Dear Holy Spirit,
May our community be filled with your love
so that we can live our lives the way you want us to.
Let your love and strength be with our community.
Help us all to live together in peace and goodness. Amen

Dear Parents,

Thank you to those of you who are following the correct procedure in the ‘Kiss and Drive’ and parking in the allocated bays. Following the correct process is an excellent opportunity for good role modelling to our students and helps to build positive community relationships including cooperation and respect. Children learn so much from the adult role models in their lives, so your cooperation in the car-park is in their best interests and it also helps to create a safe and pleasant environment for everyone.

Year Four to Six students participated in the ‘Speak-Up’ award presentation in our school hall today. There was a wide variety of topics chosen by students, including talks about Polar Bears, Logging and Environmental Protection, Kerry Packer, Ballet and lots more. The students who have made it to this level are amazing. There have been many other impressive speeches in the classrooms along the way. Thank you very much to Mrs Marion Kenny and all staff, parents and students involved in the organisation of this very worthwhile event.

Our Year One Blue class performed a very entertaining poem at this morning’s assembly entitled “We’re Going On a Bug Hunt”. They looked very smart in their bug costumes and they did a fantastic job in entertaining the school and the large crowd of parents gathered. Well done Mrs Lo Faro and Year One Blue!

God bless you.

Fintan Archer
Assistant Principal

NOTES SENT HOME THIS WEEK: Kindy - Community Dress Up Day

VISION STATEMENT
St Andrew’s CPS offers an education that acknowledges, respects and nurtures the uniqueness of each person.
Within a framework of Catholic values and teamwork, the students will be challenged and supported to recognise their gifts and develop their potential as they learn and contribute to their community.
DATES TO REMEMBER

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Congratulation to those children who will be celebrating their birthdays soon.

SCHOOL MATTERS

### MAKING JESUS REAL AWARDS
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### MERIT AWARDS
FOR THE 20 JUNE 2013

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CROSS COUNTRY CARNIVAL - FRIDAY 21ST JUNE
The School Cross Country will be held on Friday 21st June starting at 9.00 am. Every student in Year 3-6 had a letter with the running times for each Year Group. All parents are invited to watch the races.

The presentation of the Faction Shield and winners’ medals will take place at the end of the morning in the School Hall. Morning Tea will be served in the canteen. Thank you
Dawne Peacham

SPEAK UP
Congratulations to the following students who have been selected to represent St Andrew’s at the first round of the Speak Up competition in Term 3: Jake S, Kaelena S, Maya C and Declan R (Reserve). We wish them all the best of luck.
Marion Kenny
Reminder: Please keep Wednesday 24 July at 5.30 p.m. free so that you are able to attend the **INTERNET SAFETY AWARENESS PRESENTATION** run by the Australian Communication and Media Authority (ACMA). The presentation will take one hour of your time and will be well worth it!!  
**Anne Phillips**

**WISH LIST:** tissues, toilet paper, rolls of paper towels, gladwrap, freezer bags, large green garbage bags, milton liquid, betadine solution, nilstat, masking tape (2cm) white board markers, cotton balls, cotton tips, sandwich bags (not zip lock) sugar, newspapers, dish washing liquid, sunscreen, rubber gloves, disposable gloves, face masks, towels, bull dog clips, aqium gel, baby bottles (without teats) liquid soap, mouse pads, polar fleece fabric. **Judith Birchall**

**LOST**  
New sport jacket with Ruby Dillon’s name inside. Please check your child’s clothing in case this jacket has been picked up by mistake. If found please return to the office.

**P&F NEWS**

**P&F MEETING**  
A reminder that this month’s P&F meeting will be held tomorrow (Friday 21 June) at 1:30pm in the staffroom. Why not come to the school a bit earlier tomorrow and find out what happens at these meetings?  

We are still looking for volunteers for the school disco, so this would be a good opportunity to put your hand up for that. Hope to see you there.

**COMMUNITY NEWS**

**RAISING GIRLS - A WORKSHOP FOR DADS**  
**Tuesday 2nd July @ 27 The Crescent, Midland**  
Time: 6.30-9.00  
Cost: $25.00  
Find out how you can build a rewarding father-daughter relationship. As the primary male role model in a girl’s life, fathers play an important role in the development of their self-concept and self-esteem. This affects how they relate to others, particularly to boys and men. For further information please phone 9489 6322.

**ARANMORE CATHOLIC COLLEGE 2014 SCHOLARSHIPS**  
Aranmore Catholic College awards full and partial scholarships to deserving students in the fields of Academic, Sport (Netball & Rugby) and Music. Students entering Year 7 or Year 8 in 2014 are eligible to apply for the Academic and Music scholarships. Students entering Years 7 to 12 are eligible to apply for Netball or Rugby scholarships. All applications are due by 28 June 2013. For further details, please visit [wwwaranmore.wa.edu.au](http://wwwaranmore.wa.edu.au) or contact the Front Office on 9444 9355.
Our Year 6 excursion to Parliament House and the Electoral Centre

Here are some of the interesting fact we learnt:

Claudia: I learnt that you can enrol at 17 years of age to vote.
Samuel: If you marry and change your name you need to re-enrol to vote.
Ciaran: The first person in WA to be executed was a boy aged 15.
Georgia: WA’s government allows the general public to come in and listen to debates.
Mitchell: There are two sections of Parliament: The Legislative Assembly and Council.
Emily: There are 36 seats in the Legislative Council and 57 seats in the Assembly.
Mikayla: Julia Gillard can only be a guest in WA’s Parliament House.
Sasha: If you are eligible to vote and you don’t vote you get fined $20.
Kayla: All three levels of Government have an election this year which is rare.
Lance: I learnt that Parliament House had two debate rooms.
Dylan: The Swan inside WA’s Parliament House is made from WA’s main resources.
Zac: There are formal and Informal votes on Election Day.
Trent: In WA’s Parliament House there is a Chandelier with real crystals.
Nerize: The Usher brings the black rod into Parliament and points it to the Government.
Taylor: The chosen Speaker is the only person who was able to address the King or Queen.
Kiera: The Parliament had a seat for the queen if she visited.
Victoria: Even when 18, if you haven’t enrolled first you cannot vote.
Niall: There are approximately 1.5 million citizens of Australia who don’t vote.
Mackenzie: There are three levels of Government: Local, State and Federal.
Louis: The construction of WA’s Parliament house was completed in 1964.
Declan: There are schools and Highways named in honour of Sir John Forrest.
Kaelena: I learnt that the WA’s Government symbol is the Black Swan.
Tea: You have to have over 50% of the votes to be elected.
Jake: The first Premier was Sir John Forrest and the current Premier is Colin Barnett.