FROM PAUL’S DESK

DEAR PARENTS AND FRIENDS OF ST PAUL’S,

Bunnings Barbeque – Thank you to all the helpers who assisted at the barbecue last Saturday. It was a beautiful day and obviously the fine Spring weather brought out many people who had some work to do around their house and garden. A great result for the school; we made just over $2000. This money will be used by the Fundraising Group to develop the barbeque area at the back of the school and to pay off the Grassed area loan from 2005. Another Bunnings day has been booked for next year.

Mrs Maria Barillaro – Many parents would know Maria whose twin daughters, Melissa and Sarah are in Year Four. Maria had a very serious health scare two weekends ago and is still in hospital recovering. She is making steady process to recovery. I would ask that families keep Maria and her family in your prayers.

Inservice Days – Just a reminder that no classes will be held next Thursday November 24th and Friday November 25th as the staff will be holding their two day planning/professional development conference. This year our focus will be on Level 2 First Aid upgrades for all staff, assisting children with Chronic Health Issues, planning and organisation for 2012 and moderation of assessment and Reports.

Car Park – Our Car Park is working well and I am impressed by the way people have responded to the call for courtesy and patience. Many of the staff has been out there this week ensuring that the children are safe and people using the car park know the expectations. Signage should be up in the next week or so but there is a couple rule for all to remember – do not exit onto Sydney Road. Please drive around the back of the Church and leave via Pentridge Boulevarde. If you are turning into the car park from Sydney Road, it is left turn only. Do not attempt a right turn from Sydney Road. It is much safer, and probably quicker, to turn into Pentridge Boulevarde go down 100 meters, make a U-Turn and enter the car park from Pentridge Boulevarde. As we use the car park, more issues will probably arise. Our aim is to get this right and safe.

Have a great weekend, Paul

All the best, Paul
"Ahhh!" I heard my mum scream, like she’d seen a monster. I zoomed out of the lounge and went straight to the kitchen to see what was going on.

I saw my mum’s eyes stapled to the window. I went to look out the window to see what was going on.

As I looked out the window I saw a huge, giant killer tornado. I was scared to look at that dangerous twirl of wind that was maybe going to smash my house down.

I said to mum, “Let’s grab the most valuable thing and leave the house.” I rushed to my room and grabbed my favourite teddy that I had been sleeping with for the past twelve years (NO JOKE!).

My mum and I raced out of the house and tried to find a place to go, away from the tornado……………

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**Read Rap**

Celebrate your participation in the Premiers’ Reading Challenge at READ RAP

4pm, Tuesday 29 November
Coburg Library

Join us for a badge making activity and some games
Bookings: 9353 4000

*Read Rap is an activity for children attending primary school. Discover new books to read; participate in games and activities; meet and make some new friends.*

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SCHOOL
DISCO

Yes …. It’s that time again!
The much anticipated end of year disco is almost here!

FRIDAY 9TH DECEMBER
@
ST. PAUL’S HALL
FROM 6pm - 8:30pm
Single ticket - $6.00
Family ticket - $12.00

Tickets will be available at the office from December 1st

This is a children-only event, fully supervised by the teachers. Food, drinks and snacks will be provided. Music provided by ‘Funky Monkey.

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Don’t forget to order your glowsticks
Last Day to Order: Friday, November 18th.
Celebrated at: St. Patrick’s Cathedral, Saturday, 3rd December at 10.30am.
Wheelchair access is by the side door of Albert St. Vehicles are free to approach this entrance.