St. Paul's Primary School



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TERM 3 WEEK 2: Monday 18th July, 2022

DATES TO REMEMBER

Friday 22nd July: Class Mass – MGC, MGO, MSG 10.00am – POSTPONED

Friday 22nd July: School Assembly SHB – 2.30pm Families welcome Wednesday 27th July: Chocolate Drive Begins – More information to follow

Friday 29th July: St Paul's Whole School Sports – 9.00am, School Assembly MEM – 2.30pm

August 4th and 5th: School Closure Days – No School for Students

Monday 8th August: St Mary MacKillop Feast Day and Grandparents Mass 9.15am followed by Open

Classrooms and Morning Tea - More information to follow

Friday 12th August: School Assembly JPF – 2.30pm

Monday 15th August: Feast of the Assumption Mass – 9.15am – St Paul's Church

Tuesday 16th – Friday 19th August: MMA Camps to Camp Doxa – Malmsbury

Friday 19th August: Applications close for 2024 Year 7 students in Catholic Secondary Colleges

Friday 19th August: School Assembly JRC – 2.30pm (Please note change of class)

Friday 26th August: School Assembly PLH – 2.30pm Thursday 1st September: Art Show – 5.00pm – 7.00pm

Friday 2nd September: Art Show – 9.00am – 10.00am, Father's Day Breakfast (7.30am) and Stall

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Dear Parents/Carers,

We welcome back from leave Mr Fox – we hope he had a great time overseas.

The Year 5 and 6 students had a wonderful time at camp last week. They participated in many activities – giant swing, archery, canoeing, just to name a few. Thanks to Mr Fox for organising much of the camp before he went on leave and to Ms Jane for her assistance throughout the camp. I would like to thank all the staff who attended the camp – Miss Capuano, Mr Adam, Mrs Razi, Mrs Borg, Mrs Rose, Miss Nadia, Mr Chris, Miss Peplow, Miss Cathy, Mrs Nicole, Mrs Louise, Mrs Libby, Miss Emma, Miss Anna, Miss Celeste and Ms Christine. If it were not for these staff giving of their time so generously, there would be no camps. I would also like to thank the students for the way they mixed with, and supported, each other. I received lots of positive feedback from the Lady Northcote Camp staff about how good the children were – I was very proud of every single one of them. Thanks also to the staff that remained at school and took on extra responsibilities during the camp.

I remind families that applications for **Year 7 in 2024** for Catholic Secondary Schools must be in by **Friday, 19th August.** Our Year 5 students must enrol by this date if they wish to attend a Catholic Secondary School. Your child will not be accepted if the enrolment form is not handed in to the secondary school of your choice on time.

Please feel free to join us for a very special Mass the Feast Day of St. Mary MacKillop / Grandparents Mass on Monday, 8th August. The Mass will be held at St. Paul's Church and will begin at 9.15am. Grandparents will be able to visit the children in their classrooms after Mass and then join us for Morning Tea. Children will be bringing invitations home this week – please pass them on to their loved ones!!

If you have not enrolled your child in Prep for 2023, please do so immediately. Applications have closed - if you have not submitted an application as yet, your child may be put on a waiting list.

There is no school for children on Thursday 4th and Friday 5th August as all staff will working on recommendations of our school review and developing the new School Improvement Plan and the new Annual Action Plan.

I hope you all have a great week.

Yours sincerely,

Damian Casamento

PRINCIPAL

NO CHOIR THIS WEDNESDAY, JULY 20TH

Please note that the choir has been cancelled for this Wednesday, 20th July. Please make sure your child is to be picked up at 3pm this Wednesday. Thank you very much for your kind support.

ST PAUL'S ATHLETIC SPORTS DAY - Friday, 29th July

It comes around quickly but we are running our St Paul's Athletic Sports on Friday, July 29th, beginning at 9.00a.m. and concluding around midday. Children from all grades will be taking part in running races, relays and field events. They may wear house colours with their sports uniform. There will be a sausage sizzle on the day so the canteen will not be open. If your child is not going to eat sausages please provide an alternative lunch.

Parents and carers are welcome!!

We need volunteers to help with the sausage sizzle on July 29th. If you are available to help us from 10.30am to 1pm, please leave your name and phone number at the Office. Thank you very much in advance for your kind support.



CHOCOLATE DRIVE

Our major fundraising drive for 2022 begins next Wednesday, 27th July. Each family will receive a box of chocolates to sell. Please remember that each chocolate sells for \$1.00. There are **60** chocolates in each box. A total of **\$60.00** needs to be returned if all chocolates are sold. If every family sells their chocolates, we will make over \$8,000.00. All money and any unsold chocolates need to be returned to school by Monday 15th August. Any family who sells a full box of chocolates will go into the draw to win a prize. The money raised will be

IMPORTANT DATES FOR 2022

The following dates are very important for <u>ALL</u> students who will be attending secondary school in 2024 – our current Year 5 students. If applications for Catholic Secondary School are not in by Friday 19th August, 2022 your child will not be enrolled in your school of choice.

19th August 2022: Applications close for 2024 Year 7 students in Catholic Secondary Colleges

PREP ENROLMENTS - 2023

Enrolments for Prep 2023 are now open. We encourage any parents/carers who have not enrolled their child for Prep in 2023 to do so. Please contact the school office for an enrolment form.

WHAT IS THE NATIONALLY CONSISTENT COLLECTION OF DATA (NCCD)?

Schools must now complete the Nationally Consistent Collection of Data (NCCD) every year. It counts the number of students who receive additional adjustments or 'help' at school with their learning. This data provides information to the Federal Government and the Catholic Education Commission of Victoria about the number of students receiving adjustments which enable them to participate in education on the same basis as other students. An NCCD information sheet can be found on the Skoolbag App. If you have any questions about the NCCD please contact Ms Kara or Ms Mareta.



to the following students who received awards at Assembly on Friday.

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PLC	Oliver Shapland
PMD	Arlo Smethurst
PLH	Yenishka Kaththikeyan
JJM	Rachele Turchi
JRC	Allena Nguyen
JRM	Katie Pham
JTC	Lucy Jerkovic
JKL	Jayden Bui
JMK	Krystal Nguyen
JPF	Lucas Mitsis
MCD	Gabriella Del Cid
MCK	Achol Biar
MEM	Tyler Magro
MGC	Julia Nguyen
MGO	Ante Jusup
MSG	Tomislav Jusup
SAF	Pancharlie Liyanage Peiris
SCC	Isaac Reech
SCF	Nyankiir Biar
SCR	Miriam Zaa Thang
SHB	Rafael Del Cid

Carson Gin-Nen





Calling all creative St Paul's Community Members!

This year we are hosting our biennial Art Show. The theme is

Storytelling

SVJ

'Our loved stories, our land stories, our family stories'.

As you are all part of the St Paul's family, we would love to present any art pieces you have created in our school Art Show! They can be in the form of paintings, sculptures, wood carvings, decorated cakes, textiles including knitting-absolutely anything at all you have created!

If you have something you are willing to share, please attach the following label to your art piece. Labeled art pieces are to be submitted to the school reception office by **Friday 26th August 2022**.

Thank you for sharing your talents with our community.

Mrs Rhiannon Micallef and the Arts Team

Artist's name:
Artist's child/family member's name:
Grade of the child:
Title of art piece: