HOLT DISTRICT CROSS COUNTRY CARNIVAL
FRIDAY 22 MAY @ BALD HILL RESERVE, CLAYTON
MELWAYS 78 J4

The children will be travelling to and from the event by bus and will be departing school at 11:15am. They will return to school at approximately 3:30pm.

The 9/10 year old events will begin at 12:30pm. Each event will run for approximately 10-15 minutes. The first eight runners from each race will progress to the Bendigo District Championships.

- Age 9/10 Girls: 12:30pm 2 Km
- Age 9/10 Boys: 12:40pm 2 Km
- Age 11 Girls: 12:50pm 3 Km
- Age 11 Boys: 1:10pm 3 Km
- Age 12/13 Girls: 1:30pm 3 Km
- Age 12/13 Boys: 1:50pm 3 Km

St James will be celebrating an active travel day on the 26 May for grades Foundation, 4, 5 and 6 and on the 13 October for the rest of the school. This is when we encourage students and their families to leave the car at home and get a taste of the benefits involved in choosing to walk, ride your bike, scoot or skate to school. Not only is it a lot of fun, it gets you active, saves energy, as well as reducing pollution and traffic congestion around the school. The benefits far outweigh the negatives!

Physical activity is one of the most important factors in disease prevention and students are more ready to learn after actively travelling to school.

There is some great information on bicycle and helmet safety checks at https://www.bicyclenetwork.com.au/general/programs/362/

Gwen Michener
Sustainability/Science Teacher.

THURSDAY 28 MAY
EUCHARIST REFLECTION DAY
9:00 a.m. start

FAMILY FAITH NIGHT
7:00 - 8:00p.m.

- TONIGHT -FROM 7PM DADS GATHERING AT THE WINELARDER IN MARTIN STREET BRIGHTON
- FRIDAY 22 MAY -HOLT DISTRICT CROSS COUNTRY
- SUNDAY 24 MAY -PENTECOST SUNDAY
- TUESDAY 26 MAY -RIDE TO SCHOOL, BIGGEST MORNING TEA, MUSICAL AUDITIONS

FIRST EUCHARIST SACRAMENT
SUNDAY 14 JUNE
@ 11:30am
in the STAR of the Sea Auditorium
An official Photographer will be available on the day.
Please notify the school office if you would like your child’s photo taken at this memorable event.
ST JAMES WALKATHON 2015

HOW IS YOUR SPONSORSHIP CARD GOING ??

The time is fast approaching for the St James Walkathon!
FRIDAY 29th May from 10.30 to 11.30am
KAMESBURGH GARDENS
Students to wear sports uniform with House coloured t-shirt.
Please ensure that you have responded to the CareMonkey request sent this week.

‘Why fit in when you were born to stand out!’ Dr. Seuss

Musical Auditions will be held next week on Tuesday 26th May.
All students in Years 5 and 6 will have the opportunity to audition for lead roles. The audition process will also be used to help allocate the children into roles and characters that will showcase their talents. The students have been given access to all the audition information they need and have had opportunities to prepare over the last few weeks. Year 4’s will also be given an opportunity to sing and dance as a group on the day also.
At recess there will be a dance audition for any students in Years 4/5/6 who would like to try out for a specialised lyrical ballet dance that will feature in the production. Students can just wear their sports uniform, but may bring appropriate foot attire if they feel it will assist them.
Casting decisions will be made by the audition panel consisting of St James staff and two (2) outside panelists, both of whom have extensive experience with the show, as performer, choreographer and director. These will be tough decisions, as the children already sound amazing!

Students in the Junior years will workshop their segments during the rehearsal period and any feature roles will be allocated then.

School Tablecloths
If any parent has borrowed or kindly taken home tablecloths to launder, could they please return ASAP, as are required for an imminent function. Thank You.

ST JAMES OPTIONAL RUGBY JUMPER ORDER
The school is about to place another order for Rugby Jumpers. If you require a Rugby Jumper, please place an order with the office by Friday 22nd May 2015

STUDENT AWARDS

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FREE PARENTING SEMINAR

BULLYING: Prevention and coping skills for children and their parents
Examination of 23 prevention skills and 10 coping skills to empower you and your children.

Wednesday 27 May at 7.30pm – 9.00pm
Location: Rosstrevor Hall, Brighton Grammar Old Middle School, entrance off Alice St, opposite the new Middle School and the Girrawheen Chapel
Presenter: Melissa Anderson – Director of SHINE Academy for Girls and LONGFORD & FRASER for boys, resilience coach, counsellor, pharmacist
Cost: Nil. A gold coin donation to a selected charity is warmly welcomed
Bookings: 9592 4948 or email your booking request: info@shineacademy.com.au

SCHOLASTIC BOOK CLUB ORDERS DUE IN THURSDAY 28 MAY

On Saturday 8th of August we are raising the stakes....
Preparations are in full swing for the St James Major Fundraiser ‘A Night in Monte Carlo’ and glamour is on the cards...
The aim of the evening is to have fun. socialise and have a great night but also raise money for our fabulous school, so please consider if you, your business, family or friends might be able contribute to our auction items for the event.
We would love to hear from you by contacting Connie Sands on conniesands@bigpond.com or Phone: 0416 24 0767 and of course we look forward to seeing you on the red carpet.

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