

## **St Andrew's Primary School** Newsletter

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## Principal's Desk



Dear St Andrew's Community,

This week was the launch of the Tell Them From Me survey to all families, teachers and students in Years 4-6. Every year St Andrews invites stakeholders to comment on areas of school life with the purpose of listening to our community members, staff and students to make informed decisions about ways to make St Andrews the best learning and faith community. Your voice is important. Please follow the link on the letter that was emailed to parents last week.

#### **Second Hand Clothing Shop**

A big thank you to the many families who have donated clothes to our second hand clothing shop. It is wonderful that we can reuse uniforms that your child has grown out of to support other families in our community.

#### P and F Donut Fundraiser

The P&F are in the midst of another fundraiser. An email was sent this week with information for our donut fundraiser. Please follow the instructions on the email if you wish to purchase yummy donuts.

#### **School Photos**

A big thank you to our families for the care you take in sending your child to school in the correct uniform. We at St Andrews are very proud of our school and take pride in our students wearing their uniform with confidence. At Monday assembly, students were reminded to write their names on every piece of uniform. Our lost property basket is overflowing with items that are nameless and now homeless. I ask parents to please check this weekend.

#### Lost clothing

On Wednesday during the taking of family photographs some children picked up the wrong school jackets - jackets without their names. Consequently, we have 2 jackets without names and 2 children whose jackets were correctly labelled by now don't have their jackets.

We appeal to parents to please check the school jackets of their children if they had a family photo taken. It will be an easy swap. We have tried checking as many children as possible but without success.

#### **St Andrew's Awards**

This Friday at 2pm we will celebrate the achievements of our students at our St Andrew's Assembly. All parents are invited to attend. Entry via the gates near the Hall.

#### **Public Holiday**

On the 13th of June, children do not come to school as it is a public holiday. School will resume on Tuesday the 14th of June.

#### Staff Development Day - Wednesday the 29th of June

A date for your diary: The staff will be involved in a day of medical training. Students *do not* come to school on Wednesday the 29th of June. School resumes for all students on Thursday the 30th of June.

#### Feast of the Sacred Heart - 24th June

On Friday 24th June the school will gather as a faith community to celebrate the Eucharist with Fr Kevin. Parents are invited to attend this Mass at 9.15am.

#### **Crossing Roads**

A local resident phoned to alert the school that there was an incident where children were crossing the road on their way to school and were nearly hit by a car. We appeal to parents to support us in our road safety talks with children by having your own safety conversation with them.

#### Athletics Carnival - 20th June

This year we will be using the facilities at the College to hold our annual Athletics Carnival. Further information will be sent out next week. We encourage our families to join us on this day to support our students. As you are all aware, COVID restrictions will be in place on the day.

Closer to the date we will confirm the carnival as wet grounds are still an issue. The decision will be made based on safety of the running track and the condition of the ground. Let us all pray for sunny days.

#### Disco fundraiser

Theme: Winter wonderland

Children will be invited to donate to our Disco fundraiser. During lunch time the children will experience a fun social.

The P&F will be inviting parents to volunteer time to pack goodie bags to hand out to the children at the disco. I am very grateful for the many parents who volunteer their time to help out our school.

Grade dates:

Stage 3- Year 5 and 6 - 22nd June

Stage 2 - Year 3 and 4 - 21st of June

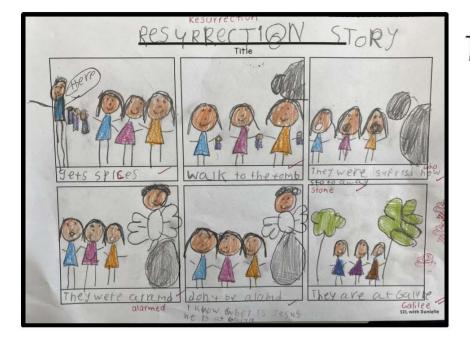
Infants - K, Year 1 and 2 - 23rd of June

Please remember to wear sensible shoes.



## **YEAR ONE**

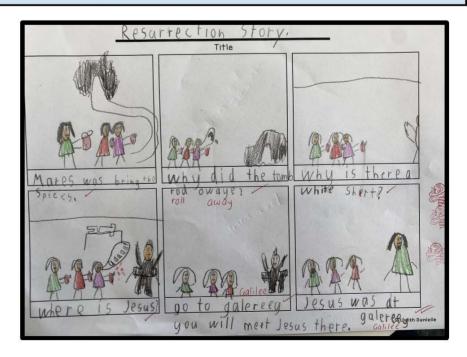




This term in Religion, Year 1 has been learning about the resurrection story as part of the unit 'Together'.

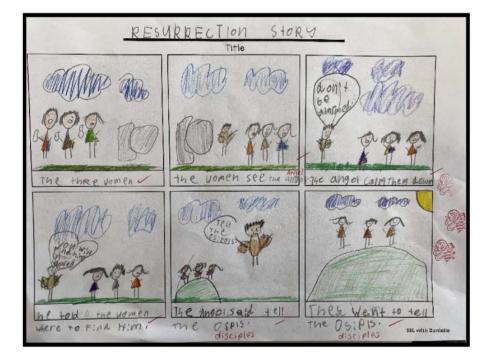
We listened to the scripture from The Resurrection of Jesus (Mark 16: 1-7). At the end of the unit the children were asked to summarise this scripture passage. When summarising, the children were encouraged to think of the most important parts of the scripture, they were asked to write in their own words and were guided to create illustrations that would help the reader understand what is happening.





During Art this term the children are using their CREATIVITY to complete mosaics, we spent two art lessons completing Mosaic Crosses. These colourful crosses are on display in classrooms.







We asked some children to share their summary of the Resurrection story:

When Mary went to the tomb with her spices, she noticed that the stone was rolled away. She walks inside to find Jesus was not there. Mary was surprised when she saw a man sitting inside the tomb. He told her "He has risen! Go tell Peter and the disciples that they will find him in Galilee." - Jonah and Manila

The resurrection story is Jesus coming back to life, people are happy he is alive again - Andrea and Sanjana



## **Student of the Week**

	WEEK 4	WEEK 5		WEEK 4	WEEK 5
КВ	Zachary Herft	Amelia Lucas	3G	Noah Gutierrez-Lanosga	Andy Wu
KG	Azaliya Greenbank	Kristoff Tee	3R	Ethan Rekam	Anna Waligora
KR	Shaivi Sapkale	Max Layoun	3Y	Nathan Herft	Narella Kerry
КY	Jakub Kozinski	Manraj Brar	4B	Gabby Chulipa	Aarika Yashik
1B	Audrey Ongkee	Mary El Boustani	4G	Malvyn Chaudhary	Liam Inocentes
1G	Noah Tuapola-Sharpley	Jillian Culili	4R	James Cubillo	Elaina Kirkham
1R	Manya Panuganti	Roman Tauiliili	5B	Freya Dabhi	Zoe Herft
1Y	Mikhail Illangakoon	Jastej Sidhu	5G	Tiya Rabadia	Melina S
2B	Violet Kearns	Jaina Chawla	5R	Crissabella Magayaga	Holly Ghobrial
2G	Ryan Htun	Jaxson Spina	6B	Curtis O'Dea	Roxanne Walsh
2R	Ava Conlan	Walker Banas	6G	Athan Galaxidis	Rhea Dev
2Y	Jolen Kouta	Ella Grima	6R	Tim Moreno	Jarryd Pasinos
3B	Sienna Farag	Levi Vakai			

#### Term 2 Calendar 2022

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
1	April 25 PUBLIC HOLIDAY ANZAC DAY	26 ANZAC day reflection for the students	27	28	29 Easter Liturgy P&F Easter Disco
2 Newsletter Week	May 2	3 Diocesan Cross Country	4	5 Mother's Day Stall	6 9.30 3-6 10.10 K, 1 & 2 Mother's Day Liturgy in Hall
3	9	10 Yrs 3 & 5 NAPLAN	11 Yrs 3 & 5 NAPLAN	12 Yrs 3 & 5 NAPLAN Year 4 Excursion	13 St Andrew's Awards
4 Newsletter Week	16	17 18 Year 3 Excursion		19 2pm Year 2 & 3 P&F Re-Connector	20
5	23	24	25	26	27
6 Newsletter Week	30	31	June 1 SCHOOL PHOTOS	2	3 2pm St Andrew's Awards
7	6	7	8	9	10 Last orders for Donut Fundraiser
8 Newsletter Week	13 PUBLIC HOLIDAY	14	15	16 Donut orders collected	17
9	20 Athletics Carnival	21 Disco 3&4	22 Disco 5 & 6	23 Disco K, 1 & 2 Academic reports sent home Donut orders collected	24 9.15am Sacred Heart of Jesus Feast Day Mass
10 Newsletter Week	27 Parent/Teacher Interview	28 Parent/Teacher Interview	29 STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAY NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS Parent/Teacher Interview	30	JULY 1 2pm St Andrew's Awards LAST DAY OF TERM

# OFFICE NEWS



We are going cashless, if you need to make any payments please do so by eftpos.

If you require any reports printed please log into the QKR App and you can pay via this we will then print the reports and send them home. The cost is \$6 per report.

School fees are now due, if you have paid thank you. If you have not paid please do so as soon as possible or contact Mrs Kerai on 88696700

### Calling All The Junior Master Chefs

#### **Boys & Girls**



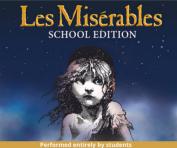
It's COMPETITION time !

Submit your favourite food recipe to the canteen by Friday 10th June and the Winner will receive a PRIZE and a FREE lunch to the value of \$5

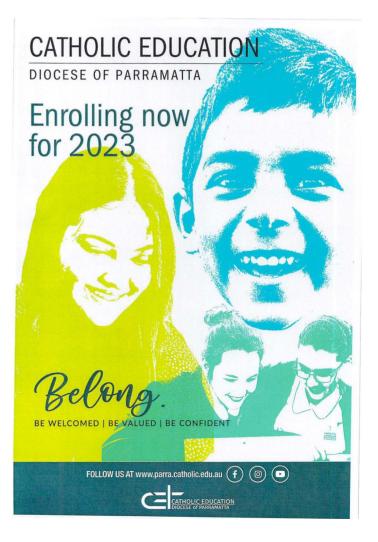
Start thinking kids, who has the best recipe that tastes Amazing ?

It can be ANYTHING you like

Thursday 9th & Friday 10th June 7.30pm Saturday 11th June 1pm & 7.30pm Thursday 16th & Friday 17th June 7.30pm Saturday 18th June 1pm & 7.30pm <u>TICKETS THROUGH</u> <u>trybooking.com</u>



A musical by ALAIN BOUBLIL and CLAUDE-MICHEL SCHÖNBERG School Edition specially adapted and licensed by MUSIC THEATRE INTERNATIONAL (AUSTRALIASIA) and







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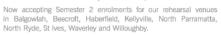
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