



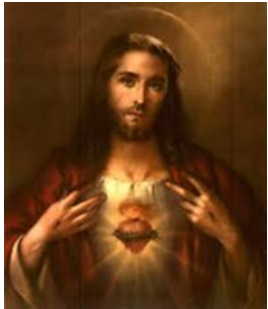
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O Sacred Heart of Jesus, I place my trust in You. Help us nurture, respect and be valued as children of your heart. Help us reach our full potential and be recognised as individuals using our God given gifts. O Sacred Heart of Jesus pray for us. Amen

*Term 2
Week 5
30/05/18*

Dear Parents,

Please keep in your prayers the following students who will be making their Holy Communion on Saturday evening:

Grace Corbett	Jed Corbett	Matong
Brock Harris	Zac McPherson	Gabrielle Walsh
Adeline Plane	Chloe Tonacia	Julia Walsh

Thank you to Father Darlow, Mrs Guthrie and Mrs Sase for the time they have put into preparation of the students both in and out of school time. All members of the St Brendan's community are invited to attend what will be a lovely ceremony followed by supper over at school.

Thank you to Matt Hatty and Greg Petrie who have accepted the formal positions of Chairman and Secretary of our school council. We greatly appreciate the time the members of the school council give up to attend meetings and ensure that our school runs smoothly and issues are addressed.

I took the opportunity on Monday to travel on the bus with Greg and the students. I was most impressed by the behaviour of all students and the manners in which they display and the friendly greetings they give Greg. It is most positive that our students understand the importance of being strong representatives of St Brendan's in and out of the classroom.

Our Stage 3 students will travel to Mater Dei Primary school on Thursday to participate in Year of Youth celebrations with students from schools in Wagga and the Country Deanery. They will be joined by musician and gospel singer John Angotti who has travelled from America to participate in events across the diocese. Students will thoroughly enjoy this event and the opportunity to join with other youth in music, song and prayer.

Our students are fortunate to get to participate in a number of events outside of St Brendan's. To date we have had sporting carnivals, musical performances and religious events to name a few. We provide a well-rounded and balanced education for our students and these occasions add to the educational experience for our students.

Thank you to the parents who had prepared the canteen for the Country Deanery Athletics carnival. Sorry your efforts were in vain due to Mother Nature. The carnival will be held on Friday and will be combined with the City Deanery. The first event will commence at 9:15am and all students will need to be at Jubilee Park by 9:00am. St Brendan's will not be required to run the canteen on Friday.

God Bless
Paul

Reading Culture award

Congratulations to the Coolamon Central School Journalism Club for winning a 'Reading Culture Award' from the Riverina Regional Library. This award is for their contribution to enriching the lives of people in the Coolamon community through their creation of the Coolamon Community Chronicle.

Storytime

Our next Storytime session will be held Friday 8th June @ 10.30am, theme - "Colours". Come and join us - new families are most welcomed to attend.

Lego

Lego club has commenced, come and join us every Wednesday afternoon at 4.00pm - 5.00pm. Also at the Library every Saturday morning from 10.30am - 11.30am. Everyone is most welcome to attend.

Premier's Reading Challenge

The library has a variety of NSW Premier's Reading Challenge books available for students to borrow for those participating. The books have been sorted into their different levels to make it easy for students. This challenge aims to encourage a love of reading for leisure and pleasure, phone the library for further details.

**Maths Information for Week 5!
Twelve Steps To Increase Your
Child's Math Achievement
And Make Math Fun**



4. Encourage children to work on problems that are challenging for them,

so that they can make mistakes. We know that it is really important for students to

take risks, engage in 'productive struggle,' and make mistakes

In a study participants took math problems that they all solved correctly. Half of the participants were praised for being "smart" and half for "working hard." When offered a choice of a follow up problem that was easy or hard, 90% of the participants praised for being smart chose the easy problem, whereas most of those who were praised for working hard chose the harder problem. This tells us that the praise we give children has an immediate effect on them.

Respectful & Responsible

Learners

Thursday 28 June 2018

TRY SFC FOR A DAY

Current Year 6 and prospective Years 7-11 students are invited to come along and

TRY SFC FOR A DAY on Thursday 28 June

Parents may bring their child/children to the College Library (building nearest the Oval) at 9.30am and return at 2.30pm to collect them from the College Library at the conclusion of the day.

Students will experience what it's like to be a St Francis Student for a day.

Students are to wear their current School's Sports Uniform and to bring a water bottle and their recess. A Free Sausage Sizzle for lunch will be provided.

Day will commence at 9.30am and conclude at 2.30pm

Meet the Principal, Assistant Principal, 2019 Year Leader, College Captains, Students & Teachers

Students will learn about Science, Music, Food Tech, Art, PD/Health/PE, Industrial Technologies, Media, Languages, Drama, Maths and much more!

If you wish your child to attend SFC for a Day please RSVP by phoning 02 6953 3622 or email

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Join us for "Afternoon Teal"!

To raise awareness and funds to support women and their families affected by ovarian cancer

Afternoon Teal will be held on

2nd June 2pm-4pm

at **Ganmain Bowling Club**

All funds raised will be donated to Ovarian Cancer Australia. Please give generously.

Teal is the international colour representing ovarian cancer.

There is no entry fee/charge for anyone. Please bring your own refreshments.

Refreshments available for purchase. Unrestricted alcohol or other items. Refreshments available for purchase. Refreshments available for purchase.

Visit www.ovariancancer.net.au or call 1300 660 334

Hot dogs will be available for lunch again tomorrow. \$2 each

School ties are now available at the Uniform shop. A tie in a compulsory part of the boys winter uniform.

Awards Week 4



Principal Award

Owen Plane

Displaying a positive attitude towards school.

K/1/2

Tex Symons

Working Independently & staying on task in writing.

Joe Dennis

A positive attitude to all Class activities this week.

3/4/5/6

Josh Guthrie

Excellent improvement & dramatic skills displayed during our History sessions.

Summer Griffiths

Her excellent effort with written & oral literacy skills.

Deanery Athletics

Deanery Athletics - Friday 1st June

The Deanery carnival will now be held this Friday. St Brendan's will not be running the canteen as we are combining with Wagga city and Sacred Heart will be running it.

As this is short notice we ask if you are unable to transport your child please make alternative arrangement to enable your child to attend.

Students are asked to be at the Carnival by 9.00am with the first event at 9.15am.

Symons	Tex	Taylor	Sam
Sase	Anna, Jed	Patterson	Nik
Dennis	Nick	Smith	Charlie, Bella, Lacey,
McPherson	Lana, Zac	Griffiths	Summer
Hatty	Noah, Lucas, Oscar	Harris	Dallas
Corbett	Grace,	Guthrie	Joshua
No transport	Aidan, Ella		

2018 Important dates

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
21 Week 4	22	23	24	25 Netball clinic @ school	
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday JUNE	
28 Week 5 School council meeting @ 6.30pm	29	30	31 MDPS Year of Youth concert Yrs 5 & 6	1 Deanery Athletics Carnival	2 First Communion
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
4 Week 6	5	6	7	8 Mass @10am	
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
11 Week 7 Public holiday Long weekend	12	13	14	15	
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
18 Week 8	19	20	21	22	
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
25 Week 9	26	27	28	29	
Monday JULY	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
2 Week 10	3	4	5	6 End of Term 2 Mass @ 10am	