



St Peter Apostle

Catholic Primary School

CHRISTMAS NEWSLETTER 2020



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Term 4- Week 11B

16th December 2020

Dear Parents

Congratulations to our Grade 6 students who recently had their graduation ceremony. It was a very moving moment for us as a staff to see how far these children have come in their time at St Peter's and we are so proud of the amazing and caring people they have grown into. I would like to thank their families for working in partnership with us over the last seven years.

Tomorrow the students will be having "Step Up Day" which is the opportunity to meet their teacher and classmates for 2021.

In preparation for this I am pleased to announce that the staff for 2021 are as follows:

Level	A	B	C	D
Prep	Miss Teah Sullivan	Miss Julia Hubble	Miss Georgia Tottle	Miss Molly Tobin
Grade 1	Miss Hayley Jones	Mrs Sheryl Boother	Mrs Terri Anderson	Miss Lauren Ruggeri
Grade 2	Miss Lauren Bellegante	Miss Hannah Warwick	Miss Bryony Jackson	Mrs Amanda Work
Grade 3	Mrs Liz Smith	Ms. Natalie Hughes	Mr Brenton Foott	
Grade 4	Mrs Fleur Horvath	Mrs Debbie Wright	Mrs Eleanor Brimblecombe / Miss Sally Jeffree	
Grade 5	Miss Charlotte Fava	Mr Brayden Pastore	Miss Bridget Barnaby	
Grade 6	Mr Warren Pedersen	Mrs Dani Glaubitz	Mr Matthew Smith	
	Italian - Mrs Cathy Loschiavo	Visual Arts - Ms.Tahniah Trussler	Performing Arts - Miss Ashley Joyce	PE - Mr Matthew Gurrissi

Lead Teachers : Mr Anthony Dimkopoulos, Mrs Angela Ross, Mrs Michelle Freeman

Wellbeing : Mrs Emily Coppe

Learning Diversity : Mrs Pattie McCusker

RE Leader : Ms. Peta Costello

Literacy Intervention : Mrs Julie Horkings

Maths Intervention : Mrs Sally-Ann Morrison

Library : Mrs Connie Taylor

As mentioned in our previous newsletter, Mrs Catherine Quinn Dundon and Mrs Connie Skinner will be starting their new roles in another school and Mrs Richardson will be retiring. On behalf of the St Peter's School Community, I would again like to thank these very talented individuals for the love and care they have shown our children over their time at St Peter's.

I would also like to announce that Mrs Joie Franklin will not be working with us next year as she will be welcoming her third child. We wish her and her family all the best with this exciting new addition to their family.

I would like to welcome two new teachers to our school for 2021. Miss Hayley Jones will begin her teaching career at St Peter's in a Grade 1 class. Hayley is very excited to be working with her new class and we wish her all the best for next year. Miss Charlotte Fava will also be joining us in 2021. Charlotte has previously worked in a Grade 5 classroom and will be working with our Grade 5 team next year. Miss Hannah Warwick has worked in our school as an LSO for the last two years and we are very happy to say that she has now received her teaching degree and will be teaching in Grade 2. Joining us as Learning Support Officers (LSOs) are Miss Mirjana Sawyer, Miss Jasmine Wilson and Miss Sharny Ipsa. We are very excited to welcome our new teachers and LSOs to our school and look forward to working with them next year. Just a reminder that tomorrow is the last day for students in 2020 and school will finish at 1.00pm.

Lastly, I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for their wonderful support and care this year. 2020 has thrown many challenges at us, but it has been amazing to see the way in which we have been able to pull together as a school community to support our students when they needed it the most. Thank you for your hard work at home with your children and thank you for your understanding when we have had to make last minute changes and adjustments due to COVID restrictions.

Take care of yourselves and your families over the holidays and I look forward to seeing you all in 2021.

God bless and Merry Christmas

Regards

Karen Wilson

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Principal

Dates to Remember

Dates are subject to change



Wednesday	16th December	Grade 6 Fun Day and Final day for Grade 6
Thursday	17th December	Step Up Day for 2021 classes (Final Day for students) Children finish school at 1.00pm
2021		
Friday	29th January	Years 1 - 6 Children return to school.
Monday	1st February	Preps start school, 8:45am - 12:00 noon
Wednesday	3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th February	Year Prep - NO SCHOOL
Thursday - Friday	4th & 5th February	Preps at school from 8:45am - 1:30pm
Monday	8th February onwards	Preps at school from 8:45am - 3:15pm



2021 Prep Enrolment

APPLICATIONS ARE OPEN

APPLICATIONS ARE ONLINE ONLY.

[CLICK HERE TO REQUEST AN
APPLICATION FORM](#)



FEE STATEMENTS 2021

Fee payment Consent Form 2021 [click here](#)

Fee payment options 2021 [click here](#)

Direct Debit from Credit Card form 2021 [click here](#)



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2021 FEES

1 Child	\$2,112.00
2 Children	\$2,817.00
3 Children	\$3,516.00

TERM PAYMENTS. DUE 2ND WEEK TERMS 1, 2, & 3

3 Payments	
1 Child	\$704.00
2 Children	\$939.00
3 Children	\$1,172.00

MONTHLY PAYMENTS. DUE 15TH OF EACH MONTH

9 Payments, commencing 15 th February and final payment 15 th October 2021.	
1 Child	\$235.00
2 Children	\$313.00
3 Children	\$391.00

FORTNIGHTLY PAYMENTS. DUE THURSDAY FORTNIGHTLY

18 Payments commencing, Thursday 18th February and final payment 14th October 2021.	
1 Child	\$118.00
2 Children	\$157.00
3 Children	\$196.00

WEEKLY PAYMENTS. DUE THURSDAY WEEKLY

36 Payments commencing Thursday 18th February and final payment 21st October 2021.	
1 Child	\$59.00
2 Children	\$79.00
3 Children	\$98.00

Payments have been rounded up, if you over pay the payment will go towards your \$150 deposit for 2022.
If your child is leaving at the end of 2021 you will need to adjust your final payment.



LOST PROPERTY

The Lost Property Box is located outside the Wellbeing Office.



On Friday, we returned all **named** pieces of uniform that were in Lost Property to the children. We have a very large number of jumpers and jackets where the name is too faded to read or there is no name anywhere. If you have lost an item - please contact me by email and I will replace that item with an un-named item. There are also track-suit pants, glasses, beanies, coats and numerous other items. As parents cannot enter the school - please email me and I will see what I can do.

I can't express how important it is to label ALL items of clothing clearly and check regularly that it is able to be read.

Pattie McCusker. pamccusker@stpeterahc.catholic.edu.au

CANTEEN IS BACK !

Under strict COVID-19 guidelines, the canteen is open on Thursdays and Fridays.

There is **NO CONTACT BETWEEN CANTEEN STAFF, STUDENTS OR TEACHERS.**

Lunch order boxes will be cleaned every day.

Correct money is a must please as **NO CHANGE** will be given.

Normal Lunch menu will be available.

There will be no sales at Canteen windows during recess.

Students who need snacks for recess can place an order in the lunch order boxes.



PARENT RESOURCES

Click on any image below for more information.

STUDENT ABSENCE



TERM DATES



CANTEEN /

LUNCH ORDERS



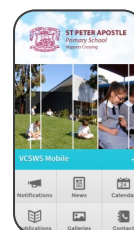
MOBILE PHONES



OPEROO (CAREMONKEY)



SCHOOL APP



AUTHORITY TO ADMINISTER MEDICATION



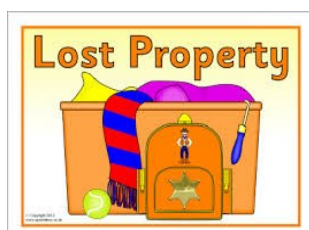
SCHOOL UNIFORM



STUDENT HEALTH



LOST PROPERTY



2ND HAND UNIFORM

SHOPPE



OUTSIDE SCHOOL HOURS

CARE (OSHC)



Late Arrivals & Early Dismissals

Children late for school (after 9.00am) must report to the office for a **LATE PASS**.

If you need to collect your child/children early, you must report **first** to the office to sign out your child.

PLEASE AVOID COLLECTING YOUR CHILD/CHILDREN DURING THE BREAK

If you need to pick your child up during the day due to an appointment, could you please send a note with your child stating the time he/she will be picked up so that your child can be ready at the office when you arrive. This will save time as school break times have changed due to COVID restrictions and the children are outside at different times which can make them difficult to locate quickly.

Medications

It is the policy at St. Peter's that staff members are unable to administer any medication to a child without the parent's written authorisation.

No child is to carry medication on them, unless it is for Asthma.

If a child is to be given any medication, parents must report to the office to complete a medical management consent form prior to commencement of administering medication. All medication will be administered around 12 noon.

School Banking



Commonwealth Bank
Dollarmite banking day is Wednesday

Dollarmite Accounts
want to get you involved in
School Banking [Click here.](#)

No Dollarmite Banking until further notice.

YEAR 5 STUDENTS IN 2020 STARTING YEAR 7 IN 2022

Enrolments for Year 7 in 2022 are now open.

Children wishing to go to a Catholic High School please get in touch with the High School now.



**Have you joined the
St Peter FaceBook
Group?**

Make sure you enter the
details when
requesting to join



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Community NEWS

St. Peter Apostle Mission Parish Hoppers Crossing

9749 4300



DAWN MASS NOVENA – 16 TO 24 DECEMBER 2020

5:00am Mass (please note there will be no fellowship after Mass due to COVID restrictions)

CHRISTMAS EVE – THURSDAY 24 DECEMBER 2020

6:30pm Family Mass, Carols at 6:00pm

9:30 pm Vigil Mass, Carols at 9:00pm

12:00am Midnight Mass, Carols at 11.30pm

CHRISTMAS DAY – FRIDAY 25 DECEMBER 2020

7:30am Mass

9:30am Mass

11:15am Mass

1:00pm Spanish Mass

} No Carols before Mass

NOTE – No 5:00pm Mass on Christmas Day

BOXING DAY – SATURDAY, 26 DECEMBER 2020

9:00am Weekday Mass

6:00pm Vigil Mass

SUNDAY, 27 DECEMBER 2020

8:30am, 10:30am, 5:00pm Normal Weekend Masses

NEW YEAR'S EVE – THURSDAY 31 DECEMBER 2020

8:30 am Weekday Mass followed by Holy Hour of Thanksgiving.

NEW YEAR'S DAY – FRIDAY 1 JANUARY 2020

9:30am Mass

NOTE – No Evening Mass on New Year's Day

RECONCILIATION RITE I – WEDNESDAY, 16 DECEMBER 2020

7:00pm At St. Peter's Parish

May the Spirit of Christ

Bless You This Christmas

And remain with you in the New Year

