



NEWSLETTER

St Justin's Parish School

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Dear Families and Friends,

*Happy Mothers' Day to all of our wonderful Mothers,
Grandmothers and Special Friends.*



Happy Mother's Day

We wish all our mothers, grandmothers and special friends in our lives a happy and blessed Mother's day and hope you enjoy some time with your families this Sunday. We are so grateful for the amazing work and support that our mother's share with us each day and it's important to acknowledge this central figure in our lives and our communities.

Prayer for Mothers

*Dear Lord,
Thank you for all mothers.
For the new ones, who endure sleepless
nights with infants in arms.
For the busy ones, who juggle the
pressures of home and family life.
For the steadfast ones, who nurture and
care for our special vulnerable children.
For the patient ones, who always seek to
forgive and engage with their children.
For the persistent ones, who cleverly find
new ways to connect with their mini-
adults.
For the mother aunts, who step in to
cradle and care for nieces and nephews.
For all grandmas, who love and support
their precious grandchildren.
For the foster mums that are called to
gather and cover the fragile ones.
For the mums who give far beyond their
own resources, who overcome disability to
cherish and love.
For the mums who are no longer with us
and are watching down from heaven.
Thank you Lord for all our beautiful
mothers. Help us to support them and
keep them in our prayers.
Amen.*

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Today we shared a reflective liturgy as a school and prayed for our mothers. This liturgy has been uploaded to your children's Seesaw account so that you can take some time to share this as a family too.

*Today we also held the Mother's Day stall so that children could find a little token of appreciation to share with their mothers on Sunday. Thank you to Aili Gomez for organising and leading this event today and for the many hands who came in to support the efforts... Sandra Gulbenkian, Talar Arzuman, Sharon Caruana, Rita Ghalie, Agnella Johnson and Bianca Carretta
As a school we couldn't hold this kind of event without your support!!*



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NAPLAN - Years 3 and 5 - 10th - 20th May

National Assessment Program - Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN)

Starting next week, all students in Years 3 and 5 nationally commence NAPLAN testing. This year is the first time we have moved to an online environment for NAPLAN. All tests, except for Year 3 Writing, will be completed online. At St Justin's during these times we encourage a calm approach to the testing and to use the various problem solving techniques and strategies that we practise in class daily and to spend time revising their work when completed. We talk about using a Growth Mindset at St Justin's which supports children to shift any negative thoughts they may have and reframing them in a way that can help them to move forward. When we are in the **Learning Pit**, what are the strategies that can help move us out of it??

Some ways in which parents can support children during this time is to encourage them to do what they can on the test and to keep trying to remember what teachers work through with them daily. Getting a good night's sleep and a nutritious breakfast can also help the body be ready for any challenges throughout the day.

Our test days for NAPLAN are as follows:

Tuesday 10 May, 9.30am - Writing

Thursday 12 May, 9.30am - Reading

Friday 13 May, 9.30am - Language Conventions

Monday 16 May, 9.30am - Maths



REMINDER...Student Headphones for NAPLAN testing

School Closure Day - TUESDAY 24TH MAY

On this day the staff will continue the work they have been doing this year in further strengthening their understanding of teaching the Mathematics curriculum. Last term, six of the Professional Learning Team meetings we held after school were dedicated to the detailed planning of the Mathematics Curriculum. This equates to seven hours of professional learning in this area. We took time in delving into the **Numeracy Learning Progressions** provided in the Victorian Curriculum, studying the natural progression of learning for most students. We also spent time in deep discussion and planning with the four **Maths Proficiencies** from the Australian Curriculum which focus on increasingly sophisticated and refined mathematical understanding, fluency, reasoning, and problem-solving skills.

Our day together on 24th May will allow us further uninterrupted time to explore our planning from Term 1, review data collected from the term and to collaboratively plan within and across year level teams using the same strategic approach.

Physical Education Specialist Lessons

As we have now finished Swimming where the students were wearing their sports uniform daily, we return to our regular PE days which will be as follows from next week.

Wednesday - Year 5, Year 2 and Year 6

Thursday - Year 3, Year Prep, 4SD and IWM

Friday - 1L, 4M and Year 5/6s

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Year Prep-4 Swimming Program

Today we come to an end of the Swimming program for 2022. We're fortunate that we were able to hold it this year. The intensive program that is held at Swimworld, where students have lessons for 9 days in a row, instils confidence and strengthens swimming skills of students. The focus in this type of program is also on water safety and

ways in which children can manage themselves in water. Of course, continuing lessons during the year is always encouraged and recommended to build strength and further build confidence.

We take this opportunity to thank all the parents for supporting the Swimming program in helping children dry off and get dressed quickly to get back on the bus. To have those additional hands on deck is always greatly appreciated, by both students and staff. A thank you also to staff for their organisation and support of the program.



School Uniform

It wouldn't be hard to notice that the weather has changed dramatically in the last few days and that so many of us have made the switch to our Winter wardrobes! As we're still in the early part of Term 2 and the weather really is fickle at this time of year, you can still make the judgement about the best choice for each day. In time, we will inform families when we all need to make the switch to Winter school uniforms.

As we still have many Covid practices in place, parents may wish to provide a coat / jacket for children inside the classroom if they feel the cold. At this stage, whilst we have air purifiers in every room, we still have classroom doors and windows open as a Covid-safe practice. Heaters will be on, but sometimes rooms can still be quite cool.

Please review the details from last week's newsletter about the different parts of the Winter uniforms and we refer you again to Academy Uniforms for your orders.

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Winter Uniform Orders

To order you can purchase directly from Academy Uniforms shopfront. They are located at 2/810-818 Princes Highway, Springvale and their operating hours are Tuesdays and Thursdays 09:00am – 5:00pm and Saturday mornings 09:00am – 12:00 noon.



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Select your school below to see which stores are available to you.

Alternatively you can order over the phone on 9574 1314 or you can order online via <https://www.academyuniforms.com.au/>

Select "**ORDER ONLINE**"
Choose "St. Justin's" from the drop down list
Enter the Password "Wheelers Hill"



Melbourne Archdiocese has recently updated the policy for Administration of Medication to Students. As this affects families with children with medical conditions, we ask that you read the procedure in the link below or on our website.

https://www.sjwheelershill.catholic.edu.au/files/ugd/aa39bf_1c0cab6fb5d74a9cba1ee71c83b018e3.pdf

CAMP REFLECTIONS:

LAST PRIMARY SCHOOL CAMP 2022

As we jumped out of the bus everybody was ready and excited for our last primary school camp. We were all in joy and in happiness. Everyone couldn't wait to hear who was in their cabin. As soon as I heard who was in my cabin I was filled with excitement because I had all my best friends in my cabin. I had Thomas, Zak, Yiann, Flynn and Marco. We ran straight into our cabin like we have never ran before, we locked our beds in and got everything ready for the night.

ROTATION 1 - TWIN FLYING FOX

Our first group activity was the twin flying fox. I was in group 1. I had most of my friends in my group. Our instructor was Daisy. She was telling us what to do and to put on the harness and helmet. We chose who to go with then we were off. I went with Marco. We were up first. I was scared to jump off but I closed my eyes

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and I was off. I felt like I was on top of the world. It was so much fun, especially when I jumped. And that was my first activity.

Rotation 2 - Giant swing

It was time for what I was waiting for, the GIANT SWING! Last year's camp I didn't go on the giant swing because I was scared. But this year everything is going to change. I am going to go all the way to the top which is 18 meters and finally do the GIANT SWING. While I was waiting for my turn I was getting butterflies in my stomach and my head was telling me not to do it. I harnessed up and I was ready, I was getting pulled up to the top. I was scared for my life but I was there ready to pull the rope then boom I am swinging left and right. It was my favourite part of camp.

ROTATION 3 - Raft making

Our last activity was Raft Making. I didn't really want to do it because I was going to get wet. We were provided with 6 pipes, 3 timber planks and 4 ropes. My group had a few ideas but we went with a rectangle with planks on the top and the rope weaving through all the pipes. We decided to have 5 people on the raft with me pushing to make it faster. We put the raft in the water and off we went. The water was very cold but I had to deal with it. We were half way through and our raft fell apart and I swam back to shore. Our team lost but we tried our best.

FREE TIME AND DINNER

After we finished our rotations we had free time and Marco played ping pong for 30 minutes. It was very even Marco beat me the first game and I beat him the second game. Now it was time for dinner we had pasta, garlic bread and salad. It was very yummy. We waited 20 minutes and then it was dessert. We had chocolate mousse. It was the best moose I ever had.

NIGHT WALK AND FIRE

After dinner we went on a walk. It was pitch black but it was very fun and good to have some time to talk with everyone. We went to a reserve that was cool. Once we finished we came back and everyone gathered around a fire. We were singing songs and we had some watermelon. It was tasty. Then we went to our cabin and went to sleep at 12 o'clock we were playing murder in the dark and talking.

AMAZEN THINGS

At 10.00 we went to Amazen things with lots of optical illusions and magic. We started off doing mini golf. I partnered up with Flynn. We did 14 holes and we had a draw. The score was 7-7, which was very fun. Then we went inside as soon as we walked in the room was very wobbly with illusions everywhere my head was hurting. We got into the first room which was full of pictures and lasers. This room makes you very dizzy. Then we walked into a mirror maze. It was very hard because you keep on walking into mirrors. Then we went into a games room where there was a big slide that drops you. At first it looks scary but when you drop it feels so smooth. So then we went to the main part which was the big maze. I figured out that you just have to turn right and you get there. I loved Amazen things. It was so fun, especially the slide.

Cowes beach and Nobbys

When we finished Amazen things, we hopped on the bus and went to Cowes beach. We had lunch. I had cheese and vegemite. After a while we went to the beach and we played a footy match. It was 5s vs 6s. The 6s smashed the 5s. Then after we went on the bus to Nobbys Lookout and we saw penguins and the ocean.

Overall this was the best camp I went to. It was very fun and filled with joy and excitement. I wish we had more time at Phillip Island.

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Camp Year 6 By Emma

Wet, cold, hot, sticky. If I had to describe camp in 4 words, that would be it. I was sort of excited but sad at the same time because camp is fun and there's loads of activities, but I knew it was our last camp for St Justins. It could never be the same.

At about 10:30 in the morning we arrived at Silver Leafs, bouncing with excitement and energy. As we got off the bus we went to the common room where we listened to one of the camp staff called Emma. Everyone stared at me when she told us her name was Emma as well! It was sort of embarrassing. We all found out our cabins and activity groups, and I believe everyone was happy who they were with. I was in a cabin (number 9) with Gemma, Milana, Kiara and Sofia, and my activity group (number 2) included Kayla, Kiara, Krystal, Alannah, Melissa and Giselle.

We quickly unpacked our sleeping bags, pillows, toiletries and we chose where we all wanted to sleep. Sofia and I slept next to each other on a single bed, Milana sat on one of the bunk beds on the top and we placed all our backpacks and overnight bags on the bottom bunk so we had more space to move around. Then there was a wall and behind that wall was Gemma and Kiara in a bunk bed together. After that we went straight to our first activity.

My group had raft making first. It was boys VS girls and the first group who touched the Buoy would be the winners! Each team got 8 poles, 4 planks and 4 strings. We worked together and we started creating our raft by putting our poles together for the bottom, placing the planks on top and tying it all together on each side with many knots so it's stable. Little did we know, it was not safe? When we were ready, we all pushed our 'raft' into the water and we all jumped on it! SPLASH! All of it fell apart and our shoes and clothes were RUINED. We ended up losing to the boys but we had fun.

Afterwards we had lunch. But me and Kiara didn't have anything because we were having showers because we all felt so yuck. I was sort of hungry but I didn't mind. But as we went out we could hear Mrs Slonim saying: "There's Anzac biscuits and fruit!" So Kiara and I just had some of those.

The next activities we had were the flying fox then the giant swing. I went on with Krystal. It looked so high because it was 10 metres tall! I felt sick. But I had to do it. Both the giant swing AND the flying fox was fun and BREATHTAKING. I screamed so loud on the Giant swing and my stomach literally dropped so I could have vomited.

After we all had showers and got fresh clothes on we went to have dinner. We ate in a BIG dining hall with multiple chairs and tables and there was plenty to eat. We all had pasta (penne), and you could have a choice if you wanted garlic bread and salad. I just went with pasta and garlic bread. The pasta was nice and warm and the sauce that went with it was meaty and yum, and the garlic bread was crunchy on the outside and soggy on the inside. I didn't really eat it because I was already full from the pasta!

Next we went back to our cabins and we got our torches and we got ready for a night walk! It was dark at night but the surroundings were nice. The fact that the cicadas and the tree leaves rustling along with the breeze made me feel calm. Then after we got back to the campsite we all sat around a cozy campfire and sang songs and had some fruit. I was SO tired afterwards and my cabin was planning on doing an all-nighter (staying up all night) but we were so tired so we just slept. Well, I didn't really.

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AAAAAAAAAAAAHHHH!!!! The next morning we woke up with a fright from a loud scream that managed to echo to our room from room 4. We were so scared that we almost went to tell the teacher. But there was no need to do that because we found out that it was just Krystal, Adrianna, Melissa and some of the other girls screaming because Alice went into their room looking like Andre. It was so funny!

When everyone woke up, we all started to pack up our bags and look around for anything we have left behind. After everyone finished tidying up we went to breakfast. We could have toast with either jam, honey, butter and vegemite or just cereal like cornflakes or rice bubbles. There was also orange juice on the table for anyone to get a glass of. This was the only meal that made me feel like I was at home. Then, we brought all our luggage to the front of our cabins and we went for a quick walk around the area and we explored all the different sights and seeings. We saw lots of kangaroos while we walked! When we got back we could have about 20 minutes of free time like playing ping pong or having some fruit. Then soon enough we were already at Amaz'n things! There were games and puzzles to play and there were cool illusions to trick your mind. The best part of Amaz'n things was the drop slide. It was so scary but I got to do it 2 times and it was so fun. I felt so dizzy afterwards but then we did Maxi Mini golf and I went with Milana and Sofia.

We got back to the campsite and we got on the bus to go to Cowes beach. The waves were calm and it was lovely. We had our rolls we chose and I had butter and cheese. I also had a pear after and some biscuits and I was once full again. We went to the shore and we splashed our feet in the cold water and we collected amazing shells. After about an hour, we dried our feet and put our shoes back on and went back on the bus to go to Nobbies. At first I thought it was some kind of cafe but when we got there it was something so different. It was a beautiful place and there were little penguins hiding under the bridges we were walking on, and we saw lots of little penguin homes people made so they were protected by the foxes and snakes. There were rocks surrounding us and it reached out to the ocean.

After a long day, we went on the bus AGAIN, and I sat next to Gemma and we drove back to school. I had a big sleep and I was so tired.

Overall, camp was exciting and so enjoyable. Time went by so quickly and I couldn't be more grateful for having such a lovely trip.

ST JUSTINS YEAR 6 CAMP

On Tuesday the 26 of April, grades 5 and 6 arrived at St Justin's at 8:00 AM. At about 8:30 AM, the year 6 classes hopped on the school bus to Phillip Island. Meanwhile on the bus, everyone was screaming.

After a boring one hour and thirty minute drive, we arrived at our destination. My eardrums definitely needed a break. We got off the bus and made our way to the barbecue area. After that we dropped our bags and Mrs Slonim told us which cabin we would be staying in.

My roommates were Luka, Will, Jake and Lachie. After settling in, we headed off to our first activity. We had three activities: the Twin Flying Fox, the Giant Swing and Rafting. There were also three groups for each task. I was in Group 1.

Our first activity was the Twin Flying Fox. Group 1 had to put on harnesses for safety. When it was my turn up on the 10 metre platform. I felt the adrenaline pumping through my body as I climbed up the ladder. Although Lucas and I had a fear of heights we just stepped off the step and slid down the giant zipline.

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Following that intensely fun activity, we had lunch and were given some free time. Subsequently our group started the second task, the Giant Swing. We needed to put on a safety harness for this too. When someone was strapped to the 18 metre swing, our group was required to pull a rope for the individual to reach the maximum height. Everybody who went on it felt the anxiety of the first two swings, which made their stomach drop.

Afterward feeling we had a small break and began to start our next activity. Prior to the next task I thought that rafting would be fun. However, the experience we had was very unpleasant. There were two teams, girls versus boys. We started to build our raft but almost instantly our teamwork led to failure. As we put our raft in the water it fell apart almost immediately and were forced to put it back together in the freezing manmade lake.

After that most of Group 1 had a shower and then prepared dinner for the grade fives and sixes. The camp chefs made us penne with bolognese, salad, garlic bread. For dessert they served us chocolate mousse. Although the penne with bolognese lacked flavour and the sauce was runny, the salad and the chocolate mousse were good.

At night time we went for a walk on a long dark gravel road and our feet started to hurt. After we went for a walk we went to a campfire and started to sing songs in sync. We had some fruit and had a good time but it was freezing! Once the campfire was finished we went to our cabin and then we rested for the next day.

The next day we wanted to sleep in, however we had to pack up in preparation to leave in the afternoon. We put our clothes on and walked to the dining room.

For breakfast we had cereal, toast and for some reason spaghetti. It was 'mostly' regular breakfast.

Next, the year sixes went to AMAZE N THINGS. We were separated into a girl group and a boy group. We played Mini Golf first. We were all allocated one hole after we finished the hole, we would move up to the next one. Later on we headed inside and figured out puzzles and we watched illusions. For example we went into the anti-gravity room. It made me feel nauseous because the ground was on a slope and it felt like a ship was sinking. There was also an illusion [where the room shrinks](#) and it was very bizarre. In another room there was a drop slide where you had to put overalls on. It was very funny seeing people just slide down it.

In the meantime we took a bus to Cowes Beach and had lunch. We got to choose our sandwich, there was salad, salad with cheese, margarine, vegemite with cheese and also just vegemite. When we finished lunch we walked off to the beach and played footy, went in the water and made sand sculptures. We had a great time.

Soon after we arrived at the Nobbie Nut, we walked on the boardwalk, sadly the blowhole wasn't working. But luckily we saw many penguins in their boxy homes.

After we saw the cute creatures we hopped on the bus and travelled back home to Wheelers Hill.

Overall I rate this camp 6/10. Most of the activities were fun and it was also an amazing social experience.

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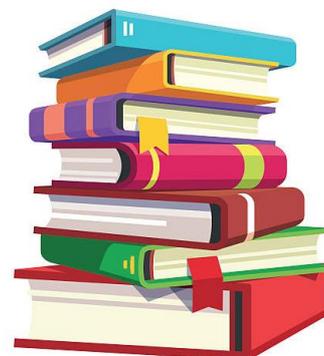
BOOK CLUB – ISSUE 3

Issue 3 of Scholastic Book Club for 2022 has been distributed via the class buckets.

Every order earns FREE books and learning resources for our school!

All orders must only be made online via LOOP
– scholastic.com.au/LOOP or download the LOOP app.

NO CASH/CHEQUE PAYMENTS WILL BE ACCEPTED.



Altar Server Roster – May

Month	Date	Day	6pm	8.30am	10.30am	5.00 pm
May	07/08	Sat / Sun	Mason & Londyn Cornale	Aaron Espiritu	Noah Panna, Kiara Kumar	Volunteer
May	14/15	Sat / Sun	Leanne Mirando, Charleen Fernandes	Volunteer	Jalon Perera, Gavin Rajahmoney	Sebastian Taranto, Andy Halvatzis
May	21/22	Sat / Sun	Alissa & Sienna Mascetta	Georgia Romano	Ava Ortika, Georgia Romano	Aiden Devadass, Lachlan Dllorio
May	28/29	Sat / Sun	Liam Fernandes, Angelo Gentile	Aaron Espiritu	Andy Halvatzis	Volunteer



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Year 4 First Eucharist - Trybooking Details 2022

This year First Eucharist will be celebrated at our Parish Masses over two weekends. After meeting with Father Andrew and Mr Torpey, it was decided that this sacrament is an important community celebration and therefore should be part of our weekly Masses within our St. Justin's Community.

First Eucharist Dates:

- * Saturday 28th May 6:00pm
- * Sunday 29th May 10.30am
- * Sunday 29th May 5:00pm

- * Saturday 4th June 6:00pm
- * Sunday 5th June 10.30am
- * Sunday 5th June 5:00pm

Just a reminder that Trybooking is now open for families to book online for one of the First Eucharist Masses. Please note: You are only required to book for your child celebrating the Sacrament of First Eucharist.

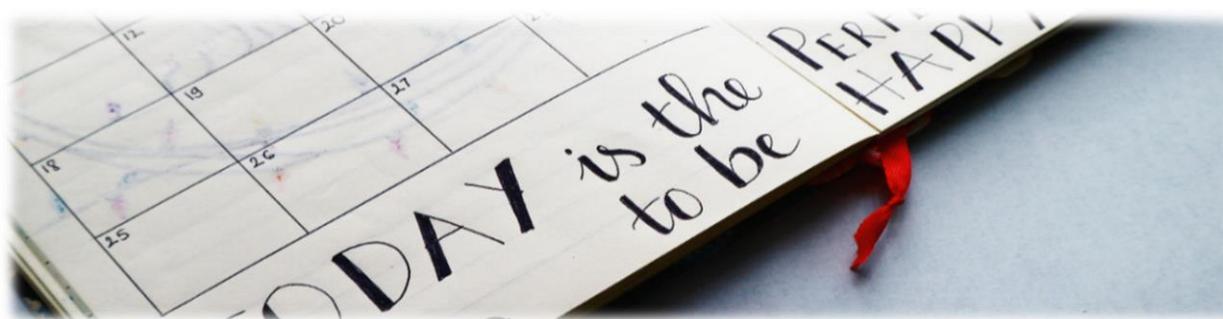
Ten spots will be allocated for each of these Masses for students, once the ten places have been filled then that Mass will no longer be available and families will need to select another Mass time.

We are looking forward to being able to celebrate the First Eucharist next term with our Year 4 students.



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Dates Ahead for Term 2

<i>Sunday</i>	<i>8th May</i>	<i>Mothers' Day</i>
<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>10th May</i>	<i>Year 4 First Eucharist Workshop Evening 6:45pm-8:00pm</i>
<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>10th May</i>	<i>Year 3/5 NAPLAN (Tuesday 10th May – Friday 20th May)</i>
<i>Thursday</i>	<i>12th May</i>	<i>Hot Dog Lunch Day</i>
<i>Friday</i>	<i>13th May</i>	<i>Year 5/6 Science Dome Incursion</i>
<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>17th May</i>	<i>District Cross Country</i>
<i>Thursday</i>	<i>19th May</i>	<i>Year Prep/Year 1/2 Taskworks Incursion</i>
<i>Saturday</i>	<i>21st May</i>	<i>Election Day BBQ 8:00am – 3:00pm</i>
<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>24th May</i>	<i>Professional Learning Day – School Closure</i>
<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>25th May</i>	<i>National Simultaneous Story Time 11:00am</i>
<i>Friday</i>	<i>27th May</i>	<i>St Justin's Colour Run</i>
		<i>National Reconciliation Week (Friday 27th May – Friday 3rd June)</i>
<i>Saturday</i>	<i>28th May</i>	<i>Year 4 First Eucharist Mass 6:00pm-7:00pm</i>
<i>Sunday</i>	<i>29th May</i>	<i>Year 4 First Eucharist Mass 10:30am-11:30am</i>
		<i>Year 4 First Eucharist Mass 5:00pm-6:00pm</i>
<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>31st May</i>	<i>Parent and Friends Meeting 7:00pm-8:00pm</i>
<i>Thursday</i>	<i>2nd June</i>	<i>Sushi Lunch Day</i>
<i>Friday</i>	<i>3rd June</i>	<i>Year 5/6 Interschool Sports Gala Day</i>
<i>Saturday</i>	<i>4th June</i>	<i>Year 4 First Eucharist Mass 6:00pm-7:00pm</i>
<i>Sunday</i>	<i>5th June</i>	<i>Year 4 First Eucharist Mass 10:30am-11:30am</i>
		<i>Year 4 First Eucharist Mass 5:00pm-6:00pm</i>
		<i>Feast of Pentecost</i>
<i>Monday</i>	<i>6th June</i>	<i>Parent Teacher Student Conferences 3:30pm -5:30pm</i>
<i>Thursday</i>	<i>9th June</i>	<i>Parent Teacher Student Conferences 2:00pm – 7:30pm</i>
<i>Friday</i>	<i>10th June</i>	<i>Year 5/6 Interschool Sports Gala Day</i>
<i>Monday</i>	<i>13th June</i>	<i>Queen's Birthday – Public Holiday</i>
<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>22nd June</i>	<i>Music Soiree</i>
<i>Thursday</i>	<i>23rd June</i>	<i>Pizza Lunch Day</i>
<i>Friday</i>	<i>24th June</i>	<i>Feast of Sacred Heart</i>
		<i>Term 2 Ends</i>

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COVID Update

There are some important changes to COVIDSafe measures for schools that will apply from the start of Term 2.

Face masks

From 11:59 pm Friday 22 April, face masks, while recommended, are not required in any school setting. This means students in grades 3 to 6, staff and visitors in primary schools are no longer required to wear face masks. Any student or staff member who wishes to wear a mask may do so, including those who are medically at-risk.

Rapid antigen test screening requirements

Students who have tested positive for COVID-19, and have completed their 7-day isolation period, now do not need to undertake rapid antigen test (RAT) screening for 12 weeks after their release from isolation. This was previously 8 weeks.

Household contacts

Students who are household contacts of a COVID-19 case are not required to quarantine. They may return to school as long as they undertake rapid antigen tests (RAT) 5 times during their 7-day period. They are required to notify the school that they are a household contact.

Students aged 8 years and above who are household contacts are required to wear face masks when indoors at school unless they have a valid exemption.

If a student household contact returns a positive RAT result, they must isolate for 7 days.

Vaccination requirements for visitors to schools

Parents, carers and other adult visitors (not performing work) are no longer required to show evidence of two doses of COVID-19 vaccine.

RAT screening program reminder

RATs will continue to be supplied for the first 4 weeks of Term 2 to support the early detection of COVID-19 in our school.

The testing recommendations will remain the same this Term for students and staff – recommended to test at home twice a week (preferably Monday and Wednesday for students and staff at St Justin's, although we would recommend a test be conducted tomorrow (Tuesday 26th April) as we commence Term 2.

As we approach winter and flu season, the vaccination of children aged 5 to 11 and booster shots for students 16+ remains the best way to ensure protection for students and staff. If you have any concerns about getting your child vaccinated, please get in contact with your GP or another health professional who can answer your questions.

Workers and Volunteers in Schools under the Pandemic (Workplace) Order 2022 (No. 8)

Education workers, include any volunteers that attend an education facility and that work in close proximity to children, students or staff, must be fully vaccinated (boosted) or have an exemption.

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Direct Debit Request (DDR)

I/We request and authorise St Justin's Primary School User ID 382433, to arrange, through its own financial institution, to debit funds from my/our nominated account at the financial institution shown below according to the details specified.

Name(s) or Company Name and ABN/ARBN:

Address:

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Email:

Please deduct money from my/our Financial Institution account

This debit will be made through the Bulk Electronic Clearing System (BECS) from your account held at the financial institution you have nominated below and will be subject to the terms and conditions of the Direct Debit Request Service Agreement

Name of Bank Account:

Name and Branch of Financial Institution where account is held:

BSB Number: _____ Account Number: _____

Please deduct money from my MasterCard or Visa Card:

Cardholder's Name:

Credit Card Number: _____

MasterCard Visa Card Card Expiry Date: ____/____/____

Cardholder's Signature:

Please debit \$ from the above nominated account each:

Week Fortnight Month Commencing on: ____/____/____

Number of Payments OR Last Payment Date: ____/____/____

Signature(s):

(To be signed by both parties for joint accounts. If signing for a company sign and print full name and capacity for signing e.g. Director)

Date signed: ____/____/____

Direct Debit Request (DDR) Service Agreement

Our commitment to you

This document outlines our service commitment to you, in respect of the Direct Debit Request (DDR) arrangements made between St Justin's Primary School, ABN 17639396287 (User ID 382433) and you. Direct Debit arrangements pertain to requests to deduct money from your financial institution account. The agreement is designed to explain what your obligations are when undertaking a Direct Debit arrangement with us. It also details what our obligations are to you as your Direct Debit Provider.

We recommend you keep this agreement in a safe place for future reference. It forms part of the terms and conditions of your Direct Debit Request (DDR) and should be read in conjunction with your DDR form.

Drawing arrangements

- The first drawing under this Direct Debit arrangement will occur on the nominated date.
- We will only arrange for funds to be debited from your account as authorised in the Direct Debit Request.
- If the debit day falls on a day that is not a banking day, we may direct your financial institution to debit your account on the following banking day.
- We may vary any details of this agreement or a Direct Debit Request at any time by giving you at least fourteen (14) days written notice to the address you have given us in the Direct Debit Request.
- We will keep any information (including your account details) in your Direct Debit Request confidential. We will make reasonable efforts to keep any such information that we have about you secure and to ensure that any of our employees or agents who have access to information about you do not make any unauthorised use, modification, reproduction or disclosure of that information.
- We will only disclose information that we have about you to the extent specifically required by law, or for the purposes of this agreement (including disclosing information in connection with any query or claim).

Your rights

Changes to the arrangement
 You may change, stop or defer a debit payment, or terminate this agreement by providing us with at least fourteen (14) days notification by

- telephoning us on 9561 7644 during business hours;
- writing to: office@stjwheelershill.catholic.edu.au; or
- arranging it through your own financial institution.

Enquiries

You may enquire about anything relating to your Direct Debit arrangement by email to office@stjwheelershill.catholic.edu.au or telephone 9561 7644.

Disputes

You should check your account statement to verify that the amounts debited from your account are correct. If you believe that there has been an error in debiting your account, you should notify us directly on 9561 7644 and confirm that notice in writing with us as soon as possible so that we can resolve your query more quickly. Alternatively, you can take it up with your financial institution direct.

If we conclude as a result of our investigations that your account has been incorrectly debited, we will respond to your query by arranging for your financial institution to adjust your account (including interest and charges) accordingly. We will also notify you in writing of the amount by which your account has been adjusted.

If we conclude as a result of our investigations that your account has not been incorrectly debited, we will respond to your query by providing you with reasons and any evidence for this finding in writing.

Your commitment to us

- It is your responsibility to ensure that:
- your nominated account can accept direct debits (your financial institution can confirm this); and
- your account details which you have provided to us are correct by checking them against a recent account statement; and
- that there are sufficient clear funds available in your account to allow a debit payment to be made in accordance with the Direct Debit Request.

If there are insufficient clear funds in your account to meet a debit payment you may be charged a fee and/or interest by your financial institution. You may also incur fees or charges imposed or incurred by us; and you must arrange for the debit payment to be made by another method or arrange for sufficient clear funds to be in your account by an agreed time so that we can process the debit payment.

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Skoolbag - Smart Phone App

Members of our school community are invited to download our Smart Phone App. The App is used for communication between school and home – it is a portal for notifying absences, newsletters, notices and messages relevant to members of our school community.

To download the app simply search for *St Justin's Catholic School, Wheelers Hills* in the App store on your iPhone, Smartphone or iPad.

A promotional graphic for CareMonkey. It features a large purple question mark on the left and right sides. The central text is in a white box with a purple border. The text reads: 'CareMonkey', 'HAVE YOUR DETAILS CHANGED?', 'Have you changed phone numbers? Does your child have a new medical plan? Is there anything new we need to know?', and 'Then it's time to update your child/ren's CareMonkey Profile!'. At the bottom, it says '**Please note - if any of these details have changed please keep our office team in the know!'. The background is a light blue and white polka-dot pattern.

CareMonkey

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HOT DOG DAY

Hot Dog Day is booked in for Thursday 12th May. Make sure you get all your orders back Monday 9th May at 3:00pm.



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SCHOOL FUN RUN

1800 FUN RUN (386 786)
INFO@SCHOOLFUNDRAISING.COM.AU
SCHOOLFUNDRAISING.COM.AU

The Fundraising Group (Australia) Pty Ltd
ABN 44 090 756 488

8th April 2022

Dear Parent/Guardian,

We will be holding the *School Fun Run* as a major fundraising event this year on **Friday 27th of May 2022!** We're doing it to raise much needed money for playground upgrades.

About the Day

The *School Fun-Run BIG SHOW* is all about Fun! There will be a huge run through inflatables, and you will get to meet Chase the Cheetah! Think of it as a Fun Run carnival! This will be one of the most exciting days on our school's calendar, with everyone's participation the aim, so please make sure they attend on the day and cheer the other kids on!

How Does My Child Fundraise?

Firstly, go to schoolfunrun.com.au and create a student profile page. Everything to do with your fundraising revolves around this page.

Students who raise just \$10 will be able to choose a prize! The more they raise, the better their reward – don't forget to check these out in the sponsorship form! We have educated students on the dangers of door knocking without supervision, and we encourage you to reiterate this at home. The great thing about online fundraising is that you can share the link to your child's profile with friends and family via email, SMS and Social Media.

Online Fundraising

The easiest way to help your child raise money is through online fundraising. On top of raising more money, it's also safer and easier than door knocking and you don't have to worry about handling money! To start fundraising online, go to your student profile page at schoolfunrun.com.au and share your online fundraising link.

Ordering Prizes – ALL PRIZES MUST BE ORDERED ONLINE

Please contact your school's coordinator if this isn't possible.

Prizes MUST be ordered between the **Friday 3rd June 2022** and **Friday 10th June 2022**. Simply visit schoolfunrun.com.au to create / log into your Profile Page between these dates. Then click on the 'CLAIM YOUR PRIZE' button and follow the prompts. If you have any questions, please contact the *School Fun Run* team on 1800 FUN RUN and they will gladly assist!

Yours sincerely,

|

Mr Clint Johnson
Physical Education Teacher

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Music Academy Lessons

The Music Academy Lessons are on hold for four weeks, but you can still email your enquiries to:
mpalamara@hotmail.com





St. Justin's Election Day BBQ Roster

Saturday 21st May, 2022 8:00am – 4:00pm

Can you spare some time to help at the Election Day Sausage Sizzle? We would love to see some new and old faces come along to help out but most importantly have fun! To join us, all you need to do is complete the roster sheet below and return to school via your Child's Classroom Bucket.

Should you have any questions about the day, please contact Tony Di Iorio on 0404 863 443.

ELECTION DAY BBQ ROSTER – SATURDAY 21st MAY

To volunteer you **MUST** have a valid Working with Children Check (WWC). WWC # _____

	08:00am-10:00am	10:00am-12:00pm	12:00pm-02:00pm	02:00pm-04:00pm
Name				
Ph. No				
Name				
Ph. No				
Name				
Ph. No				

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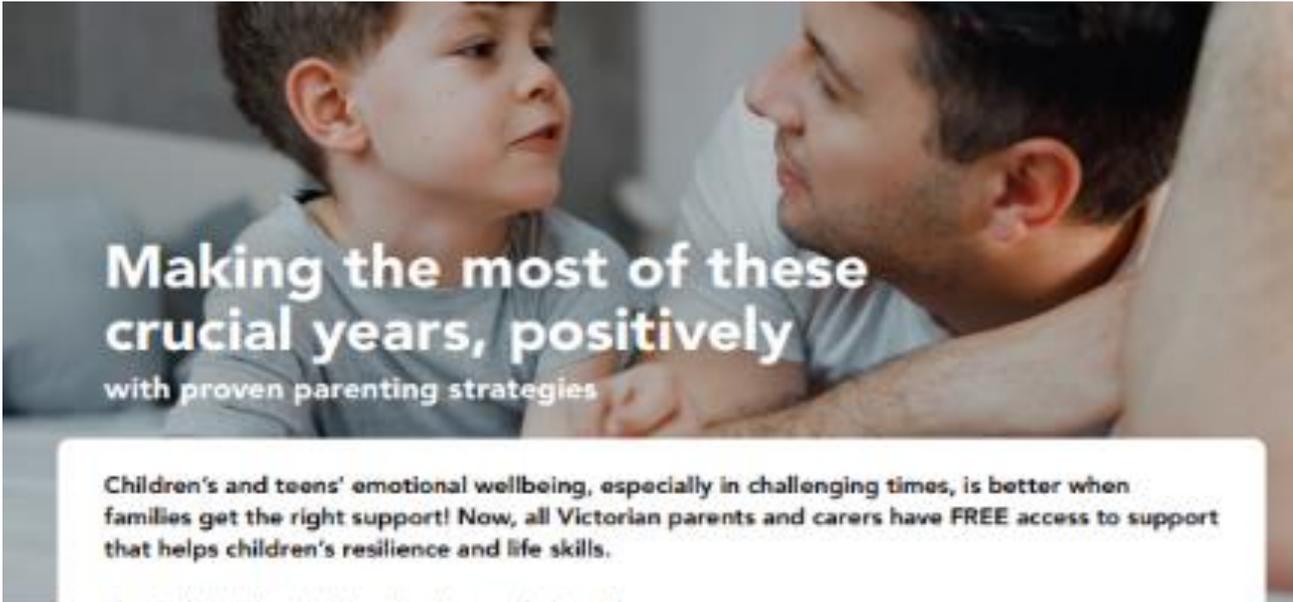
Phone: (03) 4329 0454

Email: waverleyfoothills@ykinders.org.au

Monash Central Enrolments Registration: kinder.monash.vic.gov.au



Waverley Foothills Preschool acknowledges and gives thanks to the Bunurong People of the Kulin Nation for sharing the land where we meet, play, learn and grow.



Making the most of these crucial years, positively

with proven parenting strategies

Children's and teens' emotional wellbeing, especially in challenging times, is better when families get the right support! Now, all Victorian parents and carers have FREE access to support that helps children's resilience and life skills.

The Triple P – Positive Parenting Program helps with:
Child and teen anxiety | Encouraging resilience and confidence | Building a stronger bond with your children

There are 3 free Triple P Online programs available across Victoria, so choose what works for you, to help give your children key life skills and help the whole family stay calm and positive!

- Interactive, easy-to-use online programs with videos and activities and a downloadable workbook
- Each module only takes about an hour or less, and you can do just a few minutes at a time
- Positive caregiving during COVID-19 and beyond

Choose a program and do it at your pace, and at your place!

FEAR-LESS TRIPLE P ONLINE | 6 MODULES

for parents/caregivers of children 6-14 years who are often anxious

- Understand anxiety and fear and what can be done about it
- Know what's within your control to change
- Help children develop a toolkit of coping skills
- Know what to do when a child is anxious or upset

TRIPLE P ONLINE | 8 MODULES; OR TEEN TRIPLE P ONLINE | 6 MODULES

for parents/caregivers of children 0-12 yrs; or 10-16 yrs (Teen Triple P Online)

- Create the best environment for your children
- Feel confident to handle each new age and stage
- Know how to address child behaviours, promote new skills and help emotional self-regulation
- Raise happier, more confident and capable children
- Improve your relationship with your children

START YOUR FREE PROGRAM TODAY

www.triplep-parenting.net

We acknowledge the Traditional Custodians of the land on which we live and work, and pay our respects to Elders past, present and emerging.

Free & online Triple P is funded by the Victorian Government



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ST JUSTIN'S CATHOLIC PS

SOCCER X SCHOOL PROGRAM / FUN - EDUCATIONAL - ACTIVE

In Term 2, Soccer X will be running an 8 week Soccer program at St Justin's Catholic Primary School every Monday from **3.30-4.30pm** beginning **May 2nd 2022**.

The program is available to students from **Prep - Year 6**.
On arrival children will be split into groups according to age.
All sessions will be run by **qualified coaches** who hold blue cards.
The sessions will be **fully inclusive & fun-based**, catering to all abilities.

Cost: \$120 / 8-weeks.

For more information and online registrations please visit

www.soccer-x.com



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Discover Avila

Book your May Twilight Tour Now!

Applications for Year 7, 2024 close Friday 19 August

Monday 2 May, Wednesday 11 May, Thursday 19 May, Thursday 26 May & Monday 30 May
Information session and school tours at 3.45pm and 4.45pm. Book at avila.vic.edu.au

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TEEBALL & SOFTBALL

Come, Learn & Try Days!

Waverley Softball Association, 2-30 Jells Rd Wheelers Hill

Every Wednesday 25th May – 15th June

Time 4:30pm – 5:30pm

● Tee ball & Softball for Everyone ● School teams welcome – Bring a friend

FOR ENQUIRIES CALL: 0455 478 519



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