



# Our Lady's Catholic Primary School

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**Our Lady's Primary School is a child safe school. All students enrolled, and any child visiting, have a right to feel safe and be safe.**

## NEWSLETTER NO. 18 TUESDAY JUNE 21st 2022

Lord, my mind, body, and spirit feel tired and worn down.  
I need you to give me the strength I need to not give up.  
Things in my life feel impossible but God your word says that all  
things are possible with God.  
By your grace, allow me to find rest in your shadow.  
Shelter me from the storms of life.  
Give me wisdom so I am able to take the right next step forward.  
Strengthen my weary mind, body, and spirit.  
Help me to run and not grow weary, to walk and not grow faint.  
I thank you, God for being my ever-present help,  
anytime I face troubles.  
I can't make it without you.  
Thank you for carrying my load so I can continue to do the good you  
have called me to.

Amen



## **MASS**

Our final Mass for this term is scheduled for this Friday June 24<sup>th</sup>. Mass will be held in Our Lady's Church commencing at 9.00am and everyone is welcome to attend.

## **RAPID ANTIGEN TESTING**

The Victorian Government will continue to provide Rapid Antigen Tests (RATs) for use by students and staff for the remainder of Term 2. We will continue to be provided with the same weekly quantity of RATs and distribute those as they are needed. As from last Monday 23 May 2022, it is recommended RATs are used by students and staff only when symptomatic. RATs are also required to be used for 5 days if a student or staff member is a close contact of a confirmed case and they are attending or working at a school.

From Monday 23 May 2022, we do not recommend that non-symptomatic students or staff conduct RATs twice a week in mainstream schools and 5 days a week in specialist schools. Students and staff must continue to notify the Department of Health and the school if they return a positive RAT result.

## **ATTENDANCE REQUIREMENTS**

If you are aware that your child is going to be away from school, please notify us. We have a legal obligation to chase up any unexplained absences on a daily basis. If you have not notified us of your child's absence by 9.10am, we will attempt to call you and if we can't make contact with parents or guardians we will then try to contact any nominated emergency contacts for your child/children.



**Attendance Matters**

**Attending School =  
Brighter Future**

- higher paying jobs
- improved overall health
- improved relationships and support networks

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## **TERM TWO REPORTS**

Teachers have been busily working on these important documents over the last few weeks, completing various assessments and individualising content for reports. Our teaching staff should be commended for their hard work in this area. Reports will be sent home to families this week.

## **TEACHER ADVISOR MEETINGS**

Parent advisory meetings were well attended last week – it was great to have families coming in and out of the school again. We are also so much more adaptable due to COVID with some parents opting for phone interviews. We are more than willing to accommodate a range of options to facilitate meetings so please touch base if you missed out.

## **TERM TWO CELEBRATION OF LEARNING**

Everyone is most welcome to come in at the end of the school day tomorrow – Wednesday June 22<sup>nd</sup> – from 3.10pm until approximately 4.30pm – to see the students’ work for this term.

## **END OF TERM TWO**

Term Two ends **THIS Friday June 24<sup>th</sup> 2022 at the earlier finish time of 2.10pm.**

## **START OF TERM THREE**

Term Three starts on Monday July 11<sup>th</sup> 2022 at 8.45am.

## **POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR INTERVENTION PROGRAM**

The Making Jesus Real focus this week is all about ‘**having and knowing about attitude, both positive and negative**’.

This week in Positive Behaviours we are learning to demonstrate the following:

Do your best: keeping hands and your body to yourself; lining up as soon as the music plays; staying in the playground; self-umpiring in games

Respect your school: entering and exiting buildings peacefully

Help others succeed: learning new games and activities

Our Power Play Focus this week is:

**Students who make positive playground choices**

Congratulations to Henry Sartori who was the winner of last week’s PowerPlay Raffle.

Cassie

## DATES TO REMEMBER

Wednesday	June 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Celebration of Learning 3.10pm to 4.30pm <i>All Welcome</i>
Friday	June 24 <sup>th</sup>	Whole School Mass – Sacred Heart of Jesus Our Lady’s Church at 9.00am – <i>All Welcome</i>  <b><u>End of Term Two 2.10pm</u></b>
Monday	July 11 <sup>th</sup>	Start of Term Three 8.45am start
Thursday	July 14 <sup>th</sup>	Foundation/One/Two to WPAC – Edward the Emu
Monday-Friday	July 25 <sup>th</sup> to 29 <sup>th</sup>	Book Fair
Wednesday	July 27 <sup>th</sup>	Grandparents Day (includes Performing Arts presentation and Art Show) -time yet to be determined

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