# ST. PETER'S NEWSLETTER

2A Killeen Street, Sunshine South West:

March 19 2021



Dear Families,

It's hard to believe that we are only two weeks away from school holidays. It is so pleasing to see the progress all of your children have made so far this year. They are enjoying being at school with their friends and their teachers and I love seeing their smiles coming into school in the mornings.

#### **School Arrival**

A reminder that for your child's learning to be at its best, they need to arrive at school by 8.45am. This week on more than one occasion, we have had nearly 25% of the school arriving after 8.50am which impacts on your child's learning and also on their classmates. The school gates open at 8.30am every morning and for your child to do their best, they really need to be here early so they have time to unpack their bag and get organised for their day. We will begin calling parents next week of children who continue to be late for school to have a conversation with you about how things can improve.

## **Twilight Sport**

As you all know, due to COVID, we have had to move our Twilight Sports from yesterday to Monday March 29th during school time. Your children will be able to wear their house colours on this day to school, with their sneakers to participate in the fun. Unfortunately, we are unable to have families at this event due to restrictions around the numbers of people we can have on our site at any one time. We will be tweeting throughout the day, so please make sure you follow us on social media to see how your children are doing.

### **Prep 2022 Enrolments**

If you have a child or family friend who will be 5 years old by April 30, 2022, please collect an enrolment form from the office, as 2022 Prep enrolments have been coming in and we don't want to miss out on enrolling all of our siblings first into St. Peter's.

We will be having an Open day for Prospective families on Wednesday March 31st, 2021 at 9.30am and 12.30pm. Please feel free to attend and please tell your friends about our amazing school community.

#### **Easter Liturgy**

Please remember you are all welcome to our Easter Liturgy on Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> April, 9.15am in the gym. We will be able to accommodate the expected numbers to this liturgy, but you will be required to check in at the table in the entrance.

#### **Easter Raffle**

Thank you to the many families who have donated Easter Eggs for our annual Easter Raffle. Please join us in the yard at 1.30pm for the drawing of our annual Easter Raffle on Thursday April 1st.

## **School Holidays**

Term One will conclude at 1.45pm on Thursday April 1st, 2021.



## **Term 1 Dates/Events:**

19/03/2021	Free Dress Day (Easter Egg donation)
19/03/2021	Interschool sport 5/6's Round 6
29/03/2021	Twilight Sports (wear house colours and runners)
31/03/2021	Open Day/School Tour for Prep Enrolments 9:30am & 12:30pm
01/04/2021	Easter Liturgy @ 9.15am
	Easter Raffle drawn 1:30pm
	School finishes 1:45pm
02/04/2021	Good Friday

# **Term 2 Dates/Events:**

Dates	Event
Monday April 19	Term 2 Starts
Monday April 19	9.15am Resurrection Liturgy in the school gym
<b>Mon - Wed April 19 - 21</b>	Year 5/6 Camp
Monday April 26	Open Day/School Tour for 2022 Prep Enrolments 9:30am & 12:30pm
Thursday May 6	School Photo Day
Friday May 7	Mother's Day Stall
Monday May 31	School Closure - Staff Professional Learning Day - No school for children
<b>Monday June 14</b>	Public Holiday
Thursday June 24	Learning Conversations
Friday June 25	Term Two Ends at 1.45pm

Enjoy your week,

Karen Bergin PRINCIPAL

#### MAY OUR CHILDREN FLOURISH

We have zero tolerance of child abuse and all allegations and safety concerns will be treated seriously and reported in line with our legal obligations, our moral obligations and our school policies. Creating child-safe environments is a dynamic process that involves active participation and responsibility by parishes, schools, families and communities. It is marked by collaboration, vigilance and proactive approaches across policies, procedures and practices.

As a Catholic Community we respect the Wurrundjeri people, traditional custodians of the land upon which our school resides, and commit ourselves to reconciliation and justice for all in our community and nation.