



NEWSLETTER

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Week 2 Term 4

22nd October – 5th November 2019

Principals Message

Term 4 is well underway! I trust that everyone had a restful and enjoyable break. I get a real thrill from seeing the excitement on the childrens' faces as they return at the start of a new term and reconnect with their classmates and teachers. This will be a busy term with reports, awards, our end of year Mass, Year 6 Graduation and Christmas carols. At last week's assembly, I challenged the children to continue to work hard, listen carefully to their teachers and treat each other with respect. I know that they can all do it and with encouragement from home, it is certainly achievable.

World Teachers' Day is celebrated annually around the world (on different dates) and will be celebrated this Friday in NSW. It is an opportunity to recognise the significant contribution that teachers make to our society. The St Monica's community is very fortunate to have a team of such dedicated and hardworking teachers who strive to ensure that all children experience success. I would like to acknowledge the work that they do and thank them for their dedication to the children in their care.

Cameron Lievore
Principal

Diary Dates	
Tuesday October 22	K-6 Gymnastics P&F Meeting 7pm in the Library
Wednesday October 23	K-6 Gymnastics
Thursday October 24	Rainbow Day Hot Dog Fundraiser At Youth Perf Arts Company 9.30am K-6 Gymnastics
Friday October 25	Rainbow Day K-6 Prish Mass 9am 
Monday October 28	School Assembly 2:15pm
Tuesday October 29	K-6 Gymnastics
Wednesday October 30	K-6 Gymnastics Stage 3 Basketball Gala Day
Thursday October 31	K-6 Gymnastics Year 6 Graduation Photos
Friday November 1	All Saints Day Yr 5 Yarramundi
Upcoming Events: Tues 5 th Nov - Mark Taylor Cricket Yrs 4,5,6	

Affirmation

*All of the staff at St Monica's for their dedication and hardwork.
We are a blessed community!*

P&F Meeting

Please join us for our final P&F Meeting for the year, tonight 7pm in the Library.
Enter through Parish Car Park Gates.

CANTEEN ROSTER

Thank you to the following parents who will be working in the canteen this week. We appreciate the time and effort you give to our students. If you are unable to attend your rostered day please contact Michelle on 0405 103 866.

Wednesday October 23	Alex Bourke
Friday October 25	Mence Chadevski & <i>Volunteer Needed please</i>
Monday October 28	Kerrlie Campbell
Wednesday October 30	<i>Volunteer Needed Please</i>
Friday November 1	Agi Tomaszewski & Steve Chadevski
Monday November 4	<i>Volunteer Needed Please</i>
Wednesday November 6	Bethany Cox



<i>Happy Birthday to the children celebrating their birthday in OCTOBER</i>	
Cailan W – 5W	Oliver D – KW
Leo B – 5B	Caitlin H – 4B
Chloe C – 2B	Nate J – KB
Alyssa G	Valentina S
Felicity R	Natalia M
Jayden S	Lauren A
Aidan E	Madeline S
Emily H	Jalene S
Jonathon H	Zoe L
Emily M	Lily-Rose B
Aiden B	Nelson M
Isabella N	Phoebe B

CAKE RAFFLE ROSTER

Cake Raffle is held each Thursday morning. Check each fortnight to see if your child is rostered to supply a cake on this day. The cake can be homemade or purchased from the grocery store. Tickets are sold for 20c each. All proceeds go towards purchases for our library.

Week 2 – Thursday 24th October			
KB	Aubrey G	KW	Emma M
1B	Elijah N	1W	Sophia B
2B	Joel S		
3B	Lachlan E	3W	Scarlett P
4B	Jazmyn M	4W	Joel L
5B	Jesse H	5W	Cruz H
6B	Ashton H	6W	Cody J
K6G	Marcus G		

Week 3 – Thursday 17th October			
KB	Nate J	KW	Amelia O
1B	Jade O	1W	Thomas C
2B	Jake Y		
3B	Rowan H	3W	Jonathon P
4B	Benjamin M	4W	Alayna V
5B	Ethan I	5W	Emily H
6B	Joshua J	6W	Jesse K
K6G	Amelia H		

Congratulations to the children who received a Blue Awards Morning Tea in September

Kindergarten - Indiana M, William C, Angus R, Amelia O, Michael C, Ryan P, Jasmine L, Aubrey G

Yr 1 - Jade O, Braxton M, Max S

Yr 3 - Felicity S, Jacob C

Yr 4 - Lucas R, Aiden B

Yr 5 - Bryn M, Layla D, Charlotte R, Lidia H

K6Gold – Shae N



RAINBOW DAY

Mufti colours.

Kinder - Red

Year 3 - Green

Year 5 - Indigo

Year 1 - Orange

Year 4 - Blue

Year 6 - Violet

Year 2 - Yellow

*** Please do not go to any expense for this day. If your child doesn't have the specified colour, a ribbon, a t-shirt, or something close to the colour will be fine.

Students and staff of St Monica's Primary School, Richmond will celebrate Rainbow Day on Friday, October 25th. The purpose of this day is to raise funds to support the work of Mary MacKillop International.

Students from Year 5 have organised games, cake stalls, White Elephant stall and have made craft items that will be sold on the day of our Rainbow Day celebration. All students are asked to wear rainbow coloured mufti and join together to celebrate. Mass will be at 9.00am and you are invited to join us in the Church.

Hot Dog Lunch \$5.00 Thursday 24th October. Please return your orders by tomorrow.

PARISH NEWS

If you picked up an Enrolment for the Sacrament of Reconciliation and missed the enrolment ceremony last weekend, please contact the parish office to make alternate arrangements on 4578 1410.

FEES

Thank you to those families that have finalised their account for the year or are continuing with their payment arrangements. The third instalment of school fees is now overdue and reminder letters have been issued. If you are experiencing any financial difficulty, you are encouraged to contact Cheryl Bolton in the school office to arrange a confidential appointment with Mr Lievore.

A reminder to families, as per CEDP policy, a term's notice (10 school weeks) in writing must be given to the principal before the removal of a student or a full term's fees will be payable. The notice can be given any time during term for the next term

BOOK CLUB

Please be reminded that all book club ordering is to be done online, there will be no orders accepted through the school.

Book Club Orders due:

Friday 1st November

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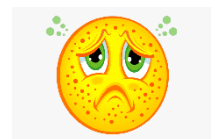
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HEALTH

There has been a case of chicken pox reported to the school. Please visit

<https://www.health.nsw.gov.au/Infectious/factsheets/Pages/chickenpox.aspx> for further information or consult your doctor.



We have also had a regular repeat of head lice. For more information and how to treat it please visit:

<https://www.health.nsw.gov.au/environment/headlice/Pages/treatment.aspx>



Rugby League

Last Wednesday, a junior and senior Rugby League team from St Monica's represented our school in the Hawkesbury Cup. Both sides were made up of regular players and quite a few first timers. Both teams performed beyond expectations and did themselves and their school proud! A particular thank you must go out to Bill Jansen and Martin Duncan for coaching the teams on the day. They both did a brilliant job. Thank you also to all those parents and carers who were able to come along and cheer our little champions on! Again, well done to both teams for making it such a successful day.

Mr Mark Feneley



Gymnastics

Last week Years 3-6 commenced their Gymnastics Program with Moving Bodies and really enjoyed their session. Years K-2 will commence this week. We look forward to the children developing their skills further and the enjoyment they will get from participating in the program.

Mrs Karen Buccini
PE Teacher



[THIS NOTICE WAS RECEIVED FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE IN SEPTEMBER:](#)

Good afternoon,

We are writing to inform you that the Department of Defence has completed the detailed environmental investigation into the presence of per- and poly-fluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) on, and in the vicinity of, RAAF Base Richmond.

All findings of the investigation, including detailed reports and factsheets, are available for download from the RAAF Base Richmond PFAS Project website at:

www.defence.gov.au/environment/pfas/Richmond/publications.asp

*For future queries regarding the detailed environmental investigation and the management of PFAS, please contact Defence's National PFAS Information line on **1800 365 414** or email*

PFASDefenceCoordination@golder.com.au

Regards,

RAAF Base Richmond PFAS Environmental Investigation Project Team



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Week Month	St Monica's Primary School Term 4 Calendar - 2019 					
Day	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat/Sun
1 October	14th Assembly	15th GYMNASTICS - MOVING BODIES	16th Hawkesbury Cup Rugby League Yrs 3,4,5,6 GYMNASTICS -MOVING BODIES	17th GYMNASTICS - MOVING BODIES	18th GYMNASTICS - MOVING BODIES	19th/20th
2	21st	22nd GYMNASTICS - MOVING BODIES	23rd GYMNASTICS - MOVING BODIES	24th The Australian Youth Performing Arts Company 9:30am Rainbow Day Hotdog Day Fundraiser GYMNASTICS – MOVING BODIES	25th Rainbow Day K-6 Parish Mass 9am	26th/27th
3 November	28th Assembly	29th GYMNASTICS - MOVING BODIES	30th Stage 3 Basketball Gala Day GYMNASTICS - MOVING BODIES	31st Year Six Graduation Photos GYMNASTICS - MOVING BODIES	1st All Saints Day Year 5 Yarramundi	2nd/3rd
4	4th	5th Mark Taylor Cricket Yr 4,5&6 - Boys & Girls GYMNASTICS - MOVING BODIES	6th GYMNASTICS -MOVING BODIES	7th GYMNASTICS - MOVING BODIES	8th COUNTDOWN TO KINDY 1 - 2.15 - 3.00PM	9th/10th
5	11th Assembly Remembrance Day	12th GYMNASTICS - MOVING BODIES	13th GYMNASTICS - MOVING BODIES	14th Year 6 Fundraising Day GYMNASTICS - MOVING BODIES	15th COUNTDOWN TO KINDY 2 - 2.15 - 3.00PM	16th/17th
6	18th Year 2 Cultural Day 9:00 - 1pm	19th GYMNASTICS - MOVING BODIES	20th GYMNASTICS - MOVING BODIES	21st Year 5 Penrith Lakes Excursion GYMNASTICS - MOVING BODIES	22nd COUNTDOWN TO KINDY 3 - 2.15 - 3.00PM	23rd/24th
7 December	25th Kindy Orientation - Small Group Assembly	26th Kindy Orientation - Small Group Reconciliation (Evening) Ceremony- Parish based	27th Kindy Orientation - Small Group Reconciliation (Evening) Ceremony- Parish based	28th Kindy Orientation - Whole Grade	29th Kindy Orientation - Whole Grade New Kindy Information Session	30th/1st
8	2nd	3rd	4th P&F School Disco Richmond Club	5th	6th Swimming Carnival Year 6 Reflection Day	7th/8th
9	9th Year Two Expo of learning for yr 2 parent 9:00 - 9:30 School Choir Visit to the Richmond Nursing Home Assembly	10th	11th Reports to go home	12th	13th EOY Awards, Morning Tea EOY Mass - Times to be confirmed Carols in the Cola 6pm	14th/15th
10	16th School Choir Christmas Concert for Chesalon & Christmas Party in the Hall 11:30-1:30	17th Promotions Morning Year 6 Graduation Mass 6:30pm	18th Year Six Fun Day Last Day School for students	19th SDD	20th SDD	21st/22nd

CANTEEN MENU

SANDWICHES

Bread rolls (add extra)	\$0.50
Roast chicken	\$3.50
Roast chicken with salad	\$4.00
Ham & salad	\$4.00
Ham	\$3.00
Tuna	\$3.00
Vegemite	\$2.50
Cheese	\$2.50
Cheese & salad	\$3.50
Mediterranean roll (w/Tuna, olives & tomato paste)	\$3.00
Egg & lettuce	\$3.00
Jaffle: Ham & cheese	\$3.50
Jaffle: Cheese	\$3.00
Buttered bread	\$0.60

SALAD PACKS

Chicken & salad	\$4.50
Ham & salad	\$4.50
Tuna & Salad	\$4.50
Egg & salad	\$4.00
Salad bowl	\$3.50

WRAPS

Roast chicken, avocado, lettuce & mayo	\$4.50
Roast chicken & salad	\$4.50
Chicken tender wrap with lettuce & mayo	\$3.50

\$3.50

Hot dog with
sauce

HOT DOG DAY

K-2 - First WEDNESDAY of each month
3-6 - Second WEDNESDAY of each
month

HOT FOOD

Chicken Nuggets	3 for \$2.00	6 for \$4.00
Gluten free nuggets	3 for \$2.00	6 for \$4.00
Hash browns		\$1.50
Fish fingers	3 for \$2.00	6 for \$4.00
Corn on the cob		\$1.50
Hot roast chicken roll		\$3.50
Pie - Traveller (Large)		\$3.50
Pie - Snack (small)		\$2.00
Potato Pie (ONLY Term 2 & 3)		\$4.00
Lite sausage roll		\$3.00
Spinach & cheese rolls		\$3.00
Pizza - Cheese & bacon		\$3.50
Lasagne		\$4.00
Macaroni & cheese		\$4.00
Mamee chicken noodles		\$3.00
St Monica's cheese burger with tomato sauce		\$4.00
St Monica's beef burger with lettuce & tomato		\$4.00
Nacho dippers with salsa & cheese		\$3.50
Fish burger with lettuce & mayo		\$4.00
Chicken burger with lettuce & mayo		\$4.00

Paper bags \$0.10
Apples
\$1.00



Extra Fillings

Mayonnaise	\$0.30
Lettuce, tomato	\$0.30
Tomato sauce	\$0.30
Cheese, egg or avocado	\$0.50

FRUIT & JELLY

Jelly cup	\$1.00
Jelly & custard	\$1.50
Custard cup	\$1.00
Seasonal fruit cups (ONLY Term 1 & 4)	\$1.00

RECESS MENU

Garlic bread	\$1.00
Cheese & bacon rolls	\$2.00
Pasta cups (ONLY Term 2 & 3)	\$2.00
Carrot & cucumber with vegetable dip (ONLY Term 1 & 4)	\$1.00
Chocolate muffins	\$1.00
Pikelets (ONLY Wednesday)	\$0.50

To provide the best canteen service for the children, it is necessary for all orders to be handed in at the canteen before 9am. Thank you.

SNACKS

Red rock deli chips - Honey & soy	\$1.50
Smith's salt & vinegar (Gluten free)	\$1.50
Bread sticks (pizza & plain)	\$0.30
Want Want Rice Crackers	\$0.30
Eucalyptus drops	\$1.00

ICE BLOCKS

Quelch - 99% Fruit juice	\$1.00
Zooper Doopers	\$1.00
Zing (yoghurt & fruit)	\$1.00
Frozen apple/blackcurrant cups	\$1.00
Jelly joy sticks (Gluten free)	\$0.30

DRINKS

Popper juice Apple or Orange	\$1.50
Spring water	\$2.00
Quench (blue, green, red)	\$2.50
Flavoured milk Strawberry or Chocolate	\$2.50
Cup of plain milk	\$1.00

Please Note: RECESS & LUNCH ORDERS ARE TO
BE IN SEPARATE BAGS