Dear Parents, Carers and Staff

Let your light shine

At our staff meeting this week the Year Four team led the prayer and shared, from John’s Gospel (the same one shared at our P&F meeting), where Jesus was speaking of himself as ‘the light of the world’. As part of the prayer our focus was on the candle and, in the darkness of the staffroom, observed the flickering light.

Jesus said ‘I came into this world... so that those who do not see might see ...’ (Jn9:39).

The healing of the blind man brings light and hope into his life, and that of his family. Yet for others, his healing brought frustration and discontent. Does our blindness prevent us from seeing goodness in others? Do I intimidate others in my blindness? How can my eyes be opened to God’s presence in the world and each other?

The sharing of the light of Christ is a powerful message, one I see daily in our school. As I sit and reflect on the events of the past few weeks my eyes are certainly opened to God’s presence in our school. This is seen through the generosity of our parents. Let me explain.

Our school has been celebrating some great events and I encourage you to take a few quiet moments, maybe with a cuppa, and peruse the contents of this week’s Newsletter. I hope you will draw the conclusion that St Augustine’s is one of the finest schools to be a part of. Our light is burning vibrantly.

If you had a chance to view the photos of last Saturday’s Years 3-6 Dance Challenge you would have seen some very happy faces. The smiling continued with our Years K-2 Dance Spectacular on Wednesday with many parents enjoying the talents of our children.

‘Parents’ has been a central theme lately with a number of opportunities to gather together. The annual P&F Golf Day last Sunday was again very successful due to the efforts of Steve Ryan and his committee. At the presentation ceremony we publicly thanked our major Sponsor, Michael Dougherty from Quality Inn City Centre. Michael has been our major sponsor of the golf day for the last ten years contributing significantly to our school. This year is his final year in sponsoring the golf day. We thank him for his continued support over such a long time.

Parents have been involved in a number of meetings at the school from Kinder Reading Nights to Technology Workshops to P&F Meetings. It is through the attendance at such activities that our school shines. Parents are an integral part of the life of our school and we couldn’t function without them.

Parents have also been involved in various Year Level Learning Journeys. The Learning Journey is an event no parent wants to miss. Visiting the cohorts and spending time with your child working through not only what they have learned, but more importantly, how they have progressed along their learning continuum is a precious moment. (You can learn more about our learning journey by visiting this video - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=N7ifG-P7pRQ on our school’s youtube channel.)

Earlier this term we began our breakfast program With Kinder and Year One and again, the attendance from our community was terrific. The children (and our parents) enjoyed the sausage sizzle start to their day, gathering with friends and sharing in conversation.

As we draw to a close on the first term of 2014 can I wish you all the best for the autumn break and the Easter Season. (Parish Mass times for Easter are included in the Newsletter). Thanks for making our ‘job’ much easier due to the many volunteers who walk through our doors each day and for your continued support.

Best Wishes

Jake
PARISH EASTER MASS TIMES

Holy Thursday
7:00 pm Coffs Harbour & Woolgoolga

Good Friday
3:00 pm Coffs Harbour & Woolgoolga

Holy Saturday
7:30 pm Coffs Harbour
(Easter Vigil only—no morning Mass)

Easter Sunday
7:00 & 9:00 am Coffs Harbour
7:00 am Glenreagh
9:00 am Woolgoolga
(no Sunday evening Mass)

CATECHETICAL NEWS

EASTER
As we grow closer to the end of our school term and the arrival of the beautiful Easter Season, we wish you all a safe and blessed holiday period.

Keep safe in your travels and find a time to share with God the love that Jesus gave us at this unique time. My Grandmother always said... “the sun dances on Easter Sunday”!

Thank you for your presence at school Masses, liturgies and prayers this year. We look forward to the celebrations of the future and sharing these moments together.

Mary and Paddy

CARITAS

Please return all Caritas Project Compassion boxes this week for Parish presentation on Holy Thursday night.

Thank you for your wonderful compassion.

Mary Machatsch – Leader of Catechesis
Paddy Dent - Leader of School Evangelisation

Inspiration from Pope Francis

‘...the drive to go forth and give, to go out from ourselves, to keep pressing forward in our sowing of the good seed, remains ever present.’ (Para 21, from Apostolic Exhortation Evangelii Gaudium, Pope Francis, Nov. 24, 2013).

4th Week of Lent: Project Compassion, Week 4, brings you the story of Martina.

The Solomon Islands are often threatened by weather-related disasters such as earthquakes, floods, tsunamis and cyclones. Martina is a primary school teacher, and is teaching her students how to stay safe during disasters, which often happen when they are away from their homes. The program has had great success, and is soon to be expanded to other countries in the Pacific Islands, which face similar risks, so that just like Martina and her students, others too are able to live without fear when disasters strike.

Your Project Compassion donation is saving the lives of children who are among the most vulnerable to natural disasters. www.caritas.org.au

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION 2014

In order to be ready to receive the sacrament of Confirmation, children must be baptised; be attending Mass with their parent/s every Sunday; and be between the ages of 8 and 15.

Please note and save the following dates:

❖ March 31st – May 6th - Enrolment forms available for collection from the Reception office at the Curran Centre.
❖ May 6th - Parent Information & Enrolment Meeting 7:00pm at the Curran Centre.
❖ From May 12th - 6 week programme commences.
❖ May 17th – 18th - Commitment Ceremony in normal Masses, St Augustine’s Church and St Francis Xavier Churches.
❖ July 11th - Confirmation practice for all candidates, St Augustine’s Church, time to be confirmed (TBC).
❖ July 11th - Confirmation candidates’ meeting with Bishop Jarrett, time TBC, Curran Centre.
❖ July 12th & 13th - Sacrament of Confirmation, St Augustine’s Church and St Francis Xavier Churches, normal Mass times. This will correspond with the Bishop’s parish visitation.

Enrolment forms are now available to be collected from the Parish Office.
These must be collected prior to the parent night on May 6th.
Please bring your child’s Baptism Certificate to obtain a form.
The completed enrolment form then needs to be brought to the parent meeting at the Curran Centre by the child’s parents. No proxies.

For further information please call Janine on 6651 0000.

ANZAC DAY

Our school is always well represented in the Anzac Day March and once again we encourage every student to come along and march behind the school banner. This year Anzac Day falls in the holidays (on Friday 25 April) so we will be unable to remind children before the day. Parents are asked to bring the children to the area in front of the Genesis Gym at 8:45 am where staff will be waiting. Students should wear full school uniform, including a hat. A water bottle is also handy on the day.

ANZAC DAY
APRIL 25
LEST WE FORGET
ENROLMENT PERIOD
Wednesday 7 May at 7:00 pm in our school hall is the date for our annual enrolment expo. All families looking at enrolling their child into Kindergarten for 2015 are invited to attend. Our official enrolment period opens on Monday 12 May and closes on Friday 23 May. Please note that current families need to complete an enrolment form if they have a child commencing in 2015. Please pass the word.

COMPULSORY FEES
With the recent introduction of the Parish Schools Board’s new billing policy all compulsory fees are now included under the Resource Levy.

Consequently, parents in Years 3-6 who have paid for the swimming program over the past four weeks will be refunded. The Parish has advised that credits will be posted to the relevant school fee accounts. If you have any questions please contact our school office.

CANTENE ROSTER
07.04.2014
Mon K Apps, J McConchie, S Small
Tues H Murray, D Olutayo, K Taylor
Wed K Hoops, J Pizzi, L Wood
Thur M De Satge, N Ferrett HELP!!! HELP!!!
Fri STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAY

28.04.2014
Mon STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAY
Tues G Bull, K Hoops
Wed N Aranibar, S Hartsuyker
Thur K Allen, K O’Carroll, L Rowthorne
Fri J Arnold, J Arragon, E Dow, P Duffy, J Roach

05.05.2014
Mon G Franklin, S Kendall, S O’Reilly, L Seccombe
Tues T Blundell, R Saunders
Wed L Trotman, K White
Thur K Gilliland, J Golding HELP!!! HELP!!!
Fri B Dougherty, P Duffy, J Roach,
K-A Van Ryswyk, L Zawadzki

CANTENE NEWS
Canteen helpers are always required. Help is needed for three hours from 9:00 am until 12:00 noon once every four weeks. Grandparents are very welcome also. If you are able to help in the Canteen on any day please call us on 66521204.

Barbra Symons & Alicia Betland—Canteen Managers

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK
2014 VIDEO COMPETITION WINNER!
Congratulations to Thomas Fergusson in Year 6 for winning the Individual Primary section in the recent Catholic Schools Week Video Competition. Judging was based on the impact of the message, creativity and originality, quality of video and effective use of technology to enhance the message. Seventy-nine schools from eleven Dioceses across NSW and ACT produced 280 entries.

What a great effort Thomas!

We also congratulate Ryan McGowan from Yr 7 JPC (Yr 6 at St Augustine’s 2013) for winning the Secondary Schools category.

You can watch Thomas' winning video on the KnowledgeNET school noticeboard or on our website under NEWS - see Catholic Schools Week article.

COMING EVENTS
APRIL
8 Yrs K-2 Chicken Burger Day
9 Clarence Zone Cross Country Carnival
10 Stations of the Cross
11 Staff Development Day—no children at school
28 Staff Development Day—no children at school
29 Children return to school
Resurrection Liturgy

MAY
2 Mufti Day for Mothers’ Day Stall
6 Yr 2 Breakfast 7:30—8:15 am
P & F Meeting 7:00 pm in the Library
7 2015 Yr K Information Evening 7:00 pm
9 Mothers’ Mass 9:15 am in the Church
Mothers’ Day Stall
12 2015 Yr K Enrolments open (until 23 May)
13 NAPLAN Test day
Yrs K-2 Sausage Sizzle Day
14 NAPLAN Test day
Yrs 1 & 2 Parent Information evening 7:00 pm
15 NAPLAN Test day
Yr 3 Liturgy 10:20 am
16 Yr 4 at Parish Mass 9:15 am
17 P & F Casino Night 7:00 pm

PLEASE NOTE
Friday 11 April and Monday 28 April are Staff Development Days. The school will be closed on these days. OSHC is available for children who are enrolled into OSHC.
SPORT NEWS

DIOCESAN WINTER SPORTS TRIALS
Congratulations to Jade Pond (Soccer) and Tessa Conlan (Netball) who have now qualified for the Winter Sports Polding Trials in their respective sports. They will travel to Tamworth on Friday 9 May to trial for the Polding team. Congratulations and well done girls!

Rugby League / Rugby Union / Netball
St Augustine’s has entered a number of teams into a variety of different competitions for our children. In order for these to be successful we rely on many parents and teachers to support the teams.

Thank you to Anthony Donovan, Andrew Mifsud, Danielle Conlan and Danielle Morgan for their support and assistance with the Rugby League, Rugby Union and Netball competitions. Thank you also to all the teachers for their support, whether at the events or at school. Results will be posted on KnowledgeNET in the sports section with photos.

POLDING AFL TRIALS
Congratulations to Harry Mapleson who travelled to Newcastle on Wednesday 3 April for the Polding AFL Trials. Harry represented our school, the zone and the Lismore Diocese at the Polding trials.

Harry was successful in his trials and will now represent the Polding team at the NSW PSSA AFL competition in May.

Well done Harry!!

LISMORE DIOCESE SWIMMING TEAM
Last week we had nine St Augustine’s children represent our school, the Zone, and Lismore Diocese at the NSW CPS Swim Meet in Homebush, Sydney. Congratulations to these children. We are very proud of you all. Sincere thanks to the parents who took time out of their busy schedules to take the children to this event.

Special congratulations to Thomas Anderson who has now qualified to represent Polding at NSW PSSA Swimming next week.

YEARS 3-6 AQUATIC CARNIVAL
The St Augustine’s Years 3-6 Aquatic Carnival was held today at the Coffs Harbour Memorial Olympic Pool. It was great to see the swim program give children the confidence to have a go throughout the carnival. A special thank you to the parents who were able to spend some time at the pool helping and assisting our children. All of us at St Augustine’s appreciate your support.

To see photos and find out which house colour won, you will need to look at the KnowledgeNET sports page.

Dan Hammond
Sports Coordinator
INDOOR CRICKET
The indoor cricket season is almost here and the friendly staff at Coffs Harbour Indoor Cricket Centre are offering the following programs during Term 2:

- **MILO in2CRICKET** for 5-10 year olds, 4 - 5pm on Mondays
- **Indoor Big Bash** for 10-16 year olds, 4 - 5pm on Tuesdays
- **Coffs Harbour DJCA Winter Blast** for 10-16 year olds, 4 - 5pm on Wednesdays

To sign up simply visit the Coffs Harbour Indoor Cricket Centre at 32 Industrial Drive, Coffs Harbour or contact Peter Rode on 0412 907 928. For more info go to [http://www.playcricket.com.au/types-of-cricket/indoor-cricket](http://www.playcricket.com.au/types-of-cricket/indoor-cricket)

SEAL THE LOOP COMPETITION
Congratulations to Gabriella Majarich 5S and Tessa Conlan 6P for their winning entries in the Dolphin Marine Magic’s Seal the Loop poster competition. Their posters caught the eye of the judges and are being used on signage around the Coffs shoreline. See if you can spot them when you’re next out walking! Russell Cole 5H also received a special mention for his entry.

TERM 2 UNIFORM
We ask that parents refer to our school uniform policy (under ‘About Us’ on our website) especially as we are entering the cooler months of the year. Please note that long socks are not part of the school uniform. Girls may wear navy tights/stockings under their skort and boys may wear long navy trousers. Plain navy knit track pants may be worn on sport days only. The school jumper is the only one to be worn. These can be purchased at Caba's Uniform Shop. (Please have your child's name on it!)

A reminder that suede or canvas shoes are not permitted. Skate shoes must not to be worn to school.

INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC PROGRAM 2014

TERM 1 MUSIC ACCOUNTS
Reminders of invoices were sent home this week. These invoices are now overdue. Please pay any outstanding accounts by the end of Term 1.

Any student who has an outstanding account from 2013 will not be able to participate in the program this year.

For any enquiries, please contact Dot Trevaskis or Sione George at the school office. Thank you.

**Coffs Harbour Community Preschool**

**Back to Preschool Day - Saturday 5 April 2014**

10:00 am—2:00 pm at 11 Brodie Drive, Coffs Harbour

An invitation is extended to everyone who has connected with Coffs Harbour Community Preschool over our last 61 years of operation. Come back to visit and see what has changed and what has stayed the same! Stay for a short time or bring a rug and settle in for the day. Photos spanning the years will be on display—bring your stories and memories along to share and add your name to our Generation Tree. Activities on the day (for a small cost) include face painting, Lions Club BBQ, and a photo booth. At 11:00 am there will be a free show by children’s entertainers “Animals Rock”.
OUTSIDE SCHOOL HOURS CARE

IMPORTANT News!!! We have a new email address for OSHC for any bookings, changes, queries or messages. It is: cofhp-oshc@lism.catholic.edu.au

Please use this for your OSHC correspondence especially over the next few weeks leading up to and including Vacation Care and Term 2.

Vacation Care
Vacation Care is only 1 week away!!! The program is out and available from the school office and the OSHC room. Please get your booking sheets in ASAP as we don’t want anyone to miss out!!

Donations of any newspapers, shopping bags, craft material or Easter craft ideas/materials would be very much appreciated by OSHC (please drop them in to the OSHC room).

NB: Bookings for Vacation Care or future After School Care Bookings will not be accepted if fees are in arrears from the previous term.

Invitations
Invitations have been sent out home this week via your children. These need to be brought up to date. It is important that the account is not in arrears especially from the 2013 year. It is vital to the operation and continuation of the service provided that fees are paid and the accounts up to date. As part of the enrolment and the accounts payment policy in the enrolment application it is important that accounts are finalised within seven days. Future bookings may not be taken where fees are in arrears. Your attention to this is appreciated.

After School Care
If you have only booked your child/ren in for Term 1 of After School Care please complete a booking sheet for Term 2 (commencing Tuesday 29.04.14) as soon as possible.

The children/staff have been getting very creative at OSHC by drawing, designing and colouring animals that belong in the jungle. These jungle animals will be displayed on the windows at OSHC within the next couple of weeks, so keep an eye out for them.

A friendly reminder, it is essential to advise OSHC if your child/ren is due to attend After School Care and is absent from school and/or not attending for that day. Please notify Educators by calling 0417 666 494 before 1:00 pm. This will alleviate Educators spending additional time looking for your child at roll call.

Active After School Care Sports
Active After School Care Sports has finished for this term but will be starting back in Term 2. We have had great feedback from the children, which we hope that they have shared with you.

CONTACT DETAILS:
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Linda (Administrator OSHC) 66521204 cofhp-oshc@lism.catholic.edu.au

Suite 3, 14 Edgar Street, Coffs Harbour NSW 2450
Telephone. 02 6652 2999 Fax. 02 6652 4694
Email. mail@chpa.com.au Website. www.chpa.com.au
PLAYGROUP
A NEW PLAYGROUP is starting at St Augustine’s Parish. All mums (or dads!) and their 0-5 years olds are invited. The playgroup will begin in Term 2 on Monday 28 April and run on Mondays during Term time. Starting at 9:45 am (after morning Mass) and finishing at 11:30 am, the playgroup will take place in the back yard behind the Curran Centre. Tea and coffee is provided, byo morning tea. Everyone is welcome! For more info contact Fran Davis on 0409 597 866.

LARC Matters
Library books are essential for reading development for two major reasons:

1. By reading, and being read to, a variety of books a reader’s skill is constantly enforced, extended and challenged. All reading skills including vocabulary, word attack skills and comprehension are practised and developed. Confidence is gained in many areas of school work as reading is a necessity in every subject.

2. ENJOYMENT. Reading is a positive leisure activity. In any form, reading is entertainment, an escape and fun. Enjoy the books with your child. If they are young, read them over and over and as you read them they will start to pick up on the words. Just enjoy the story!

Some possible tips for using picture books at home for younger readers needing support.

♦ Look at the front cover and discuss what the story could be about.
♦ Flip through and look at the pictures to see what might happen.
♦ Scan through the words and let the child isolate some sight words they may recognise. (Even Kinder children can start to do that soon.)
♦ Read them the story stopping to discuss things they may not understand or words they don’t know.
♦ Read the story many times over and over.
♦ If it is a rhyming book, let the child guess the end of the line.
♦ Stop half way and guess what will happen at the end.
♦ Talk about their favourite part of the story or their favourite character.

Children often have a favourite book in the younger years, so get ready to read it lots of times. I bet you can remember your favourite book from childhood and your child will too.

This link may be of interest to you for further pointers. How to read with your child: http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=z4Kxhu1mLcw

See you in the LARC
Annie Madden—Teacher Librarian
**SCHOOL MUSICAL—‘THE WIZARD OF OZ’**

**WANTED—COSTUME DESIGNERS AND COSTUME MAKERS!**

This year our school musical, "The Wizard of Oz", will be performed in September. If you have an interest in costume design and/or costume making or even if you can do basic sewing please contact Julie McCabe on the email address below.

Are you able to help create props and set scenes? These will all be very simple and mostly made from cardboard, paper and paint.

Helpers will also be needed closer to the performances for make-up and hair etc.

All helpers please email Julie McCabe at jmccabe@ism.catholic.edu.au

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**Cyber-safety Tips!**

**Family tips:**

Turn on SafeSearch in Google Search.

Turning on SafeSearch is an easy way to help you hide images, search results and videos intended just for adults.

- Enable YouTube safety mode.
- Increase your password strength, use a combination of letters and numbers. Use different passwords and make them hard to guess - keep them safe.
- Create a strong password for your WiFi network at home.
- Set limits on device and internet use.
- Set a good example with mobile phone and internet use.

*Naomi Loader*

**EMAIL ADDRESSES**

If you know of any parent/carer who is not receiving our school emails with Newsletters and notes, please ask them to contact the office and supply us with a current email address.
**THE GREEN SPOT**

*Bluearth ' Core Movement*

Part of our Physical Education program at St Augustine's involves activities based on the principles of 'The Bluearth Foundation'. Bluearth is a national not-for-profit organisation whose focus is to increase the levels of physical activity in school aged children. Bluearth believes that children should be exposed to yoga-style poses that challenge core muscles, increase flexibility and develop both strength and balance. If you are looking for something to do during the holidays take a look at the link below. Here you will find many core movement activity videos that take you through a variety of 'poses' step by step. Enjoy!

http://www.bluearth.org/resource/core/core.cfm

**Eat more Fruit and Vegetables**

Fruit and vegetables are a great source of vitamins, minerals and dietary fibre. Eating fruit and vegetables every day helps children and teenagers grow and develop, boosts their vitality and can reduce the risk of many chronic diseases - such as heart disease, high blood pressure, some forms of cancer and being overweight or obese. All of us need to eat a variety of different coloured fruit and vegies every day – both raw and cooked. The recommended daily amount for kids and teens is at least two serves of fruit and five serves of vegetables.

Some ideas to try:

- Involve the whole family in choosing and preparing fruit and vegies.
- Select fruit and vegies that are in season – they taste better and are usually cheaper.
- Keep a bowl of fresh fruit in the home.
- Be creative in how you prepare and serve fruit and vegetables - such as raw, sliced, grated, microwaved, mashed or baked; serve different coloured fruit and vegies or use different serving plates or bowls.
- Include fruit and vegies in every meal. For example, add chopped, grated or puréed vegetables to pasta sauces, meat burgers, frittatas, stir-fries and soups, and add fruit to breakfast cereal.
- Snack on fruit and vegies. Try corn on the cob; jacket potato topped with reduced fat cheese; plain popcorn (unbuttered and without sugar or salt coating); chopped vegies with salsa, hummus or yoghurt dips; stewed fruit; fruit crumble; frozen fruit; or muffins and cakes made with fruit or vegies.

*Alex Shaw—Coordinator*
St Augustine’s School acknowledges the wonderful contributions of Matt Allen, Coffs Harbour Golf Club and all our Sponsors and Donors

Thank you.

Michael & Benice Dougherty—Quality Inn City Centre
Bailey Centre 24 Hour Mobil
Craft Beer Experience
Magann O’Rourke Loader Property Valuers
Stocks Contracting
Diocesan Investment Fund
Coffs Pest Control Services
Park Beach Music & Hi Fi
Bendigo Bank
Morrisons Electrical Store
Terri Home & Commercial
Coffs Professional Cleaners
Herron Todd White
Lee Funston Chiropractor
Faircloth & Reynolds Refrigeration & Air Conditioning
Coffs Coast Advocate
Jetty Car Wash & Detailing
Jack Simmons Mensland
Park Beach Bowling Club Colts
Bananacoast Power Tools
Alistair Scotford—Ventoux Cycles
The Somerville Group
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John Senes—Jade Hair Design
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McGrath & Associates
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Shearwater Restaurant
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Geoff King Motors
Allan Potts Building
Adam Boys Tiling
CHOICES Flooring
CNW Electrical
The Dental Centre
Armstrong Architects
Ella Bache Coffs Harbour
Nolan and Partners
Cowlings R & R Carpets
Watson’s Caravans

If you would like to help our school with sponsorship or donations next year, we would love to hear from you. Please contact the office.

Please accept our apologies if your name was accidentally omitted. Thank you.
St Augustine’s 2014
QUALITY INN CITY CENTRE
P & F Golf Day
Winner of the Quality Inn City Centre accommodation vouchers - Glen Actkinson

GOLF WINNERS:
First Gross Winner  Stocks Contracting
Runner Up Gross    McGrath & Associates
First Net          Craft Beer Experience
Runner Up Net      Coffs Toyota
Bradman           The Hopefuls
Best Dressed Ladies  The Hopefuls
Best Dressed Men   Herron Todd White

The winners of the Bike raffle:
1st Prize      $550 bike—Mitchell McCann
2nd Prize      Samsung Galaxy Tab 3—Molly Rice

A big thank you to all our sponsors and donors! See page 14 for our sponsors list and please support these businesses. Thank you also to all our volunteers and helpers on the day.

P & F NEWS

At our last P & F Meeting discussion was held around our next major P & F Project. We want this conversation to include as many people in our school community as possible. This means your views and ideas as parents and any views from grandparents, even older brothers and sisters as welcome to pitch in.

Funds raised by the P & F come from the food and drinks sold at sausage sizzles, sponsorship funds from the Golf Day, the Fete, the various raffles as well as the Walk-a-thon and the Spell-a-thon.

Should fund raising focus around improving drainage on the sports field, installing a solar system to improve the school's efficiency and lower its carbon footprint? Or should we be focussing on creating a terrace and landscaped area under the pine tree near the field?

We won't know the answer to any of these questions until the conversation has taken place and the various ideas have been discussed and a consensus reached.

From the start of Term 2 there will be a 'Suggestion Box' in the School Office. You are invited to place your suggestions into the box or you can email me at sappleton67@yahoo.co.uk

The conversation will continue at the next P&F meeting, scheduled for Tuesday May 6th at 7pm.

We would love to hear from you!

Stephen Appleton—P & F Committee President
Congratulations Rebekka!

One of Year 6 students, Rebekka Robertson, is really Making Jesus Real in her life! Last Saturday night at the Dancefever Danceoff, Rebekka organised a raffle to raise funds for drought relief in Australia. Rebekka and her mum put together a beautiful basket of Easter goodies to raffle, phoned Maria and Chris, the owners of Dancefever, to see if it would be ok to run the raffle and then sold tickets as people entered Sportz Central. Rebecca and her mum made one hundred dollars for their very worthwhile cause.

Congratulations Rebekka on such a wonderful idea for helping others in our community.
2014 Dancefever Interschool Challenge

Last Saturday night on 29 March, the Dancefever Challenge was held at Sportz Central from 6pm-9pm. This competition was held for five Catholic Schools in the Coffs Harbour region. It was a tremendous night for people of all ages and everyone had a blast, dancing and having fun. Many of the students at our school made the grand finals of each dance and some received a 1st, 2nd or 3rd place ribbon and a free dance lesson with Carol at the Pacific Dancentre. Even the parents had a chance to show off their groovy moves!

The students performed two dances, the jive and the tango, taught by Michael and Jenna, our instructors for this term. Every school also presented a spectacular hip-hop routine. Our school danced to “Angels/Kisses of the Sun”, however, MHOCC took out the 2014 title with their theme of “Chihuahua”. It was an epic night for all. We encourage everyone to come along and enjoy the fun next year!

Liam Berg and Jaida Smith
Year 6 students

FOR MORE PHOTOS GO TO KnowledgeNET (look in the gallery under school zone)
K-2 DANCE FEVER
SPECTACULAR
THANK YOU JENNA & MICHAEL!
Smooth moves, loads of laughs & lots of smiles!
Great to see so many from the
school community sharing this moment
with our students!
St Augustine’s School
Invites
All Parents
to a
2015 Kindergarten Information Evening

Discussing…
• Educational opportunities and experiences unique to St Augustine’s School
• Parent/School Partnership
• Our personalised approach to teaching and learning in the 21st Century
• Transition and Orientation for 2015
• Questions and Answers

Date: Wednesday 7 May 2014
Time: 7.00pm to 8.30pm
Venue: St Augustine’s School Hall
RSVP: by 2 May 2014 - email to: sapcoffs@lism.catholic.edu.au
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**ROLLS ARE 40c EXTRA**
(White, Wholemeal or Multigrain)

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| WRAPS - Plain Salad               | 3.80                     |
| Chicken OR Ham with Salad         | 4.80                     |

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| POPCORN – (no cholesterol or gluten) | .60 |
| CHOC CHIP COOKIE (low fat)          | .50 |

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| Chicken Breast Royale (only)         | 2.50 |
| Chicken Breast Royale on a Roll      | 3.00 |
| Chicken Breast Royale on a roll with lettuce & mayonnaise | 3.50 |
| Chicken Breast Royale on a roll with lettuce | 3.40 |
| Chicken Breast Royale on a roll with mayo | 3.10 |

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| CORDIAL                     | 1.40 |
|                            |      |
| BOTTLED WATER              | 1.40 |

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**LUNCH TIME 10:55 AM UNTIL 11:40 AM  **
**AFTERNOON RECESS 1:40 PM UNTIL 2:00 PM**

**COULD LUNCH ORDERS PLEASE BE WRITTEN ON A LUNCH PAPER BAG, NOT AN ENVELOPE. NO LOLLIES TO BE ORDERED IN A LUNCH ORDER, THANK YOU.**

**YEARS K-2 WHO ORDER AFTERNOON RECESS WILL HAVE IT DELIVERED TO THEIR CLASSROOM BY 1:40 PM.**

**NO HOT FOOD OR SANDWICHES TO BE ORDERED FOR RECESS.**

**PLEASE DO NOT ORDER LOLLIES OR ICY POLES WITH LUNCH ORDERS, THESE CAN BE BOUGHT AFTER THE SECOND BELL AT 11:10 AM.**

**THANK YOU**