



# St. Patrick's Catholic Primary School

PREP TO YEAR 6

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## PRINCIPAL'S NEWS

8 October 2021

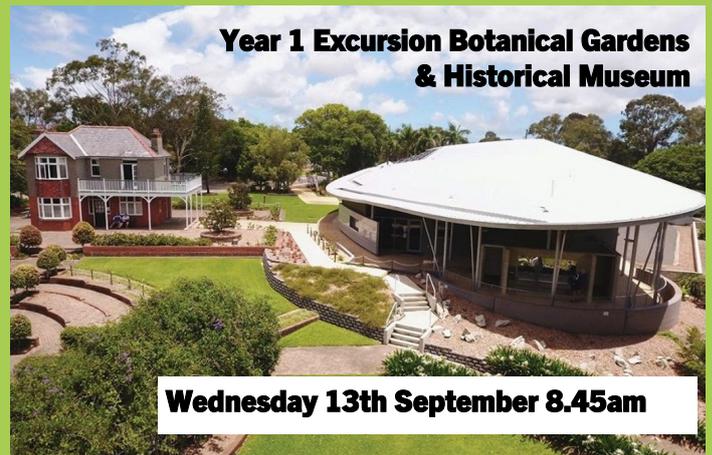
Over the holidays I was asked by a family if I had the time to show them around our school. The mother, in her 80's and daughter similar age to myself, could not believe the changes that have taken place at St Patrick's since they were part of this school in the 1970's. They commented on aspects like the abundant play equipment, the vibrant classrooms, the expanse of shaded play areas, Instrumental Music, Specialist lessons, huge courtyard, flexible learning spaces and the cleanliness of our school.

Seeing our school through their eyes, reminded me of how very fortunate we are to be a part of this beautiful school and community. So many of the things we take for granted are in fact very special and particular to our school community. It is very humbling to have so much interest in our school's journey, and we are very grateful for the contributions made by so many to make it such a great place to learn.

Term 4 promises to be a great term that includes many celebrations. We will come together to enjoy Cultural Night, Year 3-6 Swimming carnival, Year 6 Graduation, Celebration Night, Year 1 Nativity play, End of Year Liturgy and Assembly, just to name a few. Welcome back for a short but busy term. I'm sure we will all make the absolute best use of our time together.

## KEY EVENTS FOR WEEK 2

- Monday– Thursday—Spelling Bee
- Monday—Junior Strings Ensemble (St Patrick's) 7.30am
- Tuesday—Senior Choir (7.30am) Junior Choir (8.10am)
- Tuesday—Wednesday—Courtyard Prayer 4L 8.40am
- Wednesday—Senior Strings Ensemble 7.30am
- Wednesday—Year 1 Excursion Botanical Gardens 8.45am
- Friday—SAUSAGE SIZZLE \$2 to classroom teacher
- Friday—Interschool Sport Years 5 & 6 commences



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ABSENTEES

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4994 8336

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## BEFORE SCHOOL AND AFTER SCHOOL POLICY

### BEFORE SCHOOL

The school provides supervision from 8:15 each day. Students who arrive before this time are to gather on the terraced area behind Administration and to sit quietly. Play is not permitted before 8:15. Students are only allowed at school before 8:15 on the understanding that they comply with these expectations. Teachers on Before School duty collect students from this area at 8:15 am. Students in Years 4-6 place their bags in the port racks, put their iPads in their classrooms and then move to the Covered Area. Students in P-3 place their bags into port racks, put their iPads in classrooms and then move to the Junior Playground.

Outside of the classroom is an Out of Bounds area before school. Parents and students are asked to move to the Junior Playground or Covered Area where supervision is provided.

### AFTER SCHOOL

Students are dismissed at 3:00 and they are to move directly to one of the three supervised collection points: Mulgrave St (beside K Block), Powers St or George St. There is a teacher on supervision duty at these three gates until 3:20 pm. Any child not collected by 3:20 pm will be directed to the Administration Block.

## SPORTS NEWS

Just a reminder for interested students to enter the Hervey Bay 100 Super Saturday events which will serve as the selection trials for our 2022 Wide Bay School Sport Aquathlon and Triathlon Teams.

Entry is via the website - <https://raceroster.com/events/2021/51140/hundy-kids-2021>.

Multiclass athletes can enter via "Multiskill" Tabs for their relevant age group. The event organisers have used the term Multiskill instead of Multiclass.

## PREP VISION SCREENING

Recently we emailed all Prep families the opportunity to register their child to have a complimentary vision check-up for their child.

A final reminder to Prep families that if you are happy for your child to have this quick check-up, please click on the link below to register.

<https://visionscreening.health.qld.gov.au/ParentalConsent/11081sFW>

This will provide more information and allow you to complete the Online Consent Form. Please complete the online consent form by Friday 22 October.



## BOOKCLUB



Book club catalogues have been sent home with your child this week. All orders need to be made **ONLINE via LOOP payment** on the Scholastic website, as no cash orders can be accepted. Please go to [www.scholastic.com.au/LOOP](http://www.scholastic.com.au/LOOP). All orders are due by Monday 18th October. As soon as orders are dispatched to us, we will then send home with your child.

## SAUSAGE SIZZLE

Friday Sausage Sizzle is held each and every Friday for the remainder of term. Each week we require volunteers to assist with the serving and clean up of the sizzle. If you are able to help out for your child's year level from approximately 10.45-11.45 on a Friday, please contact the office.

Week	Year Level	Number of Volunteers Required
Week 2	Year 2	3 Volunteers Required
Week 4	Year 1	3 Volunteers Required
Week 5	Prep	2 Volunteers Required
Week 6	Year 6	3 Volunteers Required
Week 7	Year 5	2 Volunteers Required
Week 8	Year 4	3 Volunteers Required

## OUT AND ABOUT



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## JUNIOR AFL9s - TERM 4

The Sandhills Sports Club AFL9s is a fun way to encourage health, fitness and teamwork for Bundaberg Children. Registration is just \$50 per child, places are limited.

To register, scan the QR Code or call/text Paul Timms on 0439 039 801



- Oct 12 Come and Try Session
- Oct 19 Junior AFL9s Round 1
- Oct 23 **Awesome Free Bonus 1:**  
Bundy Bowl & Leisure Fun Day
- Oct 26 Junior AFL9s Round 2
- Nov 2 Junior AFL9s Round 3
- Nov 9 Junior AFL9s Round 4
- Nov 16 Junior AFL9s Round 5
- Nov 23 Junior AFL9s Round 6
- Nov 30 Junior AFL9s Final Round
- Dec 4 **Awesome Free Bonus 1:**  
Bucca Retreat Family Fun Day



### EVENT PARTNERS



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# PLAY CRICKET!

## ACROSS THE WAVES CRICKET CLUB



LOOKING FOR BOYS & GIRLS 7-9 YEARS  
TO JOIN OUR MASTER BLASTERS TEAMS  
AND BOYS & GIRLS 10-12 YEARS  
TO JOIN OUR STAGE 1 TEAMS  
SIGN ON BEING HELD ON THE 6<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST  
AT OUR TRAINING GROUNDS

THE WAVES SPORTS COMPLEX THABEBAN STREET, 4-6PM



JOIN A TEAM NEAR YOU TODAY  
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For Information Contact  
Luke - 0428195909 or  
Shelley - 0400735834

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Or Email - [atwcricketclub@gmail.com](mailto:atwcricketclub@gmail.com)

## TERM FOUR PLANNER

<b>WEEK 1</b>	<b>Week 5th October - 8th October</b>		
Monday	<b>QUEENS BIRTHDAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY</b>		
Tuesday	First Day Term 4		
Tuesday - Thursday	Courtyard Prayer	8.40am	4K
<b>WEEK 2</b>	<b>Week 11th October - 15th October</b>		
Tuesday—Thursday	Courtyard Prayer	8.40am	4L
<b>WEEK 3</b>	<b>Week 18th October - 22nd October</b>		
Tuesday - Thursday	Courtyard Prayer	8.40am	4T
<b>WEEK 4</b>	<b>Week 25th October - 29th October</b>		
Tuesday - Thursday	Courtyard Prayer	8:40am	5M
<b>WEEK 5</b>	<b>Week 1st November - 5th November</b>		
Monday	Prep Orientation Morning	9.00am-10.30am	Prep 2022
Tuesday - Thursday	Courtyard Prayer	8.40am	5G
<b>WEEK 6</b>	<b>Week 8th November - 12th November</b>		
Tuesday—Wednesday	Courtyard Prayer	8.40am	2C
<b>WEEK 7</b>	<b>Week 15th November - 19th November</b>		
Tuesday - Thursday	Courtyard Prayer	8.40am	2B
Tuesday	Cultural Night	5.30pm	Music
<b>WEEK 8</b>	<b>Week 22nd November - 26th November</b>		
Tuesday - Wednesday	Courtyard Prayer	8.40am	2H
Friday	Senior Swimming Carnival		Years 3-6
<b>WEEK 9</b>	<b>Week 29th November - 3rd December</b>		
Monday	Year 1 Nativity Assembly	9.00am	Year 1
Tuesday	Year 6 Graduation	9.00am	Year 6
Wednesday	Celebration Night	6.00pm	Whole School
Thursday	End of Year Liturgy	1.15pm	Whole School
	Year 6 Farewell Assembly	2.00pm	Whole School

<b>2022 TERM DATES</b>	
<b>TERM 1</b>	Monday 24 January - Friday 1 April
<b>TERM 2</b>	Tuesday 19 April - Friday 24 June
<b>TERM 3</b>	Monday 11 July - Friday 16 September
<b>TERM 4</b>	Tuesday 4 October - Friday 2 December