



ACCESS TO THE FRONT OFFICE IS LIMITED. PLEASE PHONE THROUGH WITH YOUR QUERIES. PLEASE PHONE AHEAD FOR EARLY COLLECTION OF STUDENTS

CATHOLIC EDUCATION SERVICES CAIRNS

LIBRARY INFORMATION



PLEASE SEE INFO SHEET
(on website under Library)
REGARDING
LIBRARY BORROWING
FOR TERM 2

ON SITE PARENT INFORMATION



PLEASE REMEMBER TO CALL AHEAD IF YOU NEED TO COLLECT YOUR CHILD EARLY



PREP 2021 REMINDER

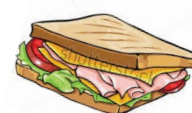
If you have a child who was born between
1 July 2015 and 30 June 2016 please go onto the
Good Counsel Primary School website and
complete the Application for Enrolment online.
If you have any queries please contact the
Office on 4063 0600.
**Interviews by way of a Zoom meeting will be
organised shortly.**



TERM FEES

As the economic impacts of the COVID-19 response are being increasingly felt by our school communities, Catholic Education in Cairns is fast tracking a range of fee concessions to commence from the start of Term 2.

TUCKSHOP



WED 13 MAY — TANIA
FRI 15 MAY — TANIA
MON 18 MAY — TANIA

PLEASE ENSURE ALL TUCKSHOP ORDERS ARE WRITTEN OUT ON A PAPER BAG WITH AMOUNT OF MONEY ENCLOSED & CLEARLY NAMED.

Tuckshop List and Uniform Price List are available on the Good Counsel Primary School website.

SCHOOL PHOTOS

If you did not order class or group photos it is not too late. You can log onto their website and order directly from them.

PHOTOS AVAILABLE
CLASS GROUP
INDIVIDUAL PHOTOS
SCHOOL CAPTAINS
SPORTS CAPTAINS
STUDENT COUNCIL
MINI VINNIES

PLEASE CONTACT ADVANCEDLIFE DIRECTLY BY GOING TO THEIR WEBSITE WWW.ADVANCEDLIFE.COM.AU AND ENTER THE 9 DIGIT CODE SPECIFIC TO OUR SCHOOL (WILL BE INCLUDED IN THE EMAIL SENT WITH NEWSLETTER). SHOULD YOU HAVE ANY ISSUES WITH PHOTOS, PLEASE CONTACT ADVANCEDLIFE. THEY ARE CURRENTLY CLOSED DUE TO COVID19 BUT WILL ADDRESS ISSUES ON THEIR RETURN.



GOOD COUNSEL PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

SEEK, LEARN AND SERVE

12TH MAY 2020

TERM 2 Week 4

Dear Parents/Carers

This week we have all but one or two of our Prep & Year 1 students back on site. This takes our current school population to approximately 200. Upon their return, there was certainly a buzz of excitement to firstly reacquaint themselves with their friends and staff and then to get the use of the prep playground during the day. School is beginning to return to some normality and we will all be very happy to have the remaining Year 2-6 students back on Monday 25 May.

We again ask that you limit parent contact on the school site in line with the Government regulations.

- * To contact the Administration Office please do so on 4063 0600
- * If you need to pick up your child for an appointment, ring the Admin Office and we will have them ready for departure and sign out
- * Tuckshop is running as per normal
- * Bus & Pickup will be proceeding daily
- * No assemblies here at school for this term
- * Additional cleaning of traffic areas and surfaces is being carried out daily
- * The Prep carpark has re-opened. Please be mindful not to park other parents in
- * Get your children back into the school routine (for those who have returned)
- * For Year 2-6 Parents/Carers who are remote learning from home - hang in there, 9 days to go.
- * To contact your child's teacher, please Seesaw them and they will respond via seesaw or phone

We have left school photos out in the breezeway for collection since last week. For those who have dropped in to collect them please check that you have not inadvertently picked up Mia Di Carlo (Yr5) or Ryan Williams (Yr4) photos. If you have, please contact the Office. Photos will be displayed each day on the tables ready for pick up if you are going past.

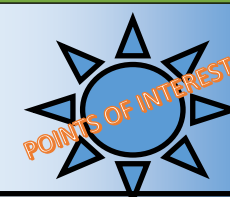
A reminder, about Prep 2021 students, is on the back page.

Regards
Liam

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OFFICE HOURS
8:00 AM—3:20PM



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DIARY DATES
TERM 2
Mon 20 April —
Fri 26 June

**SCHOOL BANKING
POSTPONED
UNTIL
FURTHER NOTICE**



**COLLECTION OF
SCHOOL PHOTOS IN
BREEZWAY**

**P&F MEETINGS
POSTPONED UNTIL
FURTHER NOTICE**

Catholic Education Diocese of Cairns

Three special digital editions of **#RaiseMagazine** are now available to support and inspire parents and carers through this time of learning from home.

Upcoming editions will also cover transitioning back to school...keep an eye out for #4 this week!

Click on the link for more:-
<https://www.cns.catholic.edu.au/news-events/raise-magazine/>



FOR ALL EDITIONS, VISIT:
WWW.CNS.CATHOLIC.EDU.AU/RAISE

Welcome back Preps & Year Ones...



TERM 2 2020

Wed 10.06 School Officers Day
Mon 25.05 Yr 2—6 students in class
Fri 26.06 Term 2 ends

Term 3...

Mon 13.07 Term commences
Fri 4.09 Pupil Free Day
Sun 6.09 Fathers' Day
Fri 8.09 Term 3 ends

Term 4...

Tue 6.10 Term commences
Wed 11.10 Remembrance Day
Fri 23.10 Qld Teachers Day
Fri 4.12 End of School Year
Mass Term 4 ends

Wisdom of Angels...

Common to the three great monotheistic religions, Judaism, Christianity and Islam, angels perform a variety of roles—some bring messages from God, others watch over us. Jacob's dream in the Book of Genesis (28:12-16) of angels travelling between heaven and Earth by climbing up and down a ladder provides a powerful and heartening symbol of communication between worlds.

David Ross—1001 Pearls of Wisdom

The Computer Prayer...

God was at the computer. Suddenly, God had a great idea! Every person would receive an e-mail message as a personal touch. The angels began this task, and emailed everyone. Finally, God met with the angels to discuss progress. 'What has been the main response from my children?' inquired God. The angels said not a word. Eventually, one of them spoke up. 'Lord, when we contacted them, the most popular computer function has been DELETE.'

- ◇ God never deletes us.
- ◇ God only deletes our sins.
- ◇ God does not store the memory.
- ◇ God's lack of memory helps us to restart our lives.

101 Staff Prayers & Reflections

Jeremiah 31:33—34

The new covenant that I will make with the people of Israel will be this: I will put my law within them and write it on their hearts. I will be their God and they will be my people. None of them will have to teacher a neighbour to know the Lord, because all will know me, from the least to the greatest.

I will forgive their sins and will no longer remember their wrongs. I, the Lord, have spoken.

