

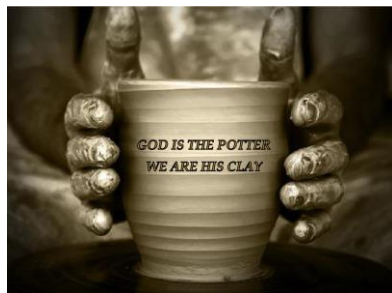


ST ANTHONY'S

PARISH PRIMARY SCHOOL

Dear Parents and Carers

**Week 4
Term 4
2018**



School Website

www.stanthonys.act.edu.au

**The newsletter can be viewed
each week on this website**

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**St Anthony's is a NUT FREE
School**

**Fr Lachlan Coll
St Anthony's Parish Presbytery
Sternberg Cres
Wanniassa ACT 2903**

Phone/Fax
6231 7310

Masses
Saturday 6pm
Sunday 9am & 5:30pm

<http://grapevine.com.au/~stanthonys/>

Grandparents Day Thanks

Thank you everyone for an awesome Grandparents Day!! Everything went well and so many staff and members of the community helped out with car parking, shopping, setting up and packing up tents and seats, food preparation and serving, drinks, directions for the visitors and extra duties. There were many other tasks too.

The year level class concert items were well received by the Grandparents - they loved it! Thank you to Mrs Orla Rutledge for all of her preparation and planning. The day went so smoothly, even with the early rain, heat and then wind. It is an important annual day for our community and it was fantastic. We really value the support and love that our grandparents and special people make in the lives of our students.

Mission Week Success

Our 2018 Mission Week was very successful with an amazing \$2000 raised for the mission focus on Education for Myanmar. The coin line was a huge success with students and families digging deep to provide loose change for the challenge. The Grandparents and other visitors also provided generous donations on Friday which helped build our school total. Well done to Miss Beth Lehmensich for her organisation of this week and for supporting our Year 6 Mission leaders in their roles - they were great too!

Remembrance Day Liturgy

This Friday at 10.45am is our Remembrance Day Liturgy in the hall.

Walkathon Prize Draw - 2.00pm FRIDAY

Then in the afternoon we are scheduled to have our WALKATHON Prize Draw in the hall. The students will be very excited about this and we thank all families for their support with fundraising.

P&F Trivia Night This Friday in the Hall

Don't forget it is not too late to book a seat or a table at the 2018 P&F Trivia Night on this Friday 9 November (this week). These nights are always great fun way to spend time with other St Anthony's staff, families and friends.

Kindergarten Orientation Starts Week 5

The first Kindergarten 2019 Orientation Session will be held next Tuesday 13 November in the morning session. Class lists are being finalised as well as the three Kindergarten teachers for this year level. The second orientation session is on Thursday 22 November (Week 6). 2019 ELC Orientation days as set for Week 8.

Student, Parent, Visitor Sign In/Out - New Procedure

We now have an iPad to sign in and out of the school, giving us access to live data to know who is on the premises, in an emergency this information will be invaluable. Teachers will be able to track the early and late arrival of their students which will make marking their rolls more streamlined. Please allow a little extra time if you are using the system for the first time, please ask for help if needed.

God Bless

Greg Walker
Principal

School Fees

Term 4 Fees are due on the 8TH OF NOVEMBER.

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 Judy Mead.

Judy.Mead@cg.catholic.edu.au.

Happy Birthday to:

Liam G, Aiaysha G, Eleanor P,
Luca A, Stephanie B, Logan K,
Khoby H and Gemma M.



Successful Learner Awards

Congratulations to the following students who have demonstrated wonderful attributes in their class this week:

Liam P KA, Harrison H KA, Chelsea B KP, Gabrielle L KL, Michala O 1P, Alexandria W 2A, Harry W 2A, Charlotte C 2L, Jessie H 2L, Jasmine R 3A, Ruby Y 3A, Gene S 3A, Matilda C 3A, Zac O 3A, Daniel H 3A, Ben G 4A, Jessie W 4A, Lauren C 4A, Gabrielle S-C 4A, Martina L 4L, Jessica N 5/6L, Denzeil M 6P, Amber S 6P, Kate D 6P.

Certificates will be presented this Friday at morning assembly.



Vegetable Garden Stall

Wednesday 14th of November, we will be selling our produce. Please bring your cash (gold coin donation) after school, we will be open from 3-4pm. See you there.



Italian News from *Signora Borzatti*

As the year draws to a close I would like to thank all the parents and carers who have supported the studenti in Years 3 to 6 in writing their storie. There are many examples that have exceeded my expectations and it is rewarding when studenti run with an idea and make it their own and direct their own learning. In week 9 the studenti will read their stories to the younger grades, including the ELC. In the coming weeks the studenti will be publishing their books and I encourage everyone to practice at home their reading and pronuncia for the event.

Recently, the studenti from Kindergarten to Year 2 have started learning food vocabulary and they will be sharing their learning at home with a recipe. The children have been writing a shopping lista to help make the recipe a successo. Enjoy.

Maths Olympiad

Thirty students across Year 4, 5 and 6 were selected to form the 2018 St Anthony's Maths Olympiad Team. Maths Olympiad is a series of five mathematical problem solving challenges. The program offers an opportunity for students to solve problems in a creative way, as opposed to simply reaching a solution in a prescribed way. Students are expected to be able to think 'outside the box'. The challenges over a number of weeks and student results are submitted to The Australasian Problem Solving Mathematical Olympiads organisation. This year we had three students receive the Highest Individual Score for our school. They scored the same result across the five challenges and are therefore our school Maths Olympiad champions for 2018. Congratulations to Oliver (5/6L), Charlie (6P) and Jackie (5A). A fine effort from all our participants.

Celebrating our Achievements

Congratulations William D, Safer-Faster Graduate 2018. William has been swimming at Safer-Faster Calwell for 1.7 years! As a Graduate, William can swim 1000m of continuous Freestyle, is competent in all four strokes, has completed the Safer-Faster Calwell Swim and Survive components and, thus, has graduated from the Safer-Faster Calwell Swim program. William will be presented at the ACT Safer-Faster Calwell Graduation Ceremony in late 2018. Congratulations William you are now *skilled for life!*

Congratulations to Martina from 4 Padua who will be dancing at the Canberra Theatre next week as a part of Dance Central's performance. Good Luck Martina.



St Anthony's Canteen

OPEN: Tuesday - Friday

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Manager: Mrs Maree Alchin

RIDE SAFE TO SCHOOL WEEK

A big thank you to all the students, parents and staff that supported our final Ride or Walk to School Day last Wednesday.

There is nothing more heartwarming on days like this then to see our bike racks overflowing and the huge smiles on the student's faces.



Also thank you to **Pushys Online** who kindly donated a \$50

online voucher to the winner of our helmet design competition.

Josie in 4A was the lucky winner and her stylish and fashionable helmet design is below.

Also thank you to **Coles**



Wanniassa who donated

delicious bananas and apples for the students to enjoy as part of our healthy start to the morning.

We look forward to 2019 and another fantastic year promoting the Ride or Walk to School program to our students each term.

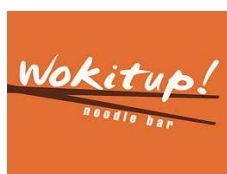
Tracey Adamson
RWTS Co-ordinator



Wed 7 Nov	HELP NEEDED 9-10am
Thurs 8 Nov	Carole Coulton 9am-2pm
Friday 9 Nov	Selina Walker 9am-2pm
	Gemma Dowie 12-2pm
	Edward 9-10am
	Rachel Esler 9-10:30am

WEEK FIVE TERM 4

Tues 13 Nov	HELP NEEDED 9-10am
Wed 14 Nov	Selina Walker 12-2pm
	Dianna Young 12-2pm
Tuck Day	
Thurs 15 Nov	Carole Coulton 9am-12pm
Friday 16 Nov	Bec Benton 9am-12pm
	Dianna Young 9am-2pm
	Mary Russell 9am-12pm
	Rachel Esler 9-10:30am
	Edward D-E 9-10am



Wok it up Tuck Day

WEDNESDAY 14th NOVEMBER

Canteen Treasurer needed in 2019
Training provided
Please contact Maree for more information

Canteen Christmas Party
Wednesday 12th December
Book it in

Flexischools On-Line Ordering available now,
Go to www.fleixschools.com.au



NEWS FROM THE P&F

On Wednesday 7 November the P&F met, thank you to the parents and friends that attended.

Items discussed were:

1. Concerns for ACTION school bus changes and the impact on our kids both immediately and in the future as they transition to high school.
2. Canteen helpers and the need for more volunteers.
3. The Storm Water Catchment and the rear of the school and the impacts of access to the school, plus safety.
4. Gratitude for the outstanding volunteers we have had throughout the year.
5. Saying goodbye to the long-standing staff that are leaving this year how we can show our appreciation.
6. Annual Walkathon to revert back to term 3 in future and the upcoming assembly and draw this Friday 9 November.
7. An annual calendar of P&F events be developed next meeting in consultation with Greg Walker/school calendar of events.
8. Trivia Night this week on Friday.
9. A uniform free day for the Fete Fundraiser to commence planning.
10. Holiday maintenance for the Veggie Garden.
11. The P&F said the 2020 Plenary prayer and then asked ourselves WHAT IS GOD ASKING OF US IN AUSTRALIA AT THIS TIME?? And wrote our thoughts on a post it note for a collective response. Join us next meeting to continue this and join the conversation. 2020 plenary is for everyone.

If you would like more information, please email the P&F for the full-detailed minutes stanthonyspandf1@gmail.com 😊. Our next meeting is the Wednesday of week 8, which is 5th December. 6.30pm Meet and Mingle for a 7pm Meeting. Hope to see more people there!

Cheers,

P&F President



Tuck Day

WEDNESDAY 14 November

If your child would like to enjoy a Chinese lunch, please order at www.flexischools.com.au by 9am Monday 12 November. No other lunch orders are available on tuck day. If you are unsure how to order please contact the canteen or look at the newsletter. If you are sending in cash with a paper order they will not be accepted after Friday 9 November.

The cost is listed below.

Fried Rice Box, Cookie and Drink \$11.50

BBQ Pork Noodle Box, Cookie and Drink \$11.50

Honey Chicken Noodle Box, Cookie and Drink \$11.50

Special days like these are not possible without the fantastic support of families. If you can help, please return this slip to the canteen. Help will be needed from 11.00 – 2.00.

Your Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Your Email Address: _____

With thanks Maree Alchin (Canteen Manager) 6231 4022





**FUNDRAISING HAS NEVER TASTED SO GOOD!
BAKE YOUR VERY OWN DELICIOUS COOKIES!!**

RAISING FUNDS FOR:
St Anthony's Parents & Friends Association

Today we commence our Billy G's Gourmet Cookie Dough Christmas Fundraiser. All funds raised will go towards The School Board's strategic plans for the school. The moreish cookie dough is only available through fundraisers, not sold in stores, so stock up!

Attached is the Billy G's Fundraiser order form for collecting orders from family, friends & neighbours.

**Please return your brochure & monies to the school front office by Friday 23 November 2018.
The current scheduled day for pick-up of your order is Friday 7 December 2018.**

MAKE YOUR CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS SPECIAL!

Purchase the Gingerbread dough and receive a FREE Gingerbread Man cookie cutter.

Purchase the Shortbread dough and receive a FREE Christmas Tree cookie cutter.

The kids will love baking their very own Gingerbread Men and Christmas Tree cookies over the Christmas break.

Billy G's is an Australian family owned and operated business. There are ten (10) delicious flavours including a new Gingerbread and Shortbread Biscuit dough, a cheese flavoured Doggie Dough that your favourite furry animals will go bonkers over and a Gluten Free Choc Chunk. There are **FREE PRIZES** detailed in the order form. The more tubs you sell, the better the prize!

- The cookie dough is packed in a reusable 1kg tub which makes 40 x 25g cookies. **35c-40c per cookie.**
- You can **REFREEZE** the cookie dough and thaw it out as you require for baking.
- You can keep the thawed cookie dough in your refrigerator for up to 4 weeks.

Paying for your orders, you have two options:

In person: Return monies with the attached order form with your prize selection to your coordinator for yourself and multiple orders for family, friends and neighbours.

Order and pay online: Go to www.cookie dough.com.au and place your order and pay online.

All orders to be placed and paid for by the due date above. We will advise at a later date the confirmed pick up date.



**PLACE YOUR ORDER ONLINE
VISIT WWW.COOKIE DOUGH.COM.AU**

Win a Gold Coast Family Holiday: Sell or buy a tub of Billy G's Cookie Dough for your chance to win a Gold Coast Family Holiday staying at Sea World Resort & Water Park with entry to Sea World, Warner Bros. Movie World, Wet N' Wild Gold Coast, Paradise Country and the choice of either \$1,000 cash or \$1,000 airfare voucher. Go to www.australianfundraising.com.au/win to enter.

We thank you for making our Billy G's Fundraiser a huge success!