



newsletter

26 November 2020

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30 November

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Dear Parents,

The Church year is drawing to a close. It will soon be Advent, then Christmas ... At this time of year the Church's readings remind us that the earth as we know it is passing away and that Christ will come again at the end of time. What does this mean for our lives? It means we are to live each day with a sense of hope, expectation, vigilance and ready to meet the Lord at all times. Pope Francis says, *"It means not allowing ourselves to be overwhelmed by distraction or by superficiality, but living in a full and aware way, with concern first of all for others"*.

At this time of the year, you will notice that the agapanthus plants are just getting ready to flower. Indeed this purple flower (sometimes called "The Star of Bethlehem") is a special reminder to keep our 'eyes ahead', to 'get ready' and to live primarily with a 'concern for others'.

I think Advent is a beautiful and reflective season – focussed on waiting for the child Jesus and celebrating the Incarnation of God-with-us in human form. The scripture readings during Advent encourage us to "stay awake", "watch" and "prepare". There is a sense of great anticipation and hope.

Our School Mission Statement



As the school year draws to an end I look back on the many things that I am grateful for; these include.....

1. The many students, parents and staff members with whom it has been a privilege to walk this year, especially those who have faced hard times or the hard questions that life asks of each of us;
2. The waves, smiles and greetings shared, without which everyday contact becomes dry and lifeless;
3. The unforgettable sharing at staff prayer each Friday morning which tells me, more reliably than any survey, that relational trust is alive and very well in this workplace;
4. A growing spirit of Unity and Service;
5. The incredible facilities and resources that support our teaching and learning;
6. Fr Stephen for his pastoral support of our community. An active partnership with Parish means so much to students, staff and parents.
7. A peaceful mind, free from the stories that the mind likes to create and the unnecessary suffering that results;
8. A community that pulls together when the going gets tough.

With the close of 2020, I would like to express my sincere gratitude to the Emmanuel staff for making it a pleasure to come to work each day. Their professionalism, generosity of spirit, care for students and their learning is second to none. To staff leaving Emmanuel – **Ailsa Paterson, Melissa Frost, Lisa Whitaker, Peta Jeppesen and Patrice Baird** - I say thank you for the privilege of sharing your personal and professional journey. Go with our best wishes and heart-felt thanks and prayers for a safe, happy and fulfilling future.

To students and families who are leaving us, especially the Year 6's, may your journey be blessed with true friends, great learning, accepted opportunities and a giving heart. Most of all, may you personally know the great love that God has for each of you.

To you, our parents and caregivers, thank you for being valued partners in the education of your children and for your co-operation and support in building Christian community at Emmanuel.

And, finally, to staff, parents and students whose charitable and unselfish deeds, large and small, may have gone unseen and unheralded, the One who sees everything knows what you do, and I say thank you on behalf of us all. Truly, may the enduring peace, the unselfish love and the simple joy of Christ be yours this Christmas and always. Be safe everyone. I look forward to seeing you again next year.

As has been the custom over the past few years, our Final School Assembly will take place on Friday 04 December in the Marist Centre commencing at 12.00pm. Unfortunately, due to COVID-19 restrictions we are unable to have parents in attendance for this event. Some key moments from this assembly will be videoed and posted on our school Facebook page for viewing purposes by our school community. Children may be collected on conclusion of the assembly. Please see details in the APA section. We thank you for your understanding of our end of year school procedures for 2020.

Wishing you God's blessings for the final week of school,

Geraldine Rostirolla
(Principal)



STAFF LIST 2021

The following is a list of Staff for the 2021 school year. I know that there will be some who cannot resist the unfortunate temptation to compare one teacher to another in a school where there are two or three teachers in a year level. The teachers at Emmanuel all teach with love – love for their class and love for their work. I become quite worried that each year some are tempted to compare and disparage one teacher against another. I find this to be anti to the values of our community. Our teachers teach with love and integrity; please switch off anyone who would say otherwise. Having said this, no one is perfect, and primary teaching relies on a variety – a variety that's much like life. Some are better Maths teachers, others better at literacy. Some are strict, others less so. Some are sporty, others love to sing and bring a love of music. Some extend, others cater for those with needs. The brilliant thing about all our teachers is that they have a variety of skills, but they teach with love. Across seven years our children experience this necessary variety, it helps bring out the best in everyone.

STAFF LIST – EMMANUEL 2021

LEADERSHIP TEAM			
Principal:	Geraldine Rostirolla	Year 5C:	Allison Casey
APA:	Amanda McDonald	Year 5S:	Jade Scott
APRE:	Noeleen Kliese	Year 5W:	Amanda Wilkes/Sharon Donnelly
APC:	Janine Refalo		
TEACHING STAFF		Year 6K:	Larissa Kirwan
Prep G:	Linda Grima	Year 6S:	Dylan Steele
Prep J:	Rachele Janus	Year 6TR:	Brooke Tomkinson / Chrissy Richardson
Prep S:	Aleisha Smith		
		SPECIALIST TEACHERS	
Year 1J:	Jordan McNeil	Drama:	Amy Clark
Year 1M:	Amanda McKinnon	HPE:	Luke Dodson
Year 1T:	Maddison Thomas	Music:	Linda Miller
		Visual Arts:	Amy Jeffcoat
Year 2C:	Kristie Cordingley		
Year 2M:	Susannah Menzies		
Year 2R:	Taylor Rimmington	SCHOOL COUNSELLOR	
		Kristy Flor	
Year 3B:	Sonia Brandon		
Year 3H/B:	Laurette Harmer / Aileen Balding	ADMINISTRATION STAFF	
Year 3W:	Melinda Wheeler	Finance Secretary:	Therese Mattes / Robyn Rovelli
		Administration Secretary:	Megan Pearce / Kayci Herring
Year 4E:	Michelle Emanuel		
Year 4S:	Larissa Simonsen / TBA	GROUNDSMAN	
Year 4W:	Pam White	William Nicholas/Jim DeThomasis	
PREP TEACHER ASSISTANTS		LEARNING SUPPORT STAFF	
Prep G	Cathy Cordwell	Teachers:	Michele Jensen / Karla Falzon
Prep J:	Alex Martin	Assistant:	Ciane Rodgers Jacki Gall
Prep S:	Donna Shepherd	Assistant:	Clare Dries Renee Bryan
		Assistant:	Therese Johnson Alysha Knight
LIBRARY ASSISTANT		Assistant:	Sally Stevenson Martine Miller
Julianne Turner		Assistant:	Elaine Ivory Chantelle Richard
		Assistant:	Fran Borg Bianca Quetti
TECHNOLOGY ASSISTANT		Assistant:	Annette Hansen Lauren Gossweiler
Jeramiah Fitzgibbon		Assistant:	Megan Woodall Liz Lyons
		Assistant:	Michelle Buckeridge Thea Crathorne
TUCKSHOP		Assistant:	Kristen Warren Kendall Smith
Angie McGowan/Carly Nicholas		Assistant:	Natasha Mallise

Religious Education

With the school year coming to an end and Christmas fast approaching, I thought I would share the 'gift' of the story below. Enjoy!

THE GIFT OF GIVING

There was a family, just an ordinary family, preparing for Christmas. They had put up and decorated their tree, bought and wrapped some presents and started preparing for the celebrations.

One evening, as they were sitting down to dinner, they heard a knock at their door. When the door was opened there was no one to be seen, just a box wrapped in brown paper sitting on the mat. Inside was a small ceramic lamb.

The next evening about the same time, there was another knock on their door and another box wrapped in brown paper. The family was surprised to see a ceramic shepherd, until they realised that it matched the lamb they had received the previous day.

Each evening another brown paper wrapped gift was left at their door, and by Christmas Eve they had all, but one piece of a beautiful Nativity set. Even though they had been trying to catch the 'gift giver' they still had no idea who was leaving the boxes. It was all very exciting!

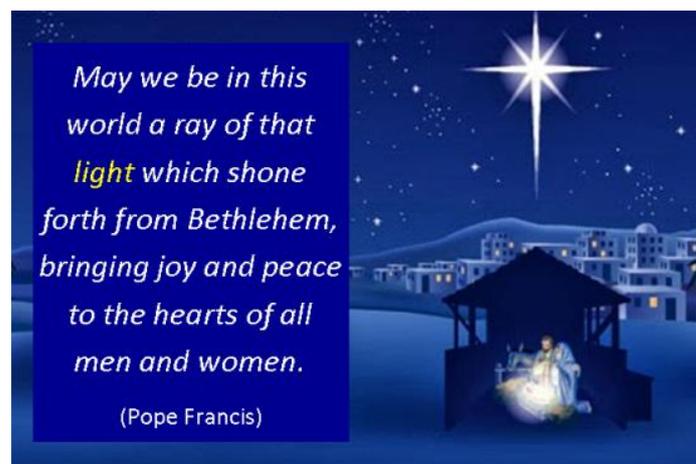
As they went to bed that night, they prayed that the final gift, the gift of baby Jesus, would appear on their doorstep. Next morning each family member checked in the hope of finding the 'Reason for the Season' but no box, no brown paper, no Baby Jesus was left on their mat.

Somewhat disappointed, the family opened their presents, shared a delicious breakfast and got ready for Mass. As they walked up to the door of the church, an elderly woman, whom they often visited and ran errands for, approached and greeted them. Although she was a lovely person, she was sickly, poor and very lonely. She had no family of her own and few friends to help her or spend time with her. With a hug and a teary 'Thank You' she placed a small box wrapped in brown paper in the mother's hand.

Inside was Baby Jesus. He had come - a long awaited and hoped for gift, wrapped simply and given for all.

Jesus comes into our lives in ways we do not always expect. He comes when we serve and love others as he did. He comes in kindness and forgiveness, friendship and gratitude. Let us open our hearts and welcome God into our lives though the people we meet and the love we share.

Wishing you abundant blessings and all the joy of the Christmas season.



ADVENT

Advent begins this Sunday 29 November. It is the liturgical season of anticipation and hope that begins the Liturgical Year and prepares us for the celebration of Christmas. Sadly, Advent is often forgotten in all the excitement of Christmas. Please find below some fabulous resources that explain the season and support its celebration.



Find out more about Advent @

<http://www.catholic.org/advent/advent.php?id=5>

Advent Videos, Prayers and Reflections

<https://www.ignatianspirituality.com/advent/>

Watch the short animation "What is Advent Again?" @

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6y4NCCH40PA>

CHRISTMAS CAROLS

Although our annual Carols Evening will not be held this year, our students and staff will still enjoy a day of Christmas fun and carols on Tuesday 1 December. All classes from Prep to Year Six will share a song they have been learning in Music and participate in a whole school sing-a-long. To make this activity more fun, students are invited to come to school in a Christmas outfit or dressed as their favourite Christmas character. NO GRINCHES PLEASE. Santa and elf hats, reindeer antlers, Christmas headbands and ribbons are also welcome. Please ensure that clothing is sunsafe. All students are to wear closed in shoes and have their school hat available for playtime and when moving around the school.

THANKSGIVING AND FAREWELL MASS

Our tradition of celebrating the end of the school year with a Thanksgiving Mass will continue this year. Although we will not be travelling to St Joseph's Church and are unable to invite all members of school community to share in the Mass, Fr Stephen will join with staff and students in Years 2-6 to reflect and remember our year together. This Mass will take place on Thursday 3 December. Students need to wear blue day uniform. Girls to wear dresses please.



At the Thanksgiving Mass we will also congratulate and farewell our Year Six students. We look forward to celebrating with the Year Six parents who have booked per the email sent home last week.

CHRISTMAS HAMPERS

Each year our school supports The St Vincent de Paul Christmas Appeal in assisting needy families in the Mackay region. All classes are making up hampers of non-perishable food items that will be presented to the parish St Vincent de Paul Society in the last week of school.

Tinned ham
Shortbread
Tinned fruit
Assorted biscuits
Bottles of softdrink
Cordial
Nuts and crisps



Boxed Christmas cake
Christmas fruit mince pies
Tinned vegetables
Packets of jelly crystals
Large fruit juice poppers
Large packets of lollies
Christmas decorations

A big THANK YOU to all families who have already contributed Christmas goodies to these hampers and to those who will send them along in the coming days.

These hampers will be collected from school on Tuesday 1 December.



THIS SUNDAY'S READINGS:

Isaiah 63:16-17; 64:1. 3-8

May the Lord come when we are doing good.

1 Corinthians 1:3-9

The Lord will strengthen us to the end

Mark 1:33-37

We know not the hour the Lord will come.

For weekly Gospel readings, reflections and meditations go to <http://www.prayasyoucan.com.au/>

Download this week's parish bulletin @ <https://rok.catholic.net.au/parish/mackay-st-josephs/#>

For Parish News, updates and to book for weekend Masses go to the **Catholic Parishes of North Mackay and Farleigh** Facebook page.

Share in Daily Mass from St Joseph's Cathedral @

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCQeYD6B2cSvFb4zqStn_Brg

WHAT IS HAPPENING AROUND THE DIOCESE? - A DIGITAL EVENT

For the very first time through film, we will be showcasing the human stories that have been impacted by our Diocesan Ministries. Specifically, you will hear the stories of our work amongst the Prisoners, Seafarers, our Indigenous communities, and work of the far West as a way to show you, some of the rarely told stories, that exist in our Diocese.

Join in live, via Facebook or YouTube, on **Sunday 6 December at 3:00pm** as Bishop Michael McCarthy co-hosts with Nathan Harding taking you on a journey around the Diocese through the eyes of the individuals who are working in these important areas.



Watch on Facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/RockhamptonCatholic/events>

Watch on YouTube:

<https://www.youtube.com/c/StJosephsCathedralRockhampton>

VIRTUE OF THE FORTNIGHT – LOVE

Love is at the centre of our being. It is the vital force that gives us energy and direction. It connects one heart with another. Love is cherishing others. Love thrives on acceptance and appreciation. It has the power to heal. You show love in a smile, a kind word, a thoughtful act or a hug. Love is contagious. Pass it on.

“Love is patient and kind; it is not jealous or conceited or proud; love is not ill-mannered or selfish or irritable; love does not keep a record of wrongs; love is not happy with evil, but is happy with the truth. Love never gives up; and its faith, hope and patience never fail.”

(1 Corinthians 13:4-7)



**GOD IS WITH US AS WE LIVE LOVE
LEARN IN A COMMUNITY OF FAITH**

Noeleen Kliese
Assistant Principal Religious Education

REPORT CARDS FOR SEMESTER 2

A reminder to parents to please check that you can **sign in to Parent Lounge prior** to reports being released. If you have any queries, please contact our school office.

Report cards will once again be available through Parent Lounge from 4:00pm on Thursday, 5 December.

1. To access Parent Lounge, open your internet browser and type in the URL for Emmanuel Catholic Primary School website: www.ecps.qld.edu.au
2. Click on Parent Lounge under Quick Links.
3. Click on the Parent Lounge icon.
4. Login with your unique ID number and the password remains the same as previously used.



School Backpack Collection Times

Booklist packs that were ordered for collection at school will be available from Room P1 at the following times:

Thursday 26 November 2020

- 2:30pm - 3:30pm

Friday 27 November 2020

- 8:00am - 9:00am
- 2:30pm - 3:30pm

The graphic features a background of school supplies including pens, pencils, scissors, and a ruler.

Janine Refalo
Assistant Principal Curriculum

YEAR FOUR DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGIES CHALLENGE

This week the students in Year Four participated in a Design and Technologies “Maker Space Challenge.” Students were asked to design and create a toy for an imaginary pet that they were trying to persuade their parents to buy for them. The pets ranged from a humble goldfish to an arctic wolf to a dolphin! Their imaginations sure did run wild with their pet choices as did their designs.



The children not only had to create a labelled diagram communicating their designs, but they had to work in a group to negotiate a final product to be made into a prototype using simple craft supplies. The children had to employ cooperative learning skills including creativity, active listening, respectful communication, negotiation, compromise and teamwork.

We are very proud of how the students conducted themselves as learners in a cooperative learning environment and their designs were out of this world.

Michelle Emanuel, Pam White, Larissa Simonsen and Peta Jeppesen
Year 4 Teachers

HAIRSTYLES

Students attending Emmanuel are expected to wear their uniform in a way which reflects pride in their school and in their own personal appearance. Accordingly,

- Hairstyles should be appropriate to this expectation – extreme hairstyles are not acceptable.
- Hair should be clean, brushed and generally neat – not unruly.

NOT PERMITTED:

- Variations to natural hair colour - **NO COLOURED HAIR** – NATURAL HAIR COLOUR ONLY
- Cuts less than gauge three
- Spiked cuts, Wedge cuts, Track cuts, Multiple braiding, Rat's tail, Mullet cuts
- If hair bands or scrunchies are to be worn, they are to be **gold or blue of the school colours**. No decorative hair bands are to be worn.

If parents are unsure of school uniform or hair style requirements, please contact the school office for clarification.

JEWELLERY AT SCHOOL

Girls are permitted to only wear a small pair of **plain** gold or silver sleepers or studs in the lobe of the ear – one pair only. **NO drop earrings are to be worn**, in accordance with Workplace, Health & Safety. A small cross and chain around the neck is permitted, preferably long enough to be worn inside the uniform for safety purposes. **Boys are not permitted to wear earrings. Rings are not permitted under any circumstances.**

END OF YEAR ENVELOPES

Should you require your end of year envelope to be posted, please leave a large stamped self-addressed envelope with your child's Classroom Teacher. If no envelope is provided, unposted envelopes will be placed in your child's file.

NO envelopes will be given out prior to 3:00pm on Thursday, 3 December.

EARLY PICK-UP PROCEDURES – FRIDAY 4 DECEMBER



Parents are welcome to collect their child on conclusion of the final Assembly (Friday 4 December) – between 12.30 and 1.00pm. Children whose parents have indicated that they will be collected early will be dismissed from both the Stop, Drop, Go area and the Bus shelter. Parents must **email their child's classroom teacher**, notifying them of their child's early departure. Teachers will have a list of students, and will accompany them for dismissal from these areas. When notifying teachers, we ask that you nominate the area from which your child will be collected for ease of organization. No child will be leaving the school grounds early without written permission from parents. Should any parent be collecting a child/children from another family we ask that this information is also communicated in your email. Supervision will be provided for those children whose parents are unable to collect them prior to 3pm due to work commitments.

Amanda McDonald

Assistant Principal Administration



PRINCIPAL'S AWARDS

TERM FOUR - WEEK SEVEN

Student	Class	Award
Patrick P	Prep G	For the fabulous effort you have put into all your literacy and numeracy activities. You are a super star.
Billy C	Prep G	For the fabulous effort you have put into all your literacy and numeracy activities. You are a super star.
Ollie K	Prep G	For showing great improvement in all areas of your school work. I am so proud of the way you are trying so hard. Keep up the great work Ollie!
Robert C	Prep J	For being a kind and friendly student who is an absolute delight to be around. He has an infectious personality and a wonderful sense of humour which his teachers and friends love. Robert demonstrates respect and responsibility and always gives his personal best to any situation. Thanks for always making us smile, Robert!
Albert L	Prep S	For the way you enrich our classroom discussions. You have such great ideas and we love hearing them. Keep being curious Albert.
Pallas S	Prep S	For the way you assist your peers and teachers in setting up activities. You always are so kind and you take on so many responsibilities and I am so proud of you! Keep it up.
Declan W	1C	For showing great attention to detail and producing neat, accurate work. You are always organised and ready to begin your work. Well done, Declan!
Makayla J	1C	Makayla is always willing to help others. Thank you for being so kind, cooperative and helpful to all of your classmates. Well done, Makayla!
Jaxon S	1M	For being friendly and kind to everyone, and always using your beautiful manners. Well done, Jaxon!
Max C	1T	For the consistent effort you put into every classroom task. You approach every challenge with a positive attitude and a smile. Miss Thomas is proud of your hard work. Keep it up Max!
Osmond C	1T	For the way you enter our classroom each day, eager to learn and challenge yourself. We love your energy and positivity. Keep up the fantastic work Osmond! You are a star!
Xavier D	1T	For always treating your friends with kindness and respect. Xavier, you are so giving of your time to others and are a wonderful friend to all. Thank you for brightening our days. Keep up the awesome work!
Hugo H	2B	For always thinking of others and treating your friends with kindness and respect. We are so lucky to have you in 2B!
Mila W	2B	For always taking the time to listen and say kind things. Thank you for being so thoughtful and kind, Mila. We are so lucky to have you in 2B!
Lola L	2M	For the ongoing commitment to improving her reading. Lola, you have come such a long way and are absolutely shining. Miss Menzies loves hearing your

		expression and fluency improve each week.
Lucas W	2R	For always helping others and contributing to class discussions. Well done, Lucas!
Rhythm J	2R	For always being a hard-working student who tries her hardest in all subject areas. Well done, Rhythm!
Harley D Elise D Nevaeh G	3M	For the effort you have demonstrated towards your learning this week. You have shown great initiative, especially in regards to our design task and you have positively completed individual tasks with enthusiasm. Keep up the wonderful work!
Lincoln S	3P	For always sharing in our class discussion. Your ideas are interesting and insightful. Well done Lincoln.
Archie M	3W/D	For excellent effort with group work. You are trying hard to stay focussed and are always willing to give others a go. Well done Archie!
Hayley C	3W/D	For your dedication and determination to improve. You always work hard to complete your work with your best effort. You are a wonderful role model.
Indiee V	4E	For the positive attitude you have been developing over the semester towards your learning. You are demonstrating a willingness to improve your learning by engaging in class discussions and completing tasks with enthusiasm. Well done Indiee.
Charlie S	4S	For displaying such a friendly and positive attitude towards settling into your new school. You have been so flexible and made friends quickly. You are a wonderful addition to our classroom!
Xander N	4S	For displaying such a confident and friendly approach to starting at your new school. You have already shown your beautiful manners and great sense of humour which have made you a terrific new addition to our classroom. Welcome Xander!
Shelby R	4S	For displaying excellent persuasive skills during our English lessons. Your word choice and clear arguments make it very difficult not to agree with your point of view. Well done Shelby!
Colby S	4S	For displaying a more motivated and interested attitude towards Mathematics and English this term. It has been pleasing to see that you are more confidently asking questions when you are unsure and sharing your ideas with the class. Keep it up Colby!
Haylee D	4W	For working diligently all term. You are keen to grasp concepts and to always put in a mighty effort. Congratulations Haylee.
Amy L	4W	For your growing confidence to share insights in class discussions. You are a "Star".
Madeleine M	4W	For working diligently and striving to do your best. Keep up the positive attitude and know that you can achieve when you put in your best effort. You are a star.
Caleb W	5C	For the fantastic attitude you displayed at Kinchant Dam. You pushed through each and every challenge and were a wonderful support for your group members. Well done Caleb.
Brody M	5C	For the resilience and determination you displayed at Kinchant Dam. Despite many possible obstacles that could have been in your way, you pushed through. There wasn't a time when you weren't showing how grateful you were. Thank you for your wonderful attitude Brody.

Izzabella S	5F	For tackling challenging tasks with greater confidence this term. You are discovering you have great potential. Keep it up Izzy!
Amelia D	5K/C	For stepping up this semester and bringing your best learning every day. Your motivation and careful application of ideas has been very evident and you deserve all of your success. Well done Amelia.
Sophia Lo P	6K	For the positive and vibrant way that you enter our classroom everyday. You are a ray of sunshine in the 6K classroom and we love having you as a part of our class.
Annika W	6S	For the amazing work you have been doing in our assessment block. Your hard work and dedication will be a valuable tool for you moving into high school. Keep up the great work.
Jack W	6S	For being a reliable and dependable friend. You always look out for others and are the first to offer help when it's needed. You are a valuable friend and peer.
Mackenzie N	6W	For the commitment you demonstrate towards your learning. You are commended on the way you always apply yourself in all that you do. Well done Mackenzie!
Jaxon C	6W	For bringing a positive attitude and dedication into your learning. Mrs Whitaker is very proud of you. Keep up the great attitude Jaxon!
Lacie Clarke	6W	For always making interesting and insightful contributions to our classroom discussions. Well done Lacie!
Myah Annetts	6W	For the commitment you demonstrate towards your learning, focusing on the task at hand and remaining positive and motivated. Well done Myah!



Music News

Congratulations to the following students who have received Certificates of Excellence in Music for receiving 50 reward stamps during music lessons this year:

Year 3 – Zoey Marshall, Zara Kirby

Year 4 – Henry Porter, Logan Hamilton, Lachlan Furini

Year 5 – Jayden Cridland



Several students have managed to receive 100 rewards stamps during their music lessons this year. Congratulations to the following students who have received **Gold Class** Certificates of Excellence:

Year 4 – Gabi Stehbens, Indiee Vaughan, Isaac Scully, Evie LeGarde

Year 5 – Lexi Worth, Mia Dennis

Black Belt Recorder – Congratulations to Grand Master Leonor De Sousa who has achieved her Black Belt ribbon and Certificate.



Linda Miller
Music Teacher

Finance News

SCHOOL FEES

Term 4 School Fee Statement was emailed home to all families on Tuesday, 13 October. The Statement is also available via Parent Lounge.

As the economic impacts of the COVID-19 is being increasingly felt by our school communities, Catholic Education - Diocese of Rockhampton is offering a range of concessions to our families. If you have an eligible government health concession card, Job Seeker (JS) or Farm Household Allowance (FH), you are eligible for a 100% discount on the tuition levy component of the School Fees.

Families without a concession card, but who are experiencing financial stress are encouraged to contact the Principal, Geraldine Rostirolla as fee concessions are available. Please contact the finance office to discuss any of the above matters further, or if you have any other queries.

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Therese Mattes
Finance Secretary

Tuckshop News

VOLUNTEER ROSTER - TERM 4 WEEK 9

Mon 30 November: **HELP WANTED**
Tues 01 December: Rachel Worth
Wed 02 December: Renae Borg
Paul Johnson
HELP WANTED



REMINDER: TUCKSHOP CLOSED THURSDAY 3 DECEMBER AND FRIDAY 4 DECEMBER

With the end of year fast approaching, we will start to deplete stock ready for the holiday period. Some menu items will become unavailable over the next week. Please have a second choice noted in the comments in the case that this should occur.

Angie McGowan/Carly Nicholas
Tuckshop

IMPORTANT DATES

2020

THURSDAY 26 NOVEMBER
FRIDAY 26 NOVEMBER

BOOKPACK COLLECTION
THU 2:30 - 3:30PM
FRI 8:00-9:00AM & 2:30 - 3:30PM

WEDNESDAY 2 DECEMBER

LAST DAY OF TUCKSHOP

WEDNESDAY 9 DECEMBER

OFFICE CLOSES 12PM

2021

MONDAY 18 JANUARY

OFFICE REOPENS

THURSDAY 21 JANUARY

SECOND HAND UNIFORM SHOP
OPEN 2:30-3:30PM
Limited Supplies - CASH ONLY

TO BE CONFIRMED

BOOKPACK DROPOFF TO CLASS

WEDNESDAY 27 JANUARY

FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL

WEDNESDAY 27 JANUARY

TUCKSHOP REOPENS





2021 PREP STUDENTS ORIENTATION

MONDAY 30 NOVEMBER 2020

An orientation session for students commencing Prep in 2021 at Emmanuel Catholic Primary School will be held from 9am - 10:30am.

Please note, due to Covid restrictions the Parent Information Evening scheduled for Wednesday 11 November will no longer occur. An information session for parents will be conducted at the same time as the student orientation on the morning of Monday 30 November from 9:00 - 10:30am.

We request that only one parent attends this session to assist us in maintaining our Covid Safe plan.



SECOND HAND UNIFORM SHOP

Lots of items available!

**LOCATED NEAR THE TUCKSHOP
OPEN TUESDAY & THURSDAY
2:30 - 3:00PM**

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