



St Patrick's School Newsletter

Ovens St, Wangaratta, Vic 3677 Phone: (03) 5721 5795
Email: principal@spwangaratta.catholic.edu.au
11th September, 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,
You said, "I came that they may have life,
and have it abundantly (John 10:10)."
We are called - to love; to care for one another;
to include one another
and remind one another of each and everyone's
priceless value as being made in the image and likeness
of our God.
We pray that all are OK.*

RUOK



It is so valuable to inquire about well-being regularly because life presents challenges every day.

So much can transpire over the course of a year, month, or even week. Those you care about—be it friends, family, colleagues, partners, or teammates—experience both highs and lows constantly.

Engaging in regular and meaningful conversations fosters trust and normalises discussions about personal struggles. This creates an environment where individuals feel comfortable reaching out to you when they are facing difficulties.

While R U OK? Day on Thursday, September 12, serves as our National Day of Action, we encourage you to initiate the conversation any day of the year. Remember, a simple conversation can have a profound impact on someone's life.

Athletics

We had the most successful and enjoyable day on Friday, as years 3-6 students participated in their Athletics Carnival for the first time in four years. Students participated with great enthusiasm and encouragingly cheered their house mates on.

Congratulations to Galen House for bringing home the trophy. Lots more photos of the day can be viewed on our Facebook page.







Dear St. Patrick's Community,

We are pleased to announce we are preparing the annual Christmas Raffle. If you are able to contribute to this raffle, kindly send your donations to Helen Lyons at school or drop them off at the front office.

We look forward to supporting families this holiday season and making their Christmas a little brighter.

Thank you for your generosity.



PAM can still be accessed by this website:

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

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



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

September	9 th	-	Dental Van
	20 th	-	Footy Colours/Pie Day
	20 th	-	2.25pm End of Term 3
October	7 th	-	9.00am Term 4 Commences
November	4 th	-	Pupil Free Day – Professional Development
	5 th	-	Melbourne Cup Holiday
	13 th	-	9.30 – 11.00am Foundation Transition Day
	18 th - 22 nd	-	Year 3 – 6's Swimming Program
	21 st	-	9.30 – 11.00am Foundation Transition Day
	25 th	-	Pupil Free Day – Curriculum Planning Day 2025
	26 th	-	9.30 – 12.00pm Foundation Transition Day
27 th - 29 th	-	Years 5/6 Camp	
December	2 nd – 6 th	-	F-2 Swimming Program
	3 rd	-	Parent & Children 'Afternoon Play & Connect' Optional
	10 th	-	9.30 – 12.30pm State-wide Transition Day



COME AND TRY DAY

Date: Friday 13th September

Time: 4.30-5.30pm

Location: Barr 2 Oval and Cricket Nets, Park Lane, Wangaratta.

Come along and see what cricket is all about.

For anyone interested in joining our Cricket Blast Program or Junior Cricket teams.

Ages 5—16

New and existing club players welcome.

Contact - Bec Feldtmann

Junior Coordinator, 0418640152

Email - citycoltscricketclub@gmail.com

website - <http://citycoltsc.com.au>



Learn more



PAT ON THE BACK

Foundation Mrs Patterson	Congratulations to PATRICK CONNOR for the amazing growth he has shown towards his speech development this year. Patrick has now graduated from speech sessions due to his dedication and regular practice both at home and school. Fantastic Pat!
Foundation Mrs Bray	Congratulations to ALICE KITTELTY for the way she takes on challenges in her learning - always with a smile. Thank you Alice, for working like a Super Star!
Year 1/2 Mrs Nicoll	Congratulations to XAVIER KREMNEFF for the development that he has demonstrated with respect to telling the time to the half hour using both an analogue and a digital clock. Xavier is currently focusing on consolidating his understanding of time at quarter intervals.
Year 1/2 Mr McDonald	Congratulations to EDWARD HUNTER for his amazing work in Mathematics. Edward has learnt and applied his understanding of partitioning multiplication equations. Keep it up superstar!
Year 1/2 Ms Box	Congratulations to LIA TEKESIC for the fluency and expression she has been using when reading. It is a pleasure to listen to you read. Well done Lia!
Year 3/4 Mrs Rickard	A Big Pat on the Back to MADDIE HERNAN for the positive way she approaches all of her learning in class. Maddie is always eager and ready to start each lesson and happy to work both independently and with a partner to achieve fantastic results. Keep up the fantastic work Maddie, you're a SUPERSTAR.
Year 3/4 Ms Rinaldi	Congratulations to CHESTER MOSS for using effective strategies to always ensure he is focused on his learning and giving his best in the classroom.
Year 3/4 Mrs Hernan	Congratulations to FLETCHER GOODEY for the positivity that he shows towards his learning. Fletcher confidently attempts all learning tasks with a can-do attitude. Keep up the excellent work Fletcher.
Year 3/4 Mrs Rizzo	A B-I-G pat on the back to CHARLIE McKELVIE for the confidence and effort he is displaying during his English and Maths activities. Charlie is working more independently and staying focused to complete tasks. Love it Charlie. Keep up the great work!!
Year 5/6 Ms Whitehead	A big pat on the back to EVIE FISCHER for the excellent work she has been doing on her poem about nature. Evie has used great personification and alliteration to engage her reader. Keep up the great work Evie!
Year 5/6 Mr Boyd	Congratulations to OLIVER ROBINSON for his enthusiastic attitude towards all tasks. Oliver gives everything a go and is always smiling and encouraging his peers. Keep up the great work Oliver!
Year 5/6 Ms Noble	Congratulations to MILLA CHANDLER for her outstanding integrity and commitment to always doing what is right. Milla approached the excursion to Bullawah and Mullinmur with sincere respect and seriousness, reflecting her deep understanding and appreciation of the experience. As Delaney House Leader, she is truly an exceptional role model. Well done, Milla!
Year 5/6 Mrs Ackerly	Congratulations to SAXON LAWFORD for the exceptional sketching he did during our reflection time at Mullinmur Billabong. When we returned to school he took the time to learn Yorta Yorta words to match to his drawings. Well done Saxon!



ST. PATRICK'S SCHOOL FOUNDATION 2025 TRANSITION INFORMATION

VISIT 1

WEDNESDAY 13TH NOVEMBER

TIME: 9:30-11:00

Students will participate in:

- Indoor & Outdoor Activities
- Fruit/Vegetable Break

Parents are invited to join their child in the Foundation rooms for the first 10 minutes, you are then invited for morning tea in our school hall, a chat and an introduction to St Patrick's with our Principal. Parents will also be given a story book about our school to read together with their child to help prepare for school. This is also an opportunity to meet members of our school community.

VISIT 2

THURSDAY 21ST NOVEMBER

TIME: 9:30 TO 11 AM

Students will participate in:

- Literacy & Numeracy Activities
- Fruit/Vegetable Break
- Physical Education

Please provide your child with a piece or small container of **fruit and water bottle** (water only).

We ask that you leave your child to experience school independently for this session.

VISIT 3

TUESDAY 26TH NOVEMBER

TIME: 9:30 TO 12PM

Students will participate in:

- Literacy & Numeracy Activities
- Meet Year Six Buddy
- Recess

Please provide your child with a **healthy play lunch, water bottle (water only) and broad brimmed hat** on this day.

We ask that you leave your child to experience school independently for this session.

PARENT INFORMATION EVENING

DATE: 26th NOVEMBER

TIME: 6-7pm **Foundation Classrooms**

Parents are highly encouraged to attend this information session. It will cover important dates, communication channels and uniform information.

STATEWIDE TRANSITION DAY

TUESDAY 10TH DECEMBER

TIME: 9:30 TO 12.30PM

Students will participate in:

- Literacy & Numeracy Activities
- Year 6 Buddy Activity
- Art - Christmas Art
- Religion
- Recess

Please provide your child with a **healthy play lunch, water bottle (water only) and broad brimmed hat** on this day.

We ask that you leave your child to experience school independently for this session.

PARENT AND CHILDREN 'AFTERNOON PLAY AND CONNECT'

WHERE: AT THE SCHOOL PLAYGROUND

DATE: TUESDAY THE 3RD DECEMBER

TIME: 3.40PM - 4.15PM

NOT COMPULSORY

Parents and children are to enter via to the Owen's Street pedestrian gate for each transition visit.
A staff member will greet you and show you to the Foundation rooms.

Footy Colours Day

Wear your team colours

✦ Friday 20th September ✦



WANGARATTA MAGPIES



**AGES 5-10 YEARS OLD
\$75 PER CHILD**

**FRIDAYS 5.30PM
CATHEDRAL COLLEGE OVAL**

Each registered participant receives a
Woolworths Cricket Blast pack!

Sessions will commence Fri 25th Oct- Fri 6th Dec
(7 weeks), break for Christmas/school holidays and then return
Fri 7th Feb- Fri 28th Feb (4 weeks)

Register at: www.playhq.com/cricket-australia/register/f9a7ec



Market in the Hall

We're looking for stallholders to help us celebrate Spring in St Patrick's Hall with our upcoming September market.



Sunday September 22nd
9 a.m. - 1 p.m.
St Patrick's Hall, Ford St
Wangaratta
3mx3m stall \$20



email: marketsinthehall@outlook.com
with your details and type of stall

So all stall holders have a successful day, we will be trying to avoid stall product double ups.



PROUDLY RUN BY AL'S SKATE CO



20 24



ROUND 10 WANGARATTA SKATE PARK SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 15TH

REGISTRATION & WARM UP 10:30AM
COMPETITION STARTING 11:00AM

ALL AGES EVENT



ALL EVENTS ARE DRUG, ALCOHOL, SMOKE & VAPE FREE

INFO: @ALSSKATECO @ALSSKATECO



Rural City of Wangaratta



INDIGO SHIRE COUNCIL

towongshire



INFO: @ALSSKATECO @ALSSKATECO

NORTH EAST SKATE PARK SERIES PART 2

- ROUND 9 - BEECHWORTH SKATE PARK - SAT 7TH SEPTEMBER
- ROUND 10 - WANGARATTA, MITCHELL AVE - SUN 15TH SEPTEMBER
- ROUND 11 - COBRAM SKATE PARK - SUN 22ND SEPTEMBER
- ROUND 12 - BENALLA SKATE PARK - SAT 12TH OCTOBER
- ROUND 13 - YEA SKATE PARK - SUN 13TH OCTOBER
- ROUND 14 - CORRYONG SKATE PARK - SAT 26TH OCTOBER
- ROUND 15 - MT BEAUTY SKATE PARK - SAT 2ND NOVEMBER
- ROUND 16 - SERIES FINAL - ALS SKATE CO - SUN 17TH NOVEMBER

PROUDLY RUN BY AL'S SKATE CO



ALL AGES EVENT
ALL EVENTS ARE DRUG, ALCOHOL, SMOKE & VAPE FREE



PROUDLY RUN BY
AL'S SKATE CO



20



24

ALL AGES EVENT

ALL EVENTS ARE DRUG, ALCOHOL, SMOKE & VAPE FREE

INFO: @ALSSKATECO @ALSSKATECO



towongshire



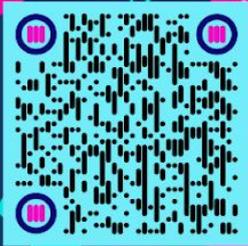
NORTHEAST BATTLE OF THE BANDS

2024

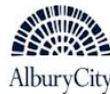


WANGARATTA

THE VINE
SUNDAY 20 OCTOBER
2-5PM
ALL AGES



GET TICKETS HERE



NO ALCOHOL, DRUGS, SMOKING OR VAPING | NO PASS OUTS