



ST PATRICK'S NEWSLETTER

3 November 2020

"JOY does not simply happen to us. We have to choose joy and keep choosing it every day!"

In a Catholic way we learn today for tomorrow

OUR LATEST TREASURES AT ST PATRICK'S

We warmly welcome **Evie Richards** who began last week. (Up and dressed in uniform by 6am apparently). Two very excited big sisters in Ava and Mary.

Welcome also to **Alaina Athul** who began in A1 on Monday. A very proud mum and dad.

COOL AT SCHOOL

Congratulations to **Helena Hutchinson**, a Year 4 student who has an awesome attitude to learning, to school and to being responsible. Always thoughtful and very supportive of her classmates. Proud of her.



SCHOOL MASS – THIS SUNDAY

See **YOU ALL** – this Sunday **8 November, 10am** at St Patrick's Church in Munroe St.

We will hold our **ONLY** Sunday Mass for 2020 as a School Community.

We expect all students and families to make their best effort to attend and support the reason why you enrolled at St Patrick's School – our Catholic Character. A large number of students will be involved in the Mass in various ways and **All STUDENTS** will be involved in the celebration. School uniform is to be worn so lets **PACK OUT THE CHURCH!**
PLEASE MAKE IT A FAMILY AFFAIR

ADVENTURE PLAYGROUND – AT LAST

I have just heard (thanks Grant) that our Adventure Playground installers will be with us **THIS WEEK**. Looking forward to making St Patrick's an even better place for us to be.

GOSPEL VALUE FOR NOVEMBER – JOY

This month, we focus on the value of **JOY**. What a great value for our pupils – Joy is evident in both the playground and classroom. Our pupils can...
"Make every day joyful for yourselves and others"

SUMMER IS HERE.....SUNHATS & SANDALS

Year 1 – 7 students are expected to wear sandals and **ALL STUDENTS** are expected to wear a **SCHOOL SUNHAT** (\$10) as we will have a **"No hat, No Play"** policy.

OUR TALENTED STUDENTS

Last Wednesday we held our "ST PATS HAS TALENT" finals..... Eight varied acts, great talent and an appreciative audience. Thank you Katie, Ella and Issy for organising this event – you are awesome!

RESULTS:

1st Place – **Barnaby & Frankie** – "Raise a Glass" song.

2nd Place – **Tu-tu Tick Tockers**.

3rd Place – **The 3 comedians**.

Thank you to all finalists – we loved each and every performance. **PROUD OF YOU ALL.**

OUR WINNERS BARNABY & FRANKIE



SCHOOL NEWS

SCHOOL CLOSED FRIDAY 27 NOVEMBER

Please mark this date on your calendar.

Teachers will have a day looking at assessment and reporting for your children.

A MORNING TEA TO SAY THANK YOU TO "YOU"

On **Thursday 26 November** our Year 8 pupils will be hosting a **MORNING TEA** for **ALL PARENTS, COACHES, HELPERS** to say thank you for all you have done for our school this year. If you have coached a team, helped in the classroom, helped with swimming, sports, transport, etc – **THIS IS FOR YOU** and it is our way of saying that we appreciate all you do for us. Mark it on your calendar and we will see you on the 26th.

ST JOHN'S PICNIC & CAROL EVENING

Free family Picnic & Carol Evening at St John's College on **November 12, 5.30 – 7pm**.
BYO picnic. Sweets and cold drinks for sale.

AND THE MELBOURNE CUP....Twilight Payment (well why not at this stage of life).



Regards and Blessings to you all
Tell your loved ones that you LOVE THEM.

Jurek Wypych
PRINCIPAL