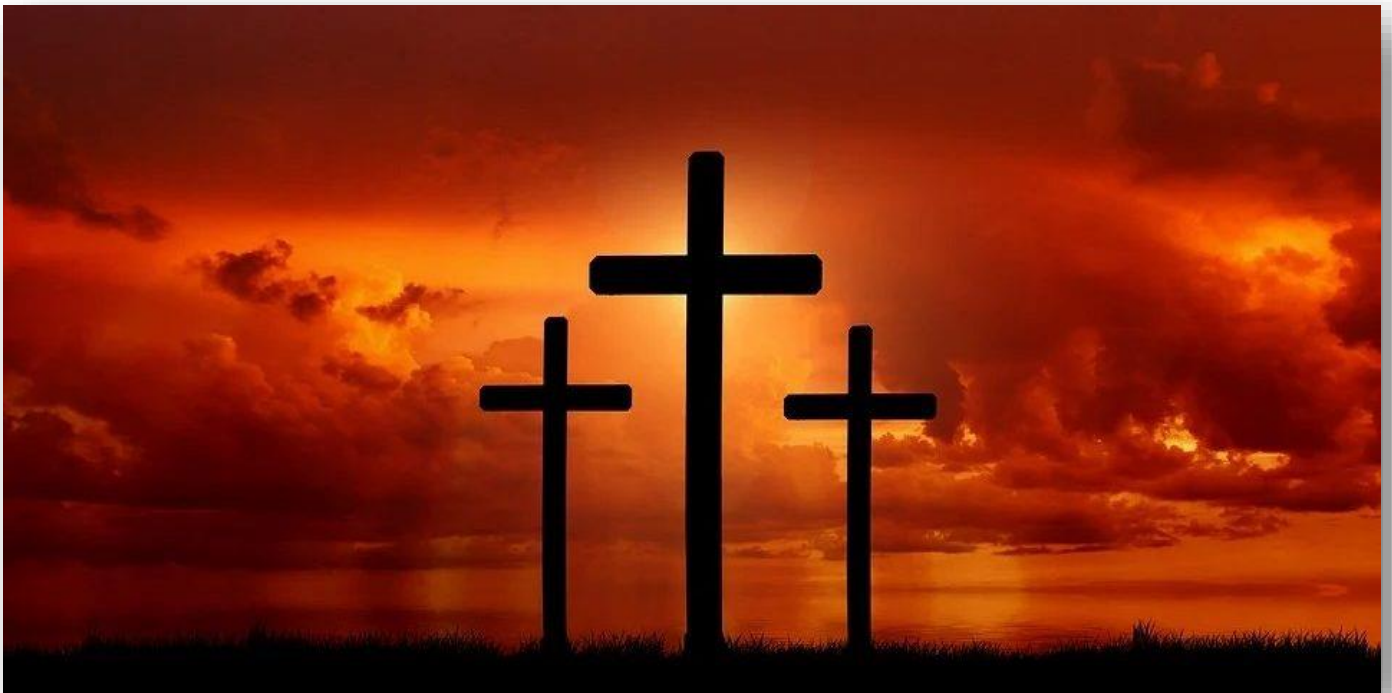




St Patrick's School Newsletter

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Email: principal@spwangaratta.catholic.edu.au
27th March 2024

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.



*Lord,
As we walk through Holy Week towards the cross, may
we remember the wonders of who you are.
Beyond sin, your love is inexhaustible,
Beyond brokenness your forgiveness is incomprehensible,
Beyond betrayal your grace is poured out eternally.*

Foundation Enrolments 2025



Families who have a child starting **Foundation in 2025** need to collect enrolment forms and make an appointment for an enrolment interview with the Principal **by the end April**. Enrolment packages are available at the office. Please do not leave this until it is too late.

Timetable for Tomorrow - THURSDAY 28TH MARCH

- *Stations of the Cross*



Stations of the Cross

Tomorrow, Thursday 28th March, we will be holding the Stations of the Cross under the shelter at 9.15am All are welcome to attend.

- *Hot Cross Buns*

All students will be treated to a yummy hot cross bun at recess.



- *Assembly and Easter Egg Raffle*



The Easter raffle will be drawn at **1.15pm** under the shelter.

Tickets are still available at the front office for those who have not yet bought any or would like more.

Thank you, Alison, for your wonderful expertise in wrapping the prizes. All are welcome to join us for the exciting draw.

- *End of Term Times*

Term 1 finishes at 2.25pm on Thursday 28th March.
There is no school on Friday 29th March as it is Good Friday.



Term 2 commences 15th April 2024

Sacraments of Confirmation and First Communion



The Sacraments of Confirmation and First Holy Communion will be celebrated in Term Two, Wednesday May 22nd, 2024 at St Patrick's Church Wangaratta. Students who participated in the Sacrament of Reconciliation in 2023, will soon receive a letter outlining details for the preparation sessions and other relevant information.

If your child has celebrated the Sacraments of Baptism and Reconciliation and would like to join last year's group of candidates, please email me at the following address:

jrinaldi@spwangeratta.catholic.edu.au

Thank you,
Janina Rinaldi (Religious Education Leader)

State Cricket Trials:



The school would like to congratulate Liam Solimo, Logan Benton and Riley Sessions for their efforts at last Friday's SSV State Cricket trials.

The boys represented our school beautifully and gained a lot of insight from the experience alone. We would also like to acknowledge the efforts their families made to get the boys to Mooroopna.

We would like to further congratulate Logan, as he advances to the second stage of the selections. Logan will now head to St Kilda Junction Oval on the 5th June. We wish him all the best with this process.

All in all, an amazing day - don't their faces say it all!

Positive Behaviour Certificates

Congratulations to the recipients of our Positive Behaviour Certificate:

Mila Roman, Rylie Houghton, Abigael Nevinson, Tommaso Arcuri, Max Turner, Shanna Dagoli, Zayden Dyson, Oliver Robinson, Xavier Overberg, Max O'Keefe, Josephine Kilby, Ayla Kelly, Stella Jarman, Franklin Fletcher, Hudson Matheson, Matilda Moir, Evie Giglio and Oliver Pozzobon.



Attendance Matters



Attendance Matters

• better health • better future • better outcomes

Human Beings are Social Creatures

Let school help your young person

- flourish
- thrive
- connect
- conquer

Open Afternoon – Today Wednesday 27th March



CELEBRATION OF LEARNING

FAMILIES ARE INVITED TO ATTEND THEIR
CHILD'S OPEN CLASSROOM.

DATE: WEDNESDAY 27TH MARCH
TIME: 3:00 PM - 3:40 PM

SEE YOU THERE!

March on Challenge

Hi,

This month, I'm taking part in the March On challenge and walking 96km to support our Veterans and their families. Right now, our Veterans aged between 25 - 44 are 2.7 times more at risk of suicide than other members of our community.

So, I'm taking on this challenge to fund Soldier On's life-saving mental health services and programs to help prevent veteran suicide and save lives.

For today only, ALL donations will be MATCHED by a generous supporter, up to \$100,000!

So please sponsor my 96km challenge and your donation will be DOUBLED!

Click below to view my fundraising page and make a donation:

<https://www.marchonchallenge.org.au/fundraisers/philipbright>

Together, we will show our brave heroes that they will never be forgotten.

Thank you,
Philip Bright



Lost Property



We have a large number of items in lost property that have been collected over the term.

It is important that all lost property be collected by the end of the term. Any unnamed items not collected will be transferred to the second-hand uniform shop.

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER Weekend “Live Your Best Married Life in Love”

Every relationship is a journey and the grind of everyday life can cause you to lose touch with your spouse. This experience gives married couples the tools to keep your passion alive in a gentle, nurturing environment, away from pressures and distractions of daily living.

The weekend is based around Catholic values and couples of all faiths are welcome. Please check our website for more details.

12-14 April 2024 in Melbourne

Information/Bookings: Phone Mercy & James 0409 183 676 or

Email: vicbookings@wwme.org.au Website: wwme.org.au

LAST WEEK LAST OPPROTUNITY



PARENTS AND FRIENDS BULB FUNDRAISER

The P&F are holding a Bulb Fundraiser with 40% of sales going directly to our school. Please support the school to buy new resources for the students. All orders are placed directly through the Tesselaar website on the link below:

www.bulbfundraiser.com.au/STPATRICKSPS

Please have your orders placed by Thursday 28th March 2024.

Any questions please call Jo Hourigan 0417 437 817.

CSEF

Families would have received an email regarding Camps Sports and Excursion Funding.

If you hold a Health Care Card (HCC) or a Pension Card, you will be eligible to receive this additional funding. The school requires a copy of the card to process this.

Change of Emails / Addresses / Phone Numbers

Could families please inform the school if they have changed their mobile number, address or email. It is vital that the school has the most up to date information, to enable us to contact you when needed.

PAM can still be accessed by this website:



<https://pam.spwangeratta.catholic.edu.au/Login/Default.aspx?ReturnUrl=%2f>

or via the SIMON Everywhere App.

Facebook



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

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

Mass Times – see attached flyer regarding Easter 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)

Facebook Page: catholicparishesofwangaratta

Gabby

DATES TO REMEMBER

March	27 th	-	3.00pm – 3.40pm Open Afternoon
	28 th	-	9.15am Stations of the Cross
	28 th	-	1.15pm Easter Egg Raffle
	28 th	-	2.25pm End of Term
	29 th	-	Good Friday
April	15 th	-	9.00am Term 2 resumes
	25 th	-	ANZAC Day – Public Holiday
May	22 nd	-	Confirmation and First Communion

PAT ON THE BACK

Foundation Mrs Patterson	Congratulations to FRANKIE STIRLING for the inclusivity that she consistently demonstrates both in the classroom and on the playground. Frankie is always happy to work and play with someone new.
Foundation Mrs Bray	Congratulations to HOPE STANTON for her amazing writing. Hope, we are so proud of the way you are listening, settling and writing down all your ideas. Keep it up, Super Star!
Year 1/2 Mrs Nicoll	Congratulations to FINN CORNISH for the extra time and effort that he has put into developing his handwriting. All your hard work is paying off Finn - well done!
Year 1/2 Mr McDonald	Congratulations to OLIVER ROBINSON for his positive behaviour. Oliver has shown that he can consistently make good choices within and outside his classroom. Well done, Oliver.
Year 1/2 Ms Box	Congratulations to ETHAN SMITH for the positive and enthusiastic way he approaches learning tasks. Ethan has actively been applying feedback to improve his work. Well done Ethan!
Year 3/4 Mrs Rickard	A Big Pat on the Back to ELI CASSIDY . We will miss you in 3/4 Rickard and at St Patrick's but we can't wait to hear about your new school. Keep being you, Eli, and all the best for your new adventure.
Year 3/4 Ms Rinaldi	Congratulations to ANA HACK for engaging so enthusiastically in every aspect of the 3/4 excursion to Echuca. Ana demonstrated exemplary listening and participation.
Year 3/4 Ms Sirianni	Congratulations to HANNAH JOYCE for the way she strives for excellence within school. Hannah is always working hard to finish tasks in good time and demonstrate that she is a great role model. Well done Hannah!
Year 3/4 Mrs Rizzo	A B-I-G pat on the back to SPENCER LINGHAM for his 'can do' attitude with all his learning tasks. Spencer always gives 110% and accepts challenges with positivity and enthusiasm. Love it Spencer, keep it up!!
Year 5/6 Miss Whitehead	A big pat on the back to EVIE FISCHER and CHARLOTTE MCMAHON for the excellent work they did on their 'How fast can you walk?' Maths's task. Evie and Charlotte worked hard to calculate the speed they walk in km per hour. Keep up the great work!
Year 5/6 Mr Boyd	Congratulations to MASON DAVERN, FRANKLIN FLETCHER, CHARLIE MATHESON, AYL KELLY and MAX O'KEEFE for the excellent work they have done on all of this term's homework tasks. Keep up the excellent work!
Year 5/6 Mrs Cassidy	Congratulations to RAFF LYSTER for the exceptional problem solving he demonstrated during our maths investigation, 'How fast can you walk?' Raff created his own formula to work out how to calculate his foot speed in km per hour then calculate how long it would take him to walk a certain distance and the foot speed of 'Mr Google'. Keep up the great work Raff!!!
Year 5/6 Mrs Ackerly	Congratulations to LUCY MALCOLM for the outstanding contribution she made during our Journey to Discovery creative arts project. Lucy took the lead in the group and helped to present an engaging performance about the 'evolution of music'. Well done!



CATHOLIC PARISHES
OF
WANGARATTA

EASTER SERVICES 2024

HOLY THURSDAY 28th March 2024

ST PATRICK'S - 6.00pm

OUR LADY'S - 7.00pm

GOOD FRIDAY 29th March 2024

ST PATRICK'S

2.00pm—Stations of the Cross

3.00pm—The Passion of the Lord

OUR LADY'S

9.00am—Stations of the Cross

3.00pm—The Passion of the Lord

SATURDAY — THE EASTER VIGIL – 30th March 2024

ST PATRICK'S - 6.00pm

OUR LADY'S - 7.00pm

EASTER SUNDAY—31st March 2024

ST PATRICK'S - 8.00am 10.30am 5.00pm

OUR LADY'S - 9.00am

MOYHU - 10.00am



SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAMS

Join our passionate & experienced team during the school holidays, we guarantee a safe and secure environment supported by excellent staff. Our Multi - Sports holiday programs cater for children aged 5 - 14 working in age-appropriate groups. Our standard days run from 9am - 3pm with early drop offs available from 8am.

BOOK TODAY!

Contact Phone:

0400 615 145

More Information:

www.skillzonesports.com

LOCATIONS

- SHEPPARTON (Visy community Centre)
(April - 2nd,3rd,4th,9th,10th,11th)
- YARRAWONGA (Yarrowonga P-12 ECA)
(April - 2nd,3rd,4th,9th,10th,11th)
- WANGARATTA (Cathedral College)
(April - 2nd,3rd,4th,9th,10th,11th)
- COBRAM (Cobram Sports Stadium)
(April - 2nd,3rd,4th,5th,8th,9th,10th,11th,12th)

WHAT TO BRING

- Packed recess & Lunch
- refillable water bottle
- suitable indoor footwear
- appropriate active wear



admin@skillzonesports.com



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Training starts
Wednesday 13
March 2024
at 5pm

JUNIOR BASEBALL

Winter 2024 Competition



Targoora Park
Wangaratta Whitfield Road,
Wangaratta VIC 3677



Find out more
Call Nathan on 0492973419



Season Commences

Sunday 21 April 2024

COME PLAY FOOTBALL!

JOIN THE WANGARATTA FEMALE ROVERS

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN PLAYING FOOTBALL?

ALL SKILLS AND ABILITIES WELCOME.

CHECK OUR FACEBOOK PAGE FOR TRAINING TIMES AND LOCATIONS

UNDER 12S AND UNDER 14S -
CONTACT BRON 0408 522 001

UNDER 17S - CONTACT JESS 0405 992 392
OR CELIA 0408 801 292



Wangaratta Rovers Female Football Club



YMCA St Patricks Wangaratta

Autumn

School Holiday Program

Week 1 1-5 April 2024

Monday 1 April
Public Holiday

Tuesday 2 April
Mad Science Day

Wednesday 3 April
Choose Your Own Adventure

Thursday 4 April
Bunnings Gardening Day

Friday 5 April
Incursion: Cartooning

Week 2 8-12 April 2024

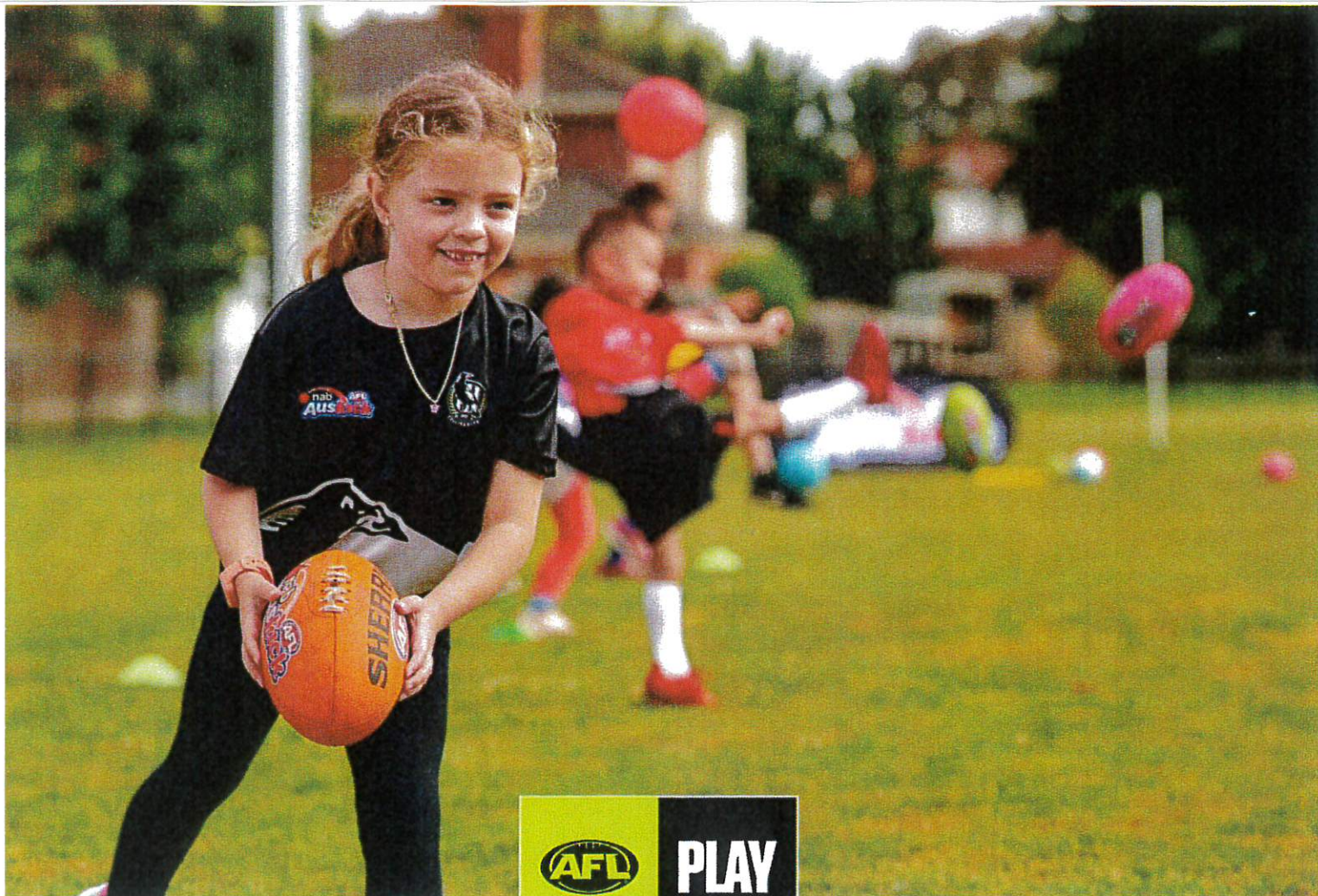
Monday 8 April
Kids in the Kitchen

Tuesday 9 April
Choose Your Adventure

Wednesday 10 April
Excursion Wangaratta Cinema's
KUNG FU PANDA 4

Thursday 11 April
Artamania

Friday 12 April
Incursion: Modelmaking



COME & PLAY

NAB AFL Auskick offers game - based activities kids love, learning is disguised as playing. You don't need Aussie Rules experience - Children can start Auskick in the calendar year they turn 5!

Where

HP BARR RESERVE WANGARATTA

Date & Time

**5TH APRIL 2024
10:00AM - 11:00AM**

SCAN TO REGISTER



Contact:

stacey.carkeek@afl.com.au