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On Friday the Year 7 students represented our school at the Remembrance Day Service. This was a great opportunity for them to pay their respects, acknowledge the sacrifices made by our courageous diggers and thank them for this beautiful country of ours.

Dear Families, Staff, Students and Friends,

As I resume my role as Principal after a period of sick leave, I offer my sincere thanks to Shaun Kelly for the outstanding manner in which he has led Our Lady of the River School over the past 4 weeks. I would also like to thank the staff for accommodating the change in a positive manner and Mrs. Leonie Bradtke for teaching the Year 6/7's class and Sonya Staben for assisting in the Foundation class, both fitting into the school values and routines with ease. The whole school community has been incredibly supportive and I appreciate all the help and support especially in assisting with the organisation of the major events we have had and are still to come this Term.

It is important that you take careful note of our School Calendar and the 'Dates to Remember.' This **Saturday Night** is a family Movie Night. The main movie 'Goosebumps' is showing at 7.30 pm and for those who wish, we will be showing 'Life of Pets' in the senior classroom at approximately 6.30pm. Ticket prices for the movie/s is \$10, including popcorn and a drink. There will be barbecue dinner, cheese platters and adult refreshments available at a cost from 6pm. There will be a small canteen to purchase extra drinks, snacks and glow-sticks. Feel free to bring along a blanket, chair or beanbag to watch the movies. We will insist on audience watching the movies quietly this year and to remain seated.

Students do need to be supervised by a parent or adult friend.

This Sunday is the Feast of Christ the King, there is a special Children's Mass in St Mary's Church. Mass begins at 9.00am. It would be wonderful to see many of our students and families attend. Miss Roberts is organising readers and special roles for the children that attend. If your child would like to be involved, please let her know. Morning tea afterwards.

Next Friday, November 25th, OLOR will be holding a Pink Stumps Day as a fundraiser for the McGrath Foundation. I'm sure you all know of the great work the Foundation does for Breast Cancer Research and specialised Breast Cancer Nurses. A timetable of the day will come out with next week's newsletter. Students and families are asked for a gold coin donation on the day, and there will be activities for kids to participate in during the afternoon along the lines of Classic Catches, Biggest Hit, Bowling Accuracy, Throwing Accuracy, Indoor Cricket.... If you would like to donate further you can at our own donation page <https://pinkstumpsday2017.gofundraise.com.au/page/OLORBerri>. Children are permitted to wear something pink on the day that they can actively move around in.

Reminder: Children who play basketball in the OLOR Hall on Wednesday nights must be accompanied by an adult and not left at school. Teachers are unavailable to supervise due to staff meetings. Children need to be safe and supervised.

SPECIAL NEWS

IMPORTANT DATES & INFORMATION

Please update your diaries

Week 5

Friday 18th November
Assembly Led by Years 2 & 3 & 4

Saturday 19th November

OLOR Monster Movie Night

Sunday 20th November Family Mass
9.00am at Berri

Week 6

Thursday 24th
Mass Led by Year 2

Friday 25th November

Pink Stumps Day

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.

Term 4

Canteen Roster

Friday 18th November
Tammy Verrall & Narelle James
Friday 25th November
Nicole Pitt & Lara Vallelonga

Our Lady of the River Christmas play will be on Friday 2nd December starting at 5.15pm in St Mary's Church and concluding as the opening entertainment act of the Berri Merry Christmas celebration on the lawns of Vaughan Terrace. Staff are currently preparing the float, that we will follow as a community, after a small play in the Church. From St Mary's Church we will walk the safest route to the Council Chambers down Crawford Street and Vaughan Terrace to the front of the Berri Merry Christmas stage to conclude our play with Christmas carols. These three carols will be the opening entertainment for the community event, which also includes our school band. Children and adults are encouraged to wear nativity themed costumes, the saints we had a few weeks ago is a perfect example or dressed as a simple shepherd or angel would be wonderful.

Graduation /End of year Mass – Awards Presentation

A reminder: The Year 7 Graduation is marked by two events at the end of each year. This is our opportunity to wish our Senior Year 7 Students farewell and to offer them our best wishes as they enter the next phase of their education at Secondary School. The End of Year Mass at St Mary's commences at 6.00pm on **Thursday December 8th**. Following Mass there is a supper in the school hall and awards will be presented to those students who have shown leadership and community spirit. This will give the whole school community, including children and parents from other year levels, the opportunity to congratulate the students. Everyone is warmly invited to join us at this Mass and Awards presentation.

CHRISTMAS BASKET RAFFLE

We are asking for Families to donate goods for our Christmas raffles.

Foundation – Christmas Decorations

Year 1 - Holiday Games

Year 2 – Art & Crafts

Year 3 and 4 – Sports & Outdoor activities

Year 5, 6 and 7 – T.V. Snacks

Tickets on sale at Monster Movie Night



Mass Led by Foundation Thursday 10th November

PARISH AND COMMUNITY NEWS

Family Mass

Family Mass to be held Sunday 20th November at 9.00am in St Marys' Berri.

Loxton Catholic Women's League

Invite all Catholic Women to the annual Christmas luncheon Friday December 2nd 12 noon at Bella Lavender Estate. RSVP 25th Nov Barb 85847731

Grace for Women

Saturday 26th November 2016 2pm-4pm

Riverland Central Christian Church (Old Sturt Highway, Glossop)

Speaker: Jessica Main

Afternoon tea \$5. Contact details 85832260 or Carolyn 0429822859

Riverland Triathlon Club

Sunday 27th November @ Lake Bonney

Team & Individual Entries

Reg: 8:30am Start: 9.00am

Register at <https://www.registernow.com.au/secure/Register.aspx?E=232>

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

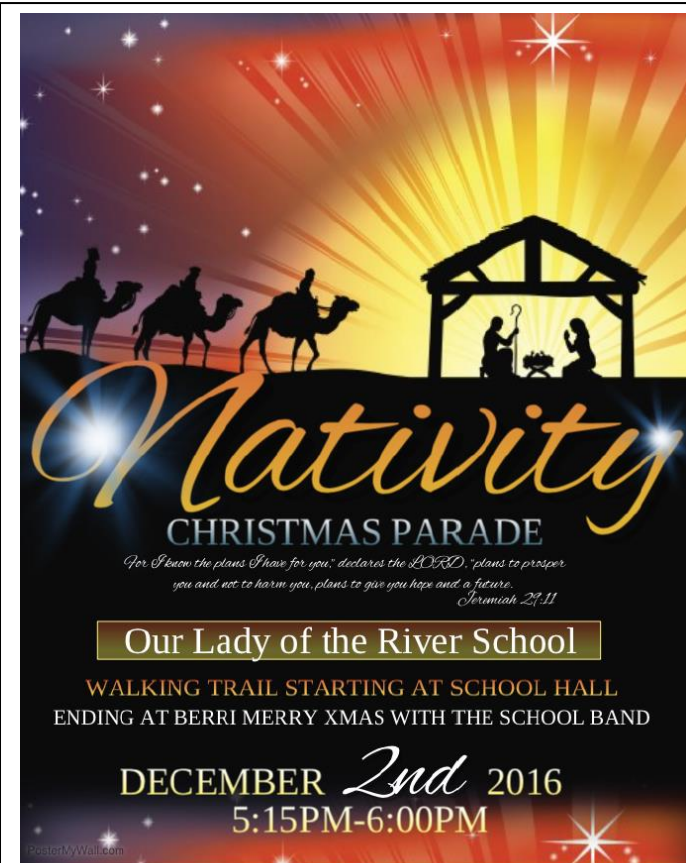
Renmark 9am, Morgan 9am, Barmera 11am, Loxton 6pm

Weeks 2 & 4 Saturday night

Berri 6.30pm and Waikerie 6pm

Library News

This is the last week for borrowing books from the library. Children have received overdue notices and it would be greatly appreciated if you could help your child look at home for these book/s as some have been overdue for quite a while now. Thank you. Sandy Sando



Nativity
CHRISTMAS PARADE

*For I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future."
Jeremiah 29:11*

Our Lady of the River School

WALKING TRAIL STARTING AT SCHOOL HALL
ENDING AT BERRI MERRY XMAS WITH THE SCHOOL BAND

DECEMBER 2nd 2016
5:15PM-6:00PM



WEAR OR GROW A MOUSTACHE TO SUPPORT NOVEMBER

SUNDAY 27TH NOVEMBER
@LAKE BONNEY

TEAM & INDIVIDUAL ENTRIES

DUATHLON

2.8km RUN
20km RIDE
2.8km RUN

JUNIOR
1 km RUN
10km RIDE
1 km RUN

REG : 8:30AM
START: 9AM

REGISTER AT
<https://www.registernow.com.au/secure/Register.aspx?E-232> OR ON THE DAY

RIVERLAND TRIATHLON CLUB



LET IT GLOW
fun - bright - colourful

Help us reach our goal

GET YOUR GLOW ON TO SUPPORT OUR STUDENTS

Great glow products available at
Movie Night from \$2



OUR LADY OF THE RIVER
SATURDAY 19 NOVEMBER

MOVIE NIGHT

Family Fun Night and Picnic Tea for all ages

GOOSEBUMPS

Join us for a BBQ dinner at 6pm
Movie at 7:30pm
Cheese platters & adult refreshments

BRING YOUR BLANKET, CHAIR & BEANBAG
\$10 MOVIE, POPCORN & A DRINK

Ice cream
Glowsticks

CINEMA
Good Only Date Sold
ADMIT ONE