

St Patrick's Primary School News

Week 2 Term 2



Principal's News

Dear Parents,

Today I have been in Cooma with the Southern Region Principals for a meeting, we gather once per term to discuss school and system matters and requirements and initiatives, it is also an opportunity to share the great things happening in our school.

Thanks for your support of NUDE FOOD week and for helping your children to reduce the amount of packaging and wrapping that we send to landfill. We would like to continue to promote the reduction of packaging in school lunches and ask for your support of this as we educate our children about sustainability and waste management.

Firedrill This week we had our first fire evacuation practise for 2017. We practised lining up and evacuating safely to the side of the church above the carpark. Being prepared for an emergency and knowing what to do and how to do it are important should there be an emergency in our school. We will have a minimum of two practises of lockdown and fire evacuation each year. You can ask your child what they need to remember when it is a fire emergency.

RSL Visit Yesterday we had a special morning assembly. Visitors from the RSL Mr Berman and Mrs Robertson came to present awards to our captains to honour their participation in the Anzac commemoration service. Zoe and Sam had the opportunity to present their oration to our school.

REMINDER - REGISTER NOW SOCIAL MEDIA & CYBER SAFETY – PARENT NIGHT

Next Monday 8th May 2017, 6.00pm- 8.00pm

The world of social media & technology is fast becoming the centre of our children's universe. It can be a challenging task for parents to stay on top of the dangers of social media and technology, while monitoring their child's online behaviour and finding balance. We are offering a workshop for parents to learn more about managing children's technology use, including an introduction into the most popular social media platforms and practical tips for keeping kids safe online. We will also cover information on setting boundaries around technology, online behaviour management, and tools for managing technology both in and outside of the home.

If you've ever struggled with getting your kids off their games and into bed, worried about knowing what your child is accessing online, or felt concerned that your child was spending too much time in the digital world, this workshop is for you! Please register for this event by following the link provided <http://bit.do/stpatrickspns>. This is an important school event for all parents to attend.

Gospel As a Catholic school community we continue to journey through the Easter season. This Sunday is the 4th Sunday of Easter. The gospel is from John 10:1-10 presents to us the image of Jesus as a shepherd, one who leads, protects and guides us to the safest pastures of life.

Christ With Us
Jo

'To go where you have never been you must do what you have never done.'

Dates to Remember

8th May
Cyber Safety
Parent Night
6-8pm

9th-11th May
NAPLAN

10th May
P&F Meeting
6.00pm

12th May
Mothers/Carers
Day Breakfast
8.00am and Stall
10.00-11.00am

14th May
Children's
Liturgy 9.30am

17th May
Archdiocesan
Cross Country
Canberra

19th May
Assembly 5/6B
2.30pm
Sleep Out
Year 3-6

The School Week

School Canteen
Monday

Uniform Shop
By appointment

AP News

Last week and this week we have had some great progress with preparation for our garden. Mr Short and Mr Bakker are organising a STEM learning space and vegetable garden. This process involves the students 100% of the way, with designing ideas, planning spaces, researching and finding out ways to make things work. Here are some girls from 4/5S measuring the area where the garden will take shape.

Next week is busy with NAPLAN for Years 3 and 5, the Y-safe program for all students on Monday (parent session is highly recommended!) and Mother's Day activities to finish the week.



LOST AND FOUND PROPERTY

There is a large amount of jumpers, jackets, drink bottle and lunchboxes filling up the trolley! There are two new jumpers without names, size 10 and 6. Please come and have a look or encourage your child to look before they get a new replacement.



Mother's Day Breakfast in the hall at 8.00 – 9.00am, all welcome with kids. Hope to see you there!

Religious Education News

Religious Education in 5/6F

This is a reflection written by Alexandra Zuvella after 5/6F's prayer circle and reflection about ANZAC day, its importance and what the spirit of ANZAC means to them.

Dear ANZAC's,

We can't even begin to thank you for how much bravery, courage, fearlessness, care and mate ship that you showed during the wars. We are all beginning to realise what hard work you put in to protecting our country. Don't forget, that we, as Australians are extremely proud to say that you are our Australian ANZAC's. You have inspired many to try our best, to be strong and to never say no to a challenge. Lest We Forget.

From Alex. Z

Religious Education in 5/6B

A snippet from Sam Griffin and Zoe Grant's ANZAC speech.

So today when you hear someone speak about the ANZAC spirit think of courage, bravery, endurance, mateship, determination and sacrifice. These are the values that were demonstrated so strongly by our soldiers at Gallipoli, are followed by our servicemen and women today and are important defining Australia as a nation. On ANZAC day we remember the servicemen and women that fought for our country but still do not glorify war rather we remember the sacrifices that they made for us.

Today we stand safe and free, we are clothed with all of the privileges and rights of citizens in these great, free countries and we owe that to these men who fought for us, endured suffered and died for us and for their country their deeds and sacrifices gave us the spirit of ANZAC.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION 2017

Parent information night: Wednesday 24th May, 7pm St Patrick's School, **Enrolment Mass:** Sunday 4th June 9:30am St Patrick's Church, **Family Masses:** Sunday 11th, 18th & 25th of June, 5pm St Patrick's Church, **Confirmation Mass:** Sunday July 23rd, 9:30am St Patrick's Church

P&F News

MOTHERS' DAY STALL

On Friday, 12 May 2017 we are holding our Mother's Day stall. Gifts will be priced from \$1 - \$5. If you are available to assist with setting up the stall from 9.00 am and/or selling the items, please contact Kat Hergenhan on 0413 279 084.

Uniform News

Thank you to families who are ordering uniform through QKR. Delivery of uniform will normally be within 7days if stock is available.

CANTEEN MENU 2017.

Chicken, lettuce & mayo	\$3.50
Ham	\$3.00
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Ham & cheese	\$3.50
Tuna, lettuce & mayo	\$3.50
Salad	\$3.00
Egg & lettuce (ask for mayo)	\$3.00
Ham & Cheese Toastee	\$3.50
<i>(Chicken & Ham are GF.) Add 50 cents for GF Sandwiches. Rolls – add 50 cents. GF rolls are Not available)</i>	

Wraps \$4.00

Chicken, lettuce & mayo	
Ham, cheese & pineapple	
Ham, cheese & tomato	
Tuna, lettuce & mayo	
Egg, lettuce & mayo	
Salad: lettuce, cheese, tom', cucumber	
Cheese	\$3.00

Hot Food

Meat Pie	\$3.50
Potato Pie	\$3.50
Sausage Roll	\$3.00
Party Pies	\$0.80
Hot Dog	\$3.00
Puppy Dog	\$1.50
Pizza	\$3.00
Lasagne	\$3.50
Fried Rice (GF)	\$3.50
Chicken Burger	\$3.50
Sweet Chilli Chicken Burger	\$3.50
Veggie Burger	\$3.50
Chicken Nuggets	\$0.50
GF Nuggets	\$0.60
Dino Nuggets	\$0.50
Corn Cobs (GF)	\$2.00

Drinks

Chocolate Moove	\$2.00
Strawberry Moove	\$2.00
Apple Popper	\$1.50
Orange Popper	\$1.50
ABC Popper	\$1.50
Tropical Popper	\$1.50

Salad Box

Mixed lettuce, tomato, cucumber, carrot, corn, snow pea.	
<i>Home made French dressing optional.</i>	\$3.50
Add chicken, ham, tuna, egg or veggie patty	\$4.50

Ice Creams/Ice Blocks

Quelch stick	\$0.50
Lemonade Icy Pole	\$1.00
Chocolate Paddle Pop	\$1.50
Fairy Floss Fandangle	\$1.50
Frozen Yoghurt Mango	\$1.50
Frozen Yoghurt Strawberry	\$1.50

Treats (available @ recess & lunch)

Muffins	\$0.50
Red Rock Sea Salt Chips	\$1.00
Red Rock Honey Soy Chips	\$1.00
Mamee Rice Sticks (GF)	\$1.00
Popcorn	\$0.70
GF Muffins (lunch order only)	\$0.80

<u>Tomato sauce</u>	\$0.30
<u>Soy sauce</u>	\$0.30
<u>Sandwich Bag</u>	\$0.30

Lunch Bags are available from the Canteen for \$8.00. They last for years, are convenient and washable. If you require a paper bag please add 30 cents to your order. Due to OHS we cannot put orders in plastic bags or large envelopes.