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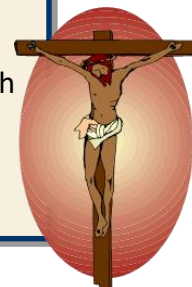
Bulletin—Week 9 of Term 1, March 25th 2021

Dear Families and Friends

I urge you to take time over Easter to participate meaningfully in our Church's Commemoration of the Death of Jesus and Celebrate His Resurrection—the Victory of Good over Bad.

The Parish Services over Holy Week are as follows:

April 1 - Holy Thursday	7:30pm Mass—The Lord's Supper
April 2 - Good Friday	10:30am Stations of the Cross 3pm Commemoration of the Christ's Death
April 3 – Holy Saturday	8:00pm Easter Vigil
April 4 – Easter Sunday	9:00am Mass Strathmerton 10:30am Mass Numurkah



P&F 2021

Our P&F AGM was held recently. Its function is to serve the school community and organise fun and fundraising events.

The executives for this year are:

President – Bryan Schreenan

Treasurer – Michelle McCracken

Secretary – Wayne Dyson

Ass Secretary – Helen Osborne

Our main fundraisers for the year are the Fun Run and Fete.

All Families are welcome to come along and be part of the P & F, including attending meetings and helping with events.

School Advisory Council 2021

Our School Board is now known as the Advisory Council.

The AGM was held last Wednesday. There were no changes to the parent membership

For reference, the Council deal with policy, finance, planning and big picture matters rather than operational detail.

Ben Ruscoe is the Chairperson while the Parent Representatives are Rach O'Dwyer, Trav Lukies, Maryanne Black, Carolyn Hooker and Bill Masters.

The P&F Rep is Bryan Schreenan, the Staff Rep is Mark Harmer while Paul Arnel, Dom Izzard, Gayle Watters and Fr Michael are all ex-officio.

Staff Changes

At the end of term, we farewell two of our teaching staff who take Maternity Leave. We wish Virginia Hughes and Grace Holland the best of health as they prepare for the birth of their babies. We also say farewell to Karen McIntyre as our Canteen Manager, and welcome Marcella Coonan as her replacement.

Fun Run

We've done it again ! With so much uncertainty, our event still shone with brilliant support from sponsors, parents and friends and our loyal participants. Special thanks to Andrea Dobson and Kate Bell and the many, many helpers.

**Last Day of Term 1 –
Thursday, April 1 :
2:15pm Finish**



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 **Excellence**
Our focus within the three areas are as follows
Attitude : Having A Go
Awareness : Of Your Ability
Action : Striving To Do Your Best

Our New Look Afternoon Assembly : Mondays at 2:45

Yr 6 Leaders & Class Prayer

March 29: James A, Caitlyn H & Izaak H; Prep M & N

And you can watch it live by tuning into our YouTube channel.

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCChZRa2nKzF_2muZtn1eJgg

The link can also be found on our school website and is the same link for ALL Assemblies !

Parents/Carers of students who are involved in the assembly are welcome to join us on-site in the MacKillop Centre.

Dates to Remember

Friday March 26: Easter Raffle Tickets Due Back

Tuesday March 30th: CARITAS boxes to be returned

Thursday April 1: Last Day of Term 1 early finish 2.15pm

(Please note Buses will run an hour earlier)

Monday April 19: Start of Term 2

Sunday April 25 : ANZAC Day

The School Dental Van shall be visiting
3rd – 7th May.

Forms have been sent home and will need to be returned by the end of term if you would like to take advantage of this service. Additional forms can be found at the office.

Office News

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 March & 9th April.

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

CARITAS

There have been lots of activities and competitions to raise money for CARITAS at recess and lunch time, including colouring competitions, guess the lollies in the jar, even a Lego raffle kindly donated by Sonny Dunstone.

The Junior area is running an Easter Egg raffle with all funds going to CARITAS. If all raffle tickets and donations could be kindly returned by Friday 26th March, it would be greatly appreciated.

All CARITAS boxes need to be returned to school by Tuesday 30th April please.

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM

At the start of Term Two we commence preparations for the 2021 Sacramental Program. There were no sacramental programs run last year due to Covid-19. As a result of this we will be running a reconciliation program in Term 2 for any students in Grade 3 or above. The Sacraments of Confirmation and First Eucharist will take place in Term 3.

It is necessary for your child to be Baptised before receiving the Sacraments of Reconciliation, Confirmation and Eucharist. This requires evidence that your child has been Baptised (i.e. Copy of Baptismal Certificate).

If you wish for your child to participate in this program, please collect a form from the office.

Thanks,
Liam Booth
Religious Education Coordinator

Student of the Week

Sen S

Peter Bau

For starting each morning with a positive attitude and smile on his face! Awesome work Peter!

Eli Johns

For being a great friend and helper for his Prep buddy, Flynn. Great job!

Sen M

Jessica Laidlaw

For always coming to class prepared and eager to do her best. Great work!

Cadell Black

For always coming to class prepared and sharing his love of reading with the class and his teachers.

Sen H

Jules Cook

For his sportsmanship on and off the field. Julz you are a champion!

Zac Gawne

For working hard in class on his persuasive writing. You are very creative and have a great sense of humour. Great work.

Sen N

Myla Stuart

For her caring and thoughtful attitude towards others. Great effort!

Lucas Stedman

For working well in class and being a positive person in the classroom. Great effort!

Mid H

Charlie Jenner

For contributing to class discussion with interesting statements and an inquisitive mind!

Riley Baker

For completing his addition tasks and explaining his strategies!

Mid O

Cobie Patching

For her organisation and taking pride in all her work. Fantastic!

Jorja Sprunt

For her organization and positive attitude towards learning. You are a great role model!

Mid W

Mia McCabe-Jackson

For showing wonderful leadership skills during Numeracy last week. Well done Mia!!

Mason Alexander

For his positive attitude towards his learning and for always trying his best in all that he does.

Mid B

Jasper Brown

For your enthusiastic attitude in Literacy. You created some wonderfully entertaining stories.

Sonny Dunstone

For his fantastic fundraising efforts for Project Compassion, well done Sonny!

Jun S

Carter Booth

For his positive learning choices in the classroom and outstanding 'can do' attitude.

Jobe Morris

For his determination and willingness to accept challenges during Maths.

Jun H

Harley Ranken

For his improved effort in class and having a positive attitude in all he does.

Maya Curtis

For being a quiet achiever who has taken all her responsibilities in her stride.

Jun A

Eva Russo

For taking time to gather her thoughts and giving fantastic responses.

Viaan Maharaj

For working hard to improve his Spelling skills.

Jun J

Matilda Ireland

For taking her time to decode words when reading, and also for a positive approach towards learning tasks.

Koby Boxtel

For supporting, encouraging and helping a friend at the fun run. Excellent Koby!

Prep M

Emma Reade

For being a beautiful student who strives to do her best at all times.

Archer Harbor

For his willingness to give things a go and try his best. Well done Archer!

Prep N

Wil Foulstone

For being a happy and positive member of our class.

Marli Lyons

For being responsible and showing a positive attitude towards completing tasks.

Principal's Award

Term 1

Week 8 : Sienna Bosse

Week 9 : Xavier Tonkin

Living out the values of

Saint Mary MacKillop

through what they say and what they do.

Triple A Social Skill Award

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

Attitude – Confident without being bossy

Awareness – To stand up for oneself and others

Action – Positive voice and body language

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

Week 8: Eden Doncon, Zarli Burkitt, Jessica Green, Mia Muller, Audrey Martin, Lily-Rose Sklifas, Matilda Ruscoe, Callan O'Dwyer, Lenny Gledhill, Justin Hendy, Erin McPherson,

Kirrily Hooper, Yolana van Rijthoven and Skye Gundrill.

Week 9: Charity-Lee Cameron, Charli Sklifas, Edward Trimble, Kael Arho, Hazel Alston, Harlen Few, Ash Curtis, Joshua Alexander, Elizabeth Trimble, Toby Bell, Hannah Kelly, Brian Hansen and Jamieson Shelton.

Canteen

26th **Volunteer**

29th Donna Jensen

30th Kate McGregor

31st **Volunteer**

April

1st Haylee Schulz

19th Natasha Stell

20th **Volunteer**

21st Narelle Schreenan

22nd **Volunteer**

23rd **Volunteer**

26th Kate McGregor

27th Christy Culton

28th **Volunteer**

29th Helen Osborne

30th Narelle Miller

If you are unable to attend on your day, can you please arrange a swap with someone else or as last resort let the Canteen Manager know in advance, so they are aware that they have no helper that day.

Lost Property

Lots of jumpers, drink bottles & containers etc **still** in lost property. Please come & check at the office for any lost items by Thursday 1st April. At the end of the term any containers still in lost property shall be donated to Vinnies.

St John's Parish OSHC News

VACATION CARE

Bookings are now open for Vacation Care, which shall be running again during the next school holidays Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursdays 8am to 4pm. cost shall remain the same, \$60.00 per day with Child Care subsidies also provided. Children will need to bring their own lunch, snacks and water bottle.

There will be a range of activities including craft, cooking, sport, indoor & outdoor games all onsite in the MacKillop Centre.

If your child is already enrolled in the Before & After School Care Program, then you can book via the My Family Lounge App just like Before and After School Care.

If you have not used the program before, then you will need to enrol your child/ren [via the school website](#).

www.sjnumurkah.catholic.edu.au/enrolment-information/outside-school-hours-care/outside-school-hours-care-enrolment

If you have never used the My Family Lounge, you will need to register and request a booking. Once your request has been accepted, (usually within 48 hours) you will need to complete an enrolment for each child. Please note that this will need to be completed on a desktop computer as not all functions work on a tablet or phone. Once completed, please click on the submit tab as this will send your information to our system. You will need to acknowledge that you are using our service via your MyGov account to receive any Child Care Subsidies. This may also include completing details regarding your employment and/or personal family situation. You will now be able to download the My Family Lounge App to manage your bookings.

If you wish to start using the program, please contact the office for enrolment information before the end of Term.



Community Notices



Easter is only a week away, so we have our Easter craft packs available at all of our branches. Each pack contains 2 craft activities for children and families to take home and make.

We also have our Easter Colouring Competition under way.

Pick them up from your library or download them from our website www.gvlibraries.com.au.

There are three options and children can colour one, or all three.

The competition ends on Friday 26th March.

We will also have 'Out of this World' themed #TakeHome craft packs during the upcoming school holidays.

Each pack will have 5 space themed craft activities. These packs will be available straight after Easter at all GV Library branches.

Libraries
Change Lives



**IGNITE A PASSION
FOR THE GAME!**

Waaia Football Netball Club

Every Thursday in Term 2, 5:00pm-6:00pm

Commencing 22/04/2021

Contact Amy Carey on 0457 756 648 for any queries
Optional game on Saturday's

play.afl/auskick

activities in the park

FREE AND LOW COST ACTIVITIES FROM SEPTEMBER TO APRIL

ALL FREE!

April School Holiday Fun!

ALL ACTIVITIES REQUIRE REGISTRATIONS

CATEGORY	DAY	DATE	ACTIVITY	LOCATION	TOWN	TIME
🏠	Tuesday	6/4	Rainbow Painting	Kidstown	Mooroopna	10:00am - 12:00pm
🏠	Tuesday	6/4	Orienteering	MacTier Gardens	Tatura	9:00am - 11:00am
🏠	Wednesday	7/4	Nurture Nature	Australian Botanic Gardens	Kialla	9:15am - 11:30am
🏠	Wednesday	7/4	Basketball Half Court Challenge	Sanctuary Drive Basketball Court	Kialla	10:00am - 12:00pm
🏠	Thursday	8/4	Breakfast with the Birds	Cussen Park	Tatura	8:00am - 10:00am
🏠	Thursday	8/4	Nidel Kart Play	Kidstown	Mooroopna	10:00am - 1:00pm
🏠	Friday	9/4	Pedal Go Karts	Congupna Recreation Reserve	Congupna	10:00am - 11:30am
🏠	Friday	9/4	Run, Jump, Throw!	Kidstown	Mooroopna	10:00am - 11:00am
🏠	Saturday	10/4	Family Fitness Fun	Victoria Park Lake - Western Park	Shepparton	9:00am - 9:45am
🏠	Sunday	11/4	Inflatable Velcro Soccer Darts	Toolamba Recreation Reserve	Toolamba	10:00am - 1:00pm
🏠	Monday	12/4	Stand Up Paddle Boarding	Victoria Park Lake - Southern Boat Ramp	Shepparton	10:00am - 3:30pm
🏠	Tuesday	13/4	Nature Trail Wildlife Detectives	Kidstown	Mooroopna	10:00am - 12:00pm
🏠	Wednesday	14/4	Nurture Nature	Australian Botanic Gardens	Kialla	9:15am - 11:30am
🏠	Wednesday	14/4	Fruit and Veggie Kids - Pre School	Kidstown	Mooroopna	10:00am - 11:00am
🏠	Wednesday	14/4	Fruit and Veggie Kids - Primary School	Kidstown	Mooroopna	11:30am - 12:30pm
🏠	Thursday	15/4	Teddy Bears Picnic	St Anne's College	Kialla	9:30am - 10:30am
🏠	Thursday	15/4	Pedal Go Karts Cycling Tour	Victoria Park Lake - Northern Foreshore	Shepparton	10:00am - 1:00pm
🏠	Thursday	15/4	Spotlight Walk	Provided on registration	Shepparton	6:00pm - 7:30pm
🏠	Friday	16/4	Inflatable Velcro Soccer Darts	Larsen Reserve	Talgaeroopna	10:00am - 1:00pm
🏠	Saturday	17/4	Primary Kids Yoga (Lower Primary 6 - 9 years)	Kidstown	Mooroopna	10:00am - 10:45am
🏠	Saturday	17/4	Primary Kids Yoga (Upper Primary 10 - 13 years)	Kidstown	Mooroopna	11:00am - 11:45am
🏠	Saturday	17/4	Discover Ter's Bats	Cussen Park	Tatura	5:30pm - 7:30pm
🏠	Sunday	18/4	Salsa in the Park	Victoria Park Lake - Con Palling Reserve	Shepparton	4:00pm - 5:00pm

ENVIRONMENT
 FAMILY FUN
 SPORT
 HEALTHY EATING
 HEALTH AND WELLBEING

Register via eventbrite - scan the QR code!

For more information and location details on any listed activity go to WWW.GETMOVINGSHEPPARTON.COM.AU/APP

PROUDLY PRESENTED BY

Remember to also like Get Moving Greater Shepparton on Facebook

WFNC 2021

Waaia Football Netball Club are seeking junior players for both football and netball for the 2021 season. This is a great opportunity to play at a family club that gives everyone an opportunity to succeed.

Football Trainings are on Wednesday and Netball trainings Thursday nights both starting at 5:30pm

FREE REGISTRATION AND GAME DAY ATTIRE WILL BE PROVIDED WHEN YOU SIGN UP.

For all football enquires you can contact Jesse Trower on 0411291113 or for all netball enquires contact Jemma Bell on 0437912018.



LET'S DO THIS

LEARN THE NETBALL BASICS, GET OUTSIDE AND MAKE SOME FRIENDS.
PLAY SUNCORP NETSETGO AT YOUR LOCAL CENTRE.

VENUE

Waaia Football Netball Club

SESSION DAYS & TIMES

Every Thursday in Term 2, 5pm

START DATE

22nd April 2021

CONTACT

Jemma - 0437 912 018
or via our Facebook Page

Find your nearest centre at play.netball.com.au



Katunga Auskick and NetSetGo will again be running for children aged 5-10 again this year and all new and past participants are invited to join in the fun.

The sessions will be held on Thursdays from 5-6pm during Term 2, commencing 22 April at the Katunga Recreation Reserve.

All registrations must be done online.

To register for Auskick go to www.aflauskick.com.au

To register for NetSetGo go to www.netsetgo.asn.au

Or visit our

website www.katungafnc.sportingpulse.net for direct links.

If you require any further information please email katungafnc@outlook.com or call Rach on 0400 877 409.



Come and explore your opportunities

St Mary of the Angels Secondary College INFORMATION EVENINGS 7.30pm

at one of the following locations:

St Mary of the Angels, Nathalia
Monday 26th April

St Joseph's Primary School, Cobram
Wednesday 28th April

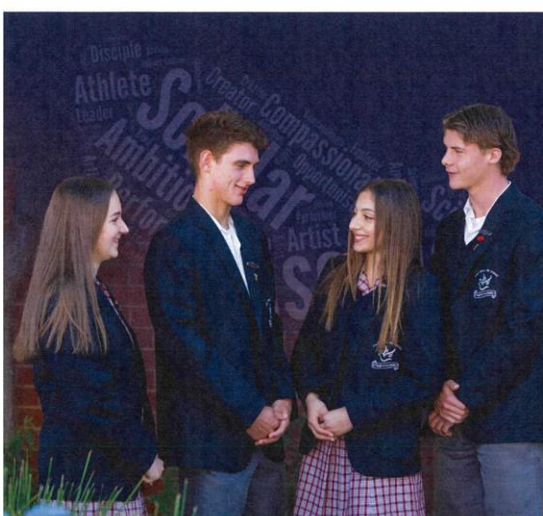
St Joseph's Primary School, Numurkah
Monday 3rd May

Tocumwal Golf Club, Tocumwal
Wednesday 5th May

OPEN DAY - Wednesday 12th May, 2021
(Bookings are essential via our QR code)

Enrolment Closing Date: Friday, 25th of June 2021

Scholarships are now available
Scholarship Application Closing Date:
Monday, 31st of May 2021



For an enrolment pack, or to make a booking to attend Open Day
Scan the QR Code, Phone: 03 5866 2222 or visit www.smotanathalia.catholic.edu.au



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