Dear Parents, Students and Friends of John XXIII College

After a very mild start summer has truly been felt this week and we have all been touched by the fires in Margaret River. This is an area so familiar to us all and our Year 10 Outdoor Education Camp had been there just the week before. Many of our families have holiday homes in Margaret River and our thoughts are with all who have lost property and treasured memories.

The heat has also reminded us of the reasons that the air conditioning appeal remains open via the College Building Fund. Owing to the support of the College Community via the Fete in 2010, the donations of many families, the support of the Parents Association and the investment of College Capital we are currently completing Stage I of the air conditioning project. When the new term commences these facilities will be air conditioned:

- Kindy and Pre Primary
- All Primary classrooms
- The MacKillop Room (funded by Parents Association)
- The Library
- The Science and Environment Centre
- Administration and Health Centre
- Year 7 Block
- Exhibition Centre
- Mary Ward Senior
- Xavier Wing (Learning Enrichment)
- All computing rooms
- D Block (Languages)

We are still to air condition the A, C and Music/Drama Facilities. Parents are encouraged to consider a tax-deductible donation to the Building Fund throughout the year if they are in a position to assist.

Next Tuesday evening the Presentation Evening will celebrate the many and varied achievements of our students. A great deal of work has gone into the night to develop an engaging program. The staff at the WA Basketball Stadium have asked that people arrive early to allow for a prompt start. This will ensure we stay on schedule and finish at a reasonable time.

- Students to be at stadium by 6.15pm
- Parents and guests seated by 6.45pm

Together let us seek justice.
Yours sincerely

(Mrs) Anne Fry—Principal

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Dear Year 11 Students and Parents

Tickets for the College Ball 2012 will be finalised next **Friday, December 2nd.**

Please bring your money and signed permission slip to the front office between 9 am and 12 noon **NEXT TUESDAY TO FRIDAY** (29th November to 2 December). A receipt will be issued which will be exchanged for a ticket in **WEEK 1** next year.
Dear Parents
Our six students have spent the last four days enjoying an Adventure Camp in Sorrento. It was wonderful to see them having a great time with their friends and staff. Special thanks to Ms Coniglio, Mrs Purcell, Mrs Aghdasi, Mrs Scott, Mr Moylan and Mr and Mrs Alderman for being fantastic camp leaders. I’m sure all the campers will have some great stories to share this weekend.

Some important dates for your diary:

The College Presentation Evening will be held at the WA Basketball Centre next Tuesday 29th November. As this an important community event for our College all students in Years 4, 5 and 6 must attend.

Our students in years 3-6 will be sharing their dancing talents with us on Thursday 1st December from 2pm in the hall. Everyone is welcome!

Our Year Six Graduation and Farewell Mass will occur on Thursday 8th December at 6.30pm.

Come along and join us for Carols by Candlelight on Sunday 4th December at 5pm on the chapel lawn.

Kind regards
Antoinette De Pinto
Head of Primary
Chaplain’s Comments

The Roman Missal, formerly known as the ‘Sacramentary’ which is the official Vatican document, which contains all the prayers for Mass: everything except the Readings (First, Second and the Gospel) – these are found in the Lectionary. This new translation of the Latin text expresses prayers a little differently from what we had become accustomed to. It follows the guidelines provided by the Vatican in documents such as Liturgiam Authenticam (2001). Among other things, these guidelines require a translation that is as close to the original Latin text as possible. This has proved to be quite a challenge for some languages, including English. This new translation of the Roman Missal will come into effect on the First Sunday of Advent 27th November 2011. The New Roman Missal is on display in the College Chapel on the credence table adjacent to the Altar.

These days most people keep vigils because they are anxious. We wait in hospital corridors for news of a sick relative. A parent stays up with an infant who may be teething or has a high temperature. We might even sit by the phone waiting to be reassured that a loved one is safe and well, or that we have passed the exam or got the job. Many of these occasions are highly stressed vigils. Some of the younger or more hardy ones amongst us sometimes keep vigils that are filled with excited anticipation, as when some of us sleep out to get tickets to a sports game or concert, or when we see the old year out and the new year in.

It was not long ago, however, that vigils were a much more common feature of people's lives. We often kept vigil with the dead. We used to keep all night vigils of prayer, especially when parishes had perpetual adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Perhaps before any of us can remember, there were also vigils kept with the bride the night before her wedding, when she waited and watched for the sign of her approaching groom and his attendants. The Church has enshrined the experience of keeping vigil through the Vigil Mass on Saturday night, the Vigil Ceremony in the funeral rites and the most important one, the Easter Vigil.

This tradition starts with today’s Gospel where we are exhorted to be alert, keep awake and wait for the Lord to return. In a sense this is a strange Gospel to have as we prepare for Christmas. It is linked to the new first preface of Advent which reads, ‘For he assumed at his first coming the lowliness of human flesh, and so fulfilled the design you formed long ago, and opened for us the way to eternal salvation, that, when he comes again in glory and majesty and all is at last made manifest, we who watch for that day may inherit the great promise in which now we dare now to hope’. Our attention is, therefore, directed to a great future event, not the future feast we are about to celebrate.

This is unique. All other feasts of the Church either remember a past event, like those of Holy Week or Pentecost, or they are ‘title feasts’ which proclaim a truth about God’s action among us which the entire church holds to be true, like Trinity Sunday. But not the First Sunday of Advent. Rather than talk about the coming of Jesus at Christmas it helps us reflect on the final coming of the Lord at the end of time. It is the bridge between the ‘last days’ of the Church’s year, which we have been celebrating over recent weeks, and the first days of the Church’s New Year.

And how does the Church ask us to approach this feast? As on a vigil. Not a vigil of anxiety, where we never want to hear the worst news. Not a vigil of excited anticipation where we pin our happiness on entry into an event. But a vigil of hope where we wait and trust in a person, who has shared our lot, understands our frailties and loved us to death. We place our hope in Jesus the Christ, our brother, saviour and friend. This First Sunday of Advent we look beyond Christmas to the final moment when heaven and earth will be united and our vigil will be complete. On that day we believe the Son will have dawned once, and for all, on the world. Now, don’t you think that’s something worth being awake to see?

The first week of Advent is like the first days of other vigils wherein we pitch out tents and begin the wait to make sure we have front row seats for what is going to be, when it arrives, the best show in town!

Gaetan Pereira - College Chaplain

Presentation Night - Tuesday 29th November 2011
WA State Basketball Centre, Stephenson Avenue

- Compulsory for all students Year 4 - Year 11
- Students need to be at the venue by 6.25pm to meet their teachers. Please be seated by 6.45 to ensure a prompt start and finish. 7.00pm start
- Primary Students will sit in the class group
- Secondary Students will sit with their Tutor Group
- Tickets were posted to families this week
Health Information

VISION:
Good vision is essential for a child to reach their full potential. Vision problems can severely impact on a child’s educational, physical and social development. Protecting a child’s vision includes being aware of the symptoms that indicate an immediate problem as well as putting in place preventative measures. Through regular eye examinations and protecting a child’s eyes from harmful UV rays you are helping to prevent diseases that if undetected can lead to vision impairment.
Any one of the following could mean that a child is experiencing a vision problem.

Appearance of the eyes:
- One eye turns in or out while the other points straight ahead
- Eyes blink frequently
- Eyes frequently red
- Eyes water
- Eyes very sensitive to light
- Eyes screwed up while the child is watching television

Behavioural signs:
- Holds a book very close to read it
- Loses place while reading
- Cannot concentrate for any length of time
- Positions head strangely when reading
- Rubs eyes frequently
- Sits very close to the television
- Writes crookedly with poor spacing
- Leaves out or confuses words when reading
- Tilts head noticeably when looking at things
- Covers or closes on eye when reading
- Does not recognise familiar people in the distance
- Complains of headaches
- Complains of blurred vision
- Complains of seeing double images
- Complains of eyes burning or itching

If a Primary school parent or teacher has a concern about a child’s vision or eyes, the Community Health Nurse will do referral vision checks as required. Please contact Health Centre to complete a referral form or consult your Doctor.

Thankyou
Jenny Hill (College nurse)

Holy Rosary Youth Mass & Thomas More Family Christmas Mass

Next Youth mass to be held on 26th November 6pm-7pm. To be followed with BYO dinner and drinks held in the Parish Centre. All welcome to come and join us!

Family Christmas Mass. To be held at Holy Rosary Church, 5.30pm carolling and 6pm Mass. All young children and youth are welcome to participate in the nativity play, readings and music (instrumentalist e.g. celloist, violins, guitarist, singers etc) for the mass. Please contact Sherita Rodrigo on 0433 255 695 for more details.

Canteen Roster for Week 6 - PP Parents

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Reminder: Students and Parents can place orders for the Canteen Online: www.ouronlinecanteen.com.au
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Year 10 Magis students have been invited to participate in UWA’s SmARTS 2012. SmARTS is an innovative programme where Year 11 students meet, discuss and develop ideas both on-line and in tutorials held at UWA in relation to topics of contemporary cultural relevance. Students are put into groups that include students from different schools and the emphasis is to learn and experience guided, independent research and effective collaboration and presentation. The groups are taught by tutors from across the Faculty who work closely with the students from March until September. Places in this programme are limited.

Media Club
All students with an interest in Media production are invited to join the JTC Media Club. In 2012 JTCTV will go live in the mornings with Daily Notices. Students will be invited to create promotional material for College activities, documentaries and short films. The Club will be led by our Media Captains, Kate Elliot and James Trapnell. Kate and James are currently working on the media presentation for Presentation Night next week. Any student interested in joining this initiative can see me before the end of term or email me at any time.

UWA Summer School – Reminder
Since 2005, in the third week of January each year, the Faculty of Architecture, Landscape and Visual Arts at The University of Western Australia has been running a very successful design studio for year 12 secondary students. The studio is designed to give (entering) Year 12 students an academic extension experience well beyond their school experience. They are faced with the very challenging problem of solving design problems, learning to work with new computer design tools and ultimately drawing and then constructing a model of their design concepts. This all takes place in the Faculty of Architecture, Landscape and Visual Arts over four days and culminates with an exhibition of the student work. The studio is a very intense learning experience. The students are treated as university students and need to work well beyond their comfort zones. While the studio gives students a taste of the discipline of Architecture, it also provides them with very stimulating intellectual experiences and is a wonderful, positive beginning for Year 12. The cost for four days tuition is $220 per student (including GST). Included in the studio are a site visit, lectures in art history, drawing, design and theory classes, computing lab and modelling workshops. Students need no prior knowledge and no artistic skills. The studio encourages students to develop problem solving skills and extend themselves intellectually beyond WACE curriculum courses.

Students participate in an exhibition at the end of the studio. Parents and secondary teachers are invited to the exhibition. Students are able to keep the work they make and also receive a certificate from the Faculty to acknowledge their effort. If you have any queries about the studio please contact me. There is also a video of last year’s studio at www.alva.uwa.edu.au/courses/studio.

Year 7 Magis
On 8 December 10 Year 7 students will come with me to the Art Gallery of Western Australia where we will do a Quest modelled on Howard Gardner’s activities for multiple intelligences. We will also explore the Cultural Precinct examining the politics of public space and have lunch together. Students will have a tutorial with me the week before to prepare for this excursion. This will be a very exciting experience for all of us and a great end to the academic year for me.

John XXIII College Astronomy Club
Monday 28 November is our final Star Gazing night for 2011. We will begin at 7.30 on the College Oval and finish at 9.30pm. All staff, students and parents are very welcome to attend. It is so close to Christmas now there is every possibility that one of us may see Rudolph in the skies.

**“Prepare the way of the Lord**
**Make straight his paths...”**

Celebrate Advent with us as we prepare in joyful hope for the coming of Christ.

The last Community Mass for 2011 will be held next Friday 2nd December 8:00-8:30.

NB No Friday Community Mass on the last day of term.

Artwork by Susan Daily IBVM, published by John Garratt
Careers Corner

UWA Science Experience
On 17th to the 19th of January 2012 at UWA. The program provides an opportunity for students about to start year 10 and 11 to visit the UWA campus for three days to experience some hands-on science;

- Experience what it's like to be a university student;
- Meet and listen to distinguished scientists and engineers;

Explore the wide range of science-based careers that are available before they commit themselves to key decisions about subject selection and future career directions.

Those students interested in attending the Science Experience can find out more and apply online or download an application form by going to http://www.scienceexperience.com.au/ Closing date for these registrations is 30 November 2011.

Central Institute of Technology
The following scholarships are available for current and prospective students:
Academic Excellence
Access and Equity
VET in Schools Graduates.
Applications close 13 January 2012, go to www.central.wa.edu.au/scholarships for more information.

University Admissions
All universities have staff available to handle student inquiries about courses and entry requirements on Thursday 29 December 2011 & Friday 30 December 2011. All universities are also open from 3 January 2012 to provide students with advice when first round offers are available.

TISC Updates
The late processing fee of $120 now applies for all TISC Applications. Students can change their preferences but it is advisable that they wait, if possible, for after their results come out on 29 December 2011. It’s a good idea to check the latest news on the TISC website for any changes or cancelled courses at the various universities. For more info see the TISC website www.tisc.edu.au

UWA -TISC Information Sessions from 6.00pm- 7.00pm - structuring TISC preferences, 2012 new course structure, assistance with applications and important dates for year 12’s. Dates available are Wednesday 7 December, Thursday 8 December, Wednesday 14 December, Thursday 15 December. Admissions staff will be available to answer any questions. For more information or to register contact angela.reimers@uwa.edu.au

January Jump Start Program is a preparation and revision program to be held in the summer holidays 2012 at Christ Church Grammar School. These are small group classes for years 10, 11 and 12 students who are seeking a structured learning environment that will better prepare them for the new academic year. The six hours of revision per subject will involve a comprehensive re-teaching of those important components of the 2011 syllabus as well as offering students a preview into what they can expect in their new subjects in 2012. Also included in this program is a six hour Study Skills course designed to teach students sound study habits that will better prepare them for the rigours of the year ahead. John XXIII students are eligible for a price per subject of $135. Please email Dr Robert Hallam at ATARget Administration admin@atarget.com.au for more information and a registration form.

Kristy Warwick—Careers Advisor

Music Department Withdrawals / Enrolments for 2012
If your child is currently enrolled in music lessons they will automatically be enrolled in 2012.
Please forward a withdrawal form if they do not wish to take lessons in 2012.
If your child is in either Year 3 Strings Program or Year 5 Band Program and they wish to have lessons in 2012 they will need to complete an enrolment form for 2012.

Withdrawals from Music tuition MUST be registered at the MUSIC OFFICE before the end of TERM 4, with the appropriate WITHDRAWAL FORM

New Enrolments for 2012 MUST also be received before the end of TERM 4, with the appropriate ENROLMENT FORM

Both forms are available from College Web Site, College Reception and Music Department.
John XXIII College invites you to......

Community Carols on the Chapel Lawn

Join the College Community for an evening of carols and feature pieces by our talented John XXIII students

Sunday 4th December from 5pm

Bring your own picnic rug, food and drinks, and a present for the giving Tree if you wish

The Giving Tree
In keeping with our school ethos of service to others we are going to have a Giving Tree. Families are invited to donate a gift for a less privileged child and place it under the tree near the chapel. Gifts are completely voluntary and should be wrapped and labeled with gender and age eg. Girl - 5years
Second Hand Book Sale

- First in, best dressed.
- Those wishing to sell and those wishing to buy or exchange information.
- Prices are usually agreed at half of the new price depending on the condition of the book.
- Please ensure you have your own copy of your relevant booklist.

Date: 3 December 2011

Time: 9.00am to 11.00am

John XXIII College
Chisholm Pavilion

The College does not set prices or charge commission
Year 7
End of Year
Family Picnic/BBQ
Matilda Bay

(Between café and restaurant look for the yellow and blue balloons)

Sunday 27th November
4.00pm

Please bring own picnic/BBQ and drinks
We hope to see you there!!

From Year 7 Coordinators
You are invited to the home of Deirdre and Steve Duncan
6 Marita Road Nedlands
Saturday 3 December at 7.30pm
BYO Drinks
$35.00/person
or
$30.00/person for parents who have already paid to the GIFT FUND!!
BYO Drinks
Food provided
LIVE BAND
RSVP 19th November

Year 9 Parents Christmas Party

You are invited to the home of Deirdre and Steve Duncan
6 Marita Road Nedlands
Saturday 3 December at 7.30pm
BYO Drinks
$35 pp for catering from Feast
Please place your money in an envelope with your name on (marked Year 9 Christmas Party) and leave at Front Office by Friday 25 November and email duncansd@bigpond.net.au to RSVP
We look forward to seeing you all there
Deirdre, Sandy and Donna
Brazilian Soccer Schools are coming to John XXIII College

Ever wondered why the Brazilians are so good at soccer? Why do the Brazilian's seem to have so much fun when playing the game? Brazilian Soccer School's-Perth is giving you the chance to find out.

John XXIII College is pleased to support the forthcoming Brazilian Soccer Schools Camp to be held at the College from the 16-19th January, 2012.

Brazilian Soccer Schools are a new and exciting way to develop your child's self esteem in a fun and rewarding environment.

The camp will be run by experienced and qualified teachers and coaches who believe that the game of soccer should be played in a spirit of fun and mutual respect. Adopting the Brazilian philosophy of soccer, the progressive, curriculum based skills programme is designed to help young players to develop their talents and achieve their full potential. Places are limited to 36 so be sure to get your name down quickly.

Further details can be obtained from main administration or perth@braziliansoccerschools.com.au

Movember

It's Movember and time to focus on men's health. To show our commitment, we are donating our faces to the cause by growing a moustache for the entire month of November, and need your support. Our Mo will spark conversations, and no doubt generate some laughs; all in the name of raising vital awareness and funds for prostate cancer and male depression.

Why are we so passionate about men's health?

* 1 in 9 men will be diagnosed with prostate cancer in their lifetime
* This year 20,000 new cases of the disease will be diagnosed
* 1 in 8 men will experience depression in their lifetime

*Donating online at: [http://www.movember.com/m/1763448](http://www.movember.com/m/1763448)

If you'd like to find out more about the type of work you'd be helping to fund by supporting Movember, take a look at the Programs We Fund section on the Movember website: [http://au.movember.com/about](http://au.movember.com/about)

Thank you in advance for supporting our efforts to change the face of men's health.

*John XXIII Tashes*

All male staff involved in Mo Vember
SSWA Triathlon

On Thursday 10th November 54 John XXIII College students competed in the School Sports Western Australia Triathlon which was held at the Champion Lakes Regatta Centre.

Our students competed in either the team events or in the novice individual categories for their age. James Truscott (Yr 11) competed in the State selection 16yrs and over race and finished a very strong 7th.

The College finished a galant 4th out of 14 schools who competed in the team events. Special mentions should go to the follow girls who received a bronze medal in their categories;

Tara Bargh Year 10 - 3rd Novice
Adelaide Garland, Abbey O’Connell and Hannah Crute - 3rd Year 11 teams
Nicola McEvoy, Hannah Cadiolo, and Zoey Readdy - 3rd Year 9 teams

Thank you also to the staff involved on the Day, Mrs Jemma Fleay and Ms Hayley Gordon and also to Mr David Maxwell, Mr Cameron Tremayne and Ms Caroline Watson for assisting at training.

Cameron Haines - Sport Coordinator

KIDS BEACH VOLLEYBALL TRAINING
LEARN MORE THAN A SPORT ENROLMENTS NOW OPEN.

For enrolments or more information please go to www.pbvs.com.au or contact kids@pbvs.com.au

At PBVS, kids can learn more than how to play beach volleyball; they can develop self-confidence, team work and begin enjoying a healthy lifestyle on Perth’s unmatchable beaches.

Children will be taught by qualified teachers and nationally accredited beach volleyball coaches. Our classes are structured to make sure everyone receives the full attention of our staff. Every child can become their best in our supportive and safe environment.

SUMMER HOLIDAY CLASSES (COTTESLOE BEACH)
Wednesday afternoon’s for four weeks from January 4th. Prices : School Years 1-3 $50 School Years 4-5 and 6-7 $60

TERM 1 CLASSES TUESDAY or WEDNESDAY AFTERNOONS (FLOREAT BEACH)
Classes commence Tuesday 7th February or Wednesday 8th February and run for 8 weeks. Prices : School Years 1-3 $100 School Years 4-5 and 6-7 $120

TERM 1 FREE COME AND TRY SESSION (FLOREAT BEACH)
Wednesday 1st February 2012 at Floreat Beach

TIMES - OF ALL ACTIVITIES
School Year 1-3 4:00-4:30pm
School Year 4-5 4:35-5:15pm
School Year 6-7 5:20-6:00pm
ALUMNI


Please log on to the College website to register for the 10, 20, 30 year reunions on 10th December 2011
http://www.johnxxiii.edu.au/

Class of 1971 Reunion Feedback received this week

Dear Mrs Fry

I write to extend my appreciation for the contribution John XXIII College has made to the St Louis School group, completing through the years up to 1971, at our reunion on Friday night.

The evening at a restaurant in North Perth—Mauritzio's was a great night with many memories relived. Everyone attending was thrilled with the effort put in by the School Alumni though Anna Gingell. As past students of St Louis we have never really felt totally included in the John XXIII community till the last few years. Through the effort of the Alumni office we are all in contact with each other far more these days which has been great for building our own relationships and also strengthens the school’s community and the greater community's regard for the school.

Best wishes

Mike Downie Class of 1971

Nicholas Monks (Class 2004) recently won the final of the UWA International Humanitarian Law moot competition. One of the three judges of the moot is a presiding judge at the International Criminal Tribunal of Former Yugoslavia which tried Milosevic and is trying Ratko Mladic. Nicholas is completing his final unit of a combined Law/Arts degree at UWA and has accepted a graduate position with Blake Dawson.

Mrs Anna Gingell nee Muir (Class 1978) ADAPEM, Alumni Development Officer - Telephone: 9383 0520 - gingell.anna@johnxxiii.edu.au
Striding Out In Freedom and Love

This Conference is available for all members and friends of the Loreto Family and we look forward to welcoming you to this exciting event in Perth. The steering committee has been working on the program to provide a comprehensive and stimulating 3 days. Venues include Loreto Nedlands, John XXIII College Mt Claremont, Notre Dame University Fremantle and Sunday lunch in a beautiful private garden on the Swan River. There is also a ferry trip from Perth to Fremantle, for the Notre Dame Sunday meeting. Visits to the recently restored St Mary’s Cathedral Perth Cathedral and the Perth Mint are on the agenda.

Our speakers will be inspirational and challenging. There will be the opportunity for reflection and discussion with the aim of stimulating ongoing thought and action. For further information visit the link below:

Please click on this link http://www.johnxxxiii.edu.au/onlinebooking/Pages/28thConferenceofLoretoFederation.aspx to view the program including accommodation details to secure your bookings. For further information contact - Mary Nicholls, Federation President on marynicholls11@gmail.com or John XXIII College Alumni Officer Anna Gingell gingell.anna@johnxxxiii.edu.au

Crucifix Donation for Christian Refugees

Has anyone got a jewelry type cross of any description, it does not matter how simple, that they would like to donate to be used as a Christmas gift for a group of newly arrived Christian refugees.

These refugees have been persecuted in their own country because they are Christian and have specifically requested a crucifix to wear around their neck.

A box will be left at the front office where people can leave their crucifix necklace. Primary school children can give it to their class teacher who can place it in the box.

A highlight of the forthcoming Class of 1961 50 Year Reunion will be hearing the St Louis School Choir, directed by Fr J Harte sj. Originally recorded on EP and copied onto CD, this is a very welcome donation to the College archives.

The Choir of St. Louis School, Claremont, WA
Directed by Rev.J.Harte, S.J.

6 Tracks from EP Record
At what age can children work as newspaper and pamphlet deliverers?

UNDER 10 YEARS

Children under 10 years are not allowed to work as newspaper or pamphlet deliverers.

AGED 10 TO 13 YEARS

Children aged between 10 and 13 years are allowed to work as newspaper or pamphlet deliverers, but:

1. Their parents must provide written permission to their employer before they start working;
2. The delivery work cannot be done before 6:00am;
3. The delivery work cannot be done during normal school hours;
4. The delivery work cannot be done after 9:00pm;
5. A parent, or a person aged over 18 years authorised in writing by the child’s parent, must be with the child the whole time that they perform the delivery work.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION TO PARENTS

1. A breach of any of the above conditions is a breach of the children in employment laws and parents and employers face fines of up to $24,000.
2. A parent, or a person over 18 years authorised by the parent, must be with a child aged under 13 years delivering newspapers and pamphlets at all times.
3. The laws are designed to protect children from the many hazards that may arise in this type of work such as:
   - interacting with heavy traffic
   - vehicles accessing driveways
   - savage dogs which are either loose or have access to mail boxes
   - delivering to premises where the behaviour of the occupants is unknown.

The employment of children laws is legislated by Part 7 of the Children and Community Services Act 2004. To find out more information on these laws, contact Wageline on 1300 655 266.
THE GENERAL PUBLIC AND JOHN XXIII COLLEGE PARENTS
ARE INVITED TO ATTEND

“Mystical Theology: The Art of Love,
- Implications for the Modern Person and World”

PRESENTER: DR ANDREW KANIA

In this talk Dr Andrew Kania will examine Mystical Theology, refuting a number of common myths and misconceptions and making suggestions as to how Mystical Theology can be seen as the key for a more fulfilling life with Christ, as well as an avenue for a more peaceful world.

Andrew Thomas Kania is Director of Spirituality at Aquinas College, Manning. Prior to his appointment at Aquinas College, Dr. Kania was a Teacher at John XXIII College, and following from this a lecturer for the School of Religious Education at the University of Notre Dame Australia as well as for the Catholic Institute of Western Australia at Edith Cowan and Curtin Universities. In 2007 he became a Visiting Scholar at the University of Oxford, and in 2008 was appointed Research Fellow at the same University. Aside from regularly publishing with Catholica, Dr Kania has also written articles, for: The London Tablet, The Journal of Religious Education, The Australasian Catholic Record, New Blackfriars, AD 2000, Church & Life (Ukrainian Journal), and The Record Newspaper. He belongs to the Ukrainian Church and is interested in ecumenical issues as well as contemporary problems facing religious educators. Dr. Kania's Doctoral degree in Theology was taken at the University of Uppsala in Sweden, and was written on the subject of Mystical Theology.

OSBORNE ROOM
(Year 7 Building, North West part of school)
JOHN XXIII COLLEGE
7.30PM TO 9.00PM WEDNESDAY 30 November, 2011
$10 (Donation Unwaged)

Further Details and Registration contact Murray Graham on 9383 0444 or email graham.murray@johnxxiii.edu.au

Filmbites Youth Film School

The unique and award winning after-school and weekend school for kids aged 5-17, is relocating to Willagee in 2012. Join us to learn skills in Term 1, then make a short film with your class in Term 2. You'll get a copy of your film to keep, and get to see it on the big screen too!

Enrol now for our 2012 semester courses:

Acting for the Screen (7-9 yr olds, 10-13 year olds and 13+), or Filmmaking (10yrs+)

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THE ROAD TO BETHLEHEM

Nine Readings and Carols in preparation for Christmas

St Thomas the Apostle Claremont

Thursday 8th December 2011
7.30pm

The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available.

Christmas Mass times
24th December
Kids’ Christmas Mass 5.30pm
Solemn Vigil of the Birth of Jesus 8pm (Carols 7.15pm)
25th December
Dawn Mass of the Birth of Jesus 7.30am
High Mass of the Birth of Jesus 9.30am
Quiet Christmas Mass 6.30pm

John XXIII 1986 Leavers 25th Reunion

When: Friday 2nd December
6pm - 8pm (Stay later if you wish)

Where: The Boulevard Hotel, Floreat
Corner of Howtree Place & The Boulevard

Cost: $10 at the door to cover finger food
(Buy your own drinks at the bar)

RSVP: Paula Hackett (nee Conway)
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See you all there!!!