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Dear Parents,

Tuesday evening's opening of the Art Show was a real showcase of the talents of our children here at Christ Our Holy Redeemer. I am so proud of the children and their amazing work. The children have put in an enormous amount of time and effort in preparing for the show, developing many skills along the way. For those of you who have been unable to make it to the Art Show it will be open until 4.30pm this afternoon.

Again, congratulations to all the children and sincere thanks to Jo Hunt and all the staff for helping to showcase the artistic talents of our students.

This term seems to have gone quite quickly. It has been a wonderful term of learning and this is evident in the amazing work that has been produced in each of the classrooms. We have had some very successful special events over the course of this term; these have included Family Week, the Sacrament of Confirmation, athletics training and breakfast club, Growing with Grace program, Book Week, Maths Week and the Family Mathlympics Night, Grandparents Day, our wonderful Art Show..... and to finish off the term we will have a Footy Colours' Day and Special Lunch tomorrow.

I have thoroughly enjoyed my first term here at Christ Our Holy Redeemer and again I thank you all for making me feel so welcome. I would like to congratulate the children on their efforts this term and thank the teachers for their enthusiasm and dedication to their profession. I hope all our children and families manage to take some 'time out' these holidays to relax and spend some quality family time together.

Take care and enjoy the rest of the week,

Brendan Welsford  
 Principal

**END OF TERM PRAYER SERVICE**

A whole school prayer service will take place TOMORROW Friday 16<sup>th</sup> at 2pm in the hall. As with all our liturgies, assemblies and masses, family and friends are most welcome to join us.

**END OF TERM**

A reminder that school finishes for Term 3 tomorrow at 2.30 pm. Term 4 resumes on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> October.

**REMINDER - School Improvement Surveys - DUE TOMORROW**

**SCHOOL BANKING ASSISTANCE**

We are looking for more parent helpers due to the success of the school banking program. If you are free on a Tuesday morning and interested, please leave your name at the office.

**HELP REQUIRED....**

**BUNNINGS BBQ 24<sup>th</sup> September**

Thank you to those who have added their names to our roster. We are still in need of 3 helpers for the 12-2pm timeslot and 3 helpers for the 2-4pm timeslot. If you are able to assist, could you please let the office know.

**ART SHOW**

Congratulations to the lucky winners of the Class Art Pieces. They were:

- Prep L – Lucas Ramalinga
- Prep H – Hugo Bellina
- 1/2C – Riannah Simos
- 1/2CP – Drew McLaughlin
- 1/2P – Charlie Hopkins
- 1/2S – Mietta Tartaro
- 3/4B – Allannah Ruyg
- 3/4HM – Isabella Goodman
- 3/4JP – Gisele Falconieri
- 3/4K – Ava Chiaravalle
- 5/6PT – Kristian Aparo
- 5/6S – Xander Oorloff
- 5/6W – Thomas Russo

**Term 3**

**SEPTEMBER**

- Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> Parent Movie Night
- Friday 16<sup>th</sup> Footy Colours Day
- Term 3 Ends 2:30pm
- Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> Bunnings BBQ South Oakleigh

**OCTOBER**

- Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> Term 4 Begins

**FOOTY COLOURS DAY**

Tomorrow is Footy Colours Day. Children will be permitted to wear footy jumpers or casual clothes in their favourite teams' colours. No late orders for the special lunch will be taken tomorrow. Please send an alternative lunch if you have not placed an order.

GOLD COIN DONATION: money raised goes towards the fete.



## **CONGRATULATIONS**

Congratulations to the Perri family (Amelia 3/4JP and Carla 1/2CP) on the safe arrival of their baby boy Daniel.

## **DISTRICT ATHLETICS**

I wanted to congratulate all the children who trained well and performed well in the District Athletics on Monday 29th August.

Our children work well together and support each other and other teams so well on the day.

We would especially like to congratulate

Daniel Amendola -Discus and Shotput  
Tom Reid -Discus and Shotput  
Tom Heverin -Discus  
Harry Chetwin -Shotput  
Billy Robinson -Shotput  
James McLaughlin -Triple jump  
Jemma Ryan -Triple jump but she will be playing with the state hockey team in Perth(good luck Jemma).

Calvin Ramachandran - High jump

Archie Callander - Hurdles

10 yrs boys Relay Team -our first boys relay team- Jonathan Tomacev, Alex Makrogiannidis, James Montano, Nicholas Goodman.

And wish them all the best for Wednesday 5th october at the Division Finals.

I would also like to thank the wonderful parents who helped continuously at our breakfast program.

Steve Falconieri, Mrs Neophytou, Mrs Galante, Mrs Matsakis, Mrs Iverson, Mr and Mrs Firth, Mrs Brewer, Mrs Heil, Mrs McLaughlin and many more who made the term so wonderful for our children.

Have a wonderful holiday everyone and thank you always for your help and support in Sport.

Yours in Sport

Sue Tobin

## **ROCK STAR CARPARK**

Silent Auction for term 4 carpark will begin on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> September. The auction forms can be found in the office foyer. The winner will be announced at Friday assembly. Winning the carpark means you have access to the carpark for every school function day and night for the term.

We ask that all families respect this and leave the carpark vacant for the winning family.

## **CARRIBBEAN ROLLERAMA – FAMILY NIGHT**

The Parents Association have organised a family night on Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> October. We have booked Carribbean Rollerama for our exclusive use from 5.30pm – 7.30pm. Parents and siblings are welcome . Please see attached flyer for futher details.

## **GIRLS NIGHT OUT**

Bridget Jones's Baby tonight Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> September at 8pm.

## **REMINDERS**

Please remember to return email address information forms and returning to COHR in 2017 forms.

## **SCHOOL PICKUP ARRANGEMENTS**

We are receiving an ever increasing number of calls at the end of the day requesting children be notified about pickup arrangements. We are aware that situations arise during the day where alternate arrangements need to be made, but we would ask that you could please discuss with your child before school as to how they will be collected at the end of the day, especially on wet days. This is to avoid the constant disruptions to the class and the risk of not being able to inform the child due to them being in other rooms or specialist classes. Thank you for your support in this.

# Mystery ? Jars

Loved by all children the very popular Lucky Dip Mystery Jar stall is back at this year's Fete!  
If you're looking for an activity to do over the school holidays we would love for you to start filling jars with goodies.  
Please place in the Classroom boxes on your return to school.

## Rules:

← Please ensure your jar is odourless. Jars that have had garlic, pasta sauce or other strong odours should not be used.

← Remove labels from jars  
Please don't wrap the jars

← If you are feeling generous and a little time poor, a \$5 note in a jar is always very popular with the kids  
Lots of cheap, fun items can be found at Kmart, Big W and \$2 shops.

## Ideas:

★ Wrapped, lollies, Chocolates, Packets of Sour Straps

★ Marbles, Balloons, Skipping Rope, Yo Yo's

★ Bouncy Balls

★ Arts & Crafts, gel pens

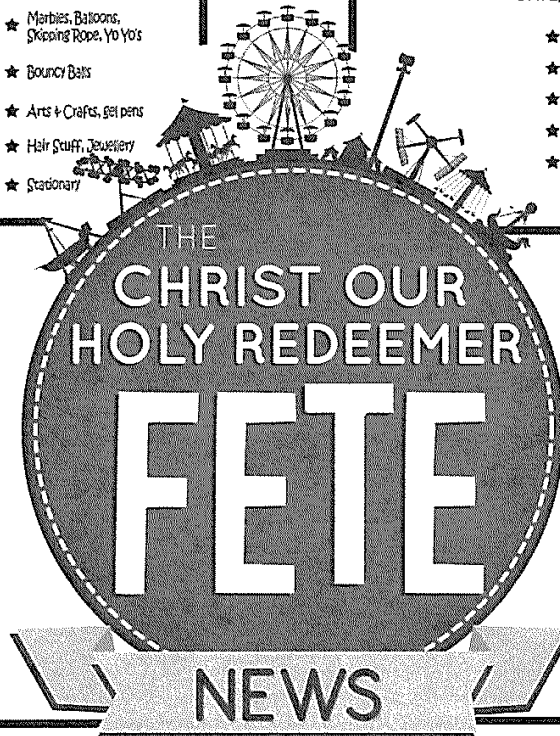
★ Hair Stuff, Jewellery

★ Stationery

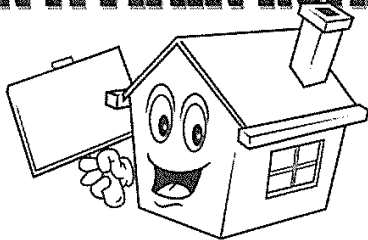
# Calling All... SEWERS, ARTISTS & CRAFTERS

If you are able to Create and Make we would love to restock our Craft Stall with CHRISTMAS themed Creations.

- ★ Decorations
- ★ Table Centrepieces
- ★ Wreaths
- ★ Stockings
- ★ Cards



# DO YOU LIVE ON A MAIN ROAD?



We need to visually advertise our fete as much as possible!

So if you live on a main road and would be willing to have a sign board in your front garden or on your fence we would love to use your piece of real estate.

Please contact the office if you are able help.

At this year's fete we are asking for your help for the prizes for

# THE BIG WHEEL

Each Class has been designated a theme.  
The list below indicates each grade and basket theme with some ideas.  
We would like each child to bring along an item for their class basket.  
Baskets will be in the classes as of next term!

Thanks for your continued support and generosity.

**PREP L - Fun Times for boys Prep-Grade 2:** books, DVDs, puzzle books, tennis balls, games, lego, plastic figurines, cards, snap, bouncy balls

**PREP H - Christmas:** bonbons, table cloth, candles, platters, cards, baubles, decorations, hats, napkins, food items, Christmas paper plates

**1/2 S - Gourmet Food:** nuts, sauces, biscuits-savoury/ sweet, mustards, jams, chutneys, fruit cake, wine, chocolates, dried fruit, plates, server, serviettes

**1/2 CP - Games:** barbecue utensils, apron, sauces, man scraping products, books, games, sporting apparatus

**1/2 C - Summer Fun:** sunscreen, hats, candles, beach towels, mosquito spray, sunglasses, mozy coils, citronella, watering can, beach bag, beach ball, floaties, kickboard, goggles, cricket set

**1/2 P - Fun Times for Girls Prep-Grade 2:** books, DVDs, puzzle books, jewellery, hair ties, lego, stuffed toys, plastic figures, bangles, bubbles, cards, colouring books

**3/4 JP - Fun Times for Girls Grade 3-6:** books, DVDs, puzzle books, jewellery, hair ties, skipping rope, nail polish

**3/4 HM - Gardening:** books, DVDs, puzzle books, jewellery, hair ties, skipping rope, nail polish

**3/4 B - Christmas:** bonbons, table cloth, candles, platters, cards, baubles, decorations, hats, napkins, food items, Christmas paper plates

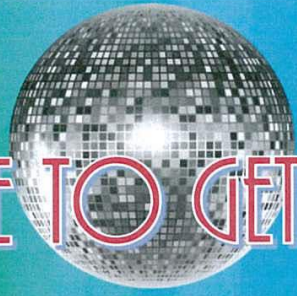
**3/4 K - Summer Fun:** sunscreen, hats, candles, beach towels, mosquito spray, sunglasses, mozy coils, citronella, watering can, beach bag, beach ball, floaties, kickboard, goggles, cricket set

**5/6 W - Fun Times for Boys 3-6:** books, DVDs, puzzle books, games, cars, lego

**5/6 S - Gourmet Food:** nuts, sauces, biscuits-savoury/ sweet, mustards, jams, chutneys, fruit cake, wine, chocolates, dried fruit, plates, server, serviettes

**5/6 PT - Ladies:** perfume, beauty products, books, vouchers, candles, hair products, wine





# IT'S TIME TO GET YOUR SKATES ON

AND JOIN US FOR A COHR FAMILY NIGHT

THURSDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER

5.30PM - 7.30PM

CARRIBEAN ROLLERAMA

1298 FERNTREE GULLY ROAD, SCORESBY

COST: \$5 PER PERSON SKATING (INCLUDES SKATE HIRE)  
NON SKATERS FREE ENTRY

PARENTS, CHILDREN AND SIBLINGS ALL WELCOME

FOOD & DRINKS AVAILABLE ON THE NIGHT:

SAUSAGE IN BREAD \$2

PACKET OF CHIPS \$1

DRINKS \$1

Please return the attached slip in an envelope with payment by Friday 7<sup>th</sup> October.

## CARRIBEAN ROLLERAMA FAMILY SKATING NIGHT

FAMILY NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

NUMBER OF PEOPLE SKATING: \_\_\_\_\_

PAYMENT AMOUNT (\$5 per person skating): \_\_\_\_\_

