

Australian Association for Religious Education

AARE CIRCULAR – NOVEMBER 2019

Dear AARE Friends and Colleagues

It has been several weeks now since we gathered at Trinity College for the 2019 AARE Awards Dinner; time is flying. I wish to thank you for attending this evening; for making it such a success and for honouring our very worthy Award Winners.

Congratulations again to those who received a Meritorious Service Award:

- Salvatore De Luca (Clontarf Aboriginal College)
- Patrick Devlin (Prendiville Catholic College)
- Emma Janeczko (Sacred Heart College)
- Cheryl Lennox-Bradley (Prendiville Catholic College)
- Ann Priest (Mother Theresa Catholic College)
- Susan Regnard (All Saints College)

Photos from the evening will be available on the Association Website.

• Elizabeth Van der Zanden (Santa Maria College)

- Rebecca Weddikkara (Peter Carnley Anglican Community School)
- Ryan Wiles (Servite College)
- Karen Wilson (Mercy College)

2020 AARE DINNER

I am delighted to be able to invite you and your colleagues to next year's dinner. Details are here:

Please make a note in your diary and place it on your 2020 school calendar.

Date: 6:00 to 9:30pm Thursday 10th September

(Term 3 Week 8)

Venue: Trinity College, East Perth.

We would like to make this

- a celebration for all involved in Chaplaincy,
 Service Learning, Ministry and Religious
 Education (however called) and
- opportunity to recognise those in their field for their exemplary works.

Please bring your whole team.

2020 OTHER IMPORTANT EVENTS

Commemoration of Kristallnacht

(Council of Christians and Jews)

'Night of Broken Glass' 81st anniversary

Come, recall, reflect, respond ... Link: Kristallacht Flyer

Guest Speaker: Malcolm McCusker AC CVO QC "Evil creeps back, if good people stand aside"

Date: 5:00pm Sunday 10th November 2019

Venue: Beasley Auditorium, Perth Modern School;

90 Roberts Road, Subiaco

Passing the Baton (Children's Ministry Network)

Children's Workers' Training Day and Expo Link: https://passingthebaton.org.au/ Date: 9:00am – 4:00pm

Saturday 15th February, 2020

Venue: Mt Pleasant Baptist Church; 497 Marmion St,

Booragoon, WA

... for inspiration, resources, encouragement and training. Passing the Baton is a full day event to help equip & encourage children's workers as they pass the baton of the faith on to the next generation.

Our **AGM** will be held in the first half of Second Term 2020; details to follow.

Membership renewal to your professional association (AARE) is due by the 31st of March each year. Financial members also receive a discount to our events. A renewal notice will be sent out to all schools early in the new year.

I wish you a productive and rewarding conclusion to the 2019 academic year and a safe, holy and joy-filled Christmas. I hope to see you next year.

Blessings & Joy

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