Newsletter

Term 1

Week 4

21 February 2019

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Each year our staff develop our school goals which focus on three areas, *Formation* (*Religious Education*), *Literacy* and *Numeracy*. These goals are determined and developed based on the current needs of the students at *Corpus Christi*.

This year our School Goals are:

Formation - For students to demonstrate an enhanced engagement through the new DRAFT Religious Education Curriculum

Literacy - To develop oral language through purposeful talk and active listening to extend students' reading and writing skills.

Numeracy - To improve students' ability to reason and communicate when problem solving.

As the staff gather for professional learning throughout the year, these goals will be the focus of our work. We will work closely with the support of Teacher Educators within the Diocese, who will also support us in the area of Science this year.

Throughout the year, parents will be updated on how we are achieving our school goals.

<u>Working together...</u>

Thank you to our parents, for your attendance at the Parent Information Nights last week. It was wonderful to see the teachers and parents working in true partnership with the children as the priority.

Thank you to our dedicated staff for giving so generously of their time to prepare and present to you. Your continued support and partnership allows us to achieve great things together for our children.

Congratulations....

I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate our Year 6 leaders as they were inducted at our School Assembly this week. We know that they will truly lead our community in a respectful and helpful way. We look forward to the opportunities and the responsibilities that you will take up on your journey this year. Congratulations Year 6 Leaders.

Yours in education,

Sarah O'Rourke Principal

CAR PARK REMINDERS

Thank you to all car park users who continue to use the car park in a safe and courteous manner. Just a couple of reminders:



- If using **Kiss and Drop** in the morning, parents stay in the car and children leave via the path side.
- If using the Kiss and Drop in the morning, your children can get out at any point along the Kiss and Drop zone you don't have to wait to get to the front of the queue.
- The car park is **one way** in the afternoon and no one parks on Father Chris' lawn nor exits via his driveway.
- We respect the No Parking signs in the car park.

Religious

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Dear Parents.

Faith Formation

Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year C

Gospel Gospel

Lk 6:27-38 Love your enemy.

A beginning point for discussion of this week's Gospel with children: Can you think of times when people are unkind at school or at home? What do you sometimes feel like doing when people are unkind to you? Jesus asks us to forgive those that hurt us in today's story. How hard can this be? Think of someone that you need to forgive and pray for them.

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Catholic Culture



Our first Sacramental meeting for Penance (Reconciliation) will be on **Wednesday 27th February at 7.30pm** in the Church.

Please be aware that we have some upcoming celebrations which we hope many families and friends will be able to attend.

22/2/19 Opening School Mass 9.30am – Kindergarten welcome after communion.

SRC induction at the conclusion of mass.

27/2/19 Parent Penance (Reconciliation) Meeting – 7.30pm in church

4/3/19 Catholic Schools Week Liturgy and Assembly
5/3/19 Shrove Tuesday – Pancake Breakfast - 8.15am
6/3/19 Ash Wednesday – Yr 3 – 6 Parish Mass 9.10am

K – 2 Liturgy 11.30am (in church)

21/3/19 Harmony Day

Understanding Faith Online Resource

We are able to use an online resource to support our religious education. Why not check it out for yourselves.

https://primary.understandingfaith.edu.au/log-in

user : ceo.parra.6735 password : ceo.2019.parra

Many blessings,

Sharon Shahoud Religious Education Coordinator

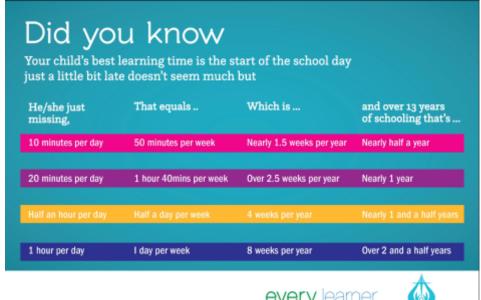
PREMIER'S READING CHALLENGE 2019



Information and a permission note for students to participate in the 2019 Premier's Reading Challenge will be going home shortly.

The Premier's Reading Challenge aims to encourage a love of reading and to enable students to experience quality literature by reading from a vast list of recommended books. The challenge is for students to read more and to read more widely by exposing them to many different authors.

Students can borrow PRC books from the School Library as well as Penrith Library and it's other Branches. Students keep a reading log online and submit entries directly through the Premier's Reading Challenge website which they can access from home at anytime. The challenge runs from 4th March to 30th August 2019.



At school we are interested in your child's:

- Well being and happiness
- **Engagement with** learning in the classroom
- Social and emotional development





The single most important thing you can do to support all of these areas is ensure they attend **Every Day!**

Oz Fashions Uniform Shop



- Online ordering system via the QKR app.
- Delivery to school every Wednesday. Orders must be placed by 4pm Tuesday for delivery on Wednesday.
- * No refunds. Exchanges accepted on merchandise returned in original condition.
- * Sample sizes available in the school office, to try on for sizing, every Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 8:30am-8:55am and 3:05pm-3:30pm.

Please email all exchanges to elle@ozfashions.com.au.

All inquiries please contact Elle elle@ozfashions.com.au or 0421 216 414.

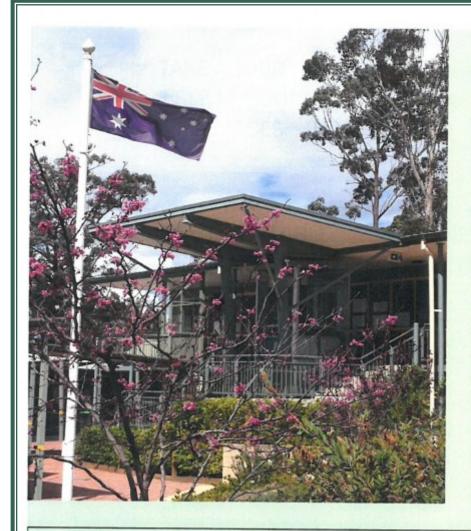


HELPERS NEEDED TO COVER BOOKS FOR THE LIBRARY



If you are able to spare some time to cover some books for us at home please complete the slip below. We will supply you with the contact for the books. We will ring you and ask you to collect the books from the school.

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Att: Library					
Yes I can help contact books when neede	d.				
Name		Contact Number			
Child's name	Class		_		



ENROLMENTS OPEN FOR KINDERGARTEN 2020 AT OUR...

CORPUS CHRISTI PRIMARY

TWILIGHT TOUR (OPEN NIGHT)

TUESDAY 5TH MARCH BETWEEN 5PM - 7PM

If you are unable to attend this night please contact our Enrolment Secretary, Mrs Paton, after 5" March on

02 4726 2200

Enrolments close 31" May 2019

TAKE A TOUR AND SEE LEARNING SPACES

STAFF AVAILABLE TO ANSWER QUESTIONS

ENROLMENT INFORMATION AVAILABLE

DROP IN FOR 10 MINUTES OR AN HOUR – IT'S UP TO YOU

PRIMARY SCHOOL

90 Andromeda Drive Cranebrook 2749

Ph: 02 4726 2200

AWARD

PRINCIPAL'S AWARD

Ruby O'Brien - 2B

Toby Gill - 4B

Reign Atienza - 6E

Darcy Kneale - 2G

Kaitlyn Dilley - 5G

Austin Tunaley - 6E

Kaelan Stacey - 3G

BJ Dhillon - 6B

Cayla Atienza - 4B

Hannah Thompson - 6B



CO-ORNDINATORS AWARDS

Ruby Thompson - 4B

Jakub Wos - 6E

Hayley Tempone - 4E

Lily Duhig - 6G

Hamish Richardson - 5B

Lachlan Monteleone - 5G



MERIT AWARDS – Listening to others



Zachary Cropper - KB

Ayva Ram-Wolarczuk - KB

Damien Grima - KE

Ciara Pace - KE

Alec Iddles - KG

Emma Vella - KG

Jason Cedeno - 1B

Ava Laban - 1B

Sarah Bolton - 1E

Jenson Pryke - 1E

Myah Filiipo - 1G

Tyler Smith - 1G

Alannah Borg - 2B

Eva Samoluk - 2B

Austin Barglik - 2E

Isabella George - 2E

Timothy Balassis - 2G

Ishana Singh - 2G

Brae Cavallaro - 3B

Emily Cropper - 3B

Aaron Kosorukow - 3E

Ana Stojanovic - 3E

Samantha Attard - 3G

Juliana Bernardino - 3G

Aleida Cook - 4B

Kiah Ogden - 4B

Riccardo Atmojo - 4E

Sharni Cremen- 4E

Hannah George - 4G

Lincoln Klemesrud - 4G

Christian McCann - 5B

Liam Millar - 5B

Lorelei Jarrett-Dalton - 5E

Jake Xiberras - 5E

Logan Buzzi - 5G

Georgia Baldwin - 5G

Skye Daly - 6B

Jacob Kovacs - 6B

Shiloh Dpenha - 6E

Austin Tunaley - 6E

Kailtyn Grima - 6G

Joshua McAdam - 6G

TERM 1 2019 CALENDAR

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY/ SUNDAY
Week 4	18th ●Year 2 Assembly & School Leaders Induction - 2:10pm ●Census Day ●School Banking	19th ●Nepean Zone Swimming Carnival	20th	21st	22nd Open School Mass 9:30am-10:30am SRC Induction PRG Zooper Dooper Day PRG Family Picnic 5:00pm-7:00pm Diocesan Swimming Carnival	23rd/24th
Week 5	25th ●School Banking	26th	27th Parent Meeting Reconciliation - 7:30pm	28th	1st March •Clean Up Schools Day •PRG Zooper Dooper Day	2nd/3rd
Week 6 Catholic Schools Week	4th Catholic Schools Week Liturgy and Year 4 Assembly - 2:10pm School Banking	5th Shrove Tuesday- Pancake Breakfast - 8:15am Open Classrooms 9:00am-9:15am Twilight Tour - 5:00pm-7:00pm	6th ●Ash Wednesday Mass - Years 3 –6 9:00am ●Ash Wednesday Liturgy - Years K-2 11:30am-12:00pm	7th	8th ●PRG Zooper Dooper Day	9th/10th
Week 7	11th SRC to Halogen Leadership Day School Banking	12th	13th	14th	15th ●National Day Against Bullying ●School Cross Country ●PRG Zooper Dooper Day	16th/17th
Week 8	18th ●Year 5 Assembly - 2:10pm ●School Banking	19th	20th	21st ●Harmony Day	22nd •Year 4 Parish Mass - 9:00am •PRG Zooper Dooper Day •Earth Hour - 2:00pm	23rd/24th
Week 9	25th ●School Banking	26th	27th ●Easter Raffle Tickets due	28th	29th ●PRG Zooper Dooper Day	30th/31st
Week 10	1st April •Year 3 Assembly - 2:10pm •School Banking	2nd	3rd	4th	5th ●Year 2 Parish Mass – 9:00am ●PRG Zooper Dooper Day	6th/7th
Week 11	8th ●School Banking	9th	10th ●PRG Easter Raffle drawn	11th	12th ●PRG Zooper Dooper Day ■Last Day of Term 1	13th/14th

SPORTS NEWS

Zone Swimming Carnival

On Tuesday 19th February, 23 students represented Corpus Christi at the Nepean Zone Swimming Carnival, at Glenbrook Swimming Pool. We had beautiful weather and great results to match. All the children represented Corpus Christi with passion and pride and gave it their all on the day with lots of children achieving Personal Best times in their races.

Congratulations to Caitlin Medak who was overall Junior Girls Age Champion on the day and also to Georgia Baldwin who was Runner Up 11yr Girls Age Champion. What an amazing achievement, well done girls!

From this carnival the top 4 fastest times per event qualify to attend Diocesan. This Carnival will be held at Blacktown Pools on Friday 22nd February. Corpus Christi had 17 athletes qualify to compete, which is an amazing achievement!

Good Luck to the following Students who are competing in the Diocesan Swimming Carnival:



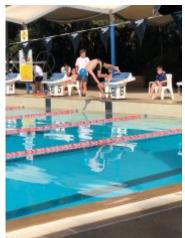
Georgia Baldwin Mikayla Elks Cooper Falzon Jeneka Gulati Hayden Horn Bailey Lean Ivy Lovelle Cedeno Sibella Mazurek Eloise McEwan

Caitlin Medak Conner Pryke Lachlan Pryke **Dominic Wakeling** Leni Harb Thomas Whittaker Benjamin McWilliams Saxon Mumford











All Corpus Christi Swimming Zone competitors

















A big THANK YOU to our parent helpers Kylie Baldwin, Ante Medak and Julie Harb who took on the role of Time Keeping at the Zone carnival your help and support on the day was greatly appreciated.

PDCPSSC REPRESENTATIVE SPORTS

Information regarding the trial dates for approved applicants ONLY are on the website www.primarysportparra.catholic.edu.au under Representative Selections. Please note the applications for these selections are now CLOSED and no further applications will be taken. The children will be notified as soon as confirmation of the approved applicants becomes available. For future reference the trial dates are as follows for the following sports:

Soccer Friday 22nd March

Cook Park Wilson St St Marys

Netball

Monday 11th March at 11.40am Hawkesbury Stadium YMCA 16 Stewart St South Windsor

Rugby League

Tuesday 19th March Patrician Brothers College Blacktown

Softball

Wednesday 1st May 2019 Stanhope Gardens Softball Complex Stanhope Parkway, Stanhope Gardens

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To Be Advised

HATS



Please ensure that your child comes to school EVERYDAY with their school hat. If they do not have a school hat please provide a suitable non school hat until a school hat can be purchased. Please ensure that your child's hair is done in a way so that their hat can be worn properly when they are playing and it won't fall off. Reminder notes will be sent home with children who continually do not have their hat at school. We thank you for your continued support in helping us to convey the correct sun safety message to our children.

UPCOMING SPORTING EVENTS		
22/2	Parramatta Diocesan Swimming Carnival	
15/3	Cross Country	

Mrs Melissa McGrath Sport Coordinator & PE Teacher



Parents Representative Council
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HELPING YOUR CHILD MANAGE ANXIETY



Learn effective way to deal with child anxiety and positive behavior practices

What can you do?

How is the Catholic Education Department Parramatta (CEDP) helping?

Our guest speaker for the evening is:

Anoushka Houseman

Clinical Psychologist

Wellbeing Coordinator - Catholic Education Diocese of Parramatta (CEDP)

Register FREE now: www.prc.catholic.edu.au

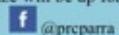
Monday, 4th March 2019

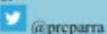
Doors open: 6:30pm for 7:00pm (2 hours) (PRC AGM- will be held prior to guest speaker)

St Patrick's Primary School: 51-59 Allawah Street, Blacktown

Light supper and refreshments will be provided and a lucky door prize will be up for grabs!

www.prc.catholic.edu.au







THANK YOU TO OUR 2019 SPONSOR Floral Expressions

For details on the School fundraising program
Call Charles Lukasik on 02 9683 1116



UPDATING CONTACT DETAILS

It is important the school is informed of any new contact details. Please note this is crucial should the school need to contact parents, particularly in an emergency situation. A Change of Contact Details Form can be obtained from our website www.cccranebrook.catholic.edu.au or the school office.



TUCKSHOP2U

A reminder to parents to update your child's profile with their current *Year* and *Class* on your Tuckshop2U account. This will assist in ensuring your child's lunch order is placed in the correct lunch tub.





75 Mackellar Street, Emu Plains

Enrolling now for 2020

Open Evening: Tuesday 19 March 2019 Time: 5.00pm to 8.00pm

- ➤ Meet the Principal, staff and student leaders
- ➤ Tours of the College facilities
- > Enrolment packages available
- > Presentations at 5.15pm, 6.00pm and 6.45pm

Enquiries: 4728 8100

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