



TUCKSHOP



WED 29 MAY—TANIA, ANNA & 1 HELPER NEEDED
8:30AM—10:30AM
FRI 31 MAY—TANIA, ANNA & 2 HELPERS NEEDED
MON 03 JUNE—TANIA, ANNA & 1 HELPER NEEDED
8:30AM—10:30AM

FLEXISCHOOL ORDERING CLOSING TIMES

WEDNESDAY - CLOSING AT 8:00AM FOR THE SAME DAY

THURSDAY—9:30AM FOR FRIDAY INCLUDES
ALL BROWN BAGS FOR FRIDAY

* LATE ORDERS WILL SUBSTITUTED AS PER MENU*

MONDAY—8:00AM FOR THE SAME DAY

TUCKSHOP TUBS ARE NO LONGER KEPT OUTSIDE THE
CLASSROOMS. ALL BROWN BAGS WITH CASH TO
THE TUCKSHOP BY FIRST BELL.



UNIFORM SHOP

2024 OPENING HOURS

MON, WED, FRI

8:00—8:30am OR 11:00am—12:30pm



GOOD COUNSEL PRIMARY SCHOOL PLAYGROUP

CATERING FOR CHILDREN - BIRTH TO 5 YEARS

FRIDAY MORNINGS 9:00 AM—11:00 AM

GOOD SAMARITAN HALL

(ACCESS VIA OWEN STREET)

COST: \$2.00 PER FAMILY

BYO: HAT, MORNING TEA & WATER BOTTLE

CO-ORDINATOR: ASHLEIGH GORDON-COOKE 0459 676 121



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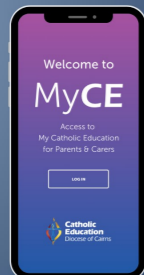
MY CATHOLIC EDUCATION

Parent App

We're online!

Access Student &
School info from
your phone!

Download our New App



State of Origin

Dress Up

Wednesday

5th June

Go the

Maroons!

Raffle on sale

next week—

50c a ticket—only
at school.

REMINDER STATEMENTS

Please note reminder statements
were issued in Week 5.

Please check your emails and spam/junk
folder and if not received, contact Admin.



BPAY is now available for fee payments and is
our preferred payment method. You will find
the BPAY information relevant to your
account on the Account Statement in the lower
right hand section. BPAY assures your
payments are allocated directly to
your account avoiding any errors.
The remittance statement/payment screen shot
should then be emailed to:
accounts.innisfail@cns.catholic.edu.au



**REMINDER—UPCOMING YEAR 6
LONGREACH CAMP (TERM 3)
PLEASE REFER TO CAMP LETTER FOR
ALL PAYMENT DETAILS.**



THURSDAY Junior COACHING

3.30pm - 4.30pm
Ages 5-10yrs
● Red Ball ● Orange Ball

4.30pm - 5.30pm
Ages 10+yrs
● Green Ball ● Yellow Ball

Cost: \$15 per lesson

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4.30pm - 5.30pm
Ages 10+yrs
● Green Ball ● Yellow Ball

Cost: \$15 per lesson

**PRIVATE COACHING
AVAILABLE**

\$15 per 1/4 hour sessions.
Contact Coach Libor for further
details on days and times.



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GOOD COUNSEL PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

SEEK, LEARN AND SERVE

28TH MAY 2024

TERM 2 Week 7

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 and present.

Dear Parents/Carers,

Last night 16 of our Year 4 students attended Mother of Good Counsel Church to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. They have been preparing for some weeks with their families under the guidance of Mrs Donna Vecchio (Parish Sacramental Co-ordinator). This weekend they will again be at church to receive their First Eucharist. Receiving their sacraments is a very special time in these young people's lives. Thanks to all students in Year 4F and 4W who have supported their classmates and have been part of their journey by presenting the assembly last Friday (4F Confirmation) and this week (4W First Eucharist).

Last week our Prep - Year 3 students joined thousands of readers around Australia for National Simultaneous Storytime. The book chosen for 2024 was *Bowerbird Blues* by Aura Parker. Our Prep students walked to the Innisfail Library to partake in the story telling and Mrs Mifsud and Mrs Farina organised amazing craft activities and story telling in our Theatre. Many thanks to all for bringing the joy of reading to our students.

A couple of reminders—

Particularly during this wet weather—to be extra safe dropping off and picking up students in the mornings and afternoons. Please be considerate of others during the peak times of 8:15am-8:35am and 3:00pm-3:20pm.

Stopping on the Rankin Street roadway and calling students to your car is not safe. This is illegal and is putting your children in danger. Do not park in the drop off/pickup zone and then leave your car to enter the school grounds during the specified times on the signs. **Be patient—if you do not get a park please, do a loop.** Please display your yellow name tag when entering the Owen Street and Rankin Street pickup zones to assist teachers on duty to identify students being collected.

A reminder to complete your Parent Feedback Survey. The data collected from the survey assists us to make meaningful improvements to our educational programs. Survey closes Friday 7 June.

10-12Y State Squash Championships

Congratulations to Brady Devaney who travelled to Brisbane last week to compete in both the singles and doubles squash. In total he played 10 games from Thursday—Sunday. He faced plenty of tough competition but enjoyed the experience.



10-12Y State Boys Netball Championships

Congratulations to Brayden Horsford, Rick Stephenson and Sam Costello who competed in the State Titles in Toowoomba from Friday—Sunday. The boys won all their games on Day 1, lost two on Day 2, then were defeated in the Semi-finals to Met East on Day 3. A great experience for the boys. Well done to Rick Stephenson who was selected in the Possibles/Probables game from which the QLD Team was chosen.



State of Origin Dress Up

Come dressed in your Maroon and Blue (if you are game) on Wednesday 5 June. 50c raffle tickets for sale and great prizes to be won—tickets only available at school next week.

Sports Colour House March Past Themes

The captains have reached a consensus and you will find their suggestion on page 3. Please do not go to any great expense as the March Past is only a brief portion of the morning and then the children must remove their dress-up to be in their running gear.

Regards—Liam

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OFFICE HOURS

8:00 AM—3:00PM

Ph: 07 4063 0600

POINTS OF INTEREST

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DIARY DATES 2024

MON 15 APRIL

FRI 21 JUNE

**WED 5 JUNE
STATE OF ORIGIN
DRESS UP**

**THU 6 JUNE
READERS CUP TEAM
AT ST ANDREW'S
REDLYNCH**

**WED 12 JUNE
SCHOOL
OFFICER DAY**



**THU 20 JUNE
ATHLETICS CARNIVAL
CALLENDAR PARK
(WEATHER
PERMITTING)**





Sacrament of Confirmation

Thank you 4F students and Miss Teagan Forster for acknowledging the Confirmation candidates at Friday's Prayer Assembly.

Last night in Mother of Good Counsel Church—Bodhi, Charlize, Dallas, Gabriella, Harlem, Hunter, Jaxsyn, Laynie, Macy, Mia, Peter, Ricki, Ryan C, Ryan F, Ryan S and Sailah were among 30 children to be anointed with the holy oil by Father Kerry Crowley (Parish Priest & Diocesan Administrator). Thank you Mrs Donna Vecchio—Sacramental Coordinator for the preparations that went into making the evening so memorable for the children, sponsors and families.

Sacrament of First Eucharist

Please join with 4W students as they in turn acknowledge the above children who will receive Eucharist for the first time at one of the weekend masses, Saturday 6:30pm or Sunday 9:00am at Mother of Good Counsel Church.



National Reconciliation Week...

National Reconciliation Week — 27 May to 3 June — is a time for all Australians to explore how each of us can contribute to achieving reconciliation in Australia. Join with us in Wk 8 for our First Nations students' National Reconciliation Prayer Assembly at 8:35am.

*Yours in Catholic Education—
Mrs C—Maria Caltabiano*



GOOD COUNSEL PRIMARY CALENDAR

2024 Term 2 (10 weeks)

Fri 31.5 4W First Eucharist Prayer Assembly

Sat 1.6 6:30pm & Sun 2.6 9:00am

Sacrament of First Eucharist

Fri 7.6 National Reconciliation Assembly

Wed 13.6 SCHOOL OFFICER DAY

Thu 20.6 **ATHLETICS CALENDAR PK**

Fri 21.6 Term 2 ends...

Term 3 (10 weeks)

Mon 8.7 Term commences

Fri 12.7 **INNISFAIL SHOW HOLIDAY**

Fri 30.8 Pupil Free Day

Fri 13.9 Term 3 ends

Term 4 (10 weeks)

Mon 30.9 Term commences

Mon 7.10 **King's Birthday Holiday**

Deepest Sympathy...

*To the Nucifora family—
Isadora (5D), Gabriella (4F) and
Teodoro (3DC) on the passing of
their paternal grandmother
Sarina Nucifora.*

Deepest Sympathy...

*To the Ferreira family—
Iné (6S), Mia (6D), Henco (6D)
on the passing of their paternal
grandmother (Ouma)
Ria Ferreira*

Sports Colour House Themes

CLANCY: Clancy Country

Suggestion—Cowboy hat, old checked shirt, old jeans, (old boots/belt if you have)

MACKILLOP: MacKillop Masquerades

Suggestion—Masquerade masks, feather boas, gloves (craft workshop TBA)

MARCELLIN: Marcellin Marathoners

Suggestion—Red shirt with a paper number attached and running shorts

POLDING: Polding in Pyjamas

Suggestion—Pyjamas/boxer shorts



Thank you Fr Kerry for celebrating The Holy Trinity Liturgy with Yr 3 classes yesterday. Thank you to the parents and family supporters who joined the children.



Last Friday, Yr 1 students enjoyed a second visit from the Qld Fire Service Officers—with the Fire truck as the ultimate highlight. Thank you Mrs Slater and Miss Worth.