

REMINDER TERM FEES



Term 2 fees were issued yesterday. For families who are not on a Direct Debit and have outstanding fees due, please make payment over the internet with the details on the bottom of the invoice noting your Reference 973..... (also noted on the bottom of your invoice) to ensure that monies are credited against the correct account and not delay payments. The remittance statement should then be emailed to accounts.innisfail@cns.catholic.edu.au Please be mindful and check your emails & junk/spam to ensure delivery of your fee statement.

SCHOOL PHOTOS

Wednesday 1 June

Photos are encouraged to be purchased on-line using Visa, Mastercard, PayPal or Latitude pay. Go to www.advancedlife.com.au Enter the school 9 digit code (available on the Parent Portal) and click

ORDER NOW

When ordering online, there is no need to complete an envelope. Sibling photos online **must** be completed **before** midnight Tuesday 31 May (the night before photo day).

If not ordering online, please collect an envelope for **each child** in your family from the Office.

Please note we do not hold cash for change in the Office.

Sibling envelopes (1 per family) are also available from the Office.

No late sibling envelopes or on-line orders will be not be accepted after photo day.

Only siblings from this school will be photographed.

SEE ORDER INSTRUCTIONS ATTACHED TO EMAIL



TUCKSHOP HELPERS WANTED

WED 25 MAY - 1 SPOT TO FILL
FRI 27 MAY - 4 SPOTS TO FILL
MON 30 MAY - 1 SPOT TO FILL

TUCKSHOP



WED 25 MAY - TANIA & 1 SPOT TO FILL
FRI 27 MAY - TANIA & 4 SPOTS TO FILL
MON 30 MAY - TANIA & 1 SPOT TO FILL

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.

2022 SCHOOL UNIFORM SHOP OPENING TIMES

MON, WED, FRI
8:00am - 8:30am



GCPS PLAYGROUP

GOOD COUNSEL PRIMARY SCHOOL

GOOD COUNSEL PLAYGROUP

GOOD SAMARITAN HALL

FRIDAY MORNINGS 9.00 - 11.00AM

(Access via Owen Street)

Cost: \$2.00 per family

BYO: HAT MORNING TEA & WATER BOTTLE

School Transport Assistance

The Non-State Schools Transport Assistance Scheme (NSSTAS) provides financial assistance for families transporting students to non-state schools in Queensland. The Scheme includes a Bus Fare Assistance program which assists families with the cost of transporting their student on an approved bus service to non-state schools. For students with disabilities, this assistance includes the cost of transportation by means that takes account of their disability.

Applications for the scheme are open from May 1 – 31 (for travel January to June) and October 1 – 31 (for travel July to December).

To find out more about eligibility requirements and to apply, visit www.SchoolTransport.com.au



GOOD COUNSEL PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

SEEK, LEARN AND SERVE

24TH MAY 2022

TERM 2 Week 6

Dear Parents/ Carers

The National Reconciliation Week 2022 theme, "Be Brave. Make Change." Is a challenge to all Australians – individuals, families, communities, organisations and government – to *Be Brave* and tackle the unfinished business of reconciliation so we can *Make Change* for the benefit of all Australians. National Reconciliation Week spans May 27 - June 3, and includes a number of days of great significance to all Australians.

Every year, National Sorry Day takes place on May 26. This day remembers, acknowledges and raises awareness of the history and continued effect of the forced removal of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people from their families, communities and culture. It encourages us all to come together and share the steps towards healing for the Stolen Generations, their families and communities. May 27 is the day set aside to acknowledge the 1967 Referendum. On 27 May 1967, Australians voted to change the Constitution so that like all other Australians, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples would be counted as part of the population. This opened the doors to First Nations Australians, bringing to light many strong leaders and organisations and the expectation that things could, and should be different.

As a Catholic School we commemorate National Reconciliation week. It is a time to acknowledge the past and celebrate the future in the true spirit of healing and reconciliation. Classes have over the past week had activities organised to highlight the message of Reconciliation by Miss Karen and this Friday we have our Reconciliation Assembly being brought to us by our First Nations students. Many thanks to all involved.

Well done to our Cassowary Coast District Soccer players who finally got to attend the Peninsula Trials yesterday, Rishamreet, Harseerat, Ella, Cooper, Quinn, Luca, Elle and Ethan. Special congratulations to Elle and Luca who were selected in the team and will train and play at the State Titles in July at Redlands United Grounds at Slacks Creek Brisbane.

Last week our Cassowary Coast District Cross Country runners travelled to Yungaburra for the Peninsula Trials. Well done to all - Braxton (3rd), Sienna (8th), Jacob (9th), Brady (22nd) and Archer (22nd). Great work runners. Braxton will now have the opportunity to attend the State Titles in July at Yatala south of Brisbane.

Regards
Liam



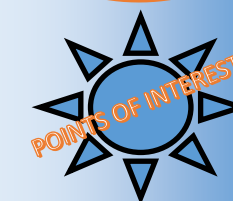
PREPS & YR 1 WITH "DITTO" BRAVEHEARTS VISIT

secretary@gcps.qld.edu.au
www.gcps.qld.edu.au

OFFICE HOURS

8:00 AM—3:00PM

Ph: 07 40630600



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DIARY DATES

TERM 2

Tue 19 April —

Fri 24 June

FRIDAY TUCKSHOP ORDERS IN ON THURSDAY

WED 1 JUN SCHOOL PHOTOS ATTACHED ORDER/PAYMENT INSTRUCTIONS INCLUDING SCHOOL CODE

TERM 2 FEES ISSUED PLEASE CHECK YOUR JUNK/SPAM EMAILS



2ML Forgiveness Prayer Assembly...

Congratulations 2ML students for reminding us that saying sorry and forgiving one another is the way forward. Thank you Mrs Rosanne Mifsud and Mrs Sue Lynch for the preparation.



National Reconciliation Week...

Friday's Prayer Assembly is being brought to us by our First Nations students. National Reconciliation Week started as the Week of Prayer for Reconciliation in 1993 (the International Year of the World's Indigenous Peoples) and was supported by Australia's major faith communities. In 1996, the Council for Aboriginal Reconciliation launched Australia's first National Reconciliation Week. Today, National Reconciliation Week is celebrated in workplaces, schools and early learning services, community organisations and groups, and by individuals Australia-wide.

Scripture...

From the holy Gospel according to John 2:1-5
Mary, the mother of Jesus, was at a wedding feast in the village of Cana in Galilee. Jesus and his disciples had also been invited and were there. When the wine was all gone, Mary said to Jesus, "They don't have any more wine." Jesus replied, "Mother, my time has not yet come! You must not tell me what to do," Mary then said to the servants, "Do whatever Jesus tells you to do." The Gospel of the Lord—Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Sincere Sympathy.....
Ashla Rudken (4R) and family on the passing of her great-grandmother, Dawn Hart.

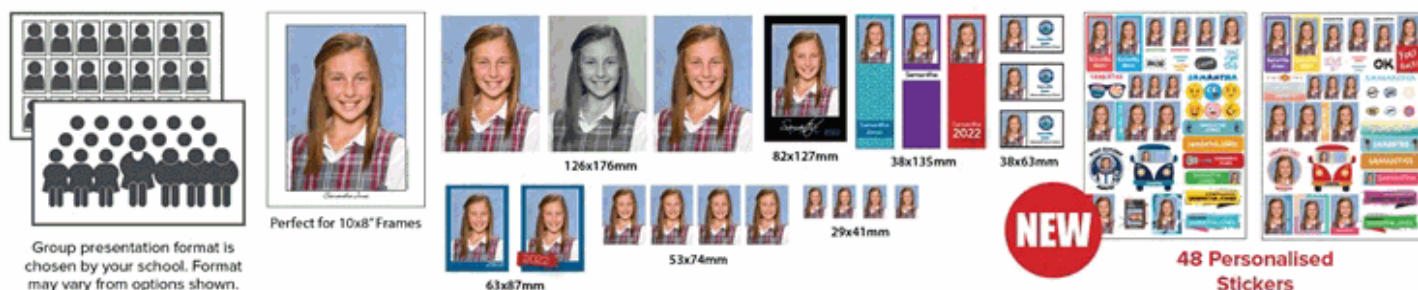


Sincere Sympathy.....
Lorraine Naqicatabua (School Officer) on the passing of both her nephew Paul Barlow Collins and nephew-in-law Richard Turner.

2022 Calendar		
Term 2...		
Fri 27/5	First Nations Reconciliation Prayer Assembly	
Tue 31/5	6S Class Mass 11:15am	
Wed 1/6	SCHOOL PHOTOS	
Thu 2/6	Mabo Day Presentation	
Fri 3/6	Yr 1 Pentecost Assembly	
Mon 6/6	3DK Class Liturgy	
Tue 7/6	3M Class Liturgy	
Wed 8/6	School Officers Day	
	State of Origin (Maroon/Blue)	
Thu 9/6	Readers Cup St Andrew's	
Fri 10/6	Prep 10 Day Kindness Challenge	
Wed 15/6	Math Olympiad #3	
Fri 17/6	Athletics Carnival GCPS	
Mon 20/6	Field Events Yr 3—6	
Tue 21/6	Track Events Callendar Pk	
Fri 24/6	Friday Assembly notices	
	Term 2 ends...	
Term 3...		
Mon 11/7	Term commences	
Fri 15/7	Grandparents Prayer Assembly & Morning Tea	
Sun 17—Fri 22 Yr 6	Outback Camp	
Wk 3—	Catholic Education Week	



school photographs are coming up soon



Please note: Traditional or Composite group and the presentation format are chosen by your school. Sibling photos, if available, can also be ordered online and must be ordered prior to your photo day. A late fee will apply for photos purchased after ordering has closed.

how to order

order online

Online payment options include Visa, Mastercard and PayPal. Alternatively, you can choose to pay over 10 weeks using LatitudePay.

STEP 1

Go to www.advancedlife.com.au on your computer, phone or tablet.

STEP 2

Enter your school code:

5N3 HTP HFJ

in the 'order and download' box. This will take you to your school's secure online ordering site.



STEP 3

Click on 'Order Photos' and complete your details and procedures. During this process you can place orders for additional children at your school and sibling photos, if available

cash/envelope ordering

Your school prefers orders to be placed online. However, if you are unable to order online, please complete your order using the order envelope provided.

STEP 1

Complete a separate order envelope for each individual child's package/s ordered. If ordering for more than one child, payment should be enclosed in the envelope of the eldest child and this should be indicated on the envelope of the other child/children (the envelope that does not have cash enclosed).

STEP 2

Enclose exact cash payment in one envelope for the package/s you are ordering. Payment for more than one child should be in the eldest child's envelope and marked at the bottom of the envelope in the space provided.

STEP 3

Return your completed envelope/s, with correct cash payment, to our photographers on the day.

Please note: You must enclose exact correct payment, as change is not available. Credit card payments can only be made online and we no longer accept cheques. There is a separate envelope for sibling photo orders, should your school choose to offer sibling photos.

School photographs will be returned to your school 4-6 weeks after the day of photography

IMPORTANT - "not for publication" students

If you have instructed your school that your child's image is "not for publication" (sometimes called "do not publish" or "not for media release" instructions), the school will ensure that your child is not presented to our photographers on photo day and school photographs will not be available for purchase. If you wish to change your instruction, then you must notify your school, so they change their records and identify your child as able to be photographed for school photography purposes. All students presented to our photographers by your school on photo day will be photographed, their images will appear in school photography packages with their fellow students and these packages will be available to purchase by all families.

Contact us: www.advancedlife.com.au/contact

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