

TERM FEES

Please note Term 3 fees were issued this week via email. Due date for payment 19 Aug 2020. Please contact the Office via phone if you not have receive your invoice.

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.

Please email remittance to avoid payments being overlooked.

PLEASE NOTE TEMPORARY CHANGE OF TIMES FOR PLAYGROUP



**GOOD COUNSEL PLAYGROUP
GOOD SAMARITAN HALL**

FRIDAY MORNINGS 8.30 - 10.30AM

(Access via Owen Street)

Cost: \$2.00 per family

BYO: HAT MORNING TEA & WATER BOTTLE

**Co-ordinators: Amy McElhinney &
Katie Cavallaro & Ashleigh Strachan**

Catering for children birth to 5 years

Join our "Good Counsel Playgroup" facebook page for more information.

ITEMS WANTED TO SCIENCE



In preparation of National Science Week (next week), we are looking for 1.25L plastic softdrink bottles and medium size jars (eg pasta sauce jars), caps/lids if you have them.



TUCKSHOP



WED 12 AUG — TANIA

FRI 14 AUG — TANIA

MON 17 AUG — 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.

UNIFORM OPENING HOURS

MON - WED - FRI

8.00am—8.30am & 11.00am—12.30pm



To avoid any payments being overlooked - Please email your payment remittance to secretary.innisfail@cns.catholic.edu.au



PARENTS / CARERS

ALL LATE STUDENTS MUST PRESENT TO THE OFFICE TO BE GIVEN A LATE SLIP TO BE MARKED PRESENT.

PLEASE PHONE AHEAD FOR EARLY COLLECTION OF STUDENTS PARENTS/CARERS ARE NOT PERMITTED TO GO TO CLASSROOMS ANY TIME OF THE DAY

IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR PARENTS/CARERS



FOR THE SAFETY OF OUR SCHOOL COMMUNITY

As per Catholic Education Services directive, please keep sick children (fever, sore throat, runny nose, cough) home from school until they have no more symptoms.

Should your child have two or more of the symptoms you may need medical advice as to whether they should be tested. We are all working very hard to keep our school as safe and clean as possible.



GOOD COUNSEL COLLEGE



YEAR 7 (2021) ORIENTATION DAY

THURSDAY 15 OCT 2020

8.30AM - 3.00PM

INFORMATION EVENING

WEDNESDAY 14 OCTOBER

5.30 - 6.30PM



GOOD COUNSEL PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

SEEK, LEARN AND SERVE

11TH AUGUST 2020

TERM 3 Week 5

Dear Parents/Carers

Last Thursday was a sea of colour for our Under 8's Day. Our Prep to Year 2 students came dressed for a morning of painting, crafting, running, jumping, eating, riding, building, navigating and climbing. Many of our Pre-Prep (2021) children visited for the event and also enjoyed the activities that our teachers had organised. The Innisfail Fire Brigade and Police attended and were a huge hit with the children.



As usual the fairy bread, jumping castle, slime and playgroup bikes were extremely popular.



Many thanks to Miss Adamson and all Prep—Year 2 staff who organised the activities, Mr George for his set up and pack up and Mrs Vecchio for her work keeping us COVID compliant. A huge thankyou to the Good Counsel College students and Mrs Kristen O'Brien for helping out with activities, supervising students and catering with the fairy bread. A great morning of fun for all. Sorry to our



Year 3 students who again did not talk to me Thursday as they have all grown up and are now not part of the Under 8's.

This week, Year 5 students are full of excitement getting ready for their camp to Tinaroo. Students will depart at 8.30am tomorrow for three days of action packed activities including rock climbing, high ropes, canoeing, orienteering and team building. They will this year receive an educational talk about bats and sit around a campfire. Many thanks to Mrs Gallagher, Miss Worth and Mrs Sugars for their organisation of this year's camp. Please be aware that there will be additional traffic congestion on Rankin Street tomorrow morning due to the Year 5 camp drop off.

Pre-Prep sessions begin this week with our intake for 2021 coming to visit Friday morning. It is a first for many years that Prep 2021 is full and we have a waiting list. Our Pre-Prep children will spend the next few Friday mornings here at school familiarising themselves with our routines, teachers and assistants and our Prep facilities, ready to join us in 2021. Thanks to our Prep team for organising each session.

Good luck to the following cricketers Brodie Masina, Declan Sinton, Max Costello and Leon Ferreira who will play for the Cassowary Coast North U/12 cricket team at Kurrimine Beach Friday 21 Aug against Cassowary Coast South. This game is a selection trial for students to make the District team to compete in the Peninsula trials next month.

Regards *Liam*

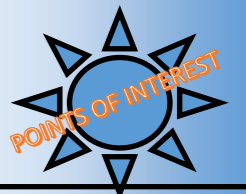
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OFFICE HOURS

8:00 AM—3:00PM



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DIARY DATES

TERM 3

Mon 13 Jul —

Fri 18 Sep

MONDAY & FRIDAY

ASSEMBLIES

IN CLASSROOMS

ONLY THANKYOU

STUDENT LEADERS



School Banking

WED 12 AUG

SCHOOL

BANKING

IN

BREEZEWAY

8.00 - 8.40AM

NOTE TEMPORARY

CHANGE OF TIMES

FOR PLAYGROUP

MONDAYS

INSTRUMENTAL

MUSIC

STUDENTS MUST

BRING THEIR OWN

INSTRUMENT TO

PARTICIPATE



"Nature follows—as she takes her course—the Divine Intellect and the Divine Art."
Dante Alighieri



All classes, including 16 students above, remembered to honour Saint Mary of the Cross with a prayer presentation on Friday.

Sacrament of Confirmation...

We pray for all children who are preparing for the Sacraments of Confirmation and First Eucharist, especially our own GCPS students:

Tyson Catelan, Charlotte Goodes, Quinn Devaney, Luca Franco, Beau Westcott, Audrina DeSabbata, Siena Torrisi, Brodie Masina, Chaise Di Carlo, Aaliya Briggs, Max Costello, Torah Puccini, Shelby Puccini, Travis Sinton, Cooper Healey—
May their knowledge and understanding of the Holy Spirit be always there to guide them as they journey through life. Amen.

Yours in Catholic Education

Maria Caltabiano—Mrs C (Assistant Principal Religious Education)



Good Counsel Primary will be celebrating National Science Week with school activities in the Science, Technology and Art Rooms—thank you Year 6 teachers and students for leading our budding scientists throughout the week.

Term 3...

- Wed 12.08 Year 5 Tinaroo Camp
- Mon—Fri 17-21 August Science Week
- Fri 14.08 Pre-Prep Day #1
- Fri 21.08 Pre-Prep Day #2
- Mon 24.08 Confirmation Innisfail 7pm
- Tue 25.08 Dinosaur Science
- Tue 25.08 Confirmation Innisfail 7pm
- Fri 28.08 Pre-Prep Day #3
- Sat 29.08 First Eucharist Innisfail 6:30pm
- Sun 30.08 First Eucharist South Johnstone 7:00am Innisfail 9:00am Innisfail 11:00am
- Fri 4.09 Pupil Free Day
- Sun 6.09 Fathers' Day
- Sun 6.09 Year 6 Outback Camp
- Fri 11.09 Pre-Prep Day #4
- Tue 15.09 Box Jellyfish Performance
- Wed 16.09 Bike Safety P-2 TBC
- Wed 16.09 Math Olympiad #5
- Fri 18.09 Term 3 ends

School Break

Mon 21 September—Mon 5 October

Term 4...

- Tue 6.10 Term commences
- Mon 12.10 NAIDOC Week
- Fri 16.10 NAIDOC Assembly
- Tue 20.10 Book Week—Curious Creatures, Wild Minds.
- Wed 21.10 Classroom Characters
- Thu 22.10 World Mission Day
- Fri 23.10 Qld Teachers Day
- Wed 11.11 Remembrance Day
- Mon 30.11 Yr 5 Leadership Assembly Yr 6 Graduation
- Thu 3.12 Christmas Concert
- Fri 4.12 End of School Year Mass Term 4 ends

"Rivers do not drink their own water; trees do not eat their own fruit; the sun does not shine on itself and flowers do not spread their fragrance for themselves. Living for others is a rule of nature. We are born to help each other. No matter how difficult it is...Life is good when you are happy; but much better when others are happy because of you."
Pope Francis

Social & Emotional

Learning Awards

Week 4

ALL KEYS

- Robyn Saro
- Ella Borg
- Mia Di Carlo
- Ainsley Cavallaro
- Izzy Horsford

CONFIDENCE

- Oscar Mannix
- Masaya Kubota
- Raquel Galvin
- Olivia Ah Shay
- Jasper Kenwright
- Dallas Stephenson
- Riley Keilbach
- Bronte Fay

Leighton Genocchio

ORGANISATION

- Charlize Di Carlo
- Gabriella Nucifora
- Samuel Weber
- Dexter Bartolo-Solares

PERSISTENCE

Sebastian Gordon-Cooke

- Beau Hudson
- Dominic Franco
- Hannah Sinton
- Scarlett Di Carlo
- Amelia Mahoney
- Maeve Edmondson
- Abbey Lacaze
- Mace Jones

PERSISTENCE

- Max Costello
- Finlay Edmondson
- Leo Briggs

Congratulations to the Puccini family on the birth of Indi-Rose, a sister for Torah 4D, Bray 2AL and Bodhi 1S.



The little feet make the biggest footprints in our heart.

Under 8's Day...

