



ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI COMMUNITY NEWS UPDATE

Term 4

Week 11

16th December 2015

The staff of St Francis of Assisi would like to wish everyone a happy and safe holiday. May the blessings of Christmas be with you and your family over this festive season. Thank you once again for your generous support during the year and we look forward to meeting up again in 2016.

Last Thursday evening Year Six and their families gathered to celebrate God's many blessings during their time at St Francis of Assisi. We bid farewell to some of these families as their youngest child now moves on to secondary school.

During their time at St Francis, the children and their families have contributed in so many ways, helping and supporting teachers to provide a rich Catholic education.

Our thanks for the many years the following Year Six families have been associated with St Francis: Balagtas, Canlas, Cosier, Delgado, Dvorak, Gonzaga, Gould-Matienzo, Hacinas, Johns, Johnson, Singh, Kocsis, Lal, Morgan, Nacorda, Naisara, Naseim, Nassar, Ndhlovu, O'Kelly, Sly, Smith, Stevens. Swamy, Tablizo, Toledo, Turnowsky and Ursua.

Thank you once again for your generous commitment to the school and wish you all the best in your next part of your journey.

St Francis of Assisi Annual Christmas Carols

Thank you to Mrs Lena Camilleri and her band of helpers for her effort in organising the food and drinks on the night. Also to the teacher and parents who came and supported the carols. A special thank you to Mrs Bueno who beautifully decorated the hall for the event. The evening was a wonderful success and a great time was had by all.

School Captains 2016

Congratulation to the following students who were elected as our school leaders for 2016.

School Captains: Sheryn Lucas & Vince Baquillos
Vice Captains: Alex Blazeski-Lindo & Abby Wasylinka

2016 SCHOOL UNIFORMS

A quick reminder to families that the school uniform will be changing next year. It will be compulsory for boys starting Kindergarten 2016 to be in the new school uniform while the other students will have a two year change over period. The boys will now be wearing navy blue shorts, a yellow shirt that has the school logo embroidered on it and navy socks.

The boys uniforms will be available for purchase during the holidays (a form was sent home to make a time with OZ Fashions who will be at St Francis School for two days during the school holidays)

Next year it is **COMPULSORY** that all students have a St Francis of Assisi Primary School Bag. These can be bought from the office. There are currently 3 styles available that cater for Kindergarten to Year 6.

Information regarding the uniform changes, sports uniform and where the uniforms can be bought will be on our school website <http://www.stfrancisglendenning.catholic.edu.au>

DATES COMING UP

- 26/01/16 Australia Day Public Holiday
- 28/01/16 ALL Students return (Kindy half day)
- 29/01/16 Kindy half day

Good Shepherd Mass Times

Saturday: 8am, 6pm Sunday: 7am, 9am, 6pm
Weekday: Mon, Tues, Thur, Fri 6am, 9am
Spanish: Sat 7.30pm
Vietnamese: Sunday 10.45am

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Merry Christmas

*The staff of St Francis School
would like to wish everyone
a safe and happy Christmas.*