

REMINDERS...

Palm Sunday Celebration

~ Students ~

- ✦ All students are expected to be at school by 1:30pm, wearing a plain white T-shirt, their summer sports shorts/skorts and their white sports shoes & socks.
- ✦ Take fancy hats to classrooms and place them on desks, ready for the Hat Parade.
- ✦ Make sure you have taken time to eat and drink before the concert.
- ✦ Hat Parade, followed by the Palm Sunday Concert. Starting at 2:30pm.
- ✦ Raffle draw and Egg & Spoon races after the performance.
- ✦ Remember School Rules and do not go out of bounds without an adult. Be polite to all our visitors and enjoy the day!

~ Parents ~

- ✦ Please deliver your food and cakes to the Canteen as you arrive - All food to be at school by 12:00pm
- ✦ Food will be served from 12:30.
- ✦ Help out as much as possible.
- ✦ Please bring your own picnic chairs and tables.



DATES TO REMEMBER

- 05/04 Palm Sunday Concert & Picnic
- 07/04 Junior First Aid Course - Years 3-6
- 08/04 I.C.A.S. - Slips and payment due
Chocolate Fundraising Money Due
- 09/04 Last Day Term 1
- 10/04 Good Friday - Public Holiday
- 11/04 Easter Saturday - Public Holiday
- 12/04 Easter Monday - Public Holiday
- 15/04 A.G.B.U. Foundation Anniversary
- 24/04 Armenian Genocide Commemoration
- 25/04 ANZAC Day - Public Holiday
- 28/04 School Development Day - Pupil Free
- 29/04 First day Term 2 - Students return



TEACHERS' AWARD

TERM 1 - WEEK 10

- Year 6: Rebecca Apanian
Florence Basmajian
- Year 4: Daniel Zorlu
- Year 3: Garo Betchakjian, Levon Kehyayan
- Year 2: Aramis Malouf, Ani Manoukian
- Kindergarten: Nina Kehyayan



HOUSE POINTS TERM 1

Uniform, Playground, Charity & Awards



MASIS - 86 points

ARARAT - 77 points



FINAL CHANCE!

EXTENDED! **Monday, 6th April** is now your final chance to place an order for



including other Award Winning Educational Software from only **\$14.95** per title.

This will be the **only** CSP for 2009, so don't miss out! Our school will receive Free EdAlive software for participating, plus even more Free EdAlive software if we receive a strong response from families. On top of the CSP saving, all titles are also eligible for the new 50% Education Tax Refund.

ARMENIAN STUDENT FUND

WEEKLY REPORT: Term 1 Week 10

8 Points – MASIS	\$12.10
6 Points – ARARAT	\$11.20
TOTAL:	\$23.30
ACCUMULATED:	\$210.20

SPONSOR A CHILD IN ARMENIA THROUGH THE ARMENIAN APOSTOLIC CHURCH
For details call: Setrak Kassabian - (02) 9419 8056

Hungry kids are irritable kids!

Also, students often find it difficult to concentrate for long periods of time.



That is why we have *Crunch&Sip* break everyday to break up the lesson.

Crunch&Sip allows students to refuel with fruit & vegetables & rehydrate with water.



INTERSCHOOL DEBATING COMPETITION - Years 5 & 6

The Forest District Debating Competition for Years 5 and 6 will get under way early next term. There will be a Debating Workshop to teach debating skills and formats to all students of the four schools on 29th April. This will be held at the Hamazkaine Arshak & Sophie Galstaun College. Debating rounds will commence soon after with our first debate on Wednesday, 6th May at our school. The competition will comprise of six rounds of debates with the last round being held on 12th August.

Below is a schedule of debating venues and we ask parents to **sign-off on each venue** to grant permission for your child to attend. Travel to and from venues will be private cars of school staff and parent volunteers. Our students will be accompanied to debating sessions by Mrs Dernee.

Please return signed form to school by *Wednesday, 8th April*.



FOREST DISTRICT INTERSCHOOL DEBATING COMPETITION - Years 5 & 6

I grant permission for my child/ren _____ to attend the debates as outlined below. I understand s/he will travel to and from school by private car of school staff and parent volunteers and be accompanied by Mrs Dernee.

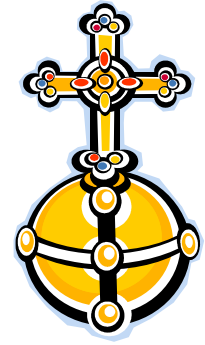
I am able to assist with transportation

YES	<input type="checkbox"/>
NO	<input type="checkbox"/>

Please Note: The school requires parent volunteers to help with the transportation. If you are available and can assist, please let us know by selecting the appropriate box. →

DEBATE	DATE	VENUE	TRAVEL	PARENT'S SIGNATURE
Workshop	Wednesday 29 th April	Hamazkaine A&S Galstaun College	Private cars of staff & parents	
# 1	Wednesday 6 th May	AGBU Alexander Primary School		
# 2	Wednesday 27 th May	John Colet School	Private cars of staff & parents	
# 3	Wednesday 17 th June	AGBU Alexander Primary School		
# 4	Wednesday 1 st July	Sydney Japanese School	Private cars of staff & parents	
# 5	Wednesday 5 th August	John Colet School	Private cars of staff & parents	
# 6	Wednesday 12 th August	Hamazkaine A&S Galstaun College	Private cars of staff & parents	

The True Symbol of Easter

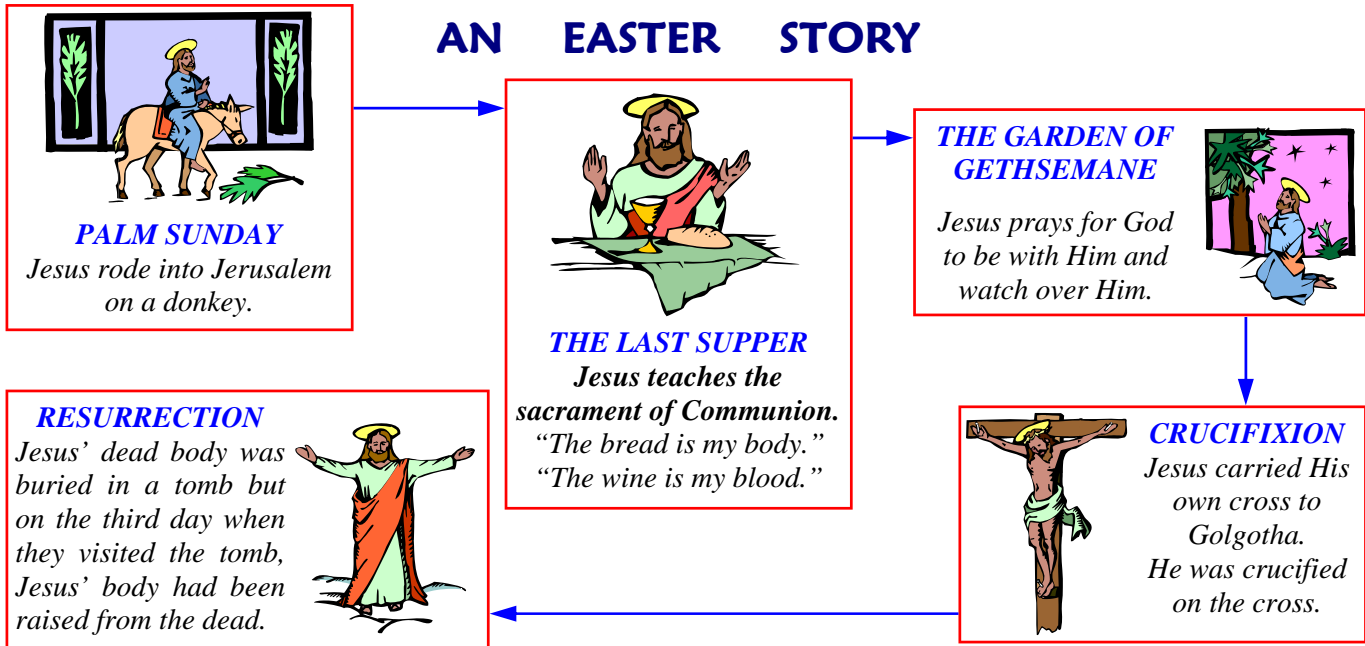


The CROSS is the true symbol of Easter as it represents the crucifixion of Christ and His victory over death.

The Easter celebration is the most important event on the Christian calendar. Christians around the world, unite to rejoice in the gift that has been given to them by God. God sent His only Son, Jesus Christ, into the world to dwell among mankind. Through His mortal death came the message of eternal life for all who believe in Him. The sacrificial Lamb of God became the hope of the world.

“For God loved the world so much that He gave His only Son, so that everyone who believes in Him may not die but have eternal life. For God did not send His Son into the world to be its judge, but to be its Saviour.” John 3:16

AN EASTER STORY



DIVINE SERVICES DURING HOLY WEEK & EASTER

AT THE ARMENIAN APOSTOLIC CHURCH OF HOLY RESURRECTION

PALM SUNDAY - DZAGHZART 5/4/09

Morning Service 9:00 a.m.
‘Badarak’ - Holy Mass 10:15 a.m.
‘Turnpatsek’ - Opening of the Doors 12:00 p.m.

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Սուրբ Պատարագ
Դռնբացէք

MAUNDY THURSDAY - 9/4/09

Commemorating our Lord’s Last Supper and the
Instaution of Holy Communion - ‘Badarak’ 10:30 a.m.
Washing of the Feet 6:30 p.m.
‘Khavaroum’ - Vigil 8:00 p.m.

ԱՒԱԳ ՀԻՆԳՇԱՔԹԻ - 9/4/09

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Յիսուսի Քրիստոսի - Սուրբ Պատարագ
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Խաւարում

GOOD FRIDAY - 10/4/09

Crucifixion Service 10:00 a.m.
Burial Service 4:30 p.m.
‘Hokehankist’ - Requiem Service 5:30 p.m.

ԱՒԱԳ ՈՒՐԲԱԹ - 10/4/09

Կարգ Խաչելութեան
Կարգ Թաղման
Ընդահնուր Հոգեհանգիստ

HOLY SATURDAY - 11/4/09

Easter Eve Service 4:30 p.m.
‘Badarak’ - Holy Mass 5:30 p.m.

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Ճրագալոյցի ժամերգութիւն
Սուրբ Պատարագ

EASTER SUNDAY - 12/4/09

Commemorating the Resurrection of our Lord
Morning Service 8.30 a.m.
‘Badarak’ - Holy Mass 10.00 a.m.
Sermon by His Eminence Archbishop Aghan
Baliozian, Primate of Australia & New Zealand 12.00 p.m.

ԶԱՏԿԻ - 12/4/09

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