





Visiting Seminar

Yesterday GCPS welcomed two Seminar

Catholic Education Week...

Cairns has been chosen to host this year's statewide celebrations, with a launch dinner and the presentation of the 2024 Spirit of Catholic Education Awards to be held there on Sunday 21 July.

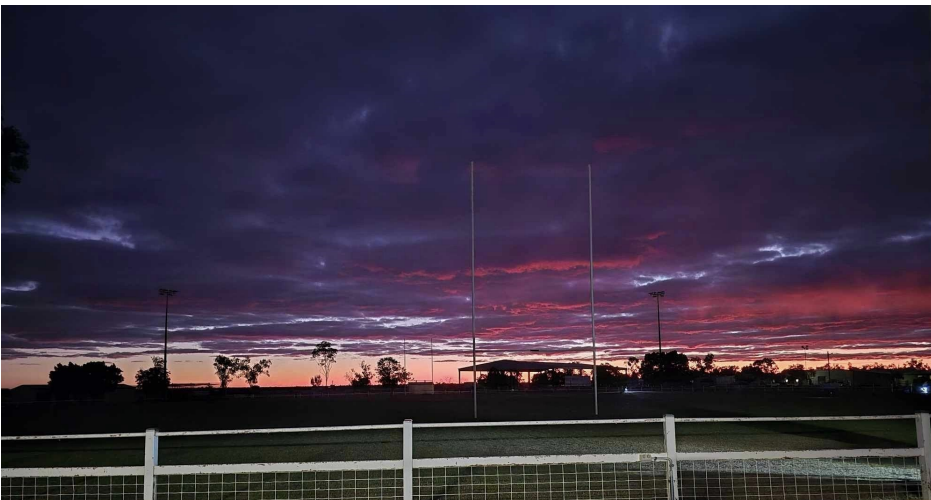
This will be followed on Monday morning 22 July by Mass at St Monica's Cathedral. GCPS School Captains—Harlow and Kristofer will be attending this Mass with Ms Helm and Mrs Vecchio.

Celebrations will continue here at school on Tuesday 23 July, with students from St Clare's Tully, St John's Silkwood, St Rita's South Johnstone and Babinda, and representatives from Good Counsel College coming together for Mass in Mother of Good Counsel Church.

Andrew Chinn will be leading all the singing in church and following it up with the CEW Concert in the Blue Area for students—Prep to Yr 4. Students in Yr 5 & 6 will be at Good Counsel College for their Taster Day—participating in various learning activities and familiarising themselves in preparation for 2025.

Grandparents Day...

Thursday 25 July will give GCPS grandparents the opportunity to visit the school and share time with their grandchildren.



From the Campers at Longreach...

Sunrise, the miracle of the day. Unknown Author

Yours in Catholic Education—Mrs C (Maria Caltabiano)



GOOD COUNSEL PRIMARY CALENDAR 2024

Term 3 (10 weeks)

- Sun 14.7 Yr 6 Outback Campers depart returning Friday 19.7
- Fri 19.7 Catholic Education Wk Introduction
- Tue 23.7 CEW Southern Schools Mass Andrew Chinn in Concert
- Thu 25.7 GCPS Grandparents Day
- Thu 1.8 Under 8's Day
- Fri 9.8 Mary MacKillop Prayer Assembly
- Thu 22.8 Book Character Parade
- Fri 23.8 Father's Day Prayer Assembly
- Fri 30.8 CTJ—Pupil Free Day
- Wk 9—NAIDOC WEEK & ASSEMBLY
- Fri 13.9 Prep Fairy Tales
- Term 3 ends

Term 4 (10 weeks)

- Mon 30.9 Term commences
- Mon 7.10 King's Birthday Holiday
- Fri 25.10 Qld Teachers Day
- Mon 11.11 Remembrance Day Ceremony
- Fri 6.12 Term 4 ends



Parents, please keep an eye out for ICAS letters being sent home via Seesaw this week.



Week 1 and both Prep classes were in full learning mode on the ins and outs of electricity—courtesy of the Ergon visitors.

GCPS GRANDPARENTS DAY  
Catholic Education Week—Thursday 25 July 2024  
8:40 – 10:30am Blue Area  
6D Grandparents Prayer Assembly, Lucky Door  
Visit grandchildren's classroom/s, Mini Vinnies Raffle  
Enjoy a GCPS Grandparents Cuppa & Cake before the Raffle is drawn at 10:15am

GCPS Grandparents Day  
Dear You're invited!  
Thursday 25 July 2024 8:40 – 10:30am  
Blue Area at Good Counsel Primary  
Join us for Thursday's 6D Grandparents Prayer Assembly  
Place a Lucky Door Ticket and wait until teachers mark the Roll  
Visit classrooms  
Time to purchase tickets in the Mini Vinnies Raffle – Drawn 10:15am  
Enjoy a GCPS Grandparents Cuppa & Cake before the Raffle is drawn.

Love from \_\_\_\_\_ (Class \_\_\_\_\_)

PLEASE RETURN SECTION BELOW ONLY  
GCPS GRANDPARENTS DAY Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> July 8:40 – 10:30am  
Please notify member alterations by Monday 22 July 2024

☐ Sorry, unable to attend  
☐ Yes, I/We will be there for the Prayer Assembly (I \_\_\_\_\_)  
☐ Yes, I/We will stay for the Cuppa & Cake (I \_\_\_\_\_)

Name of Grandparent: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Grandchildren at GCPS: \_\_\_\_\_

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