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Dear Parents, Caregivers and Students,
Thank you very much to all of our wonderful family helpers who gave up their time and energy to support our working bee last Sunday and to Phil Cresp for all his organisation. Unlike the past two days we had a beautiful sunny day to clean up our garden areas, paint the decking in front of the playgroup room and put together the new school trampoline, which was a delightful surprise to all the students on Monday. It was great to see so many students excited about our new teaching resource. The trampoline is for everyone and will be utilized for our daily fitness programs, reward time and assist student well-being programs.

On Friday 9th September we celebrated the birth of Mary. Christians normally celebrate the day on which saints died, but we also celebrate three birthdays and Mary's is one of them. The other two are the births of Christ and Saint John the Baptist. On her special day we remembered Mary's strong faith, courage and love. Thank you to Fr. Paul and the Year 3/4 class for the lovely Mass celebration.

Music News! This Saturday the school bands will be performing at the Riverland Field Days at 1pm after the fashion parade. All performers need to be there at 12.30pm and access the site through public gate 1. The bands will also be playing a schools concert in our school hall/gym on Tuesday 27th September. Details will be in next week's newsletter.

Ros Oates

SPORTS DAY IS SOON!

Parents, care givers, family and friends are invited to come and watch the children during their day of sporting activities in two locations this year for Sports Day. The students will be demonstrating the skills and knowledge they have learnt over the past weeks in Physical Education and daily fitness. The day will begin at school with a couple of the longer events run in the morning using our school equipment. The students will then have a rest period before we move down to the Berri Oval for the main part of the Sports Day, followed by presentations and a barbecue tea. (refer to the timetable attached to the newsletter). We hope that all our students can attend the day. Parents are welcome to take children home for a rest in the middle of the day if they wish before we head down to the oval. If you are in need of transport for your child from school to the Berri oval could you please inform your child's class teacher as soon as possible and Mrs. Oates will arrange to get them to the oval. Families are encouraged to pick up their child/ren and transport them to the Berri oval just before 3pm. Car-pooling is permitted if done so privately and outside of school. Please inform teachers again through the school diary if you are going with someone. We are in need of volunteers to assist with a drinks stall and running the barbecue at the Berri oval after 4pm. Please let me know if you can assist.

SPECIAL NEWS

IMPORTANT DATES & INFORMATION

Please update your diaries

Week 8

Thursday 15th September Years 3-7
Chaffey Theatre performance
Friday 16th September Assembly Led
by Foundation

Week 9

Thursday 22nd September Girls
Basketball SAPSASA and
Mass Led by Year 6 & 7

OLOR School Canteen Roster

**Please place your orders written
clearly on a brown paper bag
and bring to school with the
correct money on THURSDAYS
for a Friday delivery.**

**Still looking for helpers in
canteen. Please contact the
school office if you are able to
assist phone 8582 1128**

Term 3

Week 8 – 16/9/2016

Nicole Pitt & Ebonie Cresp

Week 9 – 23/9/2016:

Lara Vallelonga & Stacey Hunter

OLOR SPORTS

Standards Day was run last Friday on the school oval and hall. For some students - mainly the Foundation students – this was their first experience of an event in their House teams. Each house was split into 3 groups led ably by our Senior students. I commend these students for their leadership and maturity. The afternoon went ahead without a hitch and has given us the first indication of who may just win this year's Sports Day.

Current Positions:

1st Place – St Joseph's

2nd Place – St Mary's

3rd Place – St Patrick's

Kind Regards,

Luke Cotter

Yr 5 Teacher/PE Teacher/SAPSASA Co-ordinator

PARISH NEWS AND COMMUNITY NEWS

PLANNED TRIP TO PENOLA FOR PARISHIONERS

St. Therese's Women's Group are seeking expression of interest from all Parish Centres regarding a one-day trip, on Friday October 7th to the St. Mary MacKillop Centre at Penola. Cost \$55. All enquiries to Dot Fforde(85864692/0428593484) OR Margaret Smith (85838275/0417705049).

BERRI BASKETBALL CLUB

AUSSIE HOOPS & DOMESTIC INFORMATION

Berri Basketball Club is running their Aussie Hoops and Domestic Competition once again this year!

Aussie Hoops is for children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2.

Domestic Competition is for children in Year 3 – Year 7.

Registration night will be held at OLOR on Wednesday 21st September from 4:00pm to 5:00pm for Aussie Hoops and 5:00pm onwards for Domestic with a Sausage Sizzle available on the night. Please bring a basketball with you!

If interested but unavailable to make it to registrations please contact Chrissy Eleftheriadis for Aussie Hoops on 044 888 7754 OR Rebecca Stokes for Domestic Competition on 0400 956 917.

CORES TRAINING

Monday 26th September 9.am to 4pm. One day seminar to be held at Berri Library, Kay Ave, Berri

PEOPLE DON'T HAVE TO SUFFER, AND WE DON'T HAVE TO LOSE THEM!

CANOE THE RIVERLAND

Kids Kayak Klub

School Holiday fun & games on the river. (8-15years) \$20

7th 11th & 14th October 9.am – 12

835 Murtho Road, Paringa

Phone Jim or Ruth 0475 754 222 to book

Kayak Skills – Safety instruction – Games – Explore a creek, bring hat, sunscreen, water shoes, shorts, long sleeved rashie, a snack and a drink.

UNIVERSITY OF ADELAIDE LATIN JAZZ ENSEMBLE

The University of Adelaide Latin Jazz Ensemble Riverland mini-tour 2016

Performing Berri Hotel on Wednesday September 21st at 7:30pm. Tickets will be available at door. Adult \$10 Concession/Student \$5.

For more information contact Mark Ferguson on 08 8313 3828 or by email mark.ferguson@adelaide.edu.au

Important Reminders Please Check these Updates

www.olor.catholic.edu.au or
www.facebook.com/olorverrantce

SchoolStream App

The one stop shop for OLOR information

Winter Uniform Stock Tri-state Renmark

Please check that your child/ren have the correct sizing for this winter. New stock of jumpers, tracksuit pants and long sleeved shirts are now available. Please allow time for personalised printing on the jumpers.

New School Timetable

8.30: Children arrive at school
8.50: Classes begin & Fitness
11:35: Early Lunch (10mins)
11.45: Lunch Play
12.15: Classes resume
1.45: Afternoon Break (10mins)
1.55: Afternoon Play
2.15: Classes resume
3.00: Pack-up/clean-up
3.15: Dismissed



2016 RE News

Fr. Paul Bourke: 85821894

Fr. John Stuart James:

85882452 ~ 0419176514

MASSES TERM 3

Thursdays 9.00 am
St Mary's Church

New Weekend Mass Times

Weeks 1,3 & 5 Sundays of the Month
Berri 9am, Waikerie 11am, Loxton 11am,
Barmera 6pm

Weeks 1,3 & 5 Saturday night
Morgan 6pm and Renmark 6.30pm

Weeks 2 & 4 Sundays of the Month
Renmark 9am, Morgan 9am, Barmera
11am, Loxton 6pm

Weeks 2 & 4 Saturday night
Berri 6.30pm and Waikerie 6pm