



Kindergarten

12 MAY 2017 – TERM 2 WEEK 3



**ST. PETER'S**  
Anglican Primary School

## NEWSLETTER

Be brave and strong! Don't be afraid of the nations on the other side of the Jordan. The Lord your God will always be at your side, and he will never abandon you.

**Deuteronomy 31:6**

## Our students continue to shine

by Brendan Gorman

Last Friday, our students in Year 3-6 and some from Year 2 joined together for our annual Athletics Carnival. Whilst a fairly normal expectation of any school, what impressed me throughout the day was our student's enthusiasm, commitment and encouragement. Throughout the day, students joined in. They ran distances, they threw and they jumped. As this was happening, they chatted, cheered and supported. I have had numerous comments and emails from parents and others in the community commending our students.

A St Peter's student, is living the Learner Profile. They are open minded, caring, taking risks, principled, balanced, inquirers, knowledgeable, thinkers, communicators and reflective. All of these attributes and more were on display throughout the carnival.

May I again commend Mrs Hornman for her stellar organisation and each of the parents who volunteered their time to make the carnival such a huge success.

Well Done to Cook for taking out the overall championship on the day and to Roxburgh for winning the house spirit award.

### Whole School Service

I remind parents of the expectation that all K-6 families attend our two Whole School Services each year and Prep families are welcome to join. Our next Whole School Service will be held on Monday, 15 May at 'The Cube' in Campbelltown. Students are to wear full winter uniform. Rev. Nigel Fortescue will be speaking on this occasion. Doors will open at 6.10 pm for families to find seating. The Service will commence at 6.30 pm and will conclude by 7.30 pm.

### NAPLAN

Well done to each of our Year 3 and 5 students who participated in the NAPLAN assessments this week. These assessments are an important part of our academic tracking processes. However, it is also important to note that these assessments and the data which is obtained from them are only one piece of the 'reporting' pie, alongside all other information parents receive about their child's learning.

### St Peter's Coffee Cart

A reminder our Coffee Cart is an adult service only. The cart operates on Friday mornings from 8.30am - 10.00am.



**School Tour for new families on  
Tuesday, 23 May 2017 at  
5.00 pm.**

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## Alice in Wonderland Jr

We are looking forward to our staging of Alice in Wonderland Jr at the end of term 2. Wednesday, 21 June, Thursday, 22 June and, Friday, 23 June 2017.

Please note that Kindergarten only perform at matinees and Year 1 only perform in the evening. Matinees will be held on Thursday and Friday at 12:30 pm and evening performances on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evening at 7pm. Further information including details of our ticket launch, will be announced soon.

## 2018 Enrolment Interviews taking place

As we interview and offer places for 2018, we want to ensure that existing families who may have siblings, cousins or friends who may like to enjoy the many benefits of St Peter's, have submitted enrolment applications. If you know someone who may be interested, please refer them to our online prospectus on our website, or contact our Enrolments Officer, Mrs Renee Sharpe, in the School Office.

## Family Satisfaction Survey

In the coming weeks, a survey will be sent to all families as we seek your feedback. This confidential survey will allow Senior Leadership and the School's Council to consider some important areas of our school. Please take the time to reflect on the questions and provide honest and constructive feedback. We would greatly appreciate your assistance in this regard.

## Art Explosion Day

Our annual Art Explosion Day will be held next Friday 19, May. This day will commence with an 'Alice in Wonderland' themed artwork, as we prepare for decorating our hall for our school musical. The rest of the day is allocated to grades to complete artworks linked with their Term 2 Visual Arts programme. Students are required to come dressed in appropriate mufti clothes, with an awareness that they may get messy!

## POSITION 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.

## Musical Rehearsal Schedule Update

Please note a change of date for our Week 8 whole day rehearsal. Due to the public holiday, and assemblies taking place on Tuesday 13 June, our whole day rehearsal will now take place on Thursday 15 June. Further information about this rehearsal will be communicated closer to the date.

## School Banking

Apologies for not collecting Year 5 School Banking on Wednesday, 10 May as we did not wish to interrupt them during their NAPLAN exam. Thank you for your understanding.

## Amazing Me

St Peter's Anglican Primary School will be holding the AMAZING ME education seminars on Tuesday, 23 May 2017. The program aims to provide information to children in the important area of personal development.

Stage 2 - Years 3 & 4, will focus on the difference between girls and boys bodies, reproduction and birth (6.00pm – 7.00 pm).  
Stage 3 - Years 5 & 6, will focus on the difference between girls and boys bodies and puberty. (7.15pm – 8.15 pm) Note this is a change to the printed School Calendar.

Stage 2 - Years 3 & 4 @ \$20.00 per family  
Stage 3 - Years 5 & 6 @ \$20.00 per family  
OR,  
Package Pricing for Both Sessions - Stage 2 & Stage 3 @ \$25.00 per family

Trybooking Link:

<https://www.trybooking.com/PWOA> ,or  
<https://www.trybooking.com/278876>

## Music

Congratulations to the following students who worked hard to present for their AMEB piano exams recently.

Aurelia G: 1st Grade Pass with High Credit  
Jesse N: Preliminary Pass with High Credit.

Piano Tutor  
Koula Johnson

## Winter Uniforms at OSHC

As the children are now wearing their winter uniforms, could we please ask you to ensure your child's blazers and hats are clearly labelled with their name. The children are also required to hang up their blazer on our coat racks, we kindly ask all children to bring a labelled coat hanger for use in OSHC.

## Spring Fair

We are excited to announce the following co-curricular groups will be performing throughout the day.

- Junior Band
- M&Ms
- Senior Band
- Vocal Ensemble
- Senior Choir
- Year 3-4 Choir
- Year 2 Choir
- Girls Stomp
- Boys Stomp
- Spanish Group
- Strings

Times and location will be communicated closer to the day.

I hope everyone has Saturday, 9 September blocked out for St Peter's big fundraising event for the school. This year is going to be amazing! Keep your eye out for more information in the Spring Fair Newsletter which will come out in the next few weeks. For now, we would like to advise you that we will be having a DROP OFF day for the Recycle and Reuse stall.

NOTE: No broken items, non-working items especially car seats/capsules or offensive materials. If dropping off anything electrical please make sure it's in working order.

Collection dates before and after school in the tunnel on Thursday 1st June and Friday 2nd June. Thanks for your support.

Spring Fair Coordinators  
Jen, Menes & Claudia

## Next P&F Meeting

We are excited to host yet another informative and interactive P&F meeting on Tuesday, 15th May, commencing at 7pm. In addition to our regular P&F agenda, we are pleased to welcome guest speakers to present information for the "Pause Prompt Praise Reading Program" which is a program of reading instruction designed to support readers to develop their reading skills and strategies.

The aim of the program is to provide students with a one to one reading session for up to 15 minutes with an adult to reinforce and encourage the development of their reading skills. If you are interested in gaining some practical ideas on how to support your own child's reading at home or have some spare time you can volunteer towards helping run this program at St Peter's, please come along and find out how you can be involved.



### P&F Trivia Night

Start organising your tables for the annual P&F Trivia Night to be held on Friday, 2nd June. Our Trivia Night Coordinators have been busy promoting the event at school pick up this week, planning the format and themed decorations and also active in the community gaining the support and sponsorship from many local businesses for prizes on the night.

We are excited to announce that the West Tigers have supported our event with game tickets at Campbelltown Stadium, a signed jersey and other substantial prizes from Chemist Warehouse and Justinians at Macarthur Square.

It will be a great night of entertainment and enjoyment, don't forget the "Mad Hatter Theme" and wear your favourite wig, hat or scarf!

### Uniforms

It is wonderful to see our students back in their full winter uniforms. A reminder that the all P-2 students are required to have new crested items of uniform.

### Sport

by Fiona Hornman

#### IPSSO Sport

This week St Peter's competed against Broughton Anglican College, results were as follows:

##### Junior Sport

SPORT	RESULT	SPAPS	BAC
AFL	Won	25	19
Newcombeball	Won	3	0
Netball	Lost	5	6
Soccer	Won	3	2

##### Senior Sport

SPORT	RESULT	SPAPS	BAC
AFL	Won	70	2
Volleyball	Lost	1	2
Netball	Lost	1	25
Soccer	Won	3	2

### Players of the Match:

- Junior AFL: Ilah
- Senior AFL: Charlie-Rae L.
- Junior Newcombeball: Daniel
- Senior Volleyball: Marcus
- Junior Netball: Tuliana
- Senior Netball: Nethulima
- Junior Soccer: Alexander
- Senior Soccer: Morgan

Next week we play Oran Park with Juniors at 12.45 and Seniors at 1.30. netball and volleyball will be at OPAC and AFL and Soccer at Brabham Reserve.

### Athletics Carnival

The athletics carnival was held at Campbelltown Stadium on Friday, 5<sup>th</sup> May. It was a sunny day with great conditions for running. Students were very well behaved and many challenged themselves by going in all available events. The winning house on the day by 4 points was Cook, followed by Durham in second and Bligh in third. Roxburgh was the winner of the House Spirit Award as they were lead brilliantly by their house leaders. The age champions were as follows:

- Junior boys: 1<sup>st</sup> Phoenix, 2<sup>nd</sup> Aaron, 3<sup>rd</sup> Samuel and 4<sup>th</sup> Curtis
  - Junior girls: 1<sup>st</sup> Miraneta, 2<sup>nd</sup> Ashleigh, 3<sup>rd</sup> Mackenzie and 4<sup>th</sup> Adele
  - 11 year boys: 1<sup>st</sup> Isaac, 2<sup>nd</sup> Jonathan, 3<sup>rd</sup> Nathan and 4<sup>th</sup> Gaveen
  - 11 year girls: 1<sup>st</sup> Stevie, 2<sup>nd</sup> Sonja, 3<sup>rd</sup> Natalie and 4<sup>th</sup> Tara
  - 12 year boys: 1<sup>st</sup> Lachlan, 2<sup>nd</sup> Tyler, 3<sup>rd</sup> Dan and 4<sup>th</sup> Ronin
  - 12 year girls: 1<sup>st</sup> Brooklyn, 2<sup>nd</sup> Charlissa, 3<sup>rd</sup> Sophia and 4<sup>th</sup> Natalia
- Students who won the 800m or a field event or finished in the top 4 places overall in the 100m and 200m (top 2 for 8 years 100m) will progress to IPSHA. IPSHA will be held at Sydney Olympic Park on the 29<sup>th</sup> August and permission notes will come home shortly.

### Tennis

Enrol now for Term 2 with Tony Podesta Wednesday - Year 1 and 2 at 12.50 pm - 1.50 pm (lunchtime) and, Thursday - Year 3 to 6 at 12.50 pm – 1.50 pm (lunchtime).

Enrol through the following link: <https://sprout.readysetbook.me/go/First-Serve-Booking> or call Tony on 0418414780



## Library

by Sandra Busutel

Calling all Billie B Brown book lovers

### Upcoming event

#### Gleebooks Author visit

Author: Sally Rippin of Billie B Brown fame.

The event is free and involves Sally talking about her new book Polly & Buster. Sally will also demonstrate her artistic process, as she has illustrated Polly & Buster herself.

The event is on June 4th, begins at 12.00pm and would last for roughly an hour.

49 Glebe Point Road, Glebe, Sydney.

Please RSVP: phone 02 9660 2333 or go to their website.



## Calendar Reminders

**TERM 2: 24 April – 30 June**

### Week 4

Monday 15/05/17

Junior Primary Assembly: 11.30 am

Primary Assembly: 2.30 pm

Whole School Service 6.30 pm

Tuesday 16/05/17

P&F Meeting: 7.00 pm

Wednesday 17/05/17

Year 1 Australian Museum – Spider Exhibition Excursion

Thursday 18/05/17

Year 4 Hyde Park Barracks Excursion

Paul Kelly Cup Day

Musical Rehearsal: 3.30 - 4.30 pm

Friday 19/05/17

Art Explosion Day

### Week 5

Tuesday 23/05/17

2018 Scholarship Testing Day: 9.00 am

Year 6 Open Classroom: 2.00 pm

School Tour for New Families: 5.00 pm

Amazing Me: 6.00pm – 7.15pm

Wednesday 24/05/17

Kindy Featherdale Wildlife Park Excursion: 9.00 am – 3.00 pm

AFL Community Auskick: 3.30 - 4.30 pm

### Week 5 continued

Thursday 25/05/17

Musical Rehearsal: 3.30 - 4.30 pm

### Week 6

Monday 29/05/17

Junior Primary Assembly: 11.30 am

Primary Assembly: 2.30 pm

Tuesday 30/5/16

ICAS Science

Wednesday 31/05/17

AFL Community Auskick: 3.30 - 4.30 pm

Thursday 1/06/17

Musical Rehearsal: 3.30 - 4.30 pm

Friday 2/06/17

P&F Trivia Night: 6.30 – 9.30 pm

### Week 7

Tuesday 6/06/17

Year 5 Camp

Wednesday 7/06/17

Year 5 Camp

IPSSO Rep Sport Bye

AFL Community Auskick: 3.30 - 4.30 pm

Thursday 8/06/17

Year 5 Camp

Musical Rehearsal: 3.30 - 4.30 pm

Friday 9/05/17

Year 5 Camp

School Tour for New Families: 9.30 am

### Week 8

Monday 12/06/17

Queen's Birthday - Public Holiday

Tuesday 13/06/17

Junior Primary Assembly: 11.30 am

Primary Assembly: 2.30 pm

Wednesday 14/06/17

AFL Community Auskick: 3.30 - 4.30 pm

Thursday 15/06/17

Musical Rehearsal

Public Speaking: 7.00 – 8.00 pm

### Week 9

Tuesday 20/06/17

Musical Dress Rehearsal

Wednesday 21/06/17

Alice in Wonderland the Musical: 7.00 – 9.00 pm

Thursday 22/06/17

Alice in Wonderland the Musical: 12.30 - 2 pm & 7.00 – 9.00 pm

Musical Rehearsal: 3.30 - 4.30 pm

Friday 23/06/17

### Week 9 continued

Alice in Wonderland the Musical: 12.30 - 2 pm & 7.00 – 9.00 pm

### Week 10

Monday 27/6/16

Whole School Assembly: 11.30 am

Tuesday 28/6/16

P&F Meeting: 7.00 – 8.30 pm

Wednesday 29/6/16

Junior Rep Sport: 11.35 pm

Senior Rep Sport: 1.25 pm

Year 4 Open Classrooms: 2.00 pm

Friday 1/7/16

Last Day of Term 2

## Prayer Points

1. Give thanks for a successful athletics carnival and excellent weather for all of our carnivals in a very wet start to 2017.
2. Give thanks for our Year 3 and 5 students who participated in NAPLAN this week.
3. Pray for all students as they conclude their second unit of inquiry and prepare to commence their third. Give thanks for the love of learning clearly on display throughout the school.

## 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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St Peter's Anglican Primary School is a ministry of Campbelltown Anglican Churches.



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](mailto:office@campbelltownanglican.org).

