Dear Parents,

Hello once again from St. Peter’s school community. As you know TOMORROW afternoon will be a wonderful opportunity for you to join in our “Celebration of Learning” EXPO. The children’s work will be on display from 2.15pm to 4.00pm and therefore, I do recommend to you our talented children’s work is worth a look. PLEASE remember to catch one of the Grade 6 shows on the “Life and Mission” of St. Peter. Many thanks to our Grade 6 students and teachers, especially Mrs. Bernadette Ramsay for her wonderful script.

Whilst mentioning St. Peter, our special St. Peter’s Feast Day Parish Mass on Sunday 30th June at 10.30am is an opportunity to witness and to celebrate in our belief that “We Follow In His Way”. There will be a number of our School Leaders present and participating in the mass and we ask for a show of your support. In this way our 40th Anniversary celebrations will continue from our Friday, 28th June mass, through to Sunday Parish mass.

Last week during the very wet weather some parents sadly took to parking across driveways and thus preventing our neighbours from getting to their destinations. For the small minority of parents who did this, I ask you to reflect how some of our neighbours felt about this. This practice is not good role modelling and it is against the LAW.

Warm Regards

Michael McGrath
Principal

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Faith in the Old Testament is defined by a person’s willingness to wait for the promises of God to come. Faith in the New Testament, means following the Promised One.

- Michael Card
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
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

REMINDERS
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
Friday 6 September  Pupil Free Day (No School for children on this day)

JUNE RECOGNITION AWARDS
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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.
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
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.

CANTEEN UPDATE
The Canteen wishes to advise all users of the following changes:
- The codes of food products change regularly, and as a healthy eating canteen we must follow these codes (Red / Green / Amber)
- Some Salt & Vinegar products have changed to a Red Code and can no longer be sold.
- Grainwaves, pretzels and mossie icy poles have now changed to AMBER (Wed-Fri ONLY from 3rd Term)
- Gingerbreads are now made by the canteen staff as all commercially sold advertise “may contain nuts”.
- New “Green” all week product: Skins Potato Chips will be available from 3rd Term.
- An online Menu will be available from 3rd Term
- The Canteen is open EVERYDAY until the end of term (Friday 28th June)
- A charge of 10c per spoon/fork will be in place from the commencement of Term 3

Thank you Canteen Management

SCHOOL BANKING
There will be no school banking for CDF and Dollarmite accounts next week. School Banking will resume from Monday, 22nd July next term.

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.

REMININDER

SCHOOL WILL FINISH AT 12.00 NOON
ON WEDNESDAY 26TH JUNE
DUE TO PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS
COMMUNITY NEWS

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

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