Dear Parents and Carers,

Year 4 Assembly
Congratulations to the Year 4 students and teachers for a presenting a really interesting assembly on Friday. The value of Gratitude was well explained and acted out. Their recount of the caves excursion was excellent as was their songs and other class work presented. The audience participation was engaging. Well done.

National Sorry Day
This Thursday is National Sorry Day which is an important day each year to acknowledge the effect our nation’s past policies and practices have had on our indigenous people and their culture. It is also important to work together as a nation to ensure a better future for all.

Year 5 Class Mass
You are warmly welcome to attend the Year 5 class Mass at 10.00am in the Library this Thursday to be celebrated with Fr Lachlan.

Sporting Events Coming Up
- James Hird Cup this Friday
- Boys TPSSA Soccer Carnival Friday (St Anthony’s Convening)

Performing Arts Achievement
Congratulations to Aisling Lake on her role in the upcoming Italian Opera “Marriage of Figaro.” We wish her good luck with her singing and her performance.

Recent Sports Achievements

TPSSA Cross Country
Congratulations to Sam Rizzuto 8 years – 3rd place!
Congratulations to the following runners that finished in the Top 10 in their races:
Denzeil Maningding 9 years; Elizabeth Locke 10 years; Emily Kite 10 years; Monique Hilborn 11 years and Kaycie Arena 12 years.
These runners will all be able to compete at the ACT Cross Country Championships on Monday 6 June.

TPSSA Hockey
Congratulations to Monique Hilborn who was a member of the TPSSA Hockey team that went through the zone matches last week undefeated. Monique played well and scored 3 goals!

Judo Championships
Congratulations to Adrian Georgiadis who has been selected to compete in the Australian Junior Judo Championships in Geelong in June. If you are interested to learn more about Judo, there is information at the end of this newsletter.
Parents and Friends Association
This Wednesday evening is the next P & F General Meeting at 7pm in the school library. You are warmly invited to attend to contribute to the discussions of the association and the school. The P & F will be having a fete wrap and thank you to the committee.

Catholic Schools Enrolment Period - **URGENT**
The official Catholic Education enrolment period ended last Friday 20 May. If there are any families that have an enrolment form for the St Anthony’s ELC or for Kindergarten to Year 6 at St Anthony’s, please drop this in to the front office asap or contact the office. I have an enrolment cross-check and calculation meeting this week to review numbers and places available.

God Bless,

Greg Walker
Principal

### ‘NATIONAL SORRY DAY’

As we gather to pray for Reconciliation, may we remember that May 26th and June 3rd are important dates in Australia’s history.

May 26th marks the anniversary of the 1967 referendum, when Australians voted to remove clauses in the Australian Constitution that discriminated against Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples.

June 3rd marks the historic 1992 Mabo decision in which the High Court of Australia recognised native title—the recognition that Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples’ rights over their lands did survive British colonisation.

We acknowledge that we gather today on the land of the Ngunnawal People and pay our respects to elders both past and present, for they hold the memories, the culture and the wisdom upon which our nation’s future will be built.

**Community Prayer**

Please join us for Community Prayer Thursday 26th May straight after the bell where 5 Lisbon and 1 Lisbon will be leading us in prayer.

**On Saturday 4th June at 6pm is the Confirmation Commitment Mass.** Please arrive at least 15 minutes prior to collect your pledge card, and to introduce your candidate and family to Father Lachlan. Please remember to bring along you mass cards 😊

We keep all these candidates and their families in our prayers as they prepare to make this sacrament.
Our Lady Mary Help of Christians Feast Day is May 24th

The infant church in Australia had a special reason for turning to Mary. No priests were sent to the colony in its early days and Mass was not allowed except for one brief year until 1820. It was largely the Rosary in those early days that kept the faith alive.

Catholic Australia remained faithful to Mary and was the first nation to choose her under the title Help of Christians, as Principal Patroness.

Lord,
You place deep in our hearts the love of Mary, Help of Christians.
Through her prayers help our leaders and guide them in their decisions.
Under her protection may Australia be given harmony, justice and peace.
We ask this through Jesus Christ her son, forever and ever.
Amen.

Our Lady, Mary Help of Christians. Pray for us.

“In everything, do to others as you would have them do to you.” (Matthew 7:12)

Orla Rutledge
Religious Education Coordinator.
School Fees

Term 2 school fees are due on the 2nd of June.
Payments may be made by cash, cheque, credit card, BPAY, EFTPOS or Direct Debit. There is a formal process to apply for fee concessions if you are experiencing financial difficulties. Please contact me for more details. Parents who do not wish to pay the building fund due to financial difficulties need put this in writing addressed to Mr Greg Walker, this is a yearly requirement. Thank You. Judy Mead

Administration Fee

An administration fee of $5 will be charged if copies of documentation such as birth and baptismal certificates are requested from the Front Office to complete enrolment applications for current students applying for High School or other schools. This fee is charged to cover the copying and time required.

Happy Birthday to:


Have a wonderful day!

Volunteers Required

We would love to hear from anyone willing to help with covering books. Please contact (pardon the pun) Angas Quantrill. Angas.Quantrill@cg.catholic.edu.au

Student of the Week

Congratulations to the following students who have been awarded this week’s Student of the Week:

Lily T KA, Georgia B-Mc KP, Gene S 1P, Sarah F 1L, William N 1L, Martina L 2A, Noah W 2A, Emily W 2L, Dante V 2L, Ayden R 3L, Damien C 3L, Mia H 3L, Raza A 4A, Joshua Mc 4P, Lachlan G 4L,

Certificates will be presented during Friday morning Assembly.

OOSCA NEWS:

A friendly reminder to families that we require a week’s notice of any absence from a booked session, otherwise normal charges will still apply. If your child is going to be absent from a booked session, please let OOSCA know to alleviate the need to look for children who are missing. Unfortunately, there are a large amount of fees overdue and we remind you that OOSCA is a not for profit run centre which relies on fees to pay our staff and operate this amazing service that we are able to offer to the St Anthony’s community.

ST ANTHONYS NETBALL

Year 2 Cyclones - A full team effort resulted in an amazing game against Trinity. Rock solid defence and long, strong passing gave us opportunities to practice our FAB shooting skills. Coach’s award to Charliese for a blinder of a game, especially at C, those long arms stopped many balls and delivered safely to our shooters. Award also to Matilda for strong intercepts and fast movement in attack, followed up by beautiful shooting. Go Cyclones!

Year 2 Hurricanes – The Hurricanes had a fantastic game against the Dolphins on Court 11 on a beautiful autumn morning. It was great to see the girls playing together as a team with exciting play in all areas of the court. Some great movement in the circle saw Georgia record her first score for the season with 2 stunning goals and there were more to follow from Ashlee again with a double and Anneliise adding another to her tally. Our defensive effort as a team was great, we managed to stop the Dolphins flow multiple times with exciting intercepts and shadowing our players for a strong defensive effort from everyone. Coaches award this week went to all Hurricanes for a great team effort, Great game, you girls ROCK!!

GO HURRICANES!!!!!!!!!!!!

Year 3 Firebirds – It was a beautiful sunny morning as the Firebirds took to the court. The girls got off to a strong start with the ball spending much time in the Firebird’s goal circle. Emma and Ava scored the first two goals of the game. We saw great team work as the girls worked hard at moving the ball down the court and passing well. All payers showed great intercepting skills, but lost a few opportunities with slippery hands. After a nail bitting last quarter, outstanding defence kept the opposition to a score of just 1. Go Firebirds!

Year 4 Thunder - Thunder had a tough competition this week with Holy Family Mars Bars, really testing out our defence. The girls had a slow start in the first quarter trying to find their feet against a strong team that kept their defence strong. After a regather at quarter time the girls came out on fire. The team truly had to work hard and every single player on the court contributed to the win on the weekend. Strong defence, great mid court, followed up by some strong shooting. I am sure all parents will agree a hard game and well won, certainly some red faces from all the running around. Thanks again to Megan for helping us out, great little player who did not look out of place in the year 4 team. GO THUNDER!!!
**Year 4 Lightning** - This week’s game was very back and forth which was a great lesson about concentrating on our footwork and reacting quickly to turnovers. Our footwork improved a lot in the second half and we found some great flow down court. Coach’s awards to Millie and Aiaysha. Millie worked hard for four quarters and her shooting was fantastic. Aiaysha had an awesome game, taking some ripper intercepts and providing a smart and steady option in attack. Go Lightning!

**Mission Impossible**

The Year 5/6 Mission Impossible teams will show their videos at Friday morning assembly. They worked extremely hard on presenting a scientific concept through story and entered these iMovies into the Sleek Geeks Science Competition last month.

A VERY BIG THANK YOU to Mr Liston and Ms Niendorf and of course Mr Liddle, for their tech assistance when uploading and submitting the videos. *Mrs Spackman*

**Attention: Children’s Panadol Recall**

*(Media Release regarding Children’s Panadol)*

Providing quality products and consumer safety are always our top priority and we want to ensure that consumers only have access to the best quality medicines.

For this reason, following consultation with the Therapeutic Goods Administration, we are recalling two batches of Children’s Panadol 5-12 Suspension Strawberry (200mL) and one batch of Children’s Panadol 5-12 Suspension Orange (200mL), due to the possibility of a small quantity of particulate contamination in an ingredient that is used to manufacture these products.

The batch details are:

**Children’s Panadol 5-12 Suspension Strawberry**

- 48mg/mL suspension, pack size 200mL
- Batch Numbers: 136418 and 136444
- Expiry Dates: FEB 18 and FEB 18
- AUST R 178302

**Children’s Panadol 5-12 Suspension Orange**

- 48mg/mL suspension, pack size 200mL
- Batch Number: 136443
- Expiry Date: FEB 18
- AUST R 178303

The particles may not be visible in the product and we have not received any complaints concerning these batches. This recall is a precaution to avoid any potential for the product to cause an allergic reaction in a child and/or to adversely impact the product shelf life.

If consumers do have a bottle of either of the products being recalled, we encourage them to check the batch number and expiry date immediately. The batch number and expiry date are located along the bottom of the label on the bottle, or embossed on the base of the outer box. If the product is affected they should not use it and return it to the place of purchase for a refund, or call our GlaxoSmithKline Consumer Healthcare customer service line, **1800 028 533**, for further information and support.

We would also like to reassure our consumers that no other Children’s Panadol variants, batches or products are affected by this quality incident.

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**St Anthony’s Canteen**

Open Tuesday – Friday

6231 4022 - Manager: Mrs Maree Alchin

**Roster of our Volunteer Helpers**

**Wednesday 25 May**

*Pizza Tuck Day*

- Selina Walker 9am-2pm
- Anne-Marie Cooper 9-11:30am
- Lauren Christian 11am-2pm
- Rodielyn Brown 9am-12pm
- Peta Crowder 11:30am-2pm
- Vicky Schmidt 11am-2pm

**Thursday 26 May**

- Lea Huber 9am-2pm
- Dianna Young 9am-2pm

**Friday 27 May**

- Vicky Schmidt 9am-2pm
- Mary Russell 9am-12pm
- HELP NEEDED 9am-2pm

**WEEK SIX**

**Tuesday 31 May**

- Lea Huber

**Wednesday 1 June**

- Peta Crowder 9am-2pm

**DISCO – 17th June 2016**

*(Orders via flexischools close 15th June)*

Flexischools online ordering: flexischools.com.au
Media Release - Canberra Junior Sport

Olympia Judo Club Takes on Best Players in Australia

One of Canberra’s best kept sports secrets is the Olympia Judo Club operating in Tuggeranong and boasts not only one of the best coaching teams in Australia but also rising champions - boys and girls and young men and women aged 10 to 21 years old.

Olympia is taking a strong team of 10 players all current Gold, Silver and Bronze medalists in the ACT to the Australian Junior Championships to be held in Geelong over the 11-13th June long-weekend.

One of the most exciting Canberra prospects for Australian Gold is 13-year old Jordan Potter, current ACT Under 55kg Senior Boys Champion. Jordan also recently won Gold at the ACT International Open and the Queensland International Open. He is undefeated in 14 competition matches.

Olympia’s comprises a large percentage of the ACT squad and it is anticipated they will win a number of Medals based on recent competition results.

Olympia Judo club is one of the strongest clubs in Canberra. With 4 years operation, Olympia’s success is based on its Coaches experience and their dedication to teach boys and girls the basics of judo and to prepare older players for National level competitions.

Olympia was established in 2012 by Sensei Stephanos Georgiadis a former Australian and Greek National champion and representative of both countries at world level competitions. He is Yon (4th) Dan black belt, accredited referee and coach, and also holds tertiary qualifications in teaching and physical education.

Olympia’s senior instructor is Professor Fermin Harnandez Sollet a Master of Judo with over 50 years’ experience. Fermin is Roku (6th) Dan black belt and has coached at Olympic level when leading the African national judo team at the Sydney Olympics and has also instructed at elite club level.

New members are always welcome at Olympia Judo Club. Judo is a defensive martial art and suitable for boys and girls and men and women of all ages.

Training times:
Mondays: 5:30 to 7pm at Wanniassa
Tuesdays: 5:30 – 6:30 pm & 6:30 – 7:30 pm at Wanniassa
Wednesday: 6:30 to 8pm at Gilmore
Friday: 5:30 to 7pm at Wanniassa (or in Gilmore)

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