It’s been a busy last few weeks taking final checks on your child’s progress ready for report cards. With most of this work completed I’d like to invite you to enjoy the Junior Campus Musical Ensemble Evening this Thursday night. Doors open at 6:20 for a 6:30 start. Students performing need to arrive at 6:00 at the chapel dressed in formal uniform (no stockings please). We encourage you to stay for the full evening which finishes at about 8.00PM. A big thank you in advance to Mrs Cudney for the amazing work she does organising opportunities such as this, and the best to our performers!

**SPELLING HOMEWORK - YOUR FEEDBACK**

We are currently reviewing procedures for spelling homework. As a staff we have been discussing high yield tasks; those being activities which engage your child in successful ways to remember not only how to spell a particular word but to have an understanding of the principles that guide the way we spell many words. Spelling often gets discussed at home during the homework tasks. If you’d like to share your comments around spelling and how your child manages homework I’d love to hear over the next week. vwiseman@princeofpeace.qld.edu.au

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Rhythms, Riffs and Refrains Concert last night was a wonderful opportunity for the students to showcase their blossoming musical talents. The show featured the Contemporary Ensembles, College Choir and some of our Vocal and Guitar students. Congratulations to all involved.

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Our Junior and Senior Campus leaders experienced the running of our State firsthand with our local MP Tim Mander.

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Four of our senior students highlighted the importance of having a considerate mind, a servant heart and willing hands when they attended the World Vision Youth Conference today. Over 700 students were selected to learn more about how they could impact the world and stand up to poverty and injustice.

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Prep News: **The Sweet Potato Harvest**

A few months ago, the Prep students planted Mrs Burello’s Sweet Potato that had started to shoot in our class room. It started to grow and last week all the Preps helped during outside play and were very excited when they dug up **36** Sweet Potatoes.

What were we to do with them? We made 4 batches of Sweet Potato and Lentil soup for the 3 Prep classes and it was enjoyed by many of the children. The teachers were very proud of the children who had never tasted it before and “had a go” at the taste test. We loved it. A great experience.

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**Prep - Year 12 Skate Night.**

Saturday 13 June
4:30pm to 6:30pm.

At Albany Creek SkateAway, Albany Square Shopping Centre, Albany Creek.

Cost is $10 entry (non-skating parents free) and $5 skate hire.

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The Junior Campus raised $533.40 from our Free Dress Day last week for ALWS Nepal Fundraising – what a fantastic effort. This money has purchased: 1 permanent house, 2 safe toilets, 1 household essentials pack and 1 family food basket.

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**Special Lunch**

Senior Campus 10 June
Junior Campus 12 June

Order Forms due in by 3 June

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- 3-13 June **9.1** Mt Binga
- 4 June **Y11** Business Management excursion
- 4 June Junior Campus Music Ensemble Evening
- 5 June **Y4-6** Gala Day
- 8 June Public Holiday
- 9 June **Y5/10** Buddy activities
- 10 June **Y6** Senior Campus orientation
- 10 June Auxiliary meeting 8:45am in Junior kitchen
- 11 June Junior Campus open morning
Our core fete team is complete. Please join me in welcoming and supporting our team:

- **Site Co-Ordinator**: Scott Hall
- **Side Show Alley**: Belinda Chilton, ably assisted by Lydia Thiesfield
- **2nd Hand Kids Clothes**: Sue Noon
- **2nd Hand Adult Clothes**: Paula Redford-Bell and Kate Robson
- **2nd Hand Toys**: Anita Webster
- **2nd hand books**: Alison Everitt, Crystal Brindley, Jacqui Greaves and Vicky Luhrs
- **Trash n Treasure**: Amanda Hall
- **Plants**: Margy Jackson
- **Craft stall**: Jenell Molkentin
- **Cakes**: Debbie Gibbings
- **Sweets**: Melissa Sutton
- **Food Court**: Nicole Lange
- **Face Painting**: Carleen Hoar
- **Glo Sticks**: Donna Cook
- **Auctions**: Kaye and Dave Ebbott

We are still looking for helpers to price and sort, particularly for Trash n Treasure, Cakes, Food Court and 2nd hand toys. If you’re able to lend a hand please let me know.

**Thanks to Ray White Everton Park, this years Fireworks Sponsor!!!! Great to have you on board supporting our school.**

Perhaps you work for, or own, a business who could also sponsor the fete. We have a number of sponsorship levels available. We also need items or services donated for the Auction. Contact me for more details.

**Donations** – We have now opened the Manse garage to donations. Please only donate clean, complete unbroken items that can be resold. We can NOT accept any electrical items. If you’re doing a clean out over the next few weeks, we can accept both kids and adults clothes (no underwear), items for trash n treasure, books and toys. Donations will be accepted until the end of this term only.

**Bookmark Competition** – Year 4 -6 students should have brought home bookmark competition forms today. All entries $1 and are due back to the school by Friday 12 June.

**Cake Stall** - Our amazing cake stall convenor, Debbie Gibbings, is looking for helpers to make the cake stall a huge success this year. If you’re able to assist with cake donations or Prep on the Friday before Fete or on the big day, please contact Debbie at debbie.gibbings@rfq.com.au.

If your students are interested in taking part in the Cake Decorating Competition, send their nominations to popfete@hotmail.com by the last day of Term 2 so that we know how many cakes to organise.

**Craft Stall** - We’re looking for good quality donations for the craft stall. Our craft stall is one of our most beloved stalls, so if you’re a crafty type perhaps this is the stall for you. We need items like adult aprons, bunting, heat packs, headbands etc.

**Plant Stall** - If anyone is potting up plants and seedlings for the Plant Stall, there is still some potting mix and pots available. Contact Margy on margyjackson@iinet.net.au

**Face Painting** - Carleen is looking for any adults interested in joining face painters. Senior students are also welcome and some practice times will be organised to run through the designs and techniques.

**The Donation Challenge** is coming up 15-25 June with information of items needed being sent home shortly.

**The Class Stalls** are due to be announced this week. Support your class by registering on the rosters from 15 June. This year we are trialling an online roster system so you will be able to see where help is needed.

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