

# ST PAUL'S LUTHERAN PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

Term 2 Week 9

18 June 2019

St Paul's Lutheran Church Services Sunday  
8am & 9.30am  
If you have questions about the Christian  
Faith please contact Pastor Mike  
0421 131 965.

## Diary Dates

2019

**Friday 21 June**

Prep - Yr 2 Athletics Carnival

**Sunday 23 June**

Prep School Sunday

**Tuesday 25 June**

Prep Retirement Village Visit

**Thursday 27 June**

Free Dress Day - Gold Coin Donation RSPCA

Prep Strawberry Farm Excursion

**Students finish Term 2**

**Friday 28 June**

PUPIL FREE DAY

**Monday 15 July**

**Students begin Term 3**

Term Break  
Office Hours  
are 10.00am  
until 2.00pm.

## Leave all your worries with God

**In the same way you younger people must submit yourselves to your elders. And all of you must put on the apron of humility, to serve one another; for the scripture says 'God resists the proud, but shows favour to the humble.' Humble yourselves, then, under God's mighty hand, so that he will lift you up in his own good time. Leave all your worries with him, because he cares for you.**

One of the greatest symptoms of pride is worry. Most often people worry because they think that God is not in control and that it is up to them to make sure that the whole world runs smoothly and according to plan. Humble people are in touch with reality. They know that God has all things in his care, and they look to him for all they need.

God has a way of giving you the freedom to be a humble person. He does this by offering a swap with you: you give him all your worry, and he will give you all his peace in Christ in return.

You matter to God. He cares for you. Dump all the things that cause you worry and concern onto his heart. He hears you. He knows your wants and needs. When the time is perfect for you to receive, he will give you all your heart desires.

**Lord I am worried about many things. Open my lips, so that I may tell you all that is on my heart, and give me your peace in return. Amen.**

## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Congratulations to our Senior School Athletics Team on being wonderful ambassadors for our school at last week's District Athletics Carnival. Well done to all the athletes on competing so well over the two days. St Paul's finished up in second place in the C-Schools' Division. Thank you to the many parents and family members who supported and encouraged the students over the two days. Thank you to Mrs. White and Miss Gall for all the work done behind the scenes in supporting our athletes. Our Senior School Team will now go on to represent St Paul's at the Inter-Lutheran Athletics Carnival up on the Sunshine Coast next term.

This coming Friday our Junior School students [Prep – Year 2] will have their Athletics Carnival on Friday. You are warmly invited to attend this event and spend the morning with us watching our students in action.

A big part of our learning philosophy at St Paul's is about growing the processes [effort] which the students go through on their daily learning journey rather than just looking at an end product. It's important that all our learners come to understand that in working through any learning task, the end product does not define who we are as learners but that it's about putting in an effort, making mistakes, asking for help, failing quickly and smartly and trying again which defines us on our journey. As we did at the end of last year, we will again be celebrating student effort at the end of this semester. Celebrating Student Effort Awards will be presented to students who continue to give outstanding effort across all learning areas. These awards will be presented at our respective Junior School and Senior School assemblies in Week 2 next term to those students who have met the necessary criteria for consistently making a choice to display an outstanding effort throughout Semester 1. Parents of those students receiving a Celebrating Student Effort award, will be contacted before the end of the term.

We look forward to welcoming our Prep students and families to their School Sunday this weekend. Thank you to the Prep team for the work done in getting the students ready for this event.

I will be on Sabbatical Leave for the first 4 weeks next term. During my absence Mrs. Lois Kube will step up as the Acting Principal while Miss Hayley Baker will be the Acting Deputy Principal. I am looking forward to spending some quality time with my wife during this period of leave as we walk the Camino in Portugal and Spain, and I also look forward to sharing some of my experiences with you on my return in Week 5.

Wishing everyone a great week.

Yours in Christ.

Anton Prinsloo  
Principal

### Quote of the Week:

*"These are the few ways we can practice humility:  
To speak as little as possible of one's self.  
To mind one's own business.  
Not to want to manage other people's affairs.  
To avoid curiosity.  
To accept contradictions and correction cheerfully.*

*To pass over the mistakes of others.  
To accept insults and injuries.  
To accept being slighted, forgotten and disliked.  
To be kind and gentle even under provocation.  
Never to stand on one's dignity.  
To choose always the hardest."  
[Mother Teresa]*



## FROM THE DEPUTY

### Easter Garden

Have you noticed the cloth on the centre cross in our Easter Garden has been changed again? This time to green - the colour of life and growth.

The season after Pentecost focuses on the work of the Holy Spirit in our lives and how we respond to God's love. The season after Pentecost is the longest of the church year, stretching right through until Advent, four weeks before Christmas. During this time, we focus on ways in which Christ empowers us by his grace to share the Good News with others.



### Permission Forms – Parent Lounge

Permission forms for excursions and camps will now only be accessible through Parent Lounge. General information for excursions and camps will be emailed to the relevant year level parents. Access to Parent Lounge will require your unique login. If you require any assistance with any of this process, please see the School Office.

Lois Kube  
Deputy Principal

## FROM THE HEAD OF TEACHING AND LEARNING

### Saving Lil and Archie Production

Last Thursday and Friday saw the whole school be part of a performance on Cybersafety, Bullying and Social skills. The feedback from both staff and students has been overwhelmingly positive and has enabled us to present information in another way which allows the students to make connections in their everyday life. I hope you were able to chat with your child/ren and find out what they took away from the performance.



### Charging iPads

It is important that all students bring a charged iPad to school each day in order to complete the tasks set by the classroom teachers. We are finding many students are arriving each day with either flat iPads or little charge left to get them through the morning session.

Can parents please ensure students are charging their iPads at home. We are trying to instill many essential skills in the students and being independent, problem solvers who can work effectively with the allocated resources is extremely important.

We appreciate your support with this matter.

### Tiktok and Musical-ly

We are currently having issues with some of students using the Tiktok app which is very similar to musical-ly. It is an app the students are using outside of school, but bringing the problems into the classroom and wanting the teachers to resolve them.

I have included the following link for parents to view and get an understanding of the app.

<https://www.internetsafeeducation.com/blog/tiktok-and-musical-ly-the-new-popular-video-sharing-network/>

Can you please take the time to discuss this app with your student/s.

We appreciate your support with this matter.

### Reports

As you may be aware the staff are currently in the process of writing the Semester 1 reports. **These will be made available online on Wednesday 17 July.**

### Premier's Reading Challenge

This year we have registered the school in the Premier's Reading Challenge which aims to improve literacy and encourage children to read for pleasure and learning. In 2018, more than 2.46 million books were read by more than 180,000 Queensland children and students from 1,012 schools and 388 early childhood centres.

For a student to successfully complete the Premier's Reading Challenge they are required to read or experience the number of books indicated below:

**Prep to Year 2** – read or experience 20 books.

**Years 3 to 4** – read 20 books.

**Years 5 to 9** – read 15 books. (more complex books)

Experiencing a book includes classroom or at home activities such as shared reading, listening and reading along with a book, or being read to.

Students are encouraged to select a range of fiction and non-fiction books suited to their reading ability. While there is no compulsory reading list for the challenge, booklists are available to help students, teachers, parents and guardians select appropriate reading material. A list of these has been given to the classroom teacher to place on Seesaw for parents to see. Please see Miss Baker if you have any questions.

### Community Garden Update

It has been over a month since we planted our seedlings, flowers and fruit trees into our community garden.

Here are some photos to show how well it is doing and what vegetables we have that are nearly ready to be picked.

Please come and have a look at it the next time you are at school.

Hayley Baker  
Head of Teaching and Learning





## CELEBRATING STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT

Congratulations to the following students who were recently celebrated at assembly:

Prep	Cooper N Saige S	Working quietly on my own. Working quietly on my own.
Year 1	Jacob B	Showing a positive attitude towards learning and being a kind and caring friend.
Year 2	Deng D	Working well independently
From Mrs Delroy	Brock H (1B)	Independently starting his work and confidently organising his belongings.
Year 3	Lucas N Kruiz H	Making progress towards his reading goals this term.
Year 4	Sonny A Milly F Noah B Emily D	Participating in all camp activities with enthusiasm and consideration for others. Her supportive and encouraging attitude toward others during camp. Participating in all camp activities with kindness and positivity. Bravely facing her fears and participating in all camp challenges.
Year 5	Ila A Thomas C Lawson C	Making reading gains through comprehension and inferring texts. Producing well-written and creative writing pieces.
Principal's Award	Aurora D Lena S	For being respectful, well behaved and setting a good example whilst travelling on the Grace Lutheran College bus.



## INSIDE STORY: Year 3

On Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> June, as a part of our inquiry unit "Feathers, Fur and Leaves", Year 3 biologists loaded on to the bus to travel to the Butterfly House on Bribie Island to experience personally the world of living things. The butterflies loved our yellow shirts!



## OUTSIDE SCHOOL HOURS CARE

Don't miss out! There will be FUN, LAUGHTER and EXCITING activities happening at OSHC during July Vacation Care. Flipside Circus will be joining us. Children will be learning all the tricks of the trade to become Circus performers. You can make your own Pizzas then enjoy eating them. Let the scientist in you shine through at the International Day of Science. You can get out of bed in the morning and come to us in your PJ's for a Slumber Party. We have the Go Karts again - make sure you bring your championship driving skills with you.

We have lots of other exciting activities. Pop in and see my friendly staff for a program, or look on the school website to see what else is happening.

Shirley Crispe  
St Paul's OSHC Service Leader.



Outside School Hours Care

## PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Congratulations to all St Paul's Athletes who competed at the **Annual Caboolture Districts**



**Athletics Carnival** last Thursday and Friday. Our students competed with great energy and willingness to demonstrate good sportsmanship qualities in their various events. Special acknowledgement to Kuer Kuer placing overall 3<sup>rd</sup> in the 200m and 5<sup>th</sup> in the 800m event. Brady Hawkins placing 4<sup>th</sup> in the 200m event and 3<sup>rd</sup> in the 100m & Abbey Thomason placing 1<sup>st</sup> in the 100m. 4 x 100m Relay results: Junior Girls pacing 3<sup>rd</sup>, Senior Boys 2<sup>nd</sup> and Senior Girls 1<sup>st</sup>. Overall St Paul's finished 2<sup>nd</sup> in the C Schools Division, behind Wamuran. We wish Abbey and Brady all the best at Regionals mid-July. Thank you to Mrs White and all our wonderful supporters who attended!



**Winter Active Holidays Program Bookings**, initiated by the Moreton Bay Council, open today Tuesday, 18 June 2019 at 11am. Active Holidays will be delivered from 1 to 13 July 2019 and includes a bulked-up program of more than 80 free and low-cost sport and recreation activities for children and teenagers aged 3 to 17 years. Please visit [www.moretonbay.qld.gov.au](http://www.moretonbay.qld.gov.au) for more details.

**Prep – Year 2 Junior Sports Day Carnival** is this **Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June** on the St Paul's School oval. We invite you to come down to show your support and encouragement to the students. First rotation to start approximately 9:00am, join us for a picnic morning tea at 10:30-10:50am (BYO), with the carnival concluding at 12:15pm. Results to be presented on the Junior assembly that afternoon at 1:35pm.

### Junior Sports Day Carnival

Friday 21 June 2019  
Team Game Rotations

	Prep A	Prep B	Year 1A	Year 1B	Year 2A	Year 2B
8:40am - 8:55am	Students assemble on the oval					
9:00am - 9:15am	High Jump	Egg & Spoon/ Sack Races	Tug of War	Long Jump	Over & Under Tunnel Ball	Target Throw
9:15am - 9:30am	Egg & Spoon/ Sack Races	Tug of War	Long Jump	Over & Under Tunnel Ball	Target Throws	High Jump
9:30am - 9:45am	Tug of War	Long Jump	Over & Under Tunnel Ball	Target Throws	High Jump	Egg & Spoon/ Sack Races
9:45am - 10:00am	Long Jump	Over & Under Tunnel Ball	Target Throw	High Jump	Egg & Spoon/ Sack Races	Tug of War
10:00am - 10:15am	Over & Under Tunnel Ball	Target Throws	High Jump	Egg & Spoon/ Sack Races	Tug of War	Long Jump
10:15am - 10:30am	Target Throws	High Jump	Egg & Spoon/ Sack Races	Tug of War	Long Jump	Over & Under Tunnel Ball
10:30am - 10:50am	Morning Tea Picnic on the oval					
11:00am - 12:15pm	<b>Sprints and Relays</b> Prep Boys 50m Prep Girls 50m Year 1 Boys 60m Year 1 Girls 60m Year 2 Boys 70m Year 2 Girls 70m <b>PLUS + parents and teachers race – dependent on time</b> <b>Relays (Parent involvement)</b> <b>Announcement of Results</b>					
1:30pm Assembly						

## SCHOOL TIMES

**8.00am**  
Students Supervised

**8.20am**  
Warning Bell to Classes

**8.30am**  
Learning Begins

**10.50am - 11.30pm**  
Morning Recess

**12.50pm - 1.30pm**  
Lunch

**3.00pm**  
End of School Day

**ALLERGY SAFE  
AREA**  
**NO NUTS**

## ASSEMBLY TIMES

**Senior Assembly**  
Thursday 8.35am

**Junior Assembly**  
Friday 1.30pm

## CHAPEL TIMES

**Senior Chapel**  
Wednesday 8.35am

**Junior Chapel**  
Wednesday 9.05am

Let's be  friends

@StPaulsLutheranPrimary School

@StPaulsLutheranKindy

@SPLCCaboolture

Join the P&F closed group:  
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/SPLPSPandF/>

## UNIFORM SHOP

**Wednesdays**  
8.00am-9.00am  
& 2.30-3.30pm

**Fridays**  
8.00am-9.00am

Orders can be submitted online on Flexischools and delivered to students on uniform shop days.

## FROM THE CHAPLAIN

A great way for you to contribute to the RSPCA as a family, are our weekly craft ideas. Once you have finished your craft, you can drop it directly to RSPCA Dakabin (Goodwin Road, Dakabin) or into school reception.

**DON'T FORGET** our Free Dress Fundraiser on Thursday 27 June.

Chappy Teneille Kirby



### Snuffle Mat Instructions

Thanks so much for volunteering to help – our cats, dogs and puppies will really love their snuffle mats!

**To make a snuffle mat you will need:**

- A rubber mat with holes
- Sharp Scissors
- Polar Fleece

**How to make a snuffle mat:**

1. Cut the fleece into strips approximately 2cm wide and 20-25cm long. You don't have to be perfect. Cut a lot – you will be surprised at how much you need.
2. Begin making the mat by looping a piece of fleece through 2 holes and tying a knot. The knot side is the side that your dog/cat will be working in – however it is actually easier to work from the underside to push the material through.
3. Work by filling in the edges initially, before covering the rest of the mat.
4. When you have finished – give the mat to your dog and sprinkle some dry food over the top.
5. You can make it harder by gently scruffing the mat as you pour the food over, they will fall deeper into the layers.

Here's a link to an instructional video for more info:  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bEOG9DND51E>

