



16 JUNE 2017 – TERM 2 WEEK 8



ST. PETER'S
Anglican Primary School

NEWSLETTER

10 My people, you are my witnesses and my chosen servant. I want you to know me, to trust me, and understand that I alone am God. I have always been God; there can be no others.

Isaiah 43:10b

Reporting on progress

by Brendan Gorman

This week, I begin the joy of reading each child's academic report for semester one. As expressed to the students at assembly earlier this week, it really is a great privilege to be able to review and see where each child has progressed and developed. Far more than a final proof read, seeing how our students are traveling is a crucial part of our internal reviews.

Of course, academic reports, issued twice per year, are just one part of the reporting pie here at St Peter's. Our parent teacher interviews also form a crucial part of reporting, along with incidental communication to and from home, verbal and written feedback and formal assessments throughout the semester. Assessments, both formative and summative in nature, assist teachers in reflecting not only on how their students are achieving, but also on how they as professionals are teaching.

As reports are finalised and sent home at the end of term, I commend our students on their progress, enthusiasm for learning and involvement in the school.

Reports should not present any significant surprises for you as parents. I encourage parents to speak with their class teacher in the first instance, following your review of your child's report, should there be any concerns or queries.

Family Satisfaction Survey

Over a number of newsletters, I will take the opportunity of highlighting some of the results and features of our satisfaction survey. 168 families responded to the survey, providing the School with some helpful and insightful data and suggestions.

Again, may I thank each of the families who have contributed to the survey and let us know the things we are doing well and areas where you would like to see some change and/ or improvement. As a growing Christian community, we value this and assure you that all comments will be reviewed and considered.

Public Speaking Evening

Well done to each of the 14 students who were finalists and presented their prepared speeches at the 2017 Public Speaking Evening last night.

Our students were amazing. They showed great confidence, challenged thinking and engaged their audience.

Thanks to Mrs Pullen & Mrs Aston for their guidance of our students.



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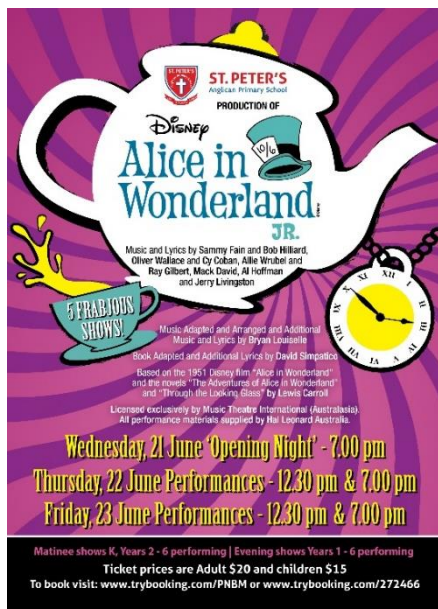
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Alice in Wonderland Jr.

The entire community is eagerly awaiting next week where we lift the curtains on Alice in Wonderland Jr, here at St Peter's. We thank parents for their efforts and understanding in ensuring students are ready for performances.

Final tickets have been released for all five performances. I encourage you to purchase your tickets this weekend, to avoid disappointment.

A café and snack bar will operate prior to each of the performances. We look forward to bringing to life, this well-known classic and highlighting the many talented students we have here at St Peter's.

Coffee Cart - Mad Hatter's Café

Parents, please note the cart will not operate as per usual on Friday, 23 June from 8.30 am - 10.00 am. We will be operating the School Coffee Cart before each Musical Performance.

P&F Meeting

Our next P&F meeting will be held on Tuesday, 27 June at 7pm in Music Room 2.

POSITIONS VACANT

St Peter's is currently advertising for the following positions:

- Casual Teachers
- Casual OSHC Assistants

If you are interested or you know of someone that may be interested, please refer to our School Website for a full role description.



No Pause Prompt Praise

PPP helpers, please note the programme will not be on from Monday, 19 June to Friday, 23 June due to the Musical Performance.

Sport

by Fiona Hornman

IPSSO Sport

This week we played against Macarthur Anglican. Results are as follows:

Junior Sport

SPORT	RESULT	SPAPS	MAC
AFL	Won	67	0
Newcombe ball	Lost	0	2
Netball	Lost	0	19
Soccer	Won	2	1

Senior Sport

SPORT	RESULT	SPAPS	MAC
AFL	Lost	21	32
Volleyball	Won	3	0
Netball	Lost	3	41
Soccer	Won	3	0

Players of the Match:

Jnr Soccer. POM: Ben H
 Jnr Netball. POM: Tanya M
 Jnr AFL. POM: Mackenzie H
 Jnr Newcombeball. POM: Jacob P
 Snr Soccer. POM: Dan P
 Snr Netball. POM: Natalie C
 Snr AFL. POM: Kyle L
 Snr Volleyball. POM: Simon S

Next week we play Macarthur at Macarthur Anglican School. Juniors 11.35 am and seniors at 1.00 pm.

Free Come & Try Cricket session

Bradbury Cricket Club will be holding a free holiday cricket session, offering students the opportunity to try cricket. It will be held at Bradbury Oval, Campbelltown on Wednesday, 5 July 2017. Each participant will also receive a free sausage sizzle and drink. Call Bruce on 0426 840 240 to book.

Go4Fun

Go4Fun is a free healthy lifestyle programme aimed at children aged 7-13 years and their families who are outside the health weight range. The program for 2017 is about to begin with venues in Oran Park, Macquarie Fields, Eagle Vale and Mittagong.

For further information regarding times please visit GO4FUN.com.au.

Pink Triathlon

The next Sydney Pink Triathlon event will be held at Homebush on the Saturday, 2 December 2017. It would be great to see lots of students, boys or girls, and mums join us to race on the day. Put the date in your diary and stay tuned for more details in Term 4.

Library

by Sandra Busutel

We have noticed over the past few weeks that there have been a number of children forgetting their Library bags or books. We encourage children to pack their bag the night before so they are organised for the following day.

Book Corner

Lintang and the Pirate Queen
 by Tamara Ross

Age: 9+

Lintang dreams of escaping her island home and having adventures on the high seas. She gets her chance when she and her best friend, Bayani, face a deadly mythic (creature) and survive, attracting the attention of the infamous Captain Shafira. Lintang's bravery earns her an invitation onto the ship of the pirate queen, who is on her way to hunt for sea mythies.

OSHC Vacation Care

Our Vacation Care Programme and Enrolment form was emailed to all our families on Thursday, 15 June, these forms are available at the School office and the OSHC center. Our programme is always popular, although please remember places are limited. During Vacation Care all bookings for before and after school care are suspended.

Please note, completed forms are due no later than Wednesday, 28 June.

Calendar Reminders

TERM 2: 24 April – 30 June

Week 9

Tuesday 20/06/17

Musical Dress Rehearsal

Wednesday 21/06/17

Musical Performance – Evening (Years 1-6):
7.00 – 9.00 pm

Thursday 22/06/17

Musical Performance – Matinee
(Kindergarten, Year 2-6): 12.30 - 2 pm

Musical Performance – Evening (Years 1-6):
7.00 – 9.00 pm

Friday 23/06/17

Musical Performance – Matinee
(Kindergarten, Year 2-6): 12.30 - 2 pm

Musical Performance – Evening (Years 1-6):
7.00 – 9.00 pm

Week 10

Monday 26/06/17

Whole School Assembly: 11.30 am

Tuesday 27/06/17

P&F Meeting: 7.00 – 8.30 pm

Wednesday 28/06/17

Junior Rep Sport: 11.35 pm

Senior Rep Sport: 1.25 pm

Thursday 29/06/17

Year 4 Open Classrooms: 2.00 pm

Friday 30/06/17

Last Day of Term 2

School Holidays

Monday, 3 July – Friday, 21 July

OSHC operating everyday: Bookings
Essential, 7.00 am – 6.00 pm.

School Office open every day: 9.00 am –
3.00 pm

Staff Development / Pupil Free Days

Monday, 17 July – Friday, 21 July

School Office open Monday to Thursday:
9.00 am – 3.00 pm

OSHC operating Monday to Thursday:
Bookings Essential

Friday 21/07/17

No OSHC services offered today
School Office Closed

TERM 3: 24 July – 22 September

Week 1

Monday 24/07/17

Students Commence

Tuesday 25/07/17

School Tour for new families: 5.00 pm

Wednesday 26/07/17

School Shop: 8.00 – 10.45 am

Thursday 27/07/17

Kindergarten to Year 6, Prep Echidnas &
Wombats Parent Teacher Interviews: 4.00 –
8.00 pm

Week 2

Monday 31/07/17

Junior Primary Assembly: 11.30 am

Primary Assembly: 2.30 pm

Prep Koalas and Kangaroos Parent Teacher
Interviews: 4.00 – 6.00 pm

Tuesday 1/08/17

ICAS English
Year 6 Camp

Wednesday 2/08/17

Year 6 Camp

Thursday 3/08/17

Year 6 Camp

Friday 4/08/17

Year 6 Camp

School Tour for new families: 5.00 pm

Week 3

Monday 7/08/17

Intumbane Slipper Day
House Day

Tuesday 8/08/17

St Peter's Open Day

Thursday 10/08/17

Photo Day 1: Class, Individual and Prep
(Echidnas & Wombats).

Friday 11/08/17

Winter Festival – 4.30 pm

Week 4

Monday 14/08/17

Junior Primary Assembly: 11.30 am

Primary Assembly: 2.30 pm

Tuesday 15/08/17

ICAS Maths

Parent Information Session: 9.30 am & 7.00
pm

Wednesday 16/08/17

Photo Day 2: Sporting Groups

Week 5

Monday 21/08/17

Photo Day 3: Staff, Co-Curricular, Music
Groups and Prep (Kangaroos & Koalas).

Tuesday 22/08/17

P&F Meeting: 7.00 – 8.30 pm

Friday 25/08/17

Character Parade: 9.45 am

Prayer Points

1. Pray for the students as they undertake final preparations for the musical.
2. Give thanks for each student and their unique contribution to our wonderful school.
3. Pray for the ongoing sickness in our community and pray for good health for students and staff.

The School Prayer

Jesus, our Master and our Friend. You came to show us the truth and to teach us the way of life; Send your blessing on our School. Guide by your Spirit, the children and their parents, the teachers and staff, and the Schools' Council. As we work together with one another and with you, may St Peter's Anglican Primary School be a place where children learn and where all discover the true meaning of 'Life through Christ'. Amen

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Church at Ten is held in the School Hall on Sunday mornings at 10.00 am.

Please call the Church Office on 4625 1041 or email office@campbelltownanglican.org.

