



St. Joseph's DENMAN

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From The Principal, Mrs Helen Whale.....

We have entered the Liturgical season of ADVENT now which marks the waiting time for Jesus' birth at Christmas. Time to get out the decorations, plan the celebrations and prepare ourselves for the coming of Jesus. What will you do to prepare your heart for Jesus this year?

It was a lovely treat to have Mrs Lyn Moore back behind the front desk last week. Thank you to Lyn for helping us in the office while swimming program was being run. **Don't forget we are celebrating Lyn's retirement on Friday 13th** at the school. Please call the school with your RSVP by Wednesday 4th.

Swimming lessons were well received last week. Thank you to Mrs Virginia Chapman, our Austswim coach who prepared the week's program for the students. The students have developed their swimming techniques which will be on display at our swimming carnival on Friday.

Thank you to Malabar Coal for sponsoring our swimming program and for providing every student with their own mini bottle of sunscreen, their support of our school is greatly appreciated.



Our annual presentation night will be held next Tuesday evening in the RSL auditorium. Please ensure that you and your children are in attendance as we acknowledge the great achievements made by students in 2019 and celebrate the year that has been.

Volunteer Afternoon Tea. All volunteers and helpers of SJD are invited to an afternoon tea on Monday 9th December from 2.30pm to thank you for giving up your time to help out at school or at school events. Please come along to allow us to thank you for your support and time. We hope to see you there! For catering purposes please RSVP to Virginia in the office by Thursday 5th December.

Year 6 Rotary Dinner
 Miss Emma Watson and I had the pleasure of attending the Year 6 Rotary Dinner at the RSL last Wednesday night. This night is an opportunity for the Rotary Club to help Year 6 students from all local schools to celebrate the end of their primary schooling and wish them well for high school. On the night we enjoyed a delicious meal catered for by the Chinese restaurant.



Thank you to the students in attendance as well as parents - Keiran Falvey, Georgy Evans and Zoe Jamieson for attending this evening. Also at the Rotary Dinner, The Denman RSL Club took the opportunity to recognise the local Year 6 students who recently sat the RSL Bursary exam & to announce the winner. Congratulations to Toby Jamieson for his exam, our only Year 6 student to participate in 2019.



Kindergarten Orientation at SJD
 The last Kindergarten orientation will be this Wednesday 4th December from 9am to 3pm. We look forward to seeing you all then!

If you know of any other students who are ready for Kindergarten next year please encourage them to contact the school, we would love to include them in our last orientation session.



RETIREMENT HIGH TEA

You're Invited to Celebrate with Us the Many Years of Service by Mrs Lyn Moore at St Joseph's Denman

Friday 13th December 2019 2pm
LOCATION: St Joseph's, 80 Palace St Denman

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