



St. Mary's School Newsletter



Always faithful to God, ourselves and others in the spirit of the Presentation tradition.

St. Mary's is committed to Child Safety and the inclusion of all children.

Respect Ourselves - Respect Others - Respect our Environment

Term 2 - Week 9 - Friday June 23, 2023

PBIS Expectations:

Expectations When on Undercover/Verandah/Paths & Concrete Areas

Dear Families,

It's holidays!

Stay well and warm over the holidays and hopefully we will see everyone back happy and healthy on Monday the 10th of July.

A big congratulations to these 9 children who received their First Communion on Sunday.



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Farewells:

Yesterday we farewelled Chris Lamb in Grade 2.

We wish Chris all the very best for his future career move. We also say goodbye to Kathi Looker who has been in the Grade 5 & 6 as a support person.

We wish Kathi the best of luck in her future studies.

Welcome Back:

Welcome back to Taylor Dickinson as the Grade 2 teacher for the rest of the year.

Early Finish:

Today we finish at 2:30pm. Buses will be here then to pick up children as well.

Reports:

Reports will be released on PAM today at 12pm.

2023 School Closure Day:

Monday 6th November - Report Writing

School Uniform/Lost & Found:

School beanies are available from Brunella and probably a good choice on a chilly morning!

Please make sure jackets and jumpers are clearly labelled as we have lots in the lost property box in the junior room with no names on them.

Congratulations to our Class Award Winners this week!



**Freya, Natasha, Sienna, Ryan, Ivy, Stephanie, Raegan, Oliver, Violet,
AND ALL of Grade 2 (nominated by Mr. Lamb!)**



We send our best wishes to all who celebrated their Birthdays this week!



Charlee




Poppy



Luca

PBIS Expectations: Expectations When on Undercover/Verandah/Paths & Concrete Areas

Etiquette	Respect Ourselves	Respect Others	Respect our Environment
	<p>Walk on the concrete</p> <p>Model appropriate behaviour</p> <p>Keep hands and feet to yourself</p> <p>Go to where you need to go - don't dawdle</p>	<p>Be helpful</p> <p>Be aware of other classes working</p> <p>Move quietly around not to distract others</p> <p>Smile to others when passing them</p> <p>Be courteous of classes lining up</p> <p>Speak appropriately to other people</p>	<p>Pick up rubbish if you see it</p> <p>Walk in appropriate areas</p>

Congratulations to our PBIS Award Winners this week!



**Back: Ryan; Colton; Harper; Ivy; Emmerson, Ella, Declan
Front: Tanisha; Mason, Millie**

Have a great holiday everyone!
Libby Dickinson



Important Calendar Dates - 2023

Term 3

Monday 10 July	First Day - Term 3
Wednesday 12 July	Orientation Visit - Country Buddies to visit 9.30-11.00am
Thursday 20th July	Orientation Visit - Rutherglen Kinder to visit 9.30-11.00am
Friday 28 July	Students for 2024 commencement to be enrolled by this date
Thursday 3 August	Athletics Carnival
Wednesday 9th August	Orientation Visit - Country Buddies to visit 9.30-11.00am
Sunday 20 August	Confirmation
Tuesday 29 August	District Athletics
Thursday 31 August	Orientation visit - Rutherglen Kinder to visit 9.30-11.00am
Friday 1 September	Father's Day Stall & Soccer Match
Tuesday 5 September	Grade 3/4 Borambola Camp
Wednesday 6 September	Grade 3/4 Borambola Camp
Friday 15 September	Last Day Term 3 for Students (Casual Clothes Day - Gold coin donation) 2.30pm finish

Term 4

Monday 2 October	First Day - Term 4
Wed-Thursday 1-3 November	Grade 5/6 Canberra Camp
Monday 6 November	Student Free Day - Report Writing Day
Tuesday 21 November	First Day of Foundation Transition 9.00-11.00am
Tuesday 28 November	Second Day of Foundation Transition 9.00-11.00am
Tuesday 5 December	Third Day of Foundation Transition 9.00am - 12.45pm
Monday 11 December	Grade 6 Graduation Dinner
Tuesday 12 December	Fourth Day of Foundation Transition 9.00am - 3.30pm

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