International Literacy Day
September 8th was International Literacy Day. As educators we recognise the importance of learning to read and write. The following quote reflects this.

Literacy and being able to read and write, is the foundation of learning. Once children have learnt to read and write they are enabled to use these skills to learn and develop.

Earn and Learn
Earn and Learn has now finished. If you have any completed sticker books or stickers at home please send them to school as we will now begin collating what has been collected.

Open Day
September 16th is Open Day for Year 2 to Year 6. Parents and Caregivers are welcome to visit their child’s classroom from 1-3 pm. This is an opportunity for you to look at your child’s work and share with him/her what has been happening in the classroom. Teachers are not available for interviews during this time.
Due to Miss Heather and Miss Sharna being in Perth attending a PD, Year 1 and Pre-Primary will have their Open Day on Wednesday, September 23rd from 1-3 pm.

Kids Club
Next week is the last week of Kids Club. It will resume in Week 2 of Term 4.

Welcome
We welcome Father Nicholas Kipkemboi who is our new Parish Priest. Father Nicholas was the Parish Priest in Kalumburu for the last five years.

Interschool Athletics
Mr Matt, Miss Alis and Miss Catie accompanied the children to the Interschool Carnival in Broome last Friday. By all accounts the children who attended the carnival had an enjoyable day and were a credit to Holy Rosary School.

REC Network Meeting
Wednesday 10th and Thursday 11th September Mr Rob and I will be in Broome at a Religious Education Coordinators Network Meeting. While we are away Miss Alis will be in charge.
Something to ponder
The more that you read
The more things that you will know
The more you learn
The more places that you’ll go
Dr Seuss

Have a great weekend,

Bernadette Mills
Acting Assistant Principal

Interschool Athletics 2015

Last Friday a squad of students from Years One to Six represented Holy Rosary School at St Mary’s College in Broome for the 2015 West Kimberley Interschool Athletics Carnival. Members of the squad included:

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It was an enjoyable day with all students involving themselves with their running, jumping and team events. Thanks to the P&F, the students stood out on the running track in their “Holy Rosary Interschool” shirts. A number of students returned to Derby with well-earned Place Ribbons. Holy Rosary finished the carnival in 8th place overall.

Congratulations to all students who participated on the day. A special thanks to Miss Alis for driving the bus down and back and to Miss Catie and Miss Lisa Curley who supported the students with their events on the day.

Thank you
Mr Matt

Kindy
The school is now taking enrolments for 3 year old and 4 year old kindy. Please see the office staff for enrolment forms and appointment times.

Please Note!
If your child is unwell, please do not send him/her to school.

The Great Aussie Crunch on 17th September
The Great Aussie Crunch is part of Fruit & Veg September, aiming this year to educate students on the importance of eating more vegetables. Please ensure your child brings some fresh, washed vegetables to crunch on. Parents are welcome to join in! www.crunchandsip.com.au
Dates to Remember
Thursday 10th/Friday 11th September APRE Days, Broome
Monday 14th September P&F meeting, 2.30pm
Wednesday 16th September Final Kids Club session for Term 3
Thursday 17th September The Great Aussie Crunch
Friday 18th September P&F whole school disco, 5-7pm

Year 6 Fundraiser
The Year 6 students will be doing a canteen takeover on Friday 11th September, 2015.

The canteen will be selling wonderful, scrumptious, sweet and savoury foods which will be priced between 50 cents to $2.
Lunch will be $5 which includes a hamburger and drink.
Thank you for your continued support.

Miss Alis and the Year Six students

Merit Awards
The following children will receive Merit Awards at Friday’s assembly at 1.45 pm. Parents are welcome to attend our assemblies.

- Prep  Jackson Gibbons, Lilly Courtney
- Year 1  Sammy-Jo Warner, Riley Ferguson
- Year 2  Jessica Coggins, Liam Moir
- Year 3  Skyla Malay, Leroy James
- Year 4  William Donnelly, Ralema Iga
- Year 5  Amy Oziewicz, Ryland Martin, Mia Hunter

P&F News
A big thanks goes to everyone who baked and helped at our night market stall last week. We raised over $600!

Please come along to our P&F meeting next Monday after school. We would love to have some new parents join us. We will be meeting at 2.30pm in the junior playground outside the Pre-Primary classroom.

Everyone is welcome to come along to our whole school disco next Friday from 5-7pm. It’s going to be a really fun night with great music, dancing and food!

Newsletter Incentive
Please ask your child to return the Newsletter Incentive acknowledgement slip as it gives them an opportunity to win a prize.

I have received and read my child ____________________________ newsletter.

Parent / Caregiver signature: ________________________________