


REMINDER TERM FEES

 Term 3 fees were issued last Friday. 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.



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
Co-ordinators: Ashleigh Gordon-Cooke
(0459 676 121) & Lili Sales

Catering for children birth to 5 years

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

Congratulations to Elle (5SD) on being chosen as a shadow player for the Rugby League Peninsula U/11 & 12's. Well done!

ALL PARENTS

GOOD COUNSEL PRIMARY SCHOOL SURVEY
All parents/carers will have received an email from MyCorp with a survey to be completed.
Please complete the survey by 5 August.

TUCKSHOP HELPERS NEEDED WITH TANIA BEING ON LEAVE



WED 27 JUL - 1 SPOT TO FILL
FRI 29 JUL - 3 SPOTS TO FILL
MON 01 AUG - 1 SPOT TO FILL

TUCKSHOP



WED 27 JUL - SHARON B & NATALIE T &
1 SPOT TO FILL
FRI 29 JUL - SHARON B & JACINTA M &
3 SPOTS TO FILL
MON 01 AUG - SHARON B & 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

WEDNESDAY TUCKSHOP SPECIAL
Spag's Spag - sml \$3.50 or Lrg - \$4.50
Garlic Bread 50C

**NO FRUIT SALAD OR
NUTELLA AVAILABLE**

MEDICATION AUTHORITY



Please note that should your child need medication to be administered at school the procedure is as follows: -

- Download the Medication form from the [Parent Portal](#) and complete all sections
- Medication is to be brought to school with the student's name and administration dosage printed on the medication box and put in a plastic zip lock bag
- Medication and Form to be handed to the teacher



Congratulations

To Mrs Archer (Admin) on
the birth of a granddaughter
Nina Rose.



GOOD COUNSEL PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

SEEK, LEARN AND SERVE

26TH JULY 2022

TERM 3 Week 3

With a sense of the First Nations country upon which Good Counsel Primary is situated, where learning and ceremony have taken place over many thousands of years, we acknowledge the Mamu People and pay our respects to all Elders - past, present and emerging.

Dear Parents/Carers

Unfortunately I would have preferred to begin our Week 3 Newsletter with sharing our Year 6 Longreach Camp and Catholic Education Week experiences, however, covid requirements take precedence. Due to the progressing covid situation across the region and state and in the interest of safety, CES has directed that all persons (exempting primary school aged children) entering school grounds now wear masks until further notice. That is all staff, parents/carers, contractors, volunteers and visitors on site. The school has a duty of care for the health and safety of all people in our workplace and given the greater risk of covid in the community at the current time, masks are seen as a simple yet highly effective way to reduce the risk. We thank you for your adherence and understanding in this matter.

Year 6 camp to the outback was again an amazing trip for our 49 students who attended. For six days, Longreach trips allows them to experience the vast landscape, cold weather and historical attractions with their class mates and it makes for lifelong memories. Many thanks to our staff and parents who offered up their time to attend, as without them the camp could not proceed. Special thanks to Mrs Caltabiano and Mrs McElhinney and all staff who were at school covering classes and duties while we were away.

This week is Catholic Education Week.

We celebrate together in QLD across 5 Dioceses, 313 schools, 22000 staff and most importantly 154000 students. The theme for 2022 is

'COMMUNITIES OF FAITH HOPE LOVE'

Catholic Education strives to make a difference in the lives of those in our schools and in the wider community by challenging young people to live out the message of Jesus and to be compassionate, contributing, life-giving members of society.



While we have cancelled our combined Liturgy with the Deanery Schools and the GCC activities for today we did join in spirit with them as our school community celebrated with a Liturgy of the Word in Mother of Good Counsel Church at 9.00am. Many thanks to Mrs C for organising our adapted liturgy.

A reminder that the MyCorp School Satisfaction Surveys close at the end of next week, 5 August. To date only 51 parents have completed the online survey. Please take the 10 minutes to give us feedback.

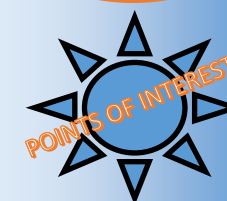
We wish William Kris and Tyson Catelan every success when they compete in the QLD Rugby Championships this week in Rockhampton.

Congratulations to Mrs Julie Yang, her husband Pha, Isabella (Prep) and Maddi on the birth of a baby boy last Wednesday. Lots of best wishes from Year 2YL now 2CL.

Regards, Liam

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8:00 AM—3:00PM
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DIARY DATES

TERM 3

Mon 11 Jul —
Fri 16 Sep

**THU 28 JUL
FRIDAY
TUCKSHOP
ORDERS IN ON
THURSDAY**

**WED 27 JUL
DISTRICT ATHLETICS
800M**

TUE 2 AUG

**THU 4 AUG
UNDER 8'S DAY
PREP—YR2**



SAVE THE DATE
FATHERS' DAY
DISCO
26 AUGUST

Term 3 Matters...



Catholic Education at Good Counsel Primary...

Thank you Father Kerry for today's reflections of this year's Catholic Education theme of Faith, Hope, Love during the Liturgy of the Word in Mother of Good Counsel Church. Lovely singing and actions—thank you staff and students.

2CL Class Liturgy...

Celebrating yesterday, 2CL students thank their extended family who were present in church for them. Thank you again, Fr Kerry for your time and support of the classes this term.



*Yours in Catholic Education
Maria Caltabiano—Mrs C*

2022 Calendar

Term 3...

Wk 3—Catholic Education Week
Communities of Faith Hope Love
Fri 29/7 District Athletics
Mon 1/8 5W Class Mass
Tue 2/8 P&F Meeting 7pm
Thu 4/8 Under 8s' Day
Fri 5/8 Yr 6 Camp Pr. Assembly
Mon 8/8 5SD Class Mass
Andrew Chinn Concert
Tue 9/8 2ML Class Liturgy
ICAS WRITING
ICAS DIGITAL TECHNOLOGY
Fri 12/8 3M St Mary of the Cross
Mon 15/8 Feast of the Assumption BVM
Wed 17/8 ICAS ENGLISH
Fri 19/8 4R Confirmation Pr. Assembly
Mon 22—Fri 26/8 Book Week—
Dreaming with Eyes Open
Mon 22/8 Confirmation—MoGC
Tue 23/8 Confirmation—St Rita's SJ
Wed 24/8 Classroom Book Characters
Thu 25/8 ICAS SCIENCE
ICAS SPELLING
Fri 26/8 4F Eucharist Prayer Assembly
Father's Day Disco
Wed 31/8 ICAS MATHEMATICS
Thu 1/9 Ty Williams Cup
Fri 2/9 PUPIL FREE DAY
Week 9 NAIDOC Week—



Friday's Assembly

Awards on Friday had a pyjama flavour as Preps were supporting Children in Foster Care.

Thank you staff for the Introduction to CEW Prayer Assembly last week. Many thanks also to the Year 5's for running the show, and for all the jobs that were completed in the Yr 6s' absence.

NOTICE OF APOLOGY

Raffle winners...

Mrs C apologises to Mrs Camilleri who was misnamed with her maiden name in last week's newsletter.

A speedy recovery dear Armani...

Best wishes to Armani who underwent surgery today. We miss you and look forward to you being back at school as you as you have healed and are feeling stronger.

Friday Assembly

Mini Vinnies will not be presenting on Friday due to the number of absences. Please get well soon.

