Dear Parents,

Greetings from St. Peter’s school community. Last weekend saw the last group of Grade Four children receiving their First Holy Communion for this year. It is wonderful for the children to be received and welcomed into the normal Parish mass atmosphere and we pray that this will be a great incentive for the children and their families to become part of St. Peter’s parish life into the future. Many thanks to our parents and children for their support and hard working Grade Four teachers and the R.E. Team. The children who received the Eucharist last weekend were Caitlyn C, Alessia D, Lily B, Kyle D, Jasmine F, Stephanie G, Ainsley M, Cailan M, Abbie M, Franklin P, Levi V.

Hopefully you will have returned your Parent/Teacher Interview slip to organise your Interview appointment. If this is not the case then I would strongly advise that you return your tear off slip as soon as possible. It is very important to take the time to discuss your child’s progress with your child’s class-room teacher.

The new synthetic surface netball court will be hopefully completed early next week. This will provide the children with another quality playing space which I am sure they will enjoy. Many thanks to Mr. Daryl McSaveney and his company (Leisuraturf) for their professionalism and hard work….the children will love it.

Warm Regards

Michael McGrath
Principal

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Be patient. Our prayers are always answered, but not always on the exact date we’d like them to be.

- Marjorie Turner
Celebrating St. Peter’s Feast Day on Friday 28th June (Casual Clothes Day)

Our last day of school timetable as follows:
9.00am – 9.45am Normal Classes
10.00am – 10.45am Feast of St. Peter/End of Term Mass
11.00am - 11.30am LUNCH BREAK/SUBWAY meal (see flyer enclosed)
11.30am – 12.15pm Grade Prep, One and Two DISCO
12.15PM – 1.00pm Grade Three, Four, Five and Six DISCO
1.00PM END OF TERM TWO/DISMISSAL

REMIN德ERS
Friday 14 June Parents & Friends Workshop from 9am Drama Room
Monday 17 June School Assembly @ 2pm Entertainment provided by 2B, 5A, 5B, 6D
Wednesday 19 June P&F Subway “Fun lunch” orders due back
Friday 21 June "Celebration of Learning Expo" 2.15pm – 4.00pm
Tuesday 25 June Parents & Friends Meeting @ 6.30pm
Wednesday 26 June Parent Teacher Interviews, School finishes at 12 noon
Friday 28 June Parents & Friends Subway “Fun Lunch”
Friday 28 June END OF TERM, School finishes at 1.00pm (Casual clothes day)
Monday 15 July Pupil Free Day (No School for children on this day)
Tuesday 16 July TERM 3 commences, School begins at 8.45am
Saturday 10 August Confirmations @ 11.00am and 2.00pm

THIS WEEK’S WINNERS FOR ‘BEING A GOOD FRIEND’

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Special every Wednesday – Meatball Sub $5.00

SCHOOL WEBSITE
Please visit the school website to print any notes sent home from the school, as well as viewing photos of recent events.

PARENTS & FRIENDS
Workshop
The Parents & Friends are holding a workshop tomorrow morning (Friday 14th June) after morning drop off in the Drama Room. We would really like to see some new faces come along to lend a hand. Whatever time you can offer is appreciated. (Note: Working with Children’s Check required)

Next Meeting
Our next meeting is Tuesday 25th June at 6.30pm in the staff room (Admin Building). Please come and join us and help us with our school events and fundraising.
WOOLWORTHS EARN & LEARN PROGRAM
As you know, our school has been participating in the Woolworths Earn & Learn program. The program has now finished for this year, so a big thanks to everyone who supported our school. We’re now at the important stage of the program where Points Sheets are collected and lodged as our Earn & Learn claim. We will then be able to get new Science equipment for our school. The more we collect, the more we can redeem. So in the coming days please send in your Woolworths Earn & Learn Points Sheets and any loose Earn & Learn Points Stickers you may have to the Office. Thanks again for all your support!

ANNUAL FOOD COLLECTION – St. Vincent De Paul
Each year at this time St. Peter’s School Community undertakes a collection of non-perishable food stuff for the St. Vincent de Paul Society. This food is put into hampers and distributed to people in the community who may be in need of a helping hand. There is a basket in each classroom and we ask that the children bring along items of food to fill these baskets. Food will be collected until Wednesday, June 26th. We take this opportunity to thank you in advance for your generous support.

COMMUNITY NEWS
Growing Good Men
A weekend for dads and their teenage sons (13-17 years). ‘Growing Good Men’ is a unique opportunity for dads and their teenage sons to embark on a quest of discovery. A son’s relationship with his father can be a powerful guiding force as he wrestles with the questions of what kind of man he is becoming. The most important ingredient in this relationship is time. Take time out together to get reconnected in an environment which fosters honesty, mutual respect and a hunger for more out of life.
Enquiries: mail@menalive.org.au or Call Michael Bohan on 0439 172 465, email michael.bohan@menalive.org.au or Robert Falzon 0412 745 734 or Peter Shakhovskoy on 0409 479 373. Register now, spaces limited.

Seasons is a peer support program developed to help children and young people cope with the grief and feelings of loss resulting from separation, divorce or death. It provides the opportunity for children to share their story and support each other in a safe environment, facilitated by a trained counsellor. It is a 10 week program and will be offered at St James for primary school age children over terms 2 and 3. Sessions will be held from 3.30pm-4.15pm on the following Thursdays; 16/5, 23/5, 30/5, 6/6, 20/6, 27/6, 18/7, 25/7, 1/8 and 8/8. If you believe your child could benefit from participating in the Seasons peer support program, please contact Karen George, Counsellor with Catholic Care on 0417 274 249. She will be happy to tell you more about the program.

Marriage Encounter Weekend
Married couples, we encourage you to prioritise your relationship. It underpins your family life. Please join us for a Marriage Encounter weekend. Our weekend helps you to remember why you married and gives you skills to maintain your love for each other. Couples and a priest present the weekend. It is based around catholic values but you don’t need to be catholic to attend. There is no group sharing. Our next weekends in 2013 are on: 14-16 June and 9-11 August in Melbourne. For further information and bookings contact Marianne and Marcel Van den Bronk on (03) 9733 0997 or email vicbookings@wwme.org.au

Feast of St. Anthony
The Feast of St. Anthony is a day for all children to celebrate and we would be very excited if we could gather children from all over Werribee to celebrate his life and his many works. It is also a very good experience for children to take part in the procession for St. Anthony (with his statue). This will take place on Sunday, 16th June 2013 at St. Andrew’s Church, 105 Greaves St. Nth., Werribee. For more information ring Vilma on 9741 6815 or the Parish Office on 9741 4144.