



## PRINCIPAL'S NEWS

2 June 2023

I am not going to lie, it was great to be on the **'winning'** side for the 'State of Origin', but I felt even prouder to be on the **Runners-Up** side for the Kaufusi Shield this Wednesday. Saint Patrick's went down to an impressive St. Luke's Team, but there was so much to celebrate about this game. To have made this final, against 14 (or so) hopeful school teams made us **'winners'** before the starting siren even sounded. St. Luke's had never won a Rugby League tournament of this kind, so it was wonderful to see great perseverance pay off. The 'Saint of Origin' drew a crowd of keen parents and supporters, and the game was played in great spirit. The two champion teams represented their schools and Bundaberg Rugby League so well and good sportsmanship oozed from onlooking parents, carers and spectators. Our Team is a young one, so we look forward to retaining some experienced players when we return to play off next year and this was great preparation for the upcoming Challenge Cup to be played in Rockhampton. Congratulations to Grayson Kirkland who was awarded the first 'Jason Shears Medal' to acknowledge his gallant 'player of the match' effort, but every member of this team put in a champion effort and were deserving of the medallion they received. A big THANK YOU to Mr. Plumb and Mr. Zandona (Super Coaches) who have given generously of their time for this group of young men and women. The score was 32-12 but the game seemed much closer with some close missed opportunities. The following reflection reminded me of how we choose to be **'winners'** or **'losers'** every single day;

### Winners Versus Losers

The winner wakes up in the morning and says: "Good morning God";

The loser wakes up in the morning and says: "Good God it's morning".

The winner is always part of the answer, the loser is always part of the problem.

The winner always has a program, the loser always has an excuse.

The winner says: "Let me do it for you", the loser says: 'That's not my job'.

The winner sees an answer for any problem, the loser sees a problem for any answer.

The winner says: "It may be difficult, but it's possible",

The loser says: "It may be possible, but it's difficult".



*Kim O'Shea-Hard*



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# SPORTS NEWS—ATHLETICS CARNIVALS 2023

Please note heats day for 2011, 2012 & 2013 students is Friday 16 June due to Music Retreat.

Program details for this year's Athletics Carnivals are detailed below.

1. **100m & 200m Heats** – Friday 16 June (Students Born 2011, 2012 & 2013) Shalom College – 9:00 am
2. **FIELD EVENTS DAY** – Monday 19 June (Students Born 2011, 2012 & 2013) St Patrick's Catholic School

9:00 am	Normal Classroom Routine			
	<i>Rotation</i>	<i>10yrs – Born 2013</i>	<i>11yrs – Born 2012</i>	<i>12yrs – Born 2011</i>
10:00am	1	Long Jump	Shot Put	Ball Games & Relay Practice
11:15am	Lunch			
11:40am	2	Ball Games & Relay Practice	Long Jump	Shot Put
1:00pm	Afternoon Tea			
1:15pm	3	Shot Put	Ball Games & Relay Practice	Long Jump
2:30pm	Normal Classroom Routine			

All students compete in field rotations and 100m Heats. 200m is a nomination event only and students nominate on the day. Year 4 students born in 2014 do not compete on Field Events Day and it is a normal school day for these students.

Tuckshop is available for LUNCH only and is NOT available for Afternoon Tea. Snacks are permitted to be eaten between events.

3. **SENIOR ATHLETICS DAY** – Wednesday 21 June (Students Born 2011, 2012, 2013 & 2014) Shalom

Students born 2014 do not compete in 200m & 800m events.

No tuckshop facilities are available for participating students at Shalom on this day.

8:30am	Bus Departure to Shalom College	
9:00am	200m Finals	Students Born 2011, 2012 & 2013
9:45am	Ball Games	Students Born 2011, 2012, 2013 & 2014
11:00am	Lunch	
11:15am	80 & 100m Semi Finals & Finals	Students Born 2011, 2012, 2013 & 2014
12:30pm	Relays	Students Born 2011, 2012, 2013 & 2014
1:30pm	800m Finals	Students Born 2011, 2012 & 2013
	Year 3 Students return to school	
2:30pm	Bus Departure to St Patrick's	

4. **JUNIOR ATHLETICS DAY** - Friday 23 June (Students Born 2015, 2016, 2017 & 2018) St Patrick's Oval  
House Captains need to be at St Patrick's at 8:00am to assist with the setting up of equipment.

Tuckshop for Friday 23 June will be a pre-order system from a limited menu. Menu and ordering information will be forthcoming.

9:00am	50m, 60m & 80m Finals
9:45am	Ball Games & Tabloids
11:00am	Lunch
11:30am	Relays
12:15pm	<b>Whole School Presentations in the Multi St Patrick's</b>
	(Age Champion will be awarded in the 2011, 2012 & 2013 age groups)
12:30pm	Normal School Routine

## UNIFORM FOR CARNIVAL DAYS

**Black shorts** (no other colours or a team's insignia); **house coloured shirt** (polo shirt is preferred for sun protection); school sports **cap** or school formal **hat** to be worn; alternate sports shoes may be worn on the day, no spiked footwear is permitted; **sunscreen** to be applied before arrival at school. Coloured zinc and hair spray are not permitted.

## SCHOOL REPORT SURVEY—MYP CORPORATION

As part of our ongoing commitment to continuously improving the school, we believe it is critical to seek each parent and guardian's opinion on a range of issues relating to St. Patrick's School, Bundaberg. Your feedback is very important to us as we continue to build a successful school and strengthen our reputation as an 'educator of choice'. As such, we have engaged the professional services of MYP Corporation (MYPCorp) to undertake a strictly private and confidential School Results Survey on our behalf. The survey should take approximately 10 - 15 minutes and will need to be completed online between **Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> May and 9<sup>th</sup> June, 2023**. There are no right or wrong answers and we ask that you respond honestly to each statement. You will receive an e-mail from me today and then MYPCorp will undertake the following process to ensure anonymity:



1. Parents and guardians will be emailed individual survey logins.
2. Results will be collated externally.
3. A summary of collated results will be provided to the school leadership team.

On Monday, survey instructions and a personalised login link will be emailed to all parents. You will continue to receive friendly reminders during the survey period until you have submitted the survey. If you do not receive your survey instructions on the survey start date, please check your spam and junk email folders before contacting St. Patrick's. While we strongly encourage you to participate, the survey is not compulsory. Thank you in advance for your help and support in this process, as we value your input and feedback.

## TERM TWO PLANNER

WEEK 8	Week 5th June - 9th June		
Monday	Parish Mass	8:40am	Year 4
Tuesday—Thursday	Courtyard Prayer	8:40am	4C
Friday	Music Camp	All Day	Year 4-6 Strings
WEEK 9	Week 12th June - 16th June		
Tuesday—Thursday	Courtyard Prayer	8:40am	4K
Friday	Heats—Students born 2011, 2012 & 2013	8:45am-10:30am	Shalom
WEEK 10	Week 19th June - 23rd June		
Monday	Field Events Day (Born 2011-2013 only)	All Day	9:00am—1:40pm
Tuesday—Thursday	Courtyard Prayer	8:40am	4M
Wednesday	Senior Athletics Carnival (Born 2011-2014)	All Day	8:30am-2:30pm
Friday	Junior Athletics Carnival (Born 2015-2018)	All Day	9:00am-12:30pm

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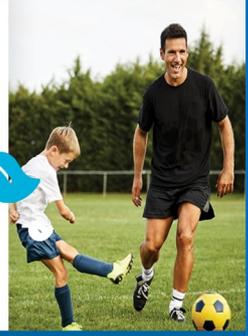
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**Gin Gin** | Wednesday 28 June  
**Childers** | Tuesday 4 July  
**Bundaberg** | Wednesday 5 July

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MUSIC AND LYRICS BY LAURENCE O'KEEFE AND NELL BENJAMIN  
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**THURS 8 | FRI 9 | SAT 10 | JUNE 2023**  
SHALOM COLLEGE PERFORMING ARTS PRECINCT  
NIGHTLY FROM 7PM & MATINEE SAT 11AM  
GENERAL ADMISSION \$25 | STUDENTS/CONCESSION \$20

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