

TERM 4 WEEK 2: Monday 9th October, 2023

DATES TO REMEMBER

Friday 13 th October:	Class Reconciliation 10.00am – SCR, SCC, SAS, School Assembly – PLH - 2.30pm
Friday 20 th October:	Whole School Sports – Canteen Closed All Day
Wednesday 25 th October:	2024 Prep Transition – 9.15am
Friday 27 th October:	National Teachers Day - Day for Daniel and Assembly (2.30pm)
Monday 30 th October:	Teeth On Wheels Visiting St Paul's School
Wednesday 1 st November:	2024 Prep Transition – 9.15am
Friday 3 rd November:	Feast of All Saints Day/St Anthony Claret Mass – St Paul's Church 10.00am School Assembly – PRB – 2.30pm
Monday 6 th November:	Cup Eve – No School for Students – Professional Practice Day for Staff
Tuesday 7 th November:	Cup Day – No School for Students
Wednesday 8 th November:	2024 Prep Transition – 9.15am
Wednesday 15 th November:	2024 Prep Orientation – 9.15am
Friday 17 th November:	Class Reconciliation 10.00am – SHB, SVK, SCD, School Assembly – JKL - 2.30pm
Monday 27 th November:	Prep – 4 Swimming begins
Wednesday 29 th November:	Carols Night 5.00pm – 7.00pm
Thursday 7 th December:	Prep – 4 Swimming Concludes
Thursday 7 th December:	Graduation Mass
Friday 15 th December:	School Concludes for 2023 at 1.00pm

Dear Parents/Carers,

Congratulations to Miss Kathy Ly and Ben on their recent engagement. We wish them every happiness for their future together!

Mrs Stephanie Garcia is beginning her maternity leave at the end of this week. We wish Stephanie and Christian all the very best for the impending arrival of Baby Garcia and look forward to meeting him/her in the near future!

Our whole school sports day is fast approaching and will take place on Friday, October 20th, on the D.C.G. Students are encouraged to wear their house colours with their sports uniform. Parents are more than welcome to attend to support their children and their house. A sausage sizzle lunch will be provided for students and as such, the canteen will be closed all day. If your child does not eat sausages, please provide them with lunch.

If you have not enrolled your child in Prep for 2024, please do so immediately. Please complete an enrolment form and return it to the office as soon as possible.

On the second page of the newsletter, there is a note to be returned to school advising us if your children will not be returning to St. Paul's in 2024. Please return it to school promptly if your children are not returning next year as we are planning for 2024.

There will be no school on Monday 6th November (Cup Eve – Professional Practice Day for all staff) and Tuesday 7th November (Cup Day).

A reminder we will be celebrating Feast of All Saints Day/St Anthony Claret Mass at 10.00am at St Paul's Church on Friday, November 3rd. Parents are invited to attend.

We hope you all have a great week!

Yours sincerely,

Louise Collison and Cathy Doran
Deputy Principals

NO CHOIR REHEARAL THIS WEEK

Please be advised that the choir rehearsal has been cancelled for this Wednesday, 11th October. Thank you very much for your kind support.

ST PAUL'S SPORTS DAY – Friday, 20th October 2023

On Friday, 20th October, we will be holding our annual St Paul's Athletic Sports on the wonderful D.C.G at our school. The activities commence at 9.00am with individual running races. At approximately 10.00am we will have field events for Preps and Juniors and sprints for Middles followed by a recess break at 11.00am. At 11.40am SMA students will take part in sprints and students of other year levels will have various fun activities.

Presentations will take place at 12.10pm followed by a sausage sizzle. **Please note the canteen is not open on this day so if your child does not eat sausages you will need to provide lunch for them.** Children, parents and carers are encouraged to wear the colours of their children's houses. Children should still wear their sports uniform but may include a coloured Tee Shirt, ribbons or similar.

DAY FOR DANIEL – Friday, 27th October

On Friday 27th of October, St Paul's will be participating in the registered event 'Day for Daniel'. On this day, students are encouraged to wear something **RED**. This day supports our St. Paul's Child Safety Awareness Programs that are based on the Resilience, Rights and Respectful Relationships (RRRR) learning materials. Students will be working on a series of lessons delivered by their classroom teachers. Learning activities on this day will be based on lessons from Topic 8 of Respectful Relationships: Positive Gender Relations. This topic focuses on building an understanding of the effects of violence and the standards associated with respectful relationships.

CANTEEN VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Canteen volunteers are needed for Fridays this term please. Any regular help would be appreciated, in particular to help put lunches in baskets (12pm – 1.30pm). Please see Trish in reception if you are able to assist. Thank you.

2024 PREP ENROLMENTS

Enrolments for Prep 2024 are now open. We encourage any parents/carers who have not enrolled their child for Prep in 2024 to do so immediately. Please contact the school office for an enrolment form.

The poster features the Newport Calisthenics Club logo at the top, with the text '@NEWPORTCALISTHENICSCLUB' and 'Let's Go! Calikids' in a stylized font. Below this, it states 'A Newport Calisthenics Club 8 week recreational program. Designed as an introduction to Calisthenics.' The location is 'Dream Academy Dance Studio, 22A Tennyson Street, Williamstown VIC 3018'. The schedule is 'Wednesday AM: 10:00 - 10:45' and 'Wednesday PM: 4:30 - 5:15'. An email 'admin@newportcc.com.au' is provided. A QR code with 'SCAN ME' is included. At the bottom, two young girls in black leotards are smiling, with a 'Supported by Vichealth' logo.

ARE YOU LEAVING ST. PAUL'S AT THE END OF 2023?

We have a waiting list for 2024 and need to know if your family is changing schools.

Trường đang có danh sách học sinh chờ cho niên học 2024 nên cần biết gia đình quý vị có chuyển trường cho con quý vị không.

PLEASE RETURN THIS SLIP TO THE OFFICE IF YOU ARE NOT COMING BACK IN 2024.

Xin vui lòng nộp lại phần giấy này nếu con quý vị không học ở Trường St. Paul trong niên học 2024.

There is no need for any Grade 6 students to respond to this notice as we know that you will be at secondary school next year.

Học sinh Lớp 6 không cần phải điền vào phần này vì Trường đã biết học sinh sẽ lên học trường trung học vào năm sau.

Please print

My child(ren) will not be returning to St Paul's School next year.

Con/các con tôi sẽ không học ở Trường St. Paul vào năm sau.

SCHOOL ATTENDING IN 2024.....

Tên Trường sẽ học vào năm 2024

Child's name _____	Class (this year) _____
<i>Tên học sinh</i>	<i>Tên Lớp (niên học này)</i>
Child's name _____	Class (this year) _____
<i>Tên học sinh</i>	<i>Tên Lớp (niên học này)</i>
Child's name _____	Class (this year) _____
<i>Tên học sinh</i>	<i>Tên Lớp (niên học này)</i>



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Navigating friendships, moods, technology, boundaries, body image and the road ahead



A Community Parent Event

Michelle Mitchell uses the results from her recent survey of more than 2000 parents and tweens, as well as 20 years of experience working with families, to help trusted adults capitalise on the years between 8 - 13. Using insight and messages from tweens themselves, this presentation will motivate parents to invest today, knowing it can change the trajectory of adolescence and beyond.

Together we will explore:

- New, groundbreaking research about tweens' development
- Proven, research-based ways to ensure your communication is effective
- Ways you can forge an unbreakable connection during the tween years
- Insights into the development of self-esteem and body confidence
- A non-judgmental, up-front discussion about technology

ALL THE DETAILS

Date: Tuesday, 10th Oct 2023
Time: 6.00 pm for a 6:30 pm start.
Venue: Gilson College, 450 Taylors Road, Taylors Hill, Melbourne.
 The event will be conducted in the School Gymnasium.
Parking: The College car park will be open for all guests to park.
Cost: \$30.00 Tickets must be pre-purchased
Note: To make things super easy, please bring your ticket to scan at the front entrance.
Books: Michelle will have some great resources available to purchase on the night and will be signing books as requested
BOOK TICKETS at
<https://michellemitchell.org/parent-event-tweens-gilson-college-melbourne/>

Baby News



Congratulations to the Ador & Biar Family (Achol (SCC), Ajoh (MEM) & Biar (JEF) on the safe arrival of their baby sister Apajok on Friday, 29th September 2023. We wish the Ador & Biar Family much love & happiness.

Program spotlight

Your OSHC.

St Paul's Primary School



Your OSHC by Camp Australia provides enriching experiences for children during term - before school, after school and on pupil free days. At Your OSHC we give children a supportive space to continue their development, build confidence and socialise with their friends.

What's coming up at Your OSHC this week:

9/10/2023 - 13/10/2023

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1. Fitness Fun Kids Fitness Fun - Express your inner smile through colour!	2. Country Themed Weaving Using the colours of a country, create a weaving project to represent the country.	3. OSHC Birthday Display When is your birthday? Let's design a fun birthday chart!	4. Lego World Play Day - 1 Are you ready to start off your Lego World Play Day adventures?	5. Team Soccer Oh yes, get ready to go for the goal, soccer player! With these tips, you can become a great soccer player and win lots of games!
6. Season Flip Book Explore nature and extend on your learning of the seasons with our Season Flip Book activity!	7. Soccer Ball Children will pass the ball around while being silent.	8. Dodgeball A thrilling game of throwing and dodging! Get active and have a blast. Ready to play?	9. Lego World Play Day - 2 Create a Lego prize and use it, is something to rock!	10. CA Values Let's talk about the CA Values that we care about.



Register for Your OSHC

Once registered, you'll be able to easily make and manage your bookings online via our Parent Portal.

Register now



Stop by and say hi!

Please feel free to visit the program with your children to meet the team and see what happens in our great program each school day.



Visit our blog

New articles are added each week for parents and cover various topics to help families.

Visit our blog

To register and book visit: www.campaustralia.com.au



Dear Families,

Teeth on Wheels will be visiting St. Paul's on Monday 30th October. Copies of the information brochure were sent home on Thursday, 5th October with QR code. Please scan the QR code on the brochure to complete your child's consent form.

Please note: if you have already completed a form for 2023 this does not need to be done again, unless your contact information or child's medical history has changed.

If you are having trouble accessing this form, please come and collect a form at the office. Please note, **the cut off date for completing your child's form is 29/10/2023.**

EXCITING NEWS

Teeth on Wheels will be visiting our School!



At Teeth On Wheels, we provide the highest quality dental treatment while making it fun, positive and memorable for children.

With the help of the government your child might be eligible for **FREE** dental care.

Our dental services include:

- ✓ Check-ups
- ✓ Oral Health Education
- ✓ Scale, Clean & Fluoride Treatments
- ✓ Fissure Sealants
- ✓ X-rays
- ✓ Fillings
- ✓ Extractions



CLICK OR SCAN THE QR CODE TO COMPLETE YOUR FORM



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The St Paul's Community acknowledges the Wurundjeri people as the Traditional Custodians of the land on which we teach, learn and pray. We acknowledge the continued deep spiritual attachment and relationship that Aboriginal and Torres Strait people have to Country and pay our respects to Elders, past and present as we commit ourselves to the ongoing journey of reconciliation.

