and can be easily verified at any time. Alternatively you can pay by cash and return the provided envelope to the school on the photography day. **If you place your order online please DO NOT return your envelope to school.**

Any parent who forgets or is unable to supply their envelope on the photo day will have five (5) days to complete an order online. Late payment envelopes cannot be accepted by the school office or by Kapture.

You also have the option to order a sibling photo package online, however please be aware there may be a limited number of sibling orders that can be placed due to time constraints on photo day. We suggest you place your online sibling order as early as possible to avoid disappointment.

Please note sibling orders close @ midday sharp Tuesday 26 July 2016

Kapture offer a money back guarantee for any parent who is not fully satisfied with their photo package. Should you have any queries before or after photo day, please direct them to the Kapture office on 9240 1714 or email enquiries@kapture.com.au.

All students will be photographed individually on photo day for school administration records AS WELL as included in their class group photo available for purchase to all families. Should there be any reason why your child should **NOT be included in the photo shoot** – please contact the school office.

Sport at Queenies

Lap Running Returns!

In the lead-up to our Faction Cross Country Carnival and Littlies Lapathon, lap running before school will make a return - beginning next Wednesday 22nd June at 8.15am on the Annex oval. Students from all ages can build their stamina or simply walk and talk their way around the oval and have their 'lap card' signed off by our Year 6 helpers. Each participant earns a point for their faction to go towards the bonus points shield.

Teachers, parents, grandparents and toddlers are welcome too.

Lap running will continue every Monday, Wednesday and Friday until the cross country carnival on Monday 25 July.

Upcoming sports dates for your calendar:

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Eagles Cup

Congratulations to all our teams for their efforts last Friday. From all accounts our teams are improving, and continuing to enjoy getting out and playing their chosen sport. We had wins in the football and Netball B, C and D.

This Friday 17th June all our matches are at All Saints College, off Ewing St, Bull Creek at 1.30pm.

We hope to see some of our supporters there to cheer us on!
Queen of Apostles School
Disco Guidelines

Please read the rules of the disco. To maintain the duty of care and ensure the safety and enjoyment of all children the following rules must be followed.

Rules:

• All children must be signed in by a parent. Children at the K - 2 event must be supervised by a parent for the duration of the disco.
• At the 3 - 6 disco parents will be requested to provide a contact number in case of emergency.
• Younger siblings and students not enrolled at Queen of Apostles are not permitted inside the hall for the duration of the disco. Very young siblings may enter with a parent, but must remain seated in a stroller or similar.
• Students must follow the reasonable instructions of supervisors.
• Supervisors will ask any child who is running or behaving in an inappropriate manner to stop, and may ask them to leave the dance floor if they do not comply.
• Students from Year 3 - Year 6 are not permitted inside the hall during the Junior Disco. Likewise, students from Kindy - Year 2 are not allowed inside the hall during the Senior Disco.
• Students are not permitted to leave the disco for its duration unless accompanied by a parent.
• Students are not permitted to roam through the car park, on the oval or between the school buildings before or after either disco.

Please note:

• It is also important to be aware that parent volunteers are there to ensure the smooth running of the event and not there to supervise students.
• The entry fee of $3 covers the cost of drinks, snacks and one glow stick per child.

I ________________________________ am able to assist with the P & F Disco on 17 June.

My child is in Year ______ and I am able to assist with the: □ K - 2 Disco □ 3 - 6 Disco

Email: ____________________________ Mobile: ____________________________

Please return to the school office by 16 June.

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**Entertainment Memberships Are Here!**

Please support our Term 2 fund raiser. $13 from every membership sold goes to our P&F, which is then used towards equipment and events for our children.


If you prefer to pay cash (books only) there will be a stall outside the library every Wednesday after school.

There are loads of restaurants, cafes and attractions included in this year’s membership, including a whole Bali section. You can preview the book by following this link: [http://www.entertainmentbook.com.au/about/Tell-me-More/Perth#FLICKBOOK](http://www.entertainmentbook.com.au/about/Tell-me-More/Perth#FLICKBOOK)

If you have any questions, please call Deanne Strommen on 0407 986 269.

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**Yummy Sushi**

On Friday 1st July, 2016 the children will be able to order sushi for their lunch. Please fill out choices below. Each pack of sushi will have 5 pieces.

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**TOTAL SUSHI PACKS: __________**  **AMOUNT ENCLOSED: $__________**

Order form and correct money in an envelope, must be in the office no later than Tuesday 20th June.

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