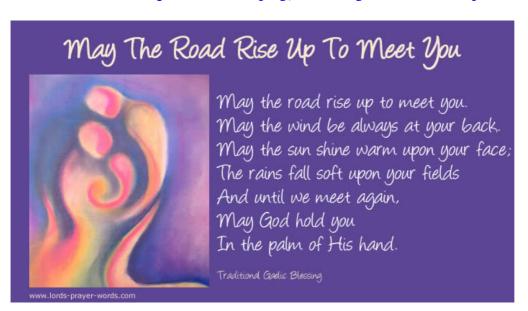


ST JOSEPH'S PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Thursday 17th September, 2020

St Joseph's is a Child Safe School. We promote the safety, wellbeing and inclusion of all children.



Dear Parents,

This is my opportunity to say thank you and goodbye to all my wonderful students and families

I wanted to be a teacher so that I could make a difference to children's lives.

Maybe I could help them to see themselves as learners

Maybe I could help them believe they had something to offer

Maybe I could be there just to listen or laugh or just have time to sit together.

I have been at St Joseph's for 10 years and it has been a ride of a life time. I hope that I have been able to make a difference to some of the students that have been through St Joseph's over the last 10 years.

It has been a privilege for me to have been the principal of St Joseph's and I have learnt so much about myself and how to be better at understanding what my community has needed from me.

Thank you to all of my students, you have given me such joy, it has fun to be in your classrooms with you, to be on camp with you, going on excursions and sports days and generally just being with you. I will miss each and every one of you and it is so hard to say goodbye without actually seeing you all at school face to face.

Thank you to all the parents, you have all been such a great support to me and it has been a real pleasure to have worked with you and I thank you for allowing me to be the principal of the school you chose for your child.

It is very difficult to leave without seeing you all and being about to thank you personally.

Thank you and goodbye.

Carmel Stutterd

Congratulations to Mr Liam Buckley on his appointment as the next principal for St Joseph's. Liam will start on Monday 5 October and this will be a **student free day** as this will give Liam the opportunity to have a meeting with each staff member throughout the day and then to have a staff meeting. I am sure you will all welcome him into the St Joseph's community.

We welcome Miss Wood back for term 4 and I would like to take this opportunity to thank Mrs Kelliher and Mrs Phyland for taking on both Grade 1/2 classes this term. Both teachers have done an outstanding job with teaching and giving feedback.

Return to school for Term 4

Week 1 Monday 5 October is a student free day

Week 1 Tuesday 6 October – Friday 9 October All students will be at home for online learning. Monday 12 October Week 2 – Foundation, Gr 1 and 2 students return to school on site. There will be NO remote learning for these grades.

Grs 3-6 students will remain at home and continue with online learning.

The class structure for 2021

Foundation/ Grade 1 Grade 2/3 Grade 2/3 Gr 4/5 Gr 6

VIRTUAL X-COUNTRY

Dear Families,

I want to thank you all for your amazing efforts in our Virtual X-Country. It was fantastic to see so many students participating. This event highlighted how our school community can come together despite the distance and achieve some incredible results.

If anyone missed the Google Meets on Wednesday, here is the final tally:

- Blue (Nazareth) = 383km's
- Gold (Nagle) = 377km's
- Green (Cullinane) = 326km's

Congratulations to Blue (Nazareth) our 2020 Virtual X-Country Champions!

Thank you to all students for their work this term. I look forward to seeing you all in Term 4.

Mr Mutimer

Congratulations to all those students who are receiving Certificates this week go to

Foundation:

Birthdays: Sienna Simunic

Awards: Logan Bennett, Leo Conway & Sienna

Hopkins

Grade 1 and 2 Awards:

Noah & Sophia Laird

Cassandra & Maddison Rowe-Natoli

Aleksandar Ostojic Michael Nicolin Hugh Wiedermann Thomas Davidson Tayla Haberfield Nash Gusman Thomas Harber Mia McKean Finn Bennett Marlow Shannon

Gr 3/4

Birthdays: over the holidays Tijana K

Awards: Class Award

Gr 6

Birthdays: none

Awards: Ruby Wolff & Jack Capomolla

Mrs Keely: Jack Hughes and Luca Toogood

Principal's award: Lachlan Mannix – for my beautiful message



Due to the current COVID-19 restrictions in place, Kilbreda will continue to offer virtual visits to prospective families this term. These virtual events include a Principal's address and tour of the college. The virtual events scheduled are:-

Wednesday 12th August @ 4.00pm Tuesday 15th September @ 9.00am

Further details go to their website www.kilbreda.vic.edu.au



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Year 7 2022 Limited places

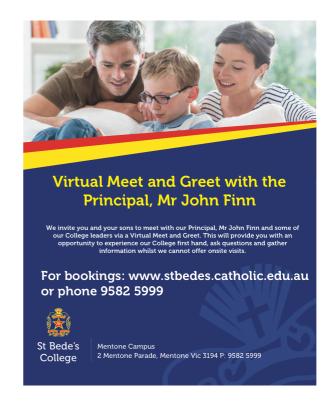
Applications close 9 October 2020

Virtual Tour

Register now for 6 August 9:30am

www.olsh.vic.edu.au





How to... All you need to do is hover your phone camera over the QR Code then press '**OPEN/ALLOW**' then '**OK**' in their internet browser (e.g. Safari). For older phones parents will need to download a free QR Code Reader App. Your venue's unique QR Code is printed on your posters.



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