



*Good afternoon,*

## Culture Day

Culture Day was an amazing day full of cool activities. The students had opportunities to learn about several cultures, the culture of Australia and their own individual culture! We all enjoyed some kangaroo sausages and some fairy bread!! We were very fortunate to have Fr Junray come and share some language and dance from the Philippines too.

## ELC Excursion - Tuesday 12 November

The **ELC Excursion** to Echuca is **tomorrow**. Students will leave at **8.30am** and return at **4.00pm**. Children are to bring a packed lunch in a disposable bag, water bottle and full school uniform and hat. Please see PAM for the details and to grant permission. See your child's teacher if you have any questions.

## Community Circle:

### Swap Meet Parking - Swap Meet on SATURDAY!

We offer \$5 parking on our oval for the Bendigo Swap Meet. We will need volunteers for the morning of Saturday November 16th. This is the easiest fundraiser we do! We simply need people to collect the \$5, people to direct cars onto the oval and people to direct cars where to park once on the oval. Too easy!! We ask that people put their names down for a 2 hr shift (or whatever time you can). There will be a reply slip at the end of the newsletter to sign up with. Thanks.

**Marong Cup:** Yes - it's that time of year again - we are calling for volunteers to help out on the day of the Marong Cup - **February 15th 2020**. The day is only a couple of weeks into the start of the year - so we need to have it organised this term. Please give your name at the office or to Chris Ring if you are able to help - people are rostered on for 2 hours each. St Peter's are asked to sit on the 'sign-in' booth for volunteers and to work in the Member's Bar collecting glasses - it is all very easy work. Please come and see us if you have any questions - new volunteers are very welcome!

## 5/6 Camp

The 5/6 Camp to Billabong Ranch in Echuca is next week from November 18th to 20th. Please see the PAM App for details and speak to your child's teacher if you have any questions.

## End of Year Celebrations

There are several end of year celebrations for our students - in particular the Yr. 6s. We will have a final Assembly on Friday the 13th of December and the Yr. 6 families are reminded to keep an eye out for a letter coming home with details of a Graduation Lunch.

Our **End of Year Mass** is for **all families** and will take place on **Tuesday the 17th of December at 6pm**. Everyone is invited back to school to enjoy some take away food and meet up with Santa!! We will celebrate our Yr. 6 Graduation at this Mass and this year we will also formally acknowledge Mrs Donna McNamara who will not be returning to St Peter's.

## 2020 Planning

We have some very exciting things happening at St Peter's in 2020.....

We have worked with the Catholic Education Office to look at ways of catering to the needs of all our students.

Two things we are introducing next year are smaller class sizes and a new literacy program.

To this end we have employed a few new teachers - **Mrs Deb Jones, Mrs Lil Daley, Mrs Katrina Kerr, Ms Paris Robinson and Mrs Olivia Keating**. We look forward to working with all these new teachers next year!

The other aspect of this exciting program is that the first two days of next year will actually be Professional Learning days for our staff so we can all learn about the new reading program that we will be offering at St Peter's.

**The students' first day of school will now be FRIDAY the 31st of January.**

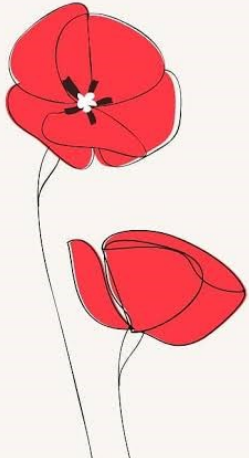
We are very excited to be introducing this new reading program and look forward to seeing some great reading progress in our students!

## Assembly

Guwak will be sharing at Assembly this week.

## A moment in Prayer

Today we commemorate Remembrance Day. We ask God to look after our armed forces personnel today and into the future as we remember those we have lost. Bless and help their families as they are remembered on this day.



*They shall grow not  
old, as we that are left  
grow old:  
Age shall not weary  
them, nor the years  
condemn;  
At the going down of the  
sun, and in the morning,  
We will remember them*

God Bless,

Jen & Mick.



# Culture Day



## NIT-BUSTERS

PARENTS WE ARE INTRODUCING OUR NEW OFFER. THOSE WHO HAVE EXPERIENCED HEADLICE CAN FEEL QUITE OVERWHELMED AND EVEN EMBARRASSED BY THEM. WE WANT TO HELP MANAGE THE OUTBREAK AND GET THE SITUATION UNDER CONTROL.

**TREATMENT INCLUDES HAIR CUT, TREATMENT OF LICE, AND REMOVAL OF EGGS FOR ONLY \$40**

**FOR BOOKINGS OR ENQUIRIES CONTACT BUSYBEES HAIRSTYLES ON OUR FACEBOOK PAGE OR 0423936744 / 0433914016**

Poster Maker





St Martin of Tours Wisdom 1:1-7. Psalm 138(139):1-10. Luke 17:1-6. Guide me, Lord, along the everlasting way – Psalm 138 (139):1-10

## 'Increase our faith'

A film called *Pay it Forward* showed a young boy sharing out good with faith and generosity to others. As a result, miracles of grace, hope and forgiveness occurred. We all have influence over others. Parents especially influence their children, but children also influence parents, and we all affect those around us. Whatever good or bad we do has ripple effects, and builds the stores of good or bad in the world. Even what no one sees is seen and known by God, through and through. Creating obstacles for little ones has lasting effects; we have seen how one bad action can taint lives for generations. On the other hand, good feeds on good and faith increases faith, even if it starts as small as a mustard seed. How can we build the stores of faith, forgiveness and care for the little ones in our lives today?

### St Kilian's Church

161 McCrae St

Bendigo 3550

**Parish Office:**

**Tel:** 03 5441 6244

**Parish House:**

**Tel:** 03 5443 4800

**Email:** [stkilians@cdos.org.au](mailto:stkilians@cdos.org.au)

### Administrator:

Rev Junray Rayna

**Assistant Priest:**

Rev Fr Rob Galea

**Priest in Residence:**

Rev Fr Paul Purcell

**Pastoral Associate:**

Helen Fowler

### Mass Times:

Monday: No Mass

Tuesday: 12.10pm

Wednesday: 12.10pm

Thursday: 12.10pm

Friday: 12.10pm

Saturday: 8.00am 6.30pm

Sunday: 7.00am 10.00am



## ST PETER'S BOOK DRIVE

If you have any old or new books that you don't need or want, we would appreciate if you would donate the to our book drive!

If you have books, please deliver them to Njana-Nganity Class

All books will be sent to kids in the Philippines.



# ECOLOGICAL STEWARDSHIP PROJECT



## DJAK TJARRA NEWS

This Wednesday 13th, 1/2 DUAN



By Mrs Lauren White

**“To achieve such reconciliation,  
we must examine our lives and  
acknowledge the ways in which we have  
harmed God’s creation through our actions  
and our failure to act.  
We need to experience a conversion,  
or change of heart.”**

(AUSTRALIAN CATHOLIC BISHOPS’ CONFERENCE, *A New Earth – The Environmental Challenge*, 2002)

## WHAT IS ‘NATIONAL RECYCLING WEEK’?

In November 1996, Planet Ark founded National Recycling Week to bring a national focus to the environmental benefits of recycling. Now in its 24th year, this established and highly regarded annual campaign continues to educate and stimulate behaviour change, by: promoting kerbside, industrial and community recycling initiatives and giving people the tools to minimise waste and manage material resources responsibly at home, work and school.



## WHEN IS ‘NATIONAL RECYCLING WEEK’?

This year, National Recycling Week runs from Monday 11th to Sunday 17 November. The City of Greater Bendigo offers all residents a fortnightly bin service where the yellow co-mingled recycling is collected.

## WHICH MATERIALS ARE RECYCLED IN BENDIGO RECYCLING BINS?

Glass Bottles and Jars Aluminium Cans Aluminium Foil Newspapers Magazines Office Paper Envelopes Phone Books Pizza Boxes (clean - dirty boxes can go in your green waste organic bin) Egg Cartons Cardboard Steel Food Cans Steel Aerosol Cans (empty) Aluminium Aerosol Cans (empty) Milk cartons (fresh, no foil lining) Milk cartons (long-life, with foil lining) Plastics marked with: Juice cartons (long-life, with foil lining)



## ‘THE TRUE COST’ MOVIE and Q&A SESSION

Thursday 14th November,  
The Old Church on the Hill - \$5

Bendigo Sustainability Group presents a documentary about clothing- who makes them, where they are made and how the clothing industry is impacting the world.

**Who really pays the price  
for our clothing?**



Keep collecting your bread tags  
- they are sent away to be  
recycled to help underprivileged  
children purchase wheelchairs







By: Stacey Frost

### Here to Help:

Please feel free to ring / email me or pop in to see me any time on the days I'm here. If you have **any** concerns about your child's social or emotional well-being, please come and chat to me. We want to make your child's time at school the very best it can be. Any concerns you may be having, I am here to listen and support you the best I can. Stacey. E: [sfrost@spbendigo.catholic.edu.au](mailto:sfrost@spbendigo.catholic.edu.au)

### School Psychologist - Simon Harvest:

Simon is now seeing students at our school, he is usually here on Wednesday's. He is providing counselling covering a wide range of issues. It is a very rare opportunity that we have to have such an experienced psychologist working at our school, with no cost to you. Please ensure you have your referral letter in for next year as there is now a waiting list in place to see Simon.

### One Box:

We have One Box on a Friday which consists of milk, bread and fruit. If you would like a box sent home, please let Stacey know.

### Catholic Care Sandhurst Emergency Relief:

CCS Emergency relief provides financial or material aid to assist people experiencing financial hardship, resulting from their current life situation or an unexpected crisis. If you are experiencing difficulties, please see Stacey.

**Preloved Uniform:** Please donate your preloved uniform...especially in larger sizes. Thank you ☺

**STACEY'S  
CONTACT DETAILS**

Stacey is here at St Peter's on:  
**Tuesdays,  
Wednesdays &  
Thursdays**

E: [sfrost@spbendigo.catholic.edu.au](mailto:sfrost@spbendigo.catholic.edu.au)  
Tel: 5443 9319

## Community Cuppa

Have a cup of positivitea.



**All Welcome to join Stacey  
in the Knuldoorong for a  
cuppa and catch up**

## BREAKFAST CLUB

St Peter's Breakfast Club runs each school morning and everyone is welcome (parents, students, siblings). So please feel free to pop in and fuel up for the day!





PLEASE REMEMBER: To contact the school if your child is absent



**Talk to school if:**  
(or see Stacey)

Your child is not wanting  
to attend school

You need support getting your  
child to school

Tel: 5443 9319

E: [attendance@spbendigo.catholic.edu.au](mailto:attendance@spbendigo.catholic.edu.au)

## Art Fun with Mrs Howes, Stacey & Sheree

**Grade 5 and 6 students are invited to attend a fun Art session  
every Wednesday at second break in the Art room.**

**This is a nice time for our senior students to have a chat and get creative!**

**Please tell your teacher your play plan as Art Room  
and meet outside the Art room.**

**We look forward to seeing you there!**

**Stacey, Sheree and Mrs Howes.**



SOME KIDS ARE **smarter** THAN YOU.  
SOME KIDS HAVE **COOLER CLOTHES** THAN YOU.  
SOME KIDS ARE BETTER AT **SPORTS** THAN YOU.  
➡ **IT DOESN'T MATTER!** ⬅  
**YOU HAVE YOUR THING TOO!**  
BE THE KID WHO CAN **GET ALONG.**  
BE THE KID WHO IS **GENEROUS.**  
BE THE KID WHO IS **happy** FOR OTHER **people.**  
BE THE KID WHO DOES THE **right thing.**  
♡ ☆ BE THE **nice** KID. ☆ ♡



# 3/4 NEWS



JOIN THE RIDE TO...



## One Day in 5 – Join the Ride

Have you seen the wayfinding signs around our school? The signs highlight key routes that students and families can use to ride, walk and scoot to school. They are part of the One Day in 5: Join the Ride project that grade 3/4 students have been working on with Nicola Dunncliff-Wells.

If more school families walk or ride to school – even one day in five – it will significantly reduce traffic around our school, which makes it safer for everyone.

A map of walking and cycling routes will also be produced for the school fence. We'd love your feedback on these suggested routes to school. A copy of the draft map is available at the office with space for comments – or email Nicola directly on [nicolaw@bigpond.com](mailto:nicolaw@bigpond.com).



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FREE COMMUNITY EVENT

# Eaglehawk Children's Festival

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> November 2019



## BBQ

Sausages, Veggie Burgers, Grilled Vegetables, Hot Dogs & Drinks \$2 each

Water available

Bring your chair or picnic rug!

- Inflatables
- Mobile Play Zone
- Face Painting
- Animals 2 U
- Native Animal Display
- Story Time
- Live Entertainment
- Henna Painting
- Lots more FUN FREE kids activities

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**November 15, 2019**

**3.30pm – 6.30pm**

**Canterbury Park**

(Parking in Napier or Denham Street)

For more information contact Eaglehawk Community House on 5446 8322



CITY OF GREATER BENDIGO



## EXCITING PROGRAM AHEAD

**Monday-** Come and try some Moon art painting

**Tuesday-** Today we are making some spaceship creations.

**Wednesday-** Come along and help us create moon dust playdough

**Thursday-** Today we are going to make pipe cleaner constellations

**Friday-** Come and find how to make moon sand.

## COOKING CLUB

We will be making  
**Bacon and corn  
muffins**

## JOKE OF THE WEEK

How do oceans say hello to each  
other?  
**They Wave**

## KIDS CORNER

Last week we did lots of science  
experiments and we had a lot of fun.

Emily making her secret book.  
Educators Michele and Tahnica

## JUNIOR LEADER GOES TO

This weeks leader is Eric. He had is  
first time in the program and was very  
creative with our lego blocks.

## HIGHLIGHTS

## JOIN THE FUN OF OSHC

Enrolment is FREE all you need to do is visit  
our website at  
[www.afterthebell.com.au](http://www.afterthebell.com.au)  
and complete the online enrolment form.  
Please feel free to contact our head office as  
we are happy to help you out with the process.

### CONTACT

OSHC- 0448 375 923




Head Office- 9758 6744

Program Leader- Tahnica



Welcome to our new brand!



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
10	11  REMEMBRANCE DAY <i>Let Us Forget</i>	12 ELC Excursion 8.30am-4pm Echuca	13  SCHOOL BANKING	14  2020 Prep Orientation	15  FREE BREAD	16  SWAP MEET
17	18 5/6 CAMP Echuca Billabong Ranch Depart: 9.30am	19 5/6 CAMP	20 5/6 CAMP Return: 3pm  SCHOOL BANKING	21	22  FREE BREAD	23
24	25	26 2020 Prep Orientation & Parent/Carer Info Session	27  SCHOOL BANKING	28  PUPIL FREE Planning 2020	29  PUPIL FREE Report Writing	30
1 DEC	2 DEC	3 DEC	4 DEC  SCHOOL BANKING	5 DEC	6 DEC  FREE BREAD	7 DEC



**Please return any books  
to the LIBRARY asap**

## SIGNIFICANT DATES

### NOVEMBER

- ♦ Tuesday 12: ELC Excursion
- ♦ Saturday 16: Swap Meet School Fundraiser
- ♦ Monday 18 to Wednesday 20 : 5/6 CAMP
- ♦ Thursday 28 & Friday 29 : SCHOOL CLOSURE DAYS  
*Planning and Report Writing Days*

### DECEMBER

- ♦ Tuesday 10 : Orientation Day 11.45am - 1.15pm  
Christmas Raffle Tickets DUE
- ♦ Friday 13: Christmas Raffle Drawn
- ♦ Tuesday 17: End of Year Mass
- ♦ Wednesday 18 : Term 4 Ends - Students

### 2020

- ♦ Friday 31 January: Term 1 Commences Students
- ♦ Saturday 15 February: Marong Cup

### 2020 Prep Orientation Days:

Tuesday 29 OCT: 9.30am - 10.30am  
Thursday 14 NOV: 9.30am - 10.30am  
Tuesday 26 NOV: 9.15am - 10.45am - also  
parent/carers information session  
Tuesday 10 DEC: Orientation Day  
11.45am - 1.15pm

#### Term Dates 2019/2020

Term 4 Mon. 7 October - Wed 18 December

#### 2020

Term 1 Fri. 31 January TBC - Fri. 27 March  
Term 2 Tue. 14 April - Fri. 26 June



**ST PETER'S  
UNIFORM SHOP**  
(Coordinator: Mrs Tanya Rees)

**Monday 3.00pm - 3.30pm**  
**Thursday 8.30am - 9.00am**

Remember you can still complete an order form and  
Tanya can process this on either of these days.





It's that time of year again...

## ST PETER'S SCHOOL ANNUAL CHRISTMAS HAMPER RAFFLE

Raffle Tickets have been sent home today  
and are DUE 10 December  
to be Drawn on Friday 13 December

Baskets have been placed in each class ready to be filled with donations  
of Christmas goodies.

Examples of items that have been donated in the past include: lollies,  
bonbons, craft items, games, shortbread, puddings, gift vouchers, and  
decorations...basically, any items that you would be happy to win!



### Swap Meet Parking 16 November



We will need volunteers for the morning of  
Saturday November 16th.

We simply need people to collect the \$5, people  
to direct cars onto the oval and people to direct  
cars where to park once on the oval.

Too easy!! We ask that people put their names  
down for a 2.5 hr shift (if you can).



### SWAP MEET - VOLUNTEERS

We are looking for volunteers to help .  
We need **3 volunteers** for each time slot

Name:.....

Contact No:.....

*(3 Volunteers for each time slot)*

**Time Preference - Please circle:**

7.30am - 9.30am

9.00am - 11.00am

10.30am - 12.00pm

Please return slip at your earliest convenience

**THANK YOU**