

# Newsletter



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**2021 Term 3 Week 6**

In the Parable of the Talents, it appears that Jesus is stressing the importance of a person using their talents. A talent is useless unless it is used.

Tomorrow the Church celebrates St Augustine of Hippo, Bishop and Doctor of the Church. Augustine's life story is a great read! An interesting and entertaining example of the humanness of a man who discovered his self-worth and sense of place after years of living a life of indulgence and disrepute. The gospel reading for the day is the Parable of the Talents. The Parable teaches us that we are put on Earth to work. God rewards those who use their talents and put considerable effort into bettering their lives and the lives of those in their community.

Book Week Parade, class activities and Book Fair kept all very busy this week. The Parade on Tuesday was a lot of fun! Families made a great effort for children to celebrate books with the theme, 'Old Worlds, New Worlds, Other Worlds'. The staff rendition of 'Room on a Broom' was a hoot and it appears that our Book Fair has been a great success. Thank you to all the staff for your tireless efforts and to families for their generous support this week.

Last week lots of icing sugar and cornflour, soap suds and bubbles all over the school with students happily engaged in science experiments. Thank you to families who kindly and generously donated items and to parents who were able to spend some time joining in the fun too.

Yesterday the Year 4 choir and the Senior Choir performed at the Performing Arts Festival. What an absolute delight to hear them singing with such enjoyment! They did so well! Thank you to Miss Mulholland, Mrs Lombardi and Mrs Twine for your support of the children, and for the preparation involved.

One Big Voice excitement! Last Friday night our choir represented the school at the One Big Voice concert at the Arena. Thank you, Mrs Twine, for preparing the choir - they were excellent! The event was a wonderful experience for the students. 4,000 children from years 3-6 singing in harmony and unison and thoroughly enjoying themselves! Thank you to Mrs Vuong for assisting and supporting the choir and Mrs Twine. Already looking forward to the 2022 event!

Interschool Basketball on Wednesday was a great day for our basketballers. Have a look at Mr Tsang's piece further in the newsletter.

Honouring Fathers' Day Liturgy and Breakfast, next Friday 3 September. All welcome to join in prayer and liturgy to give thanks and celebrate those who are our Father figures. Giving thanks to all that dads do for us every day, means so much to them. Fathers' Day celebrates the diversity of what it means to be a father, and gives fathers and father figures a reason to kick back and relax. The memories of my father, the fun and joy, the cooking and travelling, and so many other wonderful things we did together, warm my heart every day. Don't forget Father's Day stall on Thursday and Friday. Helpers needed. Please see message on the school app.



SAVE the DATE! If you missed the first CSPA Sundowner, don't miss this one. A great evening had by all. Please come and join us for a chat, a drink, and some finger food at the Oxford Hotel at the end of week 2. Connections we make help foster strong school spirit and benefit our children, during their years at Aranmore and hopefully beyond. We hope to see you there! Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> October, the Oxford Hotel, 7-10:00pm. Keep your eye on the app for a booking link!

Regular Volunteers and Parent Helpers must sign and adhere to the school's Code of Conduct, provide a Working With Check and complete the CEWA's Mandatory Reporting training.

The school app is another MUST have. This app is used to quickly inform parents and carers of important information. Don't forget to turn 'notifications' on so that you don't miss a message. Please download from either the App Store or Play Store.

Jonnine Lamborne  
Principal  
*May love & peace be found here*

The School App is now working on our end and up to date for this term.

## IMPORTANT DATES

31 August	School Tour
2 September	Stall in honour of Fathers
3 September	Fathers' Day Breakfast & Liturgy (2G) Assembly (3G) Stall in honour of Fathers
5 September	Fathers' Day
8 September	Birthday of the Virgin Mary CSAC meeting 6:00pm CSPA meeting 7:15pm
10 September	Assembly (6G)
15 September	EduDance Concert
17 September	Assembly (5G)
23 September	Mercy Day
24 September	Last Day of Term

## CURRICULUM NEWS

## **2021 Basketball School Slam Carnival**

Well done to our Year 5 and 6 students that competed in this week's Basketball Slam School Series. Both the Girls and Boys team fought valiantly but didn't accumulate enough wins to progress to the Champion's Cup. It was a valuable experience for all our players as they were gaining confidence in their team- work and strategies throughout each game. The sportsmanship displayed on the day were exemplary. Huge thanks to Coach Troy, and Coach Aleks. Our players absolutely enjoyed the day with all the coaches.

## **COMMUNITY NEWS**

### **Swim Club**

#### **NEW MEMBERS TRIAL OFFER REMINDER FOR YEAR 2 AND YEAR 3's**

3 WEEKS OF FREE SWIM TRIALS in September (Term 3) - Weeks 8, 9 and 10

Tuesday Dates: 7th, 14th and 21st September

Come along and join our squad team for endurance training with our amazing coaches Allison and Daniel. Please advise your interest to the office by email [admin@aranmorecps.wa.edu.au](mailto:admin@aranmorecps.wa.edu.au). We look forward to building our team as our Year 6s will leave at the end of this year. Swim squads are at Beatty Park on Tuesdays at 6.55am. Please don't forget to advise of your intention of attendance by sending your enquiry to school reception.

#### **CHANGE OF SWIM LOCATION REMINDER**

We are returning to Beatty Park location on week 7 next week the 31st of August with their newly refurbished pool. How exciting!

We look forward to seeing you there.

Mrs Nicole Rohde, Swim Club Coordinator and

Allison Hass, Swim Coach

### **A Dialogue with the Female Members of the Plenary Council**

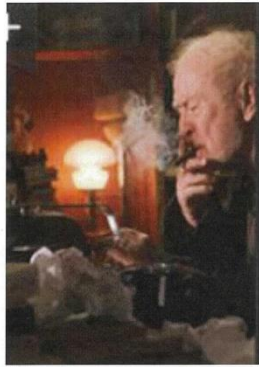
The Council for Catholic Women Perth warmly invites you to a dialogue with the female members of the Plenary Council residing in Perth. Come and listen to what inspires and enriches their faith experience and hear about their hopes for the Plenary Council. There will be an opportunity to ask questions and to contribute to this dialogue. All welcome.

Venue : James Nestor Hall, Catholic Education Office, 60 Ruislip St West Leederville

When: Thursday 9th September 5.30pm - 8.30pm (Light refreshments served 5.30pm - 6pm)

RSVP: Tuesday 7th September by email [kerrymacfarlane2@hotmail.com](mailto:kerrymacfarlane2@hotmail.com) or mobile 0400 886 835

Join us at the movies ... ' BEST SELLERS '



Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> September  
Windsor Cinema, Nedlands

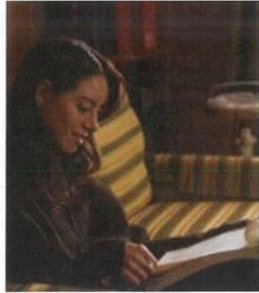
Doors open 12.15pm  
(Movie starts 1.00pm)

Tickets \$22.00

<https://www.trybooking.com/BTOKF>

Join us to see this great movie with the legendary Michael Caine as a cranky author who matches wits (and red pens) with an equally feisty and peppy publisher in this rollicking literary comedy. Special bar/candy bar prices for our guests.

(NOTE- Adults only movie due to coarse language).



Raffle tickets and goodies will be on sale. ALL proceeds are used to assist ACRATH WA - working to end human trafficking and slavery locally and around the world.



*If you would like to give a donation please see Sr Kaye or Sr Catherine.*

*Many thanks*

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