

## Newsletter

Issue No. 1 | 31 Janurary 2023 Let the words you speak always be full of grace Colossians 4:6



### Welcome

We welcome everyone to St Peter's for the 2023 school year - with a special warm welcome to all new people joining our community. We also welcome some new staff to our school - Mr Jeremy Darmody, our new Co-Principal, Mr Damian Cairns, a new teacher in 3/4 Barrangal and 2 new ESOs - Cooper and Gina.

### Farewell

Our amazing Koorie Ed worker and ESO Tyler Widdicombe is leaving St Peter's after approximately 11 years working with us. Tyler also attended St Peter's as a student so it holds a special place in his heart. Tyler has accepted a position with the Department of Education in Koorie Engagement Support - an amazing opportunity to use his incredible skills and talents . We wish Tyler all the very best as he starts his new, exciting role!

### **Prep Families Welcome**

Our prep families are invited to a cuppa and to meet with the Co-Principals, Mr Podosky, Alex Love-Linay and Fr Junray next Tuesday morning (7th Feb) at 9.15am (straight after walking). It is just a casual opportunity to get to know other prep families and the school leadership team. All are welcome.

### **Opening Mass**

Our Opening Mass will be held next Wednesday the 8th of February at 9.30am - all families and friends are invited to attend (including Preps and their families). Mass will be held at St Kilian's Church.

### **Hello Night**

We will hold a casual parent/carer/family gathering on Tuesday the 14th of Feb from 4.30 - 5.30pm. Sausages in bread provided.

### Changes to classrooms

Due to the refurbishment works about to begin many classrooms have changed!

1/2 Mur Murra - Rm 9 (portable) near the COLA Y2 Balam-balam - Rm 8 (portable) near the COLA 5/6 Ngana-nganity - Portable 1 at the front of the school 5/6 Banya - Portable 2 at the front of the school 5/6 Guwak - Gathering end of the Knuldoorong The Library is now in the corridor end of the Knuldoorong





The Art and Music portable has become Banya and Ngana Nganity's classrooms.

### Swimming Program

Swimming for 3/4/5/6's will begin next week (week 2). Students will go to Peter Krenz Leisure Centre on Wednesday and Friday in week 2, then Mon/Wed/Frid in week 3 and Wed/Fri in week 4.

### SiMON Everywhere - PAM App

The PAM App (was called SiMON Everywhere) has been updated over the holidays and will no longer work with old account logins. Each family will have received an email asking them to re-create new PAM logins. If you are having any problems with this please email attendance@spbendigo.catholic. edu.au.

### School Closure Day

This year our school curriculum focus will be on Maths. Monday February 20th will be a whole school closure day while the teachers engage in a Maths Professional Learning Day.

### The One Box

Delivery of food boxes will commence next Friday the 10th February. There will



not be food boxes available this Friday. Please get in touch if you require any assistance this week.



through this corridor anymore.





The Knuldoorong has become Guwak's classroom and a library.

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### You can find this calendar on the home page of our website

7 FEB, TUE	9:15 - 10:15am	Prep Family Welcome & meet Fr Junray
8 FEB, WED	<ul> <li>All day</li> <li>9:30 - 11am</li> <li>1 - 2:10pm</li> <li>1:40 - 3pm</li> </ul>	No School For Preps Opening Mass St Kilian's Catholic Church Bendigo 3/4 Swimming 5/6 Swimming
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14 FEB, TUE	● 4:30 - 5:30pm	Hello Night
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17 FEB, FRI	<ul> <li>1 - 2:10pm</li> <li>1:40 - 3pm</li> </ul>	3/4 Swimming 5/6 Swimming
18 FEB, SAT	<ul> <li>All day</li> </ul>	Marong cup
20 FEB, MON	<ul> <li>All day</li> </ul>	School Closure Day
21 FEB, TUE	😑 8:15 – 9am	Shrove Tuesday - Pancake Breakfast
22 FEB, WED	<ul> <li>All day</li> <li>9 - 10am</li> <li>1 - 2:10pm</li> <li>1:40 - 3pm</li> </ul>	No School For Preps Ash Wednesday - Liturgy with Fr. Rob 3/4 Swimming 5/6 Swimming
24 FEB, FRI	<ul> <li>1 - 2:10pm</li> <li>1:40 - 3pm</li> </ul>	3/4 Swimming 5/6 Swimming
27 FEB, MON	<ul> <li>All day</li> </ul>	School Photos
1 MAR, WED	<ul> <li>All day</li> </ul>	No School For Preps
8 MAR, WED	<ul> <li>All day</li> </ul>	No School For Preps
13 MAR, MON	<ul> <li>All day</li> </ul>	Labour Day Public Holiday
17 MAR, FRI	9 - 10am	Staff Commissioning Mass St Kilian's Church
6 APR, THU	All day	Last Day of Term 1



### What Happens at St Peters OSHC?

ATB's culture is one that embraces devotion, commitment, innovation and passion. Our unique qualities have been derived from providing inclusive programs full of discovery and exploration that will leave an imprint in a child's life.

ATB believes every child has a curious growing mind that should be nurtured and empowered. Through our programs we aspire to provide opportunities for children to be part of an exciting, fun and engaging care program environment. Our cultivated team harnesses all our personal and educational experience so that every child that walks through our doors enters a safe "home away from home" care environment.





### **Food For Thought**

We value the importance of children's healthy eating choices.

Children are provided with a healthy nutritional breakfast and afternoon snack each session day. Children can participate in the weekly Cooking Club experience.

Our menus where possible caters for any special dietary requirements, including children with allergies or cultural needs. The menu changes each week and is displayed at the program along with the weekly program plan.

Children have input into the program menu, whilst learning the value of good healthy choices.

### **Our Educators**

Each day is an adventure and creating new memories.

This is led by our dedicated, trained Educators that have the skills and abilities to ensure your child's time at the program is rewarding as well as memorable, but foremost making sure your child is always having a fun time in a safe and engaging care environment.

All our friendly Educators hold or are studying in an approved qualification and are trained in First Aid, CPR, Asthma Management, Anaphylaxis Management, Child Safe Training and hold a Working With Children's Check.





### **How to Register**

As a licensed Child Care provider, we require all guardians accessing our services to complete the mandatory registration for their child to attend our care. This registration is a legal requirement for ATB to accept children into our care and gives ATB staff all the necessary information so we can provide the best care for each child entering our doors.

Registering your child through our secure online registration system via www.afterthebell.com.au is required.

Once the mandatory registration is completed ATB Head Office Registration Officer will review the registration form, then the Registration Officer will email the guardian a last verification step, once this is completed the guardian will be sent a Welcome email and confirmation of commencement date.

We encourage all families to register, even if you only use the service on an emergency needs basis.

This will ensure your child/ren will be cared for when/if required.

**Program Details:** 

ADDRESS: Fenton Street Bendigo VIC 3550 ROOM LOCATION: Multipurpose Room PROGRAM NUMBER: 0448 375 923



Registration is FREE and provides peace of mind, knowing care is available when you need it.





# SATURDAY 18 FEBRUARY





### SUPPORTING BENDIGO CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOLS

## **KIDS RIDES AND ACTIVITIES**

Packages available · Umbrella Packages \$300 · Mini Marquees \$450

General Admission \$15  $\,\cdot\,$  Kids 16 & Under Free



Marong Racing Club

## BENDIGO JOCKEY CLUB

Phone 03 5448 4209 country.racing.com/bendigo f 🗹 🖸 🖸

## **MARONG 20** CUP DAY 2 SATURDAY 18 FEBRUARY

### **CONTACTS**

President Tom Maher 0408 910 497

Marong Racing Club Inc. PO Box 2705 Bendigo DC 3554 Email tom@maherrealestate.com.au



Kids Ride passes only \$15 if purchased on the day If prebooked at school \$10





## **BOOK YOUR 2023 PACKAGES NOW!**

### **ADMISSION PRICES**

Adults	\$15
<b>Concession</b> (aged Pension and TPI only)	\$10
<b>Cross over to Members Reserve</b>	\$10
Children (16 years and under)	FREE

### TRACKSIDE UMBRELLAS

Fenced off enclosures on the lawns are set aside for package patrons.

- Market umbrella
- Table

Chairs

### Additions

Food (BBO with salad) Admission to course \$20pp \$15 adults

**\$300** (10 people)

\*Price does not include alcohol

### **'SILKS' DINING PACKAGES**

Silks dining room is located within the Members Reserve. Set high above the track, this is a spectacular location to view the course in air-conditioned comfort. There is also an outside balcony with the same elevated perspective to watch the races.

- Admission to 'Members Reserve'
- Reserved seat for the day
- Two course hot luncheon
  - Afternoon tea
  - Air-conditioned comfort
- Racebook
- Private TAB facilities
- Cash bar

### MARQUEES

Mini Marquee (3m x 3m) Private Marquee Package (3m x 6m) \$450 based on 10 people \$900 based on 20 people

- Tables
- Chairs

Additions

Food (BBQ with salad) Admission to Course

### **TERRACE AND DECK PACKAGES**

### The ultimate area to enjoy the races at the Bendigo Track!

- Marguee
- Large market umbrella
- 2 garden tables
- 20 chairs
- I large wine barrel
- 6 tolix bar stools
- Racebook for each guest

Beverage packages can be pre-ordered or drinks purchased at the cash bar.

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visit our website country.racing.com/bendigo or email us on info@bendigo.countryracing.com.au

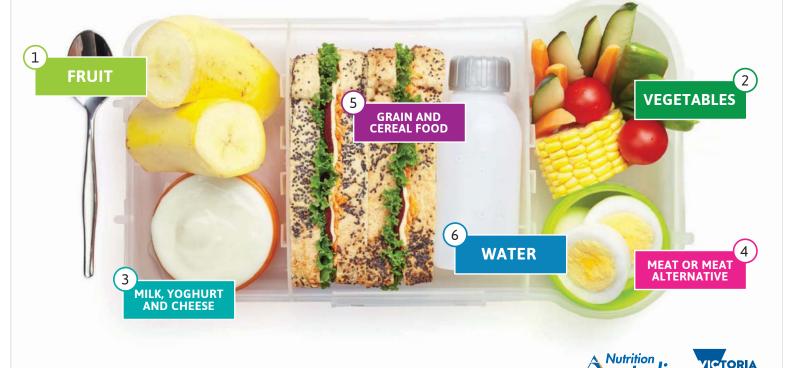
- **\$75** per person

\$20pp

\$15 adults

**\$700** (20 people)

## FOR A HEALTHY LUNCHBOX SOMETHING FROM EACH GROUP 16!



Developed in conjunction with the Achievement Program to support a whole-school approach to healthy eating

## FOR A HEALTHY LUNCHBOX

## 1

### FRESH FRUIT

FRUIT

- AppleBanana
- Mandarin
- Orange quarters Passionfruit halves (with spoon)Watermelon, honeydew,
- rockmelon chunks Pineapple chunks
- Grapes
- Plums Nectarines, peaches,
- Apricots
- StrawberriesCherries
- Kiwifruit halves (with spoon) • Pear

### MIXED FRUIT

- Fruit salad • Fruit kebabs
- DRIED FRUIT
- Dried fruit, nut, popcorn mixes\*

### TINNED FRUIT/SNACK

#### PACKS/CUPS In natural juice (not syrup)



http://heas.health.vic.gov.au/

## VEGETABLES 2

### FRESH CRUNCHY VEGIES

- Corn cobs Carrot sticks
- Capsicum sticks Green beans
- Cucumber sticks
- Celery sticks
- Snow peasTomatoes (e.g. cherry and
- Roma tomatoes) Mushroom pieces

### Can serve with either

- Hommus Tomato salsa
- Tatziki
- Beetroot dip
- Natural yoghurt

### SALADS

- Coleslaw and potato salad (reduced fat dressing)
- Mexican bean, tomato, lettuce and cheese salad Pesto pasta salad\*

### BAKED ITEMS

- Grilled or roasted vegetablesWholemeal vegetable muffins or scones
- Vegetable slice (with grated zucchini and carrot)
- Popcorn

### SOUP (In small thermos)

Pumpkin soup Potato and leak soup

For more information about healthy eating and for many tasty recipes, visit the the Healthy Eating Advisory Service:

Chicken and corn soup

### MILK, YOGHURT 3

- Milk • Calcium-enriched soy and other plant-based milks
- Yoghurt (frozen overnight) Custard

#### Tip. Freeze the night before to keep cool during the day

- Cheese cubes, sticks or
- slices Cottage or ricotta cheese
- Cream cheese Tatziki dip

### Can serve with either:

- Fruit Wholegrain cereal,
- low in sugar
- Vegetable sticksRice and corn cakes
- Wholegrain wheat crackers
- Side salad Vegetable frittata Skinless chicken drumsticks
  - Savoury muffins or scones (e.g. lean ham, cheese and

MEAT OR MEAT

• Tinned tuna or salmon in

springwater • Lean roast or grilled meats

(e.g. beef, chicken, kangaroo) Falafel balls

Lean meat or chicken patties

(e.g. ham, silverside, chicken)

Boiled eggs Baked beans (canned)

· Lean meat or chicken

• Wholegrain sandwich, roll,

Rice and corn cakes

pita or wrap bread with salad

Wholegrain wheat crackers

Tinned tuna or salmon

patties Lentil patties

• Lean deli meats

• Tofu cubes

Hommus dip

kebab sticks

Peanut butter\*

Can serve with:

ALTERNATIVE

shallots) Homemade pizzas with lean roast or deli meats and

### vegetables Can serve with

### Side salad

• Steamed or roasted vegetables

### **GRAIN AND CEREAL FOOD**

### MAINS

- WrapsSandwiches
- Rolls
- Toasted sandwiches

Tip: Use breads such as wholemeal, multigrain, rye, sourdough, pita, flat, corn, mountain, lavash, white fibre-enriched, soy and linseed, herb, naan, bagels foccacias, fruit bread and English muffins.

- Pasta dishes
- Rice, quinoa or cous cous dishes
- Noodle dishesSushi

### SAVORY BAKED ITEMS

- Homemade pizzas Wholemeal savoury muffins or scones (e.g. ham, cheese
- and corn muffins) Vegetable based muffins
- Pasta or noodle bake

### SWEET BAKED ITEMS

- Fruit loaf • Wholemeal fruit based muffins
- SNACKS
- High fibre, low sugar
- cereal (e.g. muesli)

### English muffins

- Crackers
- CrispreadsRice cakes
- Corn thins
  - Wholemeal scones
- Pikelets
- Crumpets • Hot cross buns (no icing)

WATER 6

Take a water bottle (for refilling throughout the day)

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Freeze overnight to keep foods cool in lunchboxes

Sweet and savoury snack foods (e.g. muesli/fruit/nut bars, biscuits, crisps, cakes, muffins, slices) should be limited in lunchboxes. They can lead to excess energy intake if consumed in large amounts.

Sugar sweetened drinks and

confectionery should not be

provided in lunchboxes. They

\*Check vour school's policy

products containing nuts.

regarding the use of nuts and

can lead to excess energy

intake and tooth decay.