

ST PAUL'S PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

TERM 2 WEEK 7 – JUNE 6, 2019

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

SATURDAY JUNE 15 Sacrament of Eucharist 5.00pm

MONDAY JUNE 17
Whole School Assembly
Sen S presenting
2.50pm O'Connell
Building

FRIDAY JUNE 21

Pizza & Cannoli lunch place orders online before Wednesday 8.00am

FRIDAY JUNE 21
BBQ Dinner & Movie
Night
Toystory 3
&
A Dog's Purpose

MONDAY JUNE 24 P & F Meeting 6.45pm Staffroom

TUESDAY JUNE 25
Parent Teacher Meetings

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 26 Parent Teacher Meetings 12pm finish

> FRIDAY, JUNE 28 Last Day of Term 2 2.30pm Finish

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

This Sunday our Year 4 children celebrate their First Eucharist. This is a special time for our families, their children and the St Paul's Parish community. Please keep the Year 4 children in your thoughts and prayers as they prepare to receive the Eucharist for the first time and continue their journey in their faith development. Celebrating the Sacraments is also a good time for families to take time to reflect and renew their commitment of what it means to be part of a Catholic community.

A big thank you to Father Ray, Mr Keane our Religious Education Leader and the Year 3/4 teachers- Mr. Beninati, Miss Marks and Mr Brohman for their preparation of the children and their many contributions in making this such a special occasion.

Bless the children
coming forward to receive Holy Communion
for the first time

May it be an initial step into a life-long love of the Eucharist.
Give them a hunger for this sacred food
so that they turn to you for
comfort, guidance, and wisdom
as they grow into full discipleship.
Thank you for their innocence and goodness.
May their hands, extended in anticipation
of your Body and Blood
inspire all of us to cherish this sacred sacrament.
AMEN

Hamish A	Samara A	Jacob B	Marcus C
#W (4)			
Ethan D	Max G	Chelsea K	Sophia L
Chloe M	Jacques M	Ella M	Sebastian S
Mia Rose A	Sophia A	Sienna C	Paul D
Dylan F	Marcus	Alyssa K	Bridget M
Meaga <mark>n</mark> M	Daniel M	Sebastian Sc	di



Students and their families have put in many hours of work to contribute towards our school's Eucharist banner which will be displayed for the first time in the Church on Saturday. Many thanks to Antoinette Dingle for her work and skill in piecing this together. It looks fantastic!

Important reminders for parents of Eucharist Candidates:

TIMES: All students need to be in the hall by 4:30pm at the latest. This is when the group photo will be taken.

Family Photos – Those families that have purchased individual and/or family portraits need to be in the hall by 3:30pm

SEATING: Mass will commence at 5pm sharp. Families of those undertaking the Sacrament have been allocated one pew in the main part of the church. Other seats have not been are not allocated are for additional members of families and parishioners.

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PHOTOS: Families are asked to be discrete if they are taking photos during mass

Sustainability Group

We had our first Sustainability meeting last night. A small but enthusiastic group of parents shared some ideas about ways we can introduce being more sustainable at St Paul's. One of the initiatives is a NUDE FOOD day each week, this means children have their play lunch and lunch wrapper free. We also came up with ways to involve our students and teachers. Our Student Representative Council (SRC) will lead this initiative in term 3, with the view to starting a Green Student Group in the future. To help with packing waste free lunches we will be selling Beeswax Wraps.

Please see information on page 6.

Lost Property

There are lots of jumpers, bomber jackets and even a pair of Nike Runners. Please have a look at our lost property box for lost food containers/drink bottles and items of clothing. Many items can be found in the tub in the hallway. Also please check that your child has the correct name on their jumper or bomber jacket at home.

Parent Teacher Meetings

Tuesday June 25th and Wednesday June 26th

Parents have received login information for making appointments through schoolinterviews.com.au to meet with your child's teacher to discuss their learning.

If you did not receive the note please contact the office office@spcoburg.catholic.edu.au

School finishes 12PM Wednesday June 26th due to parent teacher interviews

Have a great week, Maria

*********** The following children will be receiving awards for demonstrating our BE RULES ★ at Monday's assembly at 2.50pm. Parents are welcome to attend:

Prep C Nikolaos K Katelyn M Yoyo Z Prep TL Moira W Rosie M Thomas C Matilda Z Summer Z 1/2D 1/2H Sienna A 1/2MR Loriana F Lola C 3/4B James M 3/4KB Emily V 3/4M Sienna C Sen MD Ella M Jack Sen S Liam M Adriana A Sen T Ava A Peter C

THE LEADER IN ME - YOUR JOURNEY STARTS HERE

Last Friday we were lucky enough to have the Parade College School Captains speak to the Yr 5 students about "LEADERSHIP". Will, Max and Pindoo spoke about their journey towards leadership and the qualities they believe are necessary for good leaders. These fine young men provided our 2020 leadership group with inspirational advice.

Please take the time to read some of our Year 5 student responses

Including others and being trustworthy is really important.'

'The boys were confident and gave great advice'

'The Parade Captains said you have to love what you do and be proud.'

'Before everyone spoke to me I honestly just wanted the badge, but after they spoke to me I now don't care. I want to help people and be confident in myself. '

'The Parade Boys inspired me.'

'Being inclusive is one of the most important qualities '



My grateful thanks to Mr Jim Seymour (Parade College) who arranged this visit for us, and of course to Max, Will and Pindoo for giving their time so generously .

We are now approaching the final weeks of our Year 5 Leadership course and for the remainder of the year we will expect our 2020 leaders to demonstrate leadership qualities.

SCHOOL COMMUNITY





Please come along and support this P&F function **next Friday**. The evening will commence at 6 pm with a BBQ dinner – delicious hamburgers \$4 and sausages \$2! – the movie will commence at 7 pm.

Please pay via CDFpay.

P&F Meeting Monday 24th June at 6.45pm Staffroom

BEESWAX WRAPS

Please support this very worthwhile fundraising initiative, and the environment! Beeswax wraps are reusable, washable and sustainable.

\$20 for a pack of 3 -large, medium and small.

Please pay via CDFpay



Our Playgroup continues to grow in numbers. It is <u>free</u> and open every Thursday morning from 9 am until 10.30 am in the O'Connell Building. We cater for a range of ages with lots of "hands-on" activities. It is also an opportunity for mums...or dads... to have a coffee and a chat.

Have a great weekend!

Ms Donna



NUDE FOOD

Every piece of packaging or excess food that we can save from landfill makes a difference. As part of the School Sustainability Challenge, St Paul's is holding **Nude food days every Tuesday in term 3** to focus on reducing the amount of material that we send to landfill.

When planning lunches for this day, and throughout the year, please help us minimise food and packaging waste by packing a waste-less lunch!

Try to pack ... A Waste-Less Lunchbox

Snacks in reusable containers

Drinks in a reusable container

Reusable utensils when needed

A reusable lunchbox or backpack

Small pieces of fruit, yoghurt or snack items in a reusable container

Avoid ... A Disposable Lunchbox

- Lunches packed in plastic bags or wrap, foil, wax paper
- Disposable drink boxes, pouches, cans, cartons, and bottles
- Disposable forks and spoons
- Pre-packaged single-serve snack items

Here are some suggestions to get you started:

Cut up fruit and vegetables and pack them in reusable containers so that children can eat some and save the rest for later. For example, it's hard to take some bites from a big apple at recess and save the rest for lunchtime. It's easier to eat a wedge or two and then reseal the container. A rubber band around sliced apple will prevent browning.

If your children have chips, savoury biscuits, or other snacks try buying a larger bulk pack (rather than the more expensive so called 'convenience' packs with lots of packaging) and have your children put the same quantity into a reusable labelled container that they bring home each day.









WEEK 1	V	WEEK 2	V	
MONDAY JULY 1 ZOORASSIC (E) is: Join us for a ROARSOME Dinosaur experience. Walk with the Dinosaurs @WERRIBEE OPEN RANGE ZOO		MONDAY JULY 8 INFLATABLE WORLD (E) Pumped for inflatable everything! The Uttimate experience Jumping, Silding, Veicro Sticking Wall, Cliff Jump, Sildies & Obstacle Course		
TUESDAY JULY 2 ICE SLIDE (E) Side into winter and experience the chill without leaving Melbourne. The ice Side is back - Cooler and Fester!		TUESDAY JULY 9 ICE SKATING (E) ① GET YOUR SKATES ON! We're hitting the ICE HOUSE Docklands this Winter! TWIRL SPIN or SKATE		
WEDNESDAY JULY 3 PIZZA PARTY (E) 6M? You had me at PIZZA! You won't go hungry this winter with this slice of Italy experience Let's break a record © CRINITIS LYGON ST		WEDNESDAY JULY 10 MOVIES (E) #5 Kids Choice Movie GHOYTS		
THURSDAY JULY 4 TIMEZONE & M9 LASER SKIRMISH (E) Let the battle begin! M9 Laser Skirmish @CROWN ENTERTAINMENT COMPLEX		THURSDAY JULY 11 AFK JUNIOR MASTERCHEF TREAT YOURSELF! Our Masterchef Class with professional chef will inspire you in the kito and improve your cooking skills. You even get to eat your delicious creations YUMMM		
FRIDAY JULY 5 MAGIC FESTIVAL D. Celebrating the Melbourne Magic Festival with an incredibly tunny, interactive and entertaining Magic Showl		FRIDAY JULY 12 VIRTUAL REALITY KIDS M Next Level Gaming Experience 20+ players at once on glant projector screens CODING Tablets, WII PS4 XBOX Minecraft, Mario Kart, Fifa & MORE		

BOOKINGS NOW OPEN

HOLIDAY PROGRAM JULY 1st - 12th 7am-6pm

(E) denotes excursion *9:00am excursion departure

Breakfast, Morning & Afternoon Tea is provided

What should my child bring?

Children should bring a nutritious packed nut free lunch, snacks, fruit and bottle of water. All Children are required to wear appropriate clothing, Jackets, socks & footwear suitable for weather and sport.

Fees

EARLY BRDS \$100 per session before CCS

From \$19.22 a day less than \$100 a week with the Child Care Subsidy Package.

Costs may vary according to eligibility. Book Before JUNE 21st excursion and transport costs inclusive. REGISTER FOR CCS my.gov.au

Booking Information / Payment Process

Send enrolment details and payment:

bianca@academyforkids.co

Academy for Kids PO BOX 383 Ascot Vale 3032

ENQUIRIES CONTACT Vivien 0406323357

No cancellations or refunds. To secure a booking payments must be made by credit card before **5pm Friday JUNE 21st 2019**. Bookings accepted after this date will incur late fees.

Child's Name:	D.O.B /	1	CRM
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Medical information: Does your child have any medical or physical conditions? Yes No (allergies, asthma, anaphylaxis or other must provide medical plan)

Parent/Guardian: D.O.B / / CRN:

Home Address: Home Ph: Mobile:

Occupation: Work Ph: Email:

Nominated Emergency Authorise Contact

1. Name Ph: 2. Name Ph:

Names of person authorised to collect child and or consent to medical authorisation

Family Doctor

Name Address:

Ph: Medicare Number:

Do you have Ambulance Membership? Yes No Ambulance Number:

Payment Method : Credit Card

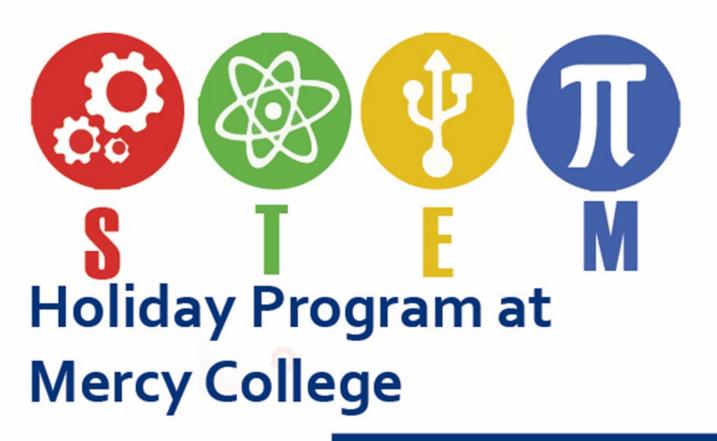
Credit Card Number: _____ Exp: _____

Number of days _____ X\$100 early birds only = Payment TOTAL (before CCS): ____

I hereby give permission for my child to attend the Academy for Kids Holiday Program. I fully understand the program has activities and excursions my child will attend therefore give my child permission to participate. In the event of illness or accident I authorise Academy for Kids and nominated authorised emergency contact to obtain medical/ambulance assistance and agree to pay all expenses incurred. I give permission to take photos of my child for the purpose of the program. I give permission for my child to watch PG movies. I give permission to walk on excursion outside the grounds within a 1km radius and commute by bus or other means of transportation to any excursion. I understand the excursion risk management plan. I have read and understand Academy for Kids policies and procedures. I have completed enrolment details correctly and made payment to Academy for Kids via credit card

Parent/Guardian Signature:

Date:



Year 4 to 6 girls Monday 1 July 2019 10.00am - 2.00pm

Come and join us for an exciting day of STEM activities where you can **IMAGINE**, **CREATE** and **INSPIRE** through a range of experiences with digital technologies and science experimentation!

Our program will include hands on workshops and challenges. Lunch will be provided.



TO REGISTER:

Book online at https://www.trybooking.com/BAKUN \$15.00 per person

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CECV Students with Disabilities (SWD) Program

The Catholic Education Commission of Victoria Ltd (CECV) Students with Disabilities (SWD) Program aimed to improve the learning outcomes of educationally disadvantaged students, especially in reading and writing ability and numeracy. Each year, schools could submit SWD applications in either Round 1 (October) or Round 2 (February). Eligibility for the program was then decided by the CECV SWD Committee.

There were seven disability categories; physical disability, chronic health impairment, severe language disorder (including severe developmental verbal dyspraxia), intellectual disability (including global developmental delay), hearing impairment, vision impairment and social-emotional disorders (including autism spectrum disorder). Each disability category had criteria and documentation requirements that had to be met.

Disability funding for Victorian Catholic schools from Federal and State Government sources was based on eligible SWD students flagged on census.

Nationally Consistent Collection of Data on School Students with Disability (NCCD) The Nationally Consistent Collection of Data on School Students with Disability (NCCD) is a process that all schools must do every year. It counts the number of students who receive extra adjustments or "help" at school because of a disability, as defined by the <u>Disability Discrimination Act 1992</u> (DDA).

To count a student in the NCCD, schools must think through some key questions:

- Is the student getting help at school so that they can take part in education on the same basis as other students?
- 2. Is the help given because if a disability? The word 'disability' comes from the <u>Disability</u> <u>Discrimination Act 1992</u> (DDA) and it can include many students?
- 3. Has the school talked to you or your child about the help that they provide?
- 4. Has the school kept records about the help they provide, the student needs and the reasons that the student needs this help? The school will need to keep copies of tests, student work, assessments, records of meetings, medical reports or other paperwork and information about how the student's learning is moving along over time?

Once the school decides that the student should be counted in the NCCD, they then choose a disability group and one of four levels of help that has been given to the student.

There are four disability categories; physical, cognitive, sensory and social-emotional. There are four levels of adjustments; quality differentiated teaching practice (QDTP), supplementary, substantial and extensive adjustments.

Changes to Funding

Both Federal and State governments have indicated that the NCCD will now be used to inform funding. From 2019 onwards, schools will receive funding based on students counted in the NCCD at supplementary, substantial and extensive adjustments levels. **Therefore, the CECV SWD Program will transition to the NCCD for the 2019 program year**.

What does this mean for students currently on the CECV SWD Program?

NCCD Eligibility

Specialist documentation (e.g. paediatrician, speech pathology, psychology, GP) that was used for the CECV SWD Program can be used as 'evidence' for NCCD. The NCCD does not currently have specific documentation requirements (e.g. documentation from specific specialists or date requirements). Where available, information and advice from specialists combined with school-based evidence will continue to provide rich information to inform educational programming (i.e. adjustments).

Evidence of the help given can be seen in documents such as teacher work plans, monitoring sheets, specialist support timetables, Program Support Group (PSG) minutes and Personalised Learning Plans (PLPs). It is highly likely that students on the CECV SWD Program have already been, and will continue to be counted in the school's NCCD.

Review Assessments

NCCD **does not currently** have specific documentation requirements. Where students may have needed updated review assessments for the CECV SWD Program, they are now not necessary for NCCD. Where available, information and advice from specialists combined with school-based evidence will continue to provide rich information to inform educational programming (i.e. adjustments).

NCCD Submissions

Schools must submit their NCCD in August every year and cannot change their NCCD after the due date. The Australian Government will apply post enumeration processes (census audit) to a random sample of the school's NCCD submission.

Parental Consent

Changes were made to the law (<u>Australian Education Act 2013</u> and <u>Australian Education Regulation 2013</u>). Schools do not need you to agree to let them count a child in the NCCD. You cannot ask the school not to count your child.

Where can I access more information?

Please contact your child's school if you have further questions about the NCCD. You may also find these links helpful:

- CECV NCCD Information Sheet for Parents, Carers and Guardians
- NCCD national website
- Disability Standards for Education 2005
- Australian Government Department of Education and Training—NCCD.