



St Maria Goretti School

Inglewood

Newsletter

Term 1 Week 9

28th March, 2019



OUR SCHOOL STUDENT PROTECTION CONTACTS:

- Mrs Paula O'Rourke
- Mrs Naomi Smith

IMPORTANT DATES

April

- Tues 2nd—Holy Week Liturgy
- Wed 3rd—Mac Zone Soccer
- Thurs 4th—Combined T and F Carnival @ Millmerran
- Fri 5th—Pupil Free Day—End of Term 1
- 23rd—Term 2 begins
- 24th—Yr 4-6 Leadership Retreat
- 25th—ANZAC Day
- 26th—Mac Zone Cross Country

May

- Wed 1st—LIFE Education
- Mon 6th—Labour Day Holiday
- Fri 10th—Mac Zone Tennis
- Mon 13th—Fri 17th—NAPLAN Online

June

- Thurs 6th—School Performance Tours @ YSS
- Fri 28th—Pupil Free Day—End of Term 2



Mary Mackillop's reflective saying for this week is:

May God bless you and keep you strong. 28.9.1875

Dear Parents and Carers,

I have had the privilege of attending my daughter's State Swimming titles these last three days. Erin (and Kaylah) have performed with incredible calmness and positiveness on such a huge stage. This being Kaylah's first time, she has performed amazingly with a PB and great time. Erin this being her second year at this level but with some added events has performed incredibly as well. Congratulations girls on the wonderful results after all your hard work to participate at this level.

Headlice is an ongoing issue at present. Please ensure that you are treating (and checking) your child/ren's hair on a regular basis (every day is necessary) so that anything that is found can be dealt with quickly. I encourage all students with long hair to have it tied up and to not put heads together when working together on an activity. It is important to continue keeping on top of this so that it stops.

Please be aware that the Mac Zone Soccer trials are now next Wednesday due to impending rain forecast for tomorrow in Goondiwindi. Same arrangements will be in place but if this is a problem for transport please let us know ASAP.

Don't forget our Athletics carnival next week at St Joseph's School, Millmerran. There will be a BBQ and cakes, slices etc will be available on the day. We need to be at Millmerran by 8:30. Travel arrangements will be sent home Monday once all forms have been returned. Please be aware that no 400 or 800m events will be held on this day. We will hold our own here next term. Students are to wear their sports uniform including their school hat, a water bottle and packed lunch box or money for food. Thank you to those parents who have volunteered to help with the transportation of students to the event.

Reminder that parent teacher interviews are being held next week. This is an important opportunity to discuss how your child is going with the new year level. Teachers will be contacting you if you haven't returned your form to arrange a suitable time to meet with you.

Reminder also for those who wish their child to compete in the Mac Zone Cross Country after the holidays, that training is to occur in your time and must be completed for any student to participate. This requires students to train for at least 6 weeks if not longer. No student will be nominated if I am not satisfied with the amount of training. Good luck and happy training!

This is our last newsletter for the term due to the athletics carnival next week, so I wish everyone a safe and happy holiday plus a wonderful Easter. School resumes on Tuesday, 23rd April. There will also be NO ASSEMBLY next week.

This week's reflective saying is "No duty is too little to be done well." MM 26.4.1873

Happy holidays and Easter.

Paula

Tuckshop special

10 potato gems
\$1

Students of the Week



Tuckshop Volunteers:

29th March: Worker
Home Cooking

Jade Marrinan
Kylie Reece
Marietta Sumayan

5th April: NO TUCKSHOP DUE TO PUPIL FREE DAY

**PLEASE SEE NOTICE IN THIS NEWSLETTER
REGARDING ITEMS NOT AVAILABLE THIS
WEEK.**

Birthdays:

**NO
BIRTHDAYS
THIS
WEEK**



Congratulations to Jeshia
and Lincoln on learning their
golden sight words!



Well done to these students who received
Mathletics certificates this week.



Well done to both
Kaylah and Erin on their
swimming at the State
titles this week. We are
all very proud of your
achievements.



Thank you to the Prep-3
class who shared their
indigenous art with us on
assembly this morning.

Stewards of God's Creation

How do I show respect for Creation?

The earth and all life on it are part of God's creation. We are called to respect this gift. We are responsible for taking care of the world we live in and for sharing all the wonders and resources the earth gives us.

Our changing environment prompts us to stop and think about how we live on our planet. In the Prep – Year 3 classroom, we have been learning how to look after God's creation.

Did you know that we produce around 59,636 garbage trucks full of rubbish or 1,724 kilograms of rubbish for every single person in Australia? That's a lot of rubbish!



We have been learning about **recycling habits** to help create a healthier planet and environment for everyone to enjoy.

Knowing what can be recycled is one of the most important recycling facts for kids to learn and understand. Please refer to the diagram below to find out what can go in your bins.

Miss Sly

WHAT CAN GO IN YOUR BINS?

240L RECYCLING BIN



120L RUBBISH BIN



Holy Week Liturgy

Tuesday 2nd April at 2:30pm

In the P – 3 classroom

All welcome

Easter Mass Times

Palm Sunday—14th April—9am

Holy Thursday—18th April—6pm

Good Friday—19th April—10am

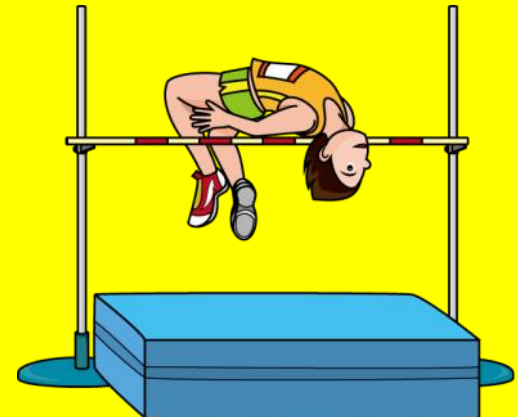
Saturday Vigil—20th April—6pm

*Easter Sunday—21st April
Yelarbon 6:45am, Texas 8am*



Athletics Carnival

Our combined Track and Field carnival will be held at St Joseph's Primary School Millmerran on Thursday 4th April for all students. Please return forms ASAP so transport arrangements can be made where needed.



Today students had the chance to explore the rich and diverse picture books based on ANZAC Day from our collection. Prep to 3 students heard the story of Alfred, an Aboriginal soldier who fought in the First World War and students in Years 4 - 6 browsed the many titles written and illustrated by Mark Wilson.



All students were encouraged to borrow material for the holidays. The next borrowing day will be Thursday 2nd May (Week 2, Term 2). Please remind your students to keep their library books in a safe, clean space over the next few weeks.

We are entering a team of Year 5/6 students in the Regional Readers Cup this year. This is a wonderful opportunity to read different fiction and to work as a team to answer questions based on the book. Thanks for your enthusiasm students and happy holiday reading everyone.



GOONDIWINDI LIBRARY PRESENTS

AWESOME ADAM MAGIC SHOW

Enjoy hilarious comedy, awesome magic
and have heaps of fun!

WEDNESDAY, 10 APRIL

SESSION 1 @ 10:00AM

SESSION 2 @ 12:30PM

FREE EVENT - BOOKINGS REQUIRED
NO TICKETS AVAILABLE AT DOOR

**TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM
GOONDIWINDI LIBRARY**



Do you want to learn
all of the tricks of the
trade?

**MAGICIAN
WORKSHOPS
11 APRIL**

Contact the Library
to book your spot
\$5.00 per person

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culture in regional Queensland.

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AWESOME ADAM MAGIC SHOW

MAGICIAN WORKSHOPS THURSDAY 11 APRIL

- Watch magic tricks and learn what a magicians life is like
- Learn how to make your own magic props and take them home
- Learn about performance and gain the self confidence to perform magic in front of friends and family
- Most importantly have a lot of fun!

MAGICIAN WORKSHOPS

9:30 am
10:30am
12:30pm
1:30pm

\$5.00 per person



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Chairperson: Mike Price
Secretary: Zalae Smith

Please return all raffle tickets by Wednesday.

Upcoming events:

4th April—Raffle tickets to be returned

10th April—Easter raffle drawn

15th May—PPF Meeting @4pm

Tuckshop

Important message regarding availability this week.

The following items are either limited or unavailable. Your child will be asked to choose something else if not available:

Fish bites—unavailable

Sausage rolls—unavailable

Pizza's—unavailable

Nuggets—almost gone

Potato gems—10 for \$1

Year 6 Canberra Fundraising:

Thank you to everyone who has returned their hot cross bun order form.

Please return all forms by Wednesday at the latest.

Toowoomba Catholic Schools Visiting services

Term 2 dates to be advised

Please note that Mac Zone soccer scheduled for tomorrow has been postponed until Wednesday 3rd April.



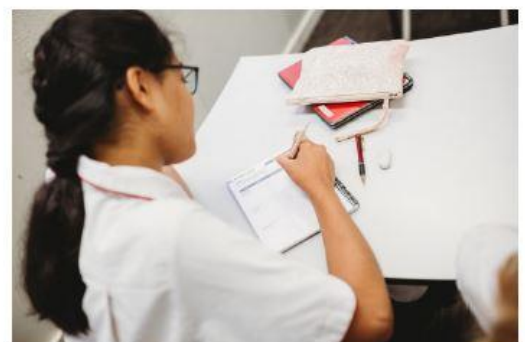
St Saviour's College

Open Evening

Tuesday May 21

3.00pm - 6.00pm

All families are welcome to attend.
For more details please phone the College on 4637 1600 or visit our website:
www.ssctwb.catholic.edu.au



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Prep - Year 6

Where Christian values are an everyday lived experience