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Bulletin—Week 5 of Term 1, February 25 2021

Saint Mary MacKillop said,
"Never See a Need Without Doing Something About It!"
At St Joseph's We: Need to have a **Positive Attitude**
Need to be **Aware** and Need to Take **Action**.
Our next fortnight's Triple A Social Skill is **Leadership**
Our focus within the three areas are as follows
Attitude : Proud & Confident
Awareness : Of the Example I Set
Action : Being A Positive Role-Model

Dear Parents, Carers and Friend

Ash Wednesday & LENT

Ash Wednesday is a most important Holy Day in the Church's Calendar. Ash Wednesday opens Lent, a season where we focus on * what we can do to assist others * how we come to appreciate what we have and * how we can think of others through prayer. We missed the day itself because of lockdown but followed up on Thursday with a prayer time of focus and explanation. Normally, each child would be marked in ash with the sign of the cross to demonstrate our commitment to these actions. We now look forward to the Season of Lent.



School Closure – Staff PD Day

Next Friday March 5, there will be no school for our children. Staff will be updating their Level 2 First Aid. I hope you can all enjoy a Long Week-end with your Family.

Dates To Remember

Friday March 5	School Closure – Staff PD Day
Monday March 9	Labour Day Holiday
Wednesday, March 10	P&F AGM
Sunday March 14	FUN RUN
Wednesday, March 17	School Board AGM

FUN RUN – Sunday March 14

Our Fun Run is near so it's time to get organised and register online @ <http://bit.ly/2Z0S32v>
Events for our school kids are the 5 or 10 km run or for Prep to Yr 2s a 1km run and for Yr 3-6, a two km run.
Children can only enter one event.

Afternoon Assembly : Monday at 2:45

Mon 1st March: Leaders - Timmy, Zac & Andrew; Class - Sen M & H
Mon 8th March: No Assembly due to Public Holiday

Tune into our YouTube channel to view our assembly
https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCChZRa2nKzF_2muZtn1eJqg

The link can also be found on our school website.
Parents/Carers of students involved in assembly (Leaders or Class on Prayer), are welcome to join us on a Monday at 2.45pm in the MacKillop Centre.

PUPIL FREE DAY – FRIDAY, MARCH 5



Triple A News - Uniform

Welcome to Triple A News for 2021. Our Triple A Leaders for this year are Xavier Tonkin & Tahlia-Skye Kosanke.

To start the year, we are having a blitz on wearing the correct school uniform. Xavier and Tahlia wear their uniforms proudly.

Summer Uniform

The **Boys** uniform consists of navy shorts, blue & gold polo with logo, navy blue windcheater (gold stripe in the V with logo), navy broad brimmed hat with gold logo, navy socks with **all black** shoes/boots (**no Logos, Stripes etc . All Black**).



The **Girls** uniform consists of either school dress or navy shorts/skort with blue & gold polo with logo, navy blue windcheater (gold stripe in the V with logo), navy broad brimmed hat with gold logo, white socks with **all black** shoes/boots (**no Logos, Stripes etc . All Black**).

Summer Sports Uniform

- * *School sports navy shorts*
- * *White socks and runners for all*
- * *School Polo*
- * *School hats, with our school logo are the only hats to be worn*

We wear our uniform proudly in maintaining a high standard of presentation. We ask families to support this value. A simple note to the staff politely explains any short term variations.

Office News

If you have moved address, changed your occupation or any other details, please contact our office by Monday 1st March. We need the correct information as the funding we receive from the government is based on these details.

PRIVACY POLICY

For access please visit our website. www.sjnumurkah.catholic.edu.au.

SCHOOL FEES:

If any family would like to commence having their fees directly debited fortnightly or monthly this can be done at any time!

Next Fortnightly Debits: 26th February & 11th March.

Monthly Debits take place on the **18th of each month** up to and including November.

If you have unexpected circumstances for the fortnight or month and need to stop a Direct Debit please note they are processed two days before the due date and so you will need to contact us prior to that, to put a stop on them.

EFTPOS and **CENTREPAY** are now a payment option. Please enquire at the office.

If you have any queries or concerns about your payment commitments, please do not hesitate to come in and speak to Paul. If you are wanting to amend your payment options, please do so ASAP.

The Term Planner can be viewed from the school website under news & events \ newsletters

If you have any queries, please ring Gayle or Donna at the office on 5862 1804

Zone Swimming

Good luck to the below students as they head to Zone Swimming on Monday:

Georgia ROBERTSON	10 Girls	Freestyle & Backstroke
Summa NEYLAND	10 Girls	Freestyle & Breaststroke
Kirrily HOOPER	11 Girls	Freestyle & Breaststroke
Samuel BROWN	11 Boys	Freestyle & Breaststroke

Student of the Week

Sen S Nash Siermans

For his fantastic attitude during our Swimming Carnival last week. Great work Nash!

Sen M Charli Cornall-Doyle

For giving everything a "red hot crack" at swimming sports. Your attitude was excellent.

Sen H Caitlyn Hender

For taking on all challenges with a positive attitude.

Sen N Charlotte Hall

For her positive attitude in Maths, and always giving every challenge a red-hot go! Brilliant effort!

Mid H Taylah Duggan

For reading with expression, fluency and enthusiasm.

Mid O Logan Jasper

For his positive attitude to writing and being confident within the classroom. Keep up the great work.

Mid W Leni Edis

For being a polite, responsible member of our class and is a role model to others. Well done Leni.

Mid B Poppy Dobson

For always applying herself to the learning task and helping those around her.

Jun S Lilith Beaton

For the fantastic start she has had to her Living and Learning at St Joseph's.

Jun H Indi Rodda

For your conscientious attitude towards all tasks and presenting your work impeccably. Well done Indi!

Jun A Blaze Schultz

For seeing a need and doing something about it whether in the classroom or playground. Thank you Blaze!

Jun J Nate Duffett

For working hard to improve his handwriting and for writing more words during learning tasks. Excellent effort this week Nate!

Prep M Benjamin Hubbard

For a fantastic start to Prep and trying his best at all times. Great job Ben!

Prep N Oliver Tilley

For an amazing start to Prep and giving 100% towards all activities. Well done Oliver!

Triple A Social Skill Award

This is awarded to students in each class who display excellence in the Triple A Social Skill of Using Manners.

Attitude : Being Polite

Awareness : Knowing Good Manners

Action : Using Good Manners eg Please/Thank you.

Congratulations to the following students who received this social skill award:

Jack Glass, Bridget Simmons, Everly Smyth, Kade Brennan, Zara Morris, Mikayla Penny, Addi Stuart, Ishaan Maharaj, Tilly Schreenan, Summa Neyland, Sol Frost, Andrew Barnden, Sienna Lawless and Xavier Tonkin.

Canteen

February

26th Volunteer

March

1st Sarah Trimble, Carolyn Hooker

2nd Fiona McPherson

3rd Volunteer

4th Haylee Schulz

5th Pupil Free Day

8th Labour Day Public Holiday

9th Volunteer

10th Volunteer

11th Helen Osborne

12th Volunteer

15th Natasha Stell, Donna Jensen

16th Volunteer

17th Narelle Schreenan

18th Volunteer

19th Kim McPherson

If you are unable to attend on your day, can you please arrange a swap with someone else or as last resort let Karen know in advance, so she is aware that she has no helper that day.

Outside School Hours Care

Welcome to Term 1 2021.

We would like to update you on what we have been up to in Before & After School Care. We are running an open play based program where the children get to choose the program activities that are of their interest, eg weaving, lego, card marking, loom bands, beads etc. We are open to any suggestions if there is anything your child/ren are interested in that you would like introduced in the program, please don't hesitate to let us know.

Thanks Sue & Ash.

LOST PROPERTY

Please make sure your child/ren's hat, jumper, drink bottle, lunch containers etc are clearly labelled so that they can be returned if they are misplaced. We already have several drink bottles, containers etc in the lost property, so don't forget to stop by and take a look if they belong to you.



Parents & Friends

**FUN RUN – Sunday,
March 14. Regos Now
Open**

Go to this link for on-line registration

<http://bit.ly/2ZOS32v>



Community Notices



Thriving TOGETHER Numurkah

Thai Chi

Thai Chi is an ancient Chinese traditional exercise, based on martial arts, involving slow movements and breath.

SESSION ONE

11th March 11am
Newman Square, Melville St, Numurkah
1 hour

SESSION TWO

1st April 11am
Newman Square, Melville St, Numurkah
1 hour

RESERVE YOUR PLACE BY CALLING
NCN HEALTH ON 5862 0556

Facilitated by: **Taylah Shannahan**
Taylah's Massage & Fitness

By participating in any of the activities,
you will be entered into the draw to win prizes,
including products & vouchers from local businesses!

FOOD IS FREE Numurkah CARE-PACK DRIVE

Life has been tough for many people in our community during the pandemic.

You can help by donating a pre-loved bag filled with essentials & luxury items, that will make someone feel cared for.

Leave the care-packs at one of the Food is Free Numurkah Locations.



Check out the handy guide for the items that can be included in each bag you make!

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT NICOLE ON 0458 972 416

COBRAM AMATEUR BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION 2020 AUTUMN REGISTRATION

Registrations for the Autumn 2020 season are now open. The season is planned to start the week of Monday 2nd March. Registrations are online at the [Cobram Basketball Association](https://www.facebook.com/CobramBasketballAssociation) website. Payment of fees will be via credit card at time of registration. Registrations will close on Thursday 20th February 2020 to allow time for teams and draws to be arranged. If you have any difficulties with registration please contact Luke Almond via email at cobrambasketball@outlook.com or phone 0438 004 402

AUSSIEHOOPS

The Cobram Basketball Association will run an Aussie Hoops program for 5 -10 year olds to learn the game, coached by senior players starting Tuesday 10th March. Refer to the Aussie Hoops tab on the website for details and registration.



COBRAM AMATEUR BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

AUTUMN 2021 COMPETITION

<https://www.facebook.com/CobramBasketballAssociation>
Email cobrambasketball@outlook.com

STARTS MONDAY 01 MARCH 2021

To register <https://www.playhq.com/basketball-victoria/register/acabb3>

MONDAY NIGHTS 10 WEEK COMP PLUS FINALS (NO GAMES DURING SCHOOL HOLIDAYS). OPEN TO CHILDREN BORN 2003-2011. REGISTRATION \$110 (+BV FEE IF APPLICABLE)

Enquiries Simon Borg 0408 239 336
Steve Tomlinson 0418 176 679



NUMURKAH DISTRICT SOCCER CLUB ...

.. invites junior players to the 2021 soccer season
events start 4:30pm at the Numurkah Showground ..

17th & 24th February Come and try
3rd March Registration and boot swap

Teams open for registrations:

Kinderoos
Under 6s
Under 7s
Under 8s
Under 10s
Under 12s
Under 15s

Expressions of Interest
from prospective
COACHES & TEAM MANAGERS welcome

COVIDsafe rules will apply

For further information please contact:
Sherelle Koeleman ph 0438 533 060
Karyn Oswald ph 0458 732 112



Katunga Football Netball Club Registration Nights / Training Dates / Auskick and NetSetGo

The Katunga Football Netball Club wishes to advise that our Registration sessions will be held at the following times:-

- Thursday 25 February – 5-7:30pm
- Sunday 28 February – 9-11:30am
- Thursday 4 March – 5-7:30pm
- Thursday 18 March – 5-7:30pm

Unfortunately due to excessive numbers, registrations to play netball for 2021 are now closed, unless you have just moved to the area. Netballers are advised that they are still required to attend the registration nights to complete appropriate club paperwork and fees.

It's imperative that all online registrations are completed asap to be covered for insurance and club registrations and payment details to be completed on one of the above session or submitted and paid electronically. Please visit our website www.katungafnc.sportingpulse.net for further information, online registration links, club membership form and payment sheet.

Football Training

Seniors – Tuesday and Thursday - 6:15pm start
Thirids – currently training Thursdays - 5:15pm start
Fourth's – Commencing Thursday 4 March at 5pm
Fifth's – Commencing Thursday 18 March at 5pm

Netball Training

Seniors – Tuesday and Thursday - 6:00pm start
17/Unders – Tuesday and Thursday - 5pm
15/Unders – Tuesday and Thursday - 5pm
13/Unders – Tuesday and Thursday - 5pm
11/Unders – Commencing Thursday 11 March at 5pm

AusKick and NetSetGo will again run this year during Term 2. Details on registering will be available towards the end of Term 1. Please keep an eye on our website, FaceBook page or TeamApp.

For further information please contact Rachael Howden on 0400 877 409 or katungafnc@outlook.com.



JUNIOR NETBALL TRAINING

Under 11's
Thursday 25th February 4pm

Under 13's
Thursday 25th February 4pm

Under 15's
Tuesday 23rd February 5pm

Under 17's
Wednesday 10th February 5pm

Please come along for a training session and to meet the coaches.
 Training held at Numurkah Recreation Reserve

For more information contact Andrea Dobson 0467623100

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NUMURKAH

FUN RUN

SUNDAY 14TH MARCH EVERYONE WELCOME
Runners • Seniors • Walkers • Kids • Elite

REGISTRATION : <http://bit.ly/2Z0S32v>
OR CONTACT : St Joseph's 03 5862 1804

DIVERSEBUILDERS

EVENTS: 10 & 5km Run, 5km Walk
KIDS: Grade 2 & Under - 1km, Grade 3-6 - 2km
 5km Run for Primaries
VENUE: St. Joseph's PS Numurkah
COST: \$20. U/14s & Primary 5km \$5
 NO 2021 SINGLET'S DUE TO COVID RISK

START TIME:
 9am 5&10 Km events - 10.15am 1 & 2 Km events
 Pre-registration by Friday 13th March 4pm
 Entries accepted on the morning additional \$5
KIDS: 1 & 2km events - no rego required,
 \$2 on the morning

GREAT PRIZES PLUS
 • Timing by Fast Finish • Family BBQ
TEAM EVENT
 5km races • Minimum 4 entries • Fastest four across the line.

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Via
 Numurkah Golf & Bowls Club Inc.

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