



GOOD COUNSEL PLAYGROUP GOOD SAMARITAN HALL

(Access via Owen Street)

EVERY FRIDAY MORNING—9:00AM-11:00AM

Cost: \$2-00 per family

BYO—Morning Tea for children

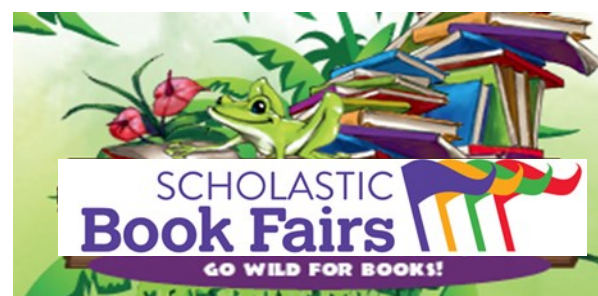
Co-ordinators: Mrs Amy McElhinney & Mrs Rosanne Mifsud
Join our "Good Counsel Playgroup" facebook page for more information.

YEAR 1 DAFFODIL DAY FRI 25 AUG

ALL STUDENTS ARE
INVITED TO WEAR
YELLOW/ORANGE SHIRT
& OR BANDANA.
SHIRT MUST BE SUN SAFE, & SCHOOL
SHORTS/SKORTS
GOLD COIN DONATION



YR 3 - 6
REMEMBER SPORTS
UNIFORM



Date: Monday 14, Tuesday 15 & Wednesday 16 August
Time: 8.30 - 8.40am, Play times 3.00 - 3.30pm
Place: Theatre

All commission earned is used to purchase books for our Library.
CASH purchases only. Thank you.



TERM FEES

Term 3 fees have now been issued. Please be mindful and check your emails to ensure delivery of your fee statement.

A reminder that every family will receive a fee statement regardless of payment arrangements or concessions, to keep you informed of your current balance.

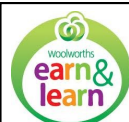
Please be aware for direct deposits into the school's bank account it is imperative to use your 973..... Reference located at the bottom of your invoice to ensure that monies are credited against the correct account and not delay payments. **Also, please email remittance to avoid payments being overlooked.**

TUCKSHOP

WED	9 AUG	SONJA BUDD
FRI	11 AUG	CATHY HITCHINGS VICKY KIPPIN-O'CONNER
MON	14 AUG	LINDA CROATTO



Regular times for sale of uniforms are:
MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY
8:00—8:30am and 11:00am—12:30pm



WOOLWORTHS EARN & LEARN

Start collecting your stickers when you shop at Woolworths to place on your sticker cards. You will get one sticker for every \$10 you spend. Once you complete your sticker cards place them in the collection box, either at school or your local Woolworths shop.

Book Week Book Character Parade Tuesday 22nd August, 8.30am



Come dressed as your favourite book character.
Reuse and recycle materials from around your home.
Prizes in each year level for most creative and original costume.
If possible bring the book along.



GOOD COUNSEL PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

SEEK, LEARN AND SERVE

8th August, 2017

TERM 3 Week 5

Dear Parents/Carers,

With our upcoming Grandparents Day this Friday, it is an opportune time to reflect on the importance of grandparents in our lives and the role that they and older people play in our society - both with the things that they have done and the things they keep doing. Our students so look forward to having their grandparents and great grandparents visit their classroom and showcase their work.

Grandparents are so special and at Good Counsel Primary School, we have such a wide cultural mix of grandmothers and grandfathers having different titles some of these are listed below. Other titles I hear around the school for students' grands are Grandie and Grampy; Nanny and Pop; Mama and Grumpy; Nonny & Pa; Grandma and Dada; Apache and Amicha; Grannie and Papu and Nanna and Uta.

Grandparents are a special gift to children—
Magnetic & Priceless !



On Friday, Year 6B will lead our Prayer Assembly; classes will then move to their classrooms; Lucky Door prizes drawn; Grandparents visit classrooms and then at 10.00am they will return to the covered area for their morning tea. All students will have their regular morning tea at 10.40am.

Congratulations to Daniel Keough who participated in the State U/12 Rugby Union Championships over the weekend. The Peninsula region placed 7th overall. Congratulations also to Logan Lizzio and Juliet Santitto who competed in the School State Tennis Championships in Toowoomba, placing 18th and 22nd respectively in the State. Well done to all.

Many thanks to the lower school staff co-ordinated by Mrs Fey who organised a wonderful morning last Thursday for Under 8's Day. Our Prep to Year 2 classes had a fantastic day playing with



slime and playdough, creating craft making fairy bread, fishing, jumping on the castles and navigating the obstacle course. Special thanks to our Good Counsel College Cert III Early Childhood students who helped out with activities and the fabulous face painting. We were also joined by our playgroup children, Pre-Preps and kindies from around town who all had a great day (see photos pg 3).

Please note Yr2 Mill excursion has been postponed to Wednesday 16 Aug.

Regards

Liam

Aboriginal -	Grandmother
Chinese -	Garrimaay Mammaaay
Dutch -	Ngin Po Po
Filipino -	Grootmoeder
Greek -	Lola
German -	Yaya Gigia
Indian -	Oma
Italian -	Dida Ajji
Maltese -	Nonna
Russian -	Nanna
Spanish -	Babushka
Thai -	Abuelita
	Ya Yai

Grandfather

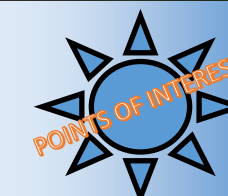
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Yeh Yeh Wai Gong
Grootvader
Gebuano
Pappous
Opa
Dadu Ajja
Nonno
Nannu
De'dushka
Tito Lito
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OFFICE HOURS
8:00 AM—3:20PM



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of the School

DIARY DATES

TERM 3

Mon 10th Jul -
Fri 15th Sep

TUE 8 AUG
P&F MEETING

WED 9 AUG
CHOIR PRACTICE
8.40 AM—9.20AM

THU 10 AUG
PREP - YR 1
ALADDIN & HIS
MAGIC IPOD
SHIRE HALL

FRI 11 AUG
GRANDPARENTS
MORNING TEA

MON 14 AUG
ICAS DIGITAL
TECHNOLOGIES
CERTIFICATES -
HANDED OUT
MONDAY ASSEMBLY



St Mary of the Cross—8 August...

On this day we celebrate the life of Mary MacKillop who began the Sisters of St Joseph to provide education to poor children. Let us pray for those who work to educate children.

*Compassionate, loving God,
may we follow Mary MacKillop's model of selfless love and service.
We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.*

Congratulations to 5GS students who, with the guidance of Mrs Genevieve Sugars, presented the well-choreographed Prayer Assembly to remind us of Australia's Patron Saint Mary MacKillop.

Friday 11 August Grandparents Day....

GCPS grandparents are invited to share the morning with us from **8:35—10:30am**, commencing with 6B's Prayer Assembly, followed by classroom visits and at 10:00am Morning Tea. Please RSVP by tomorrow. The Mini Vinnies Grandparents Day \$1.00 Raffle tickets are available each morning this week. Prizes will be drawn at 10:20am.



Tuesday 15 August...

On this day, the Church celebrates the Feast of the Assumption. We honour Mary, Mother of Jesus, a sign of hope and holiness. In hope we pray that this broken world may one day be made whole as we follow Mary's example of holiness and live with hope in our hearts. Please join us in Mother of Good Counsel Church for our celebration of Mass at 9:00am.

Yours in Catholic Education—

*Maria Caltabiano—Mrs C. Assistant Principal Religious Education,
Administration & Social & Emotional Learning*

TERM 3 DATES 2017

Tue 08.08	P & F Meeting 7:30pm	Theatrette
Thu 10.08	Aladdin and his Magic iPod	Prep-Yr 2
Fri 11.08	6B Grandparents Day Prayer Assembly	Grandparents Classroom visits & Morning Tea
		Interschool Sport 12:30pm Yr 3—6
Sun 13.08—Mon 14.08	Peninsula Track & Field	
Mon 14.08—Wed 16.08	Book Fair	Theatrette
	4PD Reconciliation	11:00am
Tue 15.08	Mass of Feast of the Assumption of Mary	9am
Wed 16.08	ICAS Math	
Fri 18.08	First Eucharist Prayer Assembly	Pre-Prep Day #1
	Interschool Sport	12:30pm Yr 3—6
Mon 21.08	4B Reconciliation	11:00am
Tue 22.08	Book Character Parade	8:30am
Wed 23—Fri 25 Yr 5	Barrabadeen Camp	
Fri 25.08	1G & 1S Daffodil Day Prayer Assembly	Pre-Prep Day #2
	Interschool Sport	12:30pm Yr 3—6
Mon 28.08	Fr Kerry class visits	6B, 5T, 6H
Tue 29.08	Prep Fathers' Afternoon	2:30pm
Wed 30.08	Maggie Dent Mothers' Night	7pm
Thu 31.08	Maggie Dent Fathers' Night	7pm
Fri 01.09	2AL Father's Day Prayer Assembly	Pre-Prep Day #3
	5GS Class Mass	10:00am
	Interschool Sport	12:30pm Yr 3—6
Tue 05.09	2A & 2AL Liturgy	10:00am



SOCIAL & EMOTIONAL LEARNING

CONFIDENCE

Zac Woodall
Annabelle Smith
Dakota Cavallaro
Emma Ozzi
Archer Ingram
Brodie Masina
Aken Cora
Natasha Lee Bow
Isabelle Booth
Karleigh Costa
Henry Carpenter

GETTING ALONG

Nash Juhas
Tyson Catelan
Ethan English
Leo Briggs

PERSISTENCE

Jake Blundell
Claire Daley
Jayden Lacaze
Jordan Blundell
Jason Schramm
Anthony Giandomenico

ORGANISATION

Seth Gullo
Finlay Edmondson
Delayne Balderson
Charlotte Boevink

EMOTIONAL RESILIENCE

Cecilia Loh
Darnel Stagg

ALL KEYS

Tayla O'Brien
Ella Picini
Mia McLeish
Ella Giueni
All Yr 6 students



GCPS 3 AUGUST UNDER 8'S DAY

