



St Patrick's School

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St Patrick's Primary School, Wangaratta, would like to acknowledge the Yorta Yorta Nation, whose clans include Bangerang (Pangerang) Kaitheban, Wollithiga, Moira, Ulupna, Kwat Kwat, Yalaba Yalaba and Ngurai-illiam-wurrung, as

the Traditional Custodians of the land on which our school is situated.

This school supports the CHILD Safe Standards (Ministerial Order 870) and actively seeks to ensure that all students are kept safe from all forms of harm at all times.

ST. PATRICK'S SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

3rd May, 2023



Saint Patrick's Prayer

Christ be with me.
Christ be beside me.
Christ be before me.
Christ be behind me.
Christ at my right hand.
Christ at my left hand.
Christ be with me
everywhere I go.
Christ be my friend,
for ever and ever.
Amen

St Patrick's Parish Celebrates 160 Years

St Patrick's Parish will celebrate this milestone on **Saturday 20th May** with Mass at 11.00am followed by a lunch at St Patrick's Hall. All are invited and most welcome to join us.

To help with catering on the day, those intending to stay for lunch are asked to contact the Parish office on 57221970 with numbers attending.

Preceding the 160-year celebration, there will be a Novena of Masses at St Patrick's Church, each night at 6.00pm from 11th - 19th May.

St Patrick's School community will be participating in the Mass on the 19th of May. Any families wishing to have a role in the Mass, please contact the school.

Catholic Education Week



This week is Catholic Education Week and it is an opportunity to recognise the impact that Catholic schools make in school and the wider community.

This year we focus on our theme '**Let the words you speak always be full of grace**', as we strive to live our lives as Jesus showed us.

Click the link to see our wonderful [Catholic Schools Wangaratta](#) clip

Confirmation Eucharist

This year the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist will be held on **Wednesday 7th June** at 6.00pm in St Patrick's Church.

Information has been sent out to families. Thank you to those who have returned their forms. Those wishing to participate, need these forms in by the end of the week.



Trivia Night Donations



St Patrick's P & F is seeking donations as prizes for our up-and-coming Trivia Night. Items such as coffee vouchers, boxes of chocolates, wine, fun items etc. will all be greatly appreciated.

Donations can be dropped off at the school office.

Bulb Drive

Thank you to those who purchased bulbs from our fundraiser. We sold a total of \$2060.50 worth of bulbs and raised **\$824.20**.

All funds raised will go towards furnishing the new building.



Positive Behaviour Matrix



This term our students have been working on our Positive Behaviour Matrix – **Respect for Self, Respect for Others and Respect for Property.**

Teachers have been giving out raffle tickets to students who have demonstrated positive behaviours in the classroom as well as outside during play times. The students place their ticket in a container marked with their house colour.

At assembly a ticket is chosen out of each house colour to receive a prize. Congratulations to **Charlie Matheson, Meg Smithwick and Xavier Overberg** who receive a prize for showing respect for self, others, and property. Well done on setting such a fine example to everyone.

St. Patrick's Cross Country



When: Thursday 11th May
Where: Merriwa Park
Who: Grades 3,4,5,6 @ 9.15am
Grades F,1,2 @ 11.45am

Dress: house colours (red, gold or blue)

Families and friends are welcome to come and cheer on our amazing runners! BYO chairs

Second-Hand Uniform Sale

We will be holding a second-hand uniform sale near the Foundation rooms at St Patrick's School, tomorrow, **Thursday 4th May from 3.00pm - 3.45pm.**

This is a great chance to pick up a bargain!



Mothers' Day Stall

This is a great opportunity for students to buy a gift for mum, grandma or that special person in their life. For ease of running the stall it would be greatly appreciated if money could be given to your child's classroom teacher prior to the day of the stall.



Parents and Friends Up and Coming Events



Trivia Night – Term Friday June 2nd

**Dad's Golf Day – Term 3
Sunday 27th August, 2023.**

More information to come shortly.

YMCA - Contact Details

To contact the YMCA After School Care Program please use the following:

Email: StPatricksWangaratta@ymca.org.au

Phone: 0477449997 - Annette Monshing – ASC Co-ordinator

Facebook



Another way to keep in touch is to follow our Facebook page. Just search St Patrick's Primary School Wangaratta to find us.

Parent Access Module (PAM)

St Pat's is using the Parent Access Module (PAM) more and more as a form of communication to parents. Brief messages to inform families of school events will be sent to mobile phones and permission notes will be able to be approved online. If you have any difficulty accessing PAM or completing online forms, please contact the school.

Please check your spam folder for any notification.



LOG INTO PAM

Mass Times

- * Saturday 4.00pm Our Lady's
- * Saturday 6.00pm St Patrick's
- * Sunday 8.00am St Patrick's
- * Sunday 9.00am Our Lady's
- * Sunday 10.30am St Patrick's
- * Sunday 5.00pm St Patrick's
- * Sunday 10.00am Moyhu
- * Sunday 10.00am Whitfield (1st Sunday)



CATHOLIC PARISHES
of
WANGARATTA

Facebook Page: catholicparishesofwangaratta

Gabby

DATES TO REMEMBER

May	4 th	-	3.00pm – 3.45pm Uniform Stall
	11 th	-	9.15am Cross Country Grs 3, 4, 5 & 6 11.45am Cross Country Grs F, 1 & 2
	11 th	-	Mother's Day Stall
	11 th	-	5.00pm Advisory Council Meeting
June	2 nd	-	6.00pm Trivia Night
	7 th	-	6.00pm Confirmation/Eucharist
	9 th	-	PUPIL FREE DAY
	12 th	-	King's Birthday HOLIDAY
	15 th	-	5.00pm Advisory Council Meeting
	23 rd	-	2.30pm End of Term 2
July	27 th	-	5.00pm Advisory Council Meeting
August	27 th	-	Dad's Golf Day
	31 st	-	5.00pm Advisory Council Meeting
October	19 th	-	5.00pm Advisory Council Meeting
November	23 rd	-	5.00pm Advisory Council Meeting
November	23 rd	-	5.00pm Advisory Council Meeting

PAT ON THE BACK

Foundation Mrs Patterson	Congratulations to <i>AYLIA PANE</i> for the wonderful work ethic she displays in class. Aylia is eager to commence her work and always open to learning and trying something new.
Foundation Miss Box	A big pat on the back to <i>MILLICENT NAISH</i> for the way she supports her classmates and is always happy to help. Thank you for being such a thoughtful member of our classroom.
Year 1/2 Mrs Nicoll	Congratulations to <i>ELIZA STAMP</i> for the positivity that she demonstrates towards learning. Eliza approaches new experiences and challenges with an open mind, asking questions to clarify her understanding when necessary. Well done, Eliza!
Year 1/2 Mr McDonald	Congratulations to <i>LUCAS PRESTIANNI</i> for his consistent effort in class. Lucas showed that he can focus diligently on each task and give his best effort. Keep up the good work super star!
Year 1/2 Mrs Bray	Congratulations to <i>MILA PANTLING</i> for her amazing positive attitude to all her learning tasks. Thank you, Mila, for being an amazing role model to your classmates for the way you listen, 'have a go' at your tasks and always achieve your best.
Year 1/2 Ms Carnovale	Congratulations to <i>MAX PATTERSON</i> for the excellent start he has had to term 2. Max continues to ask questions to clarify his learning and provides great ideas towards discussion. Keep up the excellent work Max!
Year 3/4 Ms Bordignon	Congratulations to <i>CASTOR SCANLAN</i> for being a considerate and thoughtful member of our class who consistently demonstrates respect for others. Keep it up, Castor.
Year 3/4 Ms Sirianni	Congratulations to <i>ELSA WINTER</i> for the respectful way in which she participates in all lessons and school activities. Elsa's kindness and consideration for others are wonderful qualities to have in our class. Thank you Elsa!
Year 3/4 Mrs Rizzo	A B-I-G pat on the back to <i>JAMES MCGENNISKEN</i> for the focus and positivity that he is demonstrating towards his learning. It is great to see you growing in confidence Jimmy. Keep it up!
Year 5/6 Miss Whitehead	A big pat on the back to <i>TRISTAN PERUZZO</i> for the wonderful way he has settled back into his learning after the school holidays. Tristan has a fantastic attitude and always tries his best. Keep up the great work Tristan!
Year 5/6 Mr Boyd	Congratulations to <i>SONNY GALES</i> for the excellent leadership and can-do attitude he displayed during the first week of our interschool sports. Sonny was excellent in guiding and including those playing football for the first time. Keep up the great work Sonny!
Year 5/6 Mrs Cassidy	Congratulations to <i>HARRISON O'BRIEN</i> for consistently displaying a positive attitude towards his learning. Harrison sets an example for others by continually giving his best, whilst also showing kindness and respect towards his peers and teachers. Keep up the great work Harrison!
Year 5/6 Mrs Ackerly	Congratulations to <i>CHARLOTTE MCMAHON</i> for the focus and commitment she regularly displays to all aspects of her learning. Charlotte is always focused and working towards self-improvement, keep it up!

Community Seminar
**BUILDING HAPPINESS
 & RESILIENCE IN YOUNG
 PEOPLE & THEIR FAMILIES**



Guest Speaker
**DR MICHAEL
 CARR-GREGG**

Warragatta
THURSDAY
 04-MAY-2023

Myrtleford
THURSDAY
 18-MAY-2023

Family Connections Through Art

CREATE AN ARTISTIC IMAGE OF YOUR
 FAMILY TREE WITH THE SUPPORT AND
 GUIDANCE OF LOCAL ARTIST *Lisa Bishop*

Warragatta
 TUESDAY 9TH MAY 2023 5.30PM

Myrtleford
 TUESDAY 16TH MAY 2023 7.30PM



PLACES ARE LIMITED, SO BOOK NOW & DON'T MISS OUT
 This is for young people aged 12-18yrs, & a parent,
 grandparent or other important adult in their life

Rhythmic Drumming Together

Connect and have fun through African Drumming



Warragatta 5.30pm - 7.30pm
Tuesday 23rd May 2023

Myrtleford 5.30pm - 7.30pm
Tuesday 6th June 2023

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 parent/grandparent or other important adult in their life
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nesay.com.au/upcoming-events
 (03) 5720 2201



All events are FREE - scan here for more:

