



St. Patrick's Parish School

THE EDUCATIONAL MINISTRY
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St. Patrick's School is a welcoming Catholic Educational Community that celebrates the individuality of each of its members and fosters in our students the courage to know, seek and live the truth as global citizens.

In partnership with parents and the Parish Community, we offer Jesus as the model and means of life.



Term 2 Week 9, 23rd June 2020

Dear parents and friends,

Thank you to all the families who responded to the survey around your experiences of schooling during the Covid-19 Home Based Learning. I really appreciate everyone's honesty. We have valuable feedback to contribute to the Diocese as they try to capture learnings from that experience.

Don't forget to put in your child's order for a Hot Dog for lunch this Friday. Our Mini-Vinnies group have organised a fundraising event for the St Vincent de Paul Winter Appeal. The students have come up with the great idea of a Hot Dog lunch order day. Details are in the newsletter.

The Modified Half Yearly reports will be sent via the Compass Portal this Wednesday afternoon, at 4.00pm. The focus for the Modified Reports is English, Maths and Religious Education. Having had such a disrupted Semester One, we have put the emphasis on Next Steps for Learning. If families require a printed report they will need to contact the School Office and request a printed report. We will not be organising Parent/Teacher interviews this term. If you wish to discuss your child's report with their classroom teacher, please contact the School Office to make an appointment.

We will soon be taking enrolments for the Kindergarten for 2021. Early next term we will hold an Information Afternoon to start the process on 27 July in the school library. If you know any Catholic families wishing to enrol their child in 2021 please pass this information on.

This coming weekend the Wilcannia-Forbes Diocese will celebrate the feast of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, the patroness of our Diocese. The feast day actually falls on Saturday 27th June, but as she is the Patron Saint of the Diocese the Solemnity will be celebrated at the Saturday vigil Masses and the Sunday Masses. In every church in the Wilcannia-Forbes Diocese there is the same copy of the icon of Our Lady of Perpetual Help. The original icon is permanently displayed in the Church of St Alphonsus Ligouri in Rome. It has been in Rome since 1499, but is thought to be even older than that. Have a look at the icon next time you are in our church.

Please remember, that if you have any concerns or questions regarding your child or the daily routines of the school, staff are always happy to assist. Call the School Office between 8.30am and 3.30pm to ask a question or make an appointment to meet with your child's teacher.

God's blessings, **Mrs Trish Cleal**, Principal

Let us pray that God will keep us faithful. Father of all that is good,
keep us faithful in serving you for to serve you is our lasting joy.
Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Students of the Week

TERM 2 WEEK 8 AWARDS



INFANTS

Lalita Meers

for using the big and little hands on the clock correctly and telling time on the hour.



PRIMARY

Brydee Taunton

for her increasing use of descriptive language in her ideas.



SPORT

Chayse Moss



Kindergarten enrolments!

We are now taking enrolments for Kindergarten 2021.

KINDER INFO SESSION

Monday, 27 July.

Enrolment forms are available from the school office.



FRUIT BREAK AT ST PAT'S

Giving students the chance to re-fuel with fruit or vegetables and water in the classroom helps to improve physical and mental performance and concentration in the classroom. At St Pat's we have two Crunch&Sip breaks each day at 10am and at the end of lunchtime play, as we re-enter the classroom.

School photos

School photography day is coming up very soon on **Tuesday, July 21**.

Group and portrait photographs can be purchased by following the link below or by using an envelope.

This is the information you need to know when ordering online:

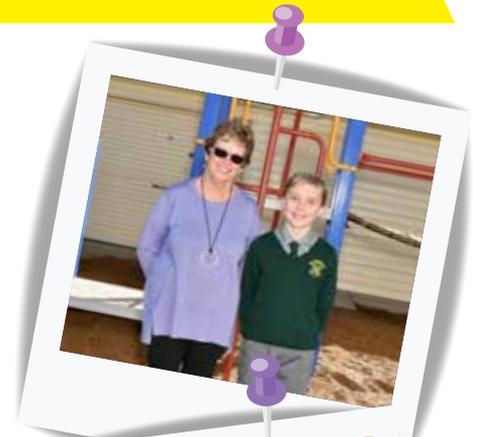
Online order website:

www.advancedimage.com.au

9 digit code:

M95 VNF N6F

- Photos purchased online DO NOT require envelopes returned to school
- Don't forget to order your sibling photos now
- Late fees/additional charges will be applied for purchases after photo day
- Photos will be returned to your school for distribution approximately six weeks after photos are taken
- Sibling photographs must be ordered prior to the day of photography.
- A photograph will not be taken without an order. Sibling photographs only apply to children enrolled at the school.
- If you have any questions, comments or feedback relating to your advancedlife experience please contact enquiries@advancedlife.com.au



Light of the world

Infants were looking at baptism this week in their religious education lessons. Each student had their own symbolic light which glowed even more brightly when placed together.



MAKING JESUS REAL

MJR Award



Freya Berry

for being a giver to others
within our class community.

Important dates

**TUESDAY
30 JUNE**

P+F meeting @ 2pm

**FRIDAY
3 JULY**

Last day of Term 2

**MONDAY
20 JULY**

First day of Term 3

**TUESDAY
21 JULY**

School photo day



NEW BOOKS!

We are always updating our book collection and we give many thanks to Mrs Jones for cataloguing all of our lovely new books and keeping our library in top top order.

ST PAT'S COOK BOOK



It's almost done!
We are now in the process
of proofing and checking.

**WE HAVE OVER
215 RECIPES!**

Thank you to everyone who
submitted recipes and photos.

NEXT MEETING
will be held on
Tuesday, 30 June at 2pm
(via zoom or face to face
to be advised).
Everyone is welcome!

Child safe schools and supportive environments Information for parent helpers/volunteers

The participation of parents and close relatives of students at the school as volunteers is welcomed and appreciated for various activities in the school. It is important that all volunteers are aware that they are subject to child protection legislation. This means all volunteers must:

- sign in on the Compass Kiosk at the front office and obtain a visitor's badge or slip as per school procedure;
- check with the school to ascertain the current legal requirements for working with children;
- not engage in any inappropriate behaviour towards any children. In particular, although parents and volunteers are not employed by the school, they are considered to be 'staff' for legal purposes and are subject to an investigation if an allegation of inappropriate behaviour towards a child is received.



MAKING JESUS REAL

Stars MJR Dohbing

Abby, Lalita and Lily
for drawing with me
at lunchtime.

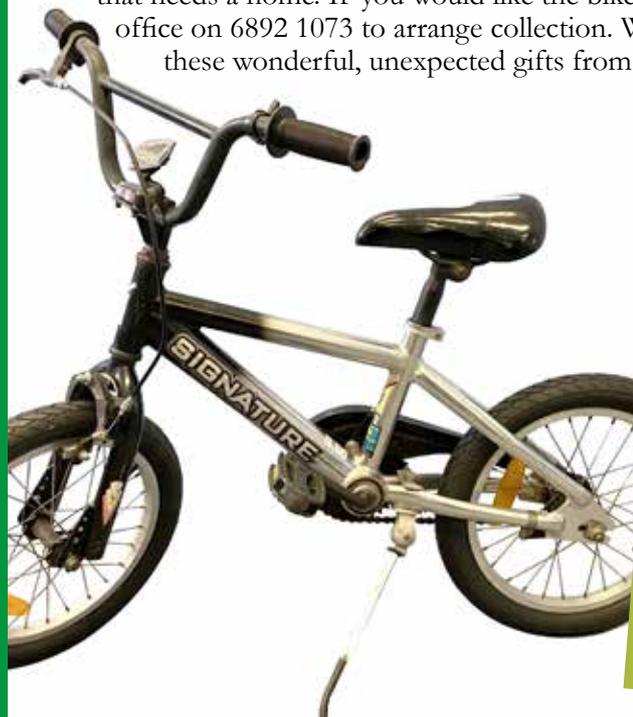
Lucas for opening the gates
for us when we got off the bus.

Mrs Burke for buying all of the handballs.

Handball players for being good sports
and taking it out when they were.

Would you like a bike?

Following last week's visit by the lovely Sr Anne, a member of the Sisters of Charity Community Care, based in Liverpool, Sydney, we have a bike that needs a home. If you would like the bike, please call the school office on 6892 1073 to arrange collection. We are very grateful for these wonderful, unexpected gifts from the Sisters of Charity.





Primary Class: Writing to Persuade Uniforms should be banned!

- Plan**
- Wear same uniform each day
 - Wear clothes that feel comfortable and fit, make me feel like me not the business person
 - Clothes that show emotions
 - Have a brighter colour – dark colours are sad
 - Wear clothes to recognise each other
 - Choice and variety about what we wear.
 - Cheaper buying other clothes than uniform
 - Warm in your clothes – other clothes warmer than school, made out of different materials
 - Learn more about each other based on what they wear

School Uniforms Must be Banned by Primary Class 2020

School uniforms must be banned! Children will be more excited to come to school and express themselves in what they wear and how they wear it. It will help us learn more about each other based on what we wear. This will help them feel comfortable when they are learning because it makes them feel in a better mood due to what they wear.

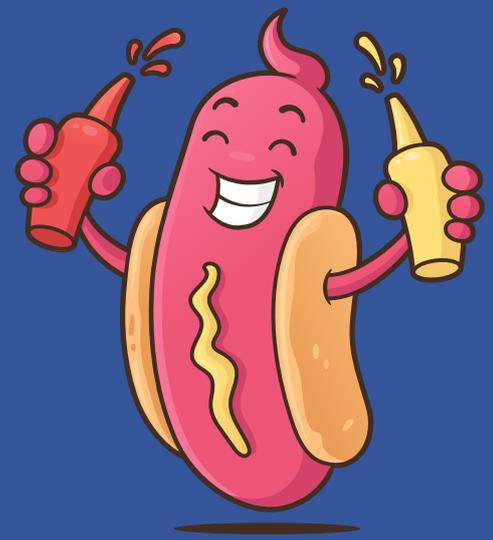
Wearing our own school clothes would save us time after school. We would not need to get changed out of our school uniform into our own clothes. This means we could also save time washing clothes and it would save water by limiting the number of washes that would be needed in a week.

It would cost our families less if we did not have to buy our school uniform because they are expensive. They cost more than t-shirts and pants because everybody uses them and needs them.

If we have our own clothes to wear, we have a very large variety of what we want to wear. It also allows us to wear items in our style of clothing that we like. We can then express our emotions by what we wear. The clothes will show how we are feeling for the day and show everyone else our feelings.

We should wear different coloured clothes so that we can recognise each other. With our current school uniform being mostly dark colours, we all look sad. Being able to recognise each other will be a benefit because it will eliminate the mistakes of beginning conversations with others to whom we had planned.

These are our specific reasons why school uniforms must be banned immediately.



**MINI VINNIES
COVID19 APPEAL**

Hot Dog Day

FRIDAY 26 JUNE

The Primary class will be having a Hot Dog lunch for children of our school to raise money for the Mini Vinnies COVID19 appeal.

There will be a hot dog, a can of sugar-free soft drink and a packet of chips in your meal. This super dooper meal deal will cost
\$4 PER MEAL

Cans of soft drink can be purchased individually for \$1 and packets of chips for 50 cents.

Children will need to bring their lunch if they do not like hot dogs.

Families will need to order meals using the order form in the newsletter. There will be a maximum of two hot dogs per child. The forms and money will need to be returned to school by Tuesday 23 June so we can purchase the delicious ingredients.

We hope that you support the COVID19 Appeal and have a great experience eating hot dogs.

2020 PRIMARY CLASS

**A GREAT PLACE
TO GROW;**

- **spiritually,**
- **academically,**
- **physically, &**
- **emotionally**

KINDERGARTEN ENROLMENTS OPEN!

**More than
just a great
education,
give your
child the
BEST
START!**



ST PATRICK'S PARISH SCHOOL TRUNDLE

**Contact St Patrick's Parish School on
(02) 6892 1073 to order your child's enrolment
package, and we will arrange to post it out to you.**

At St Patrick's Parish School, your child will be part of a nurturing community-minded school, promoting a positive, safe and supportive learning environment.

St Patrick's Parish School are committed to developing the whole person, in a way that is spiritually, intellectually, socially, morally, physically and emotionally rewarding.

**New students
will attend
ORIENTATION
SESSIONS
over 5 Tuesdays
during
Term 4.**



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TRUNDLE GOLF CLUB

LADIES' GOLF
WEDNESDAY 24 JUNE 2020
CONTACT LINDY RANDALL
BY 4 PM TUESDAY 0488 182 156

MEN'S SOCIAL GOLF
THURSDAY 25 JUNE 2PM

WEEKEND GOLF
MEN LADIES JUNIORS

MEN'S FOURSOMES
CHAMPIONSHIP

LADIES 18H STABLEFORD

SATURDAY 27JUNE 2020

CONTACT SAM BOLAM
0447 124 055
BY

5PM FRIDAY 26 JUNE IF PLAYING -
FOR DETAILS AND TEE OFF TIME



COVID-19 RESTRICTIONS APPLY

MEN LADIES JUNIORS ALL WELCOME



Junior program for
kids new to golf!

Week 1 Term 3

Ages 7 to 12

For more information and
to express your interest,
please contact Matthew
Randall on 0428 642 474

FORBES

**SOCCER
IS BACK FOR 2020**

REGISTRATIONS ARE OPEN FOR THE SEASON

Online registrations: www.playfootball.com.au

Face to Face Registrations: at Sweet 3 Vintage Van
by the Lake 10am- 12:30pm Saturday's



REGISTRATIONS NOW OPEN

UNDER 6 - 8 \$110

UNDER 9 - 10 \$120

UNDER 11-17 \$150



COMPETITION COMMENCES ON SATURDAY 4 JULY 2020

REGISTER NOW AT:

WWW.PLAYFOOTBALL.COM.AU/REGISTER

**FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE EMAIL:
PDASACOMMITTEE@OUTLOOK.COM.AU**



PARKES



Tennis Camp Fundraiser

-to get a slushie machine and a 'real' coffee machine for the Tennis Club.

Come and join in all the fun!

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday
July 7-8-9. 9am-12noon. 5yrs-12yrs.

You can choose

1 day-\$50, 2 days-\$80, 3 days-\$110.

Sign up- www.parkestennis.com.au
Enquiries- helenmagill@bigpond.com

Registrations are now open for Saturday Netball !

With government restrictions now lifting Parkes and District Netball Association has opened registrations for Saturday netball with a start date of 25th July.

There will be a 12 round competition for all grades with strict COVID 19 guidelines in place to ensure the safety of members and families. These guidelines will be provided closer to our start date.

As usual the competition will have a 2 week break for the team 3 school holidays with the last round to be played on 24th October.



Parkes and District Netball

Registration is now OPEN via the MyNetball app or you can head to our website or our Facebook page. The committee is exciting to welcome back all existing plays and to see some new faces.



St Patrick's School Trundle

Covid-19

Term 2 Return to School Learning

Health and Safety Protocols

Hygiene	
<p>Hand washing is the most important defence in stopping the spread of infection.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Students will wash their hands thoroughly with soap and water, for at least 20 seconds;<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ On arrival to school○ Before and after eating○ At the end of each break○ After toileting• Hand sanitiser will also be made available in every occupied room and used when soap/water are not available.• Any adult entering the school must do so via the School Admin Office and use the hand sanitiser provided.
<p>Respiratory hygiene:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Students must cover coughs and sneezes with elbow or arm or using a tissue and disposing of it immediately.• If a student coughs or sneezes onto a surface, the surface will be cleaned immediately with disinfectant.• Students will be taught to avoid touching their face, especially eyes, nose and mouth.
<p>Food and drink: There can be NO sharing of food or drink amongst students</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Students will need to bring their own fruit for Fruit Break.• The bubblers will be closed. The school will have some water bottles for students if they forget to bring one from home. That bottle will remain at school.• There will be no shared birthday cakes/cupcakes.

<p>First Aid/Sick Bay:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● <i>Students who are unwell cannot remain at school.</i> ● Staff will use appropriate PPE (gloves, apron, mask) when dealing with any blood or bodily fluids. ● Staff will use non-contact thermometers to take temperatures.
<p>Environmental Cleaning</p>	
<p>High touch classroom surfaces: doorknobs, benchtops and desks</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● These surfaces will be sprayed with hospital grade disinfectant and water solution <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ During recess and lunch breaks ○ At the end of the school day
<p>High touch areas in toilets: cisterns, taps, doorknobs</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● These surfaces will be sprayed with hospital grade disinfectant and water solution <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ after recess and lunch breaks ○ At the end of the school day
<p>Outdoor lunch seats, handrails and playground equipment:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The playground equipment will be closed ● Lunch seats and handrails will be sprayed with hospital grade disinfectant and water solution <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ after recess and lunch breaks
<p>Social Distancing</p>	
<p>Dropping Off and Picking Up students</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Parents cannot walk into the school grounds when dropping children off in the morning. ● Parents can only come to the School Admin. Office. ● Parents must avoid gathering in groups when collecting their students after school.