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# LIWARA CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

# 18 November 2019

#### **IMPORTANT DATES**

**K2020 INFO SESSION 20 NOVEMBER** 

PP NATIVITY PARENTS AND FAMILIES THURSDAY 21 NOVEMBER 9AM

PP NATIVITY ASSEMBLY 22 NOV 9AM

P & F MEETING 25 NOVEMBER

PRE KINDY INFO SESSION 27 NOV

**CERTIFICATE ASSEMBLY 29 NOV** 

# Be With Me Today, O Lord

May all I do today begin with you, O Lord.

Plant dreams and hopes within my soul, revive my tired spirit:

Be with me today.

May all I do today continue with your help, O Lord. Be at my side and walk with me: Be my support today.

May all I do today reach far and wide, O Lord.

My thoughts, my work, my life: Make them blessings for your kingdom:

Let them go beyond today.

### Dear Families,

Welcome to Week Six of Term 4. Thank you to our Parents and Friends and the entire parent community who worked tirelessly to create our incomparable 40th Anniversary Liwara School Fair. A very special thank you to the Fair Committee, working alongside the teams of diligent workers, the stall coordinators, money counters, chefs, electrician, entertainment providers, school staff, the set up and set down crews and the dozens of other helpers. An enormous amount of hours have been spent in providing a large range of activities, stalls brimming with produce, exotic plants, white elephant items, gourmet food delights, the bar providing refreshments, games and so much more. The fair is a true reflection of 'Strength in Community' and it is an indication of the endearing community spirit that permeates Liwara.





### **OUR MISSION**

We gather as a community of believers in a Catholic environment to develop in each child a sense of wonder of learning.

With the essential support of parents, our Mission is to empower children to be faith filled, confident and fully rounded, life-long learners.

#### OUR VISION

Our Vision is a community
with strong connections
where every student has a sense of belonging,
feels safe and is known by name and need.
As our motto suggests,
we strive to be a place of
Strength in Community.



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the General School News page.

Communication has been sent home to all families regarding our upcoming Annual Community Meeting (ACM) on Monday 2 December. At this gathering you will hear summaries of the activities of the School Board and P&F as well as an overview of the many achievements the students and staff have been involved with this year. Your support is greatly appreciated. An invitation has also been issued for nominations to the School Board and P&F Executive for 2020. Membership of either group offers parents and caregivers the opportunity to serve the school community more fully and directly. This year, before the ACM begins in the Ahern Centre, we will be proudly showcasing some of our REACH students' work. I encourage you to wander through and enjoy their creative projects.

Congratulations to two of our staff members on the recent arrivals of their babies. Angela & Aaron Tedesco welcomed Lila Rose into their family, a little sister for Jaxon. Michelle & JJ Greene welcomed a new baby son JJ Junior a little brother to Chloe and Eva.

As we move towards the end of the school year, we are receiving enquiries about possible student enrolments for 2020, so it will be greatly appreciated if any families not returning to Liwara in 2020 would notify the school office by the end of this week. Whilst we are always sad to say farewell to members of our community, we are also happy to be able to welcome new families in.

#### A MESSAGE FROM THE ASSISTANT PRINICPALS

#### PRE-PRIMARY NATIVITY

The Pre-Primary classes will perform their Nativity Play for the whole school on Friday 22nd November commencing at 9.00am in the Ahern Centre.

### **CERTIFICATE ASSEMBLY**

Our next, and final Certificate Assembly will be held on Friday 29th November commencing at 2.30pm.





# **CELEBRATING 40 YEARS OF THE LIWARA FAIR**

There is no better living example of Liwara's motto 'Strength in Community' than the P&F Fair. For the last 40 years, members of the Liwara community have come together to create an amazing event which has become famous in our region – all for the benefit of the school and our students. To celebrate the 40<sup>th</sup> Fair, we wanted to create something which recognised not only the fantastic work of the P&F, but also acknowledged the thousands of volunteers who have had such an impact on Liwara.

As members of the current crafting group, we asked for Alumni to help us create a quilt which represented the Fair. When we got together, it became clear that the Fair hasn't actually changed much over the last 40 years – there are iconic stalls which have stood the test of time: food, books, the fishing game, white elephant, plants, chocolate wheel, the bar and of course the lollies! But it goes beyond that. It's also about the people. The friend-ships, the laughs, and the memories created – that is what makes the Fair, and indeed Liwara, so special.

We hope the quilt brings back happy memories for you, or if you're new to the school, is the beginning of a wonderful journey. A big thank you to the following ladies who helped create the quilt –we represent over 40 years of connection with Liwara.

*Genevieve Rose* (past teacher, parent to Ben, Jessica and Jordan, grandparent to Joshua, Aiden and Aiden, 1975 – 1978; 1984 – 1994; 2008 – 2010; 2015 – current)

Maria Henderson (parent to Jennifer and Debra, 1982 - 1992)

Jennifer Herbert (nee Smart) (Smart family past students, employees and coach, 1980 – 1991; 1993 – 2000; and parent to Jake, Mia and Campbell, 2005 - 2018)

Julie Etrelezis (parent to Leon, John and Cherie, 1984 – 1997; grandparent to Mya and Milana, 2017 – current)

Lisa Petale (parent to Rebecca, David and Johnathon, 1986 – 2000)

Bethwyn Worsdell (parent to Claire, Stuart, Rohan and Aaron, 1986 – 2001)

*Pauline Gerrans* (parent to Vanessa, Meagan, Matthew and Shaun, 1988 – 2002; grandparent to Charlotte, Mason and Levi, 2012 - current)

Cherie Blockland (parent to Bree and Ellie (1988 1996)

Julie Mitchelson (parent to Bree, Aaron and Amy, 1989 – 1997)

Meagan Shanks (nee Gerrans) (past student 1989 - 1996, and parent to Mason and Levi, 2016 - current)

*Ingrid O'Brien* (parent to Harriet, Samuel and Molly, 2012 – current)

Catriona Le Blanc (parent to Sophia and Paul, 2016 – current)

Sarah Musca (parent to Leo and Jonah, 2017 - current)

Pam Kilgallon (grandmother to Leo and Jonah, 2017 - current)

Teresa Shin (parent to Tanner and Torren, 2017 – current)



# Wheel Chairs for Kids

"I can't move I'm. stuck on the floor I was born without legs"

**Knock Knock** 

"Here is your wheelchair"

"WOW! Where did this come from?"

"Wheelchairs for Kids!"

"What's that?"



This week the Special Events Ministry went to Wheelchair for Kids to see what our donations have done to help people in need. We saw how the wheelchairs were made and also helped out with bending metal to make the handle bars for the wheelchairs. Volunteers make blankets and teddies to be packed into the boxes with the wheelchairs. We helped pack the chairs into the boxes.



People knit these blankets and make their own toys. They are then packed with the wheelchairs. In the box they also add 1 tennis ball and 1 toy with 2 hand knitted blankets. There were lots of photos around the workshop of children that had received wheelchairs. The expression on their faces shone with excitement.

In 2015, Brother Ollie and another volunteer went to Mongolia and purchased 40 tennis balls to give to the children in the villages. The children had never seen tennis balls. The volunteers couldn't believe the joy tennis balls brought to the kids and this is why they add tennis balls to all the wheelchairs they send.

Wheelchair for Kids is run by 300 local retired volunteers. They produce about 350 chairs per month. Liwara has donated a total of \$7393.40, allowing 47 wheelchairs to be built for children mainly in third world countries.



Wheelchairs for Kids was really fun, We enjoyed looking at all the ways they make wheelchairs. We saw a machine that tested the wheelchairs on a rough surface and flat surface at many different speeds. Altogether they have donated 45,504 wheelchairs to many different countries all over the world.



While we were there it was Remembrance Day. At 11am we were able to join the volunteers in observing 1 minutes silence and listened to one of the volunteers play the bagpipes.

Year 6 Special Events Ministry

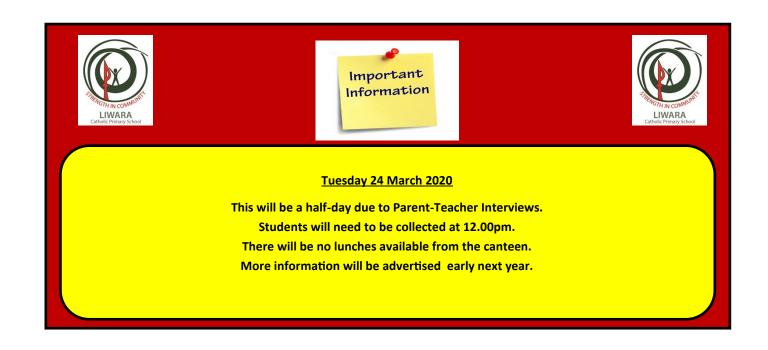


# **CONGRATULATIONS TO MIA LEATHER**

Mia recently competed in a Karate tournament, where she was awarded the Gold Medal in Kumite (fighting).

"It was really exciting. The scores were the biggest in our age group so far since the tournament started. I thought I would get out on the first round, but I made it to the last. I was so happy; I didn't know what to do." Mia

A huge achievement and a BIG congratulations from all of us at Liwara.





We have had another terrific week in sustainability. We are close to another pick-up of our Greenbatch recycling. Thank you to parents and students who have been vigilant in rinsing their aluminium cans, Type 1 PET and Type 2 HDPE plastic containers.

## **Important Announcement**

As we endeavour to become a litter free, waste-wise school, we now ask students in every year level to take home all of their plastic waste. This includes all plastic containers, foil/plastic wrappers and cling wrap. We recommend all families collect these soft plastics and take them to soft plastic recycling bins at Coles or Woolworths, such as those pictured.





Coles plastic recycling bin

Recycling bin at Woolworths labelled "Plastic bags & packaging"

Even used squeezy yoghurt containers with caps on, can be recycled at Coles and Woolworths collection points. It has been wonderful to see that the vast majority of students bring their food wrapper free or in individual re-usable plastic containers. Mrs Millar has endorsed this change in our school. We shall continue to recycle cardboard and paper at school through SUEZ and collect food scraps to recycle in our worm farms.

Recycle packaging like this at Woolworths and Coles





Our Year 6 Green Team have been busy planting tomato seedlings and herbs, such as basil, which thrive as the weather gets warmer. Keep up the wonderful work Green Team!

Basil growing in our planter boxes

# Year 3 Class News

Enjoying the sunshine, creating a board game.

This term we have been very busy with a variety of activities to consolidate our learning.

We love the challenge of covering our hands while typing.



Enjoying Reading Groups!



The Lord's Prayer.



Learning about grid co-ordinates.





Meloveteam



Hard at work!



Our fraction follow along picture.



How do you stay

healthy?

Let's discuss the main idea of this text.



While researching our Australian animals, we learnt many interesting facts.



Spelling time on the whiteboards.



# **GENERAL SCHOOL NEWS**

## **Achievement Certificates**

PPG Chelsea Maciel Wakefield
Mya Paganelli, Ollie Schoots

PPR Mason Condelli, Imogen Kyanga

1G Albie Deurloo Alexis Magoria

1R Phoebe Croxford Rosie Haynes

2G Kayla Grant, Samuel McCallum

**2R** Lucy Harnett

3G Alexander Grieve, Ryder Sanford

3R Mackenzie Martin, Harry Jones

4G Cora Lyons, Flynn William

**4R** Ashleigh Thorsen, Mia Pintaudi

5G Seanna Ravi, Tyler Pires

5R Noah Hay, Joshua Ndirangu

**6G** Phoebe Croxford Rosie Haynes

**6R** Morgan Roddis

# **SCHOOL TIMES**

Pre Kindy & Kindy 8.45am—2.45pm (doors open at 8.40am) Pre Primary—Year Six 8.40—3.00pm (doors open at 8.30am)



All Saints Catholic Church
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PARISH OFFICE OPENING TIMES: MONDAY,
WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY 10:00AM TO 3:00PM
MASSES: Mon-Fri 9.00am
Saturday 9.00am & Vigil – 6pm—Sunday 7.30am,
9.30am, & 5.30pm (anointing every 2nd Saturday of

9.30am, & 5.30pm (anointing every 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of month) Reconciliation: Saturday 9.30am-10.00am and 5.00pm - 5.30pm or by request.

# All Saints Parish 24:7 Greenwood Youth Group

For all youth in Years 6-12
Every Sunday night 6.30-8pm @ the Ahern Centre
(Liwara Catholic Primary School)
For more info call Lynn 0452 413 942 or
Lionel 0405 107 841

LIWARA CATHOLIC Primary School Cookbook 2019



Available for purchase in the School front office

# **SERVICES AT LIWARA**

# UNIFORM SHOP

# **OSHC**

# **THURSDAY**

8.15am - 9.00am

Please direct all enquiries to sales@jfe.net.au

Order Forms available on website
Full payment is required on
ordering. Orders will be dropped
off at your child's class.

3 Year Old Pre Kindy - Year 6
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# **ABSENTEE**

# **CANTEEN**

Click on the Absentees Icon on the Liwara School Website or leave a voice message on the school number 9448 3811

ext1 before 8:20am

Leave the child's name, class and a brief description for the absence.

Please do not reply to the computer generated absentee text sent to you if your child is not at school. We do not receive it.

Please include your child's class colour (Red or Green) when you are ordering your children's lunches online. This will reduce the time taken to process your order. Thank you.

Please take the time to look at the Quick Click menu

https://quickcliq.com.au/

## **YOUTH MINISTRY**



#### **YOUTH MINISTRY GOALS & RESULTS**

Youth Group Attendance Goal: 20. We had 17 young people join us last week. Youth Group Content Goal: For the Youth to learn about the fruits of patience, gentleness and self-control in a fun and engaging way. This was achieved as we looked at the Hulk and how he shows these fruits. Our games and activities for the night were also aimed to achieve this goal. To help out with the Liwara fair and build up relationships with the youth. This was achieved as we helped run a games stall at the Liwara fair which gave us the opportunity to connect with new and old youth.

## **YOUTH GROUP GAMES / ACTIVITIES**

Balloon Toss Patience Activity

#### **YOUTH GROUP TALK / FOCUS**

"The Hulk: Fruits of patience, self-control and gentleness" presented by Jaxen 3 Key Points:

Patience: It is not just about being calm and not acting on our impulses but to be considerate to the people around us.

Self-control: To have control over our urges, desires and emotions rather than letting them control us. Gentleness: It is about knowing that we have the strength to do something but showing restraint any way in order to preserve peace and relationships with others, e.g. being gentle when playing with younger siblings.

## **NEXT YOUTH GROUP THEME**

Spiderman-going out into the world

#### **LAST WEEK'S NON-YOUTH GROUP MINISTRY ACTIVITIES / MASS**

We helped out at the Liwara fair with their games stall

### **PARISH/NEWSLETTER PROMOTION**

24:7 Greenwood Youth Group For all youth in Years 6-12 Every Sunday 6:30pm to 8pm at the Ahern Centre Call Lynn on 0452 413 942 or Anthony on 0481 737 771

