



# St Peter Apostle Catholic Primary School

Learn, relate and live in the light of the Catholic faith.

Term 2 - Week 9B

13th June 2024

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Dear Families,

As we near the end of another term, I want to take a moment to express my gratitude for your continuous support and involvement in our school community. This term has been filled with learning, growth, and wonderful memories. Our students have shown remarkable progress, and it's been a pleasure to witness their enthusiasm and dedication.

Next week our Year Five students prepare to embark on an exciting camp adventure to Sovereign Hill. This camp is a wonderful opportunity to learn new things and make lasting memories. I encourage all students to support their classmates and work together. Teamwork is key to making camp a fun and successful experience for everyone.

Over the next few weeks there will be many great things happening. We will be having drama performances which the students have been working very hard on with Miss Joyce. Please remember to check viewing times if your child is involved. Those students who made it into the next round of Cross Country will also compete. We wish all students well in these events.

It has been really fantastic to see many people attending Community Hub. There have been English classes, cooking and storytime all happening. Everyone is welcome, so please continue to come along.

Thank you to all for their patience with the road works that are happening outside our school. Hopefully this will be finished soon and we can continue on as normal. Please remember if you are walking your students to your car, to use the crossings in the carpark. Your assistance with this will be greatly appreciated.

We are looking forward to a great end of term and will celebrate the Feast of St. Peter Apostle. Please remember to send back your subway order if you have not already done so.

Regards

*Karen Wilson*

Principal



## Dates to Remember - 2024

### Term 2

14th June	Friday	Year 4 - Assembly
16th June	Sunday	First Eucharist - 10.15am - Grade 4
18th - 19th June	Tues - Wed	Camp - Year 5 Teeth On wheels forms due back
20th June	Thursday	Regional Cross Country
28th June	Friday	Last day of Term 2 - <b>1.00pm finish</b> CSEF Applications Close St Peter Feast Day - Casual dress day

### Term 3

15th July	Monday	Term 3 Commences Teeth on Wheels commence
2nd August	Friday	Wakakirri Performing Arts Eisteddfod
9th August	Friday	Year 2 Assembly
<b>26th August</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>School Closure Day</b>
6th September	Friday	Year 5 Assembly
18th September	Wednesday	Last day of Term 3- <b>students finish at 1.00pm</b>

### Term 4

7th October	Monday	Term 4 Commences
25th October	Friday	Year 6 Assembly
<b>4th November</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>School Closure day</b>
<b>5th November</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Melbourne Cup Day - No School</b>
<b>18th November</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>School Closure Day</b>
29th November	Friday	Prep Assembly

# EXCITING NEWS

## Teeth on Wheels will be visiting our School!



At Teeth On Wheels, we provide the highest quality dental treatment while making it fun, positive and memorable for children.

With the help of the government your child might be eligible for **FREE** dental care.

Our dental services include:

- ✓ Check-ups
- ✓ Oral Health Education
- ✓ Scale, Clean & Fluoride Treatments
- ✓ Fissure Sealants
- ✓ X-rays
- ✓ Fillings
- ✓ Extractions



**CLICK OR SCAN THE QR CODE TO COMPLETE YOUR FORM**



TeethOnWheelsAustralia



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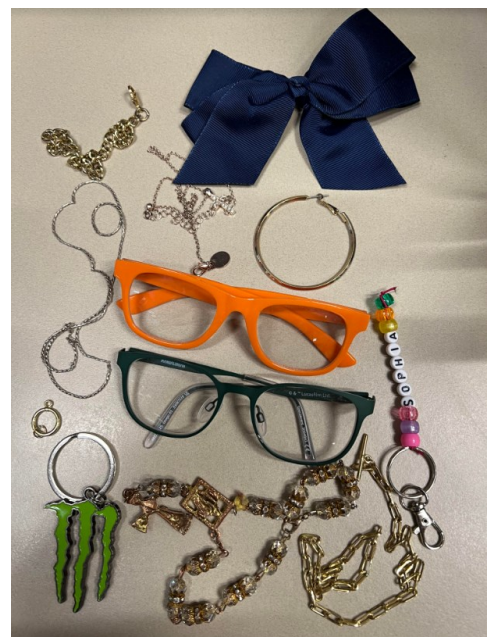
**Click the link below to sign your child up - IT MIGHT BE FREE!**

<https://teethonwheels.com.au/consent-forms/consent->

## Lost Property

We have a number of items in our Lost Property for more information where to find Lost Property [click here](#)

We also have a number of smaller items as per picture these items can be collected from the school office.



# Wellbeing NEWS

Welcome to St. Peter's Wellbeing Newsletter Page. The Wellbeing Team aims to share information and resources to support student wellbeing and child safety, with the school community, in our fortnightly newsletter.

"Promise me you'll always remember — you're braver than you believe, and stronger than you seem, and smarter than you think." - Christopher Robin from Winnie the Pooh



## STUDENT WELLBEING

Last week all our students participated in an Understanding Bullying Incursion to expand their knowledge of what bullying is and what it isn't. Whilst we received mixed responses from our student feedback survey, we would like to share some of their feedback that shows their learnings.

"If you repeat a behaviour that someone doesn't like, it is bullying. Bullying can be physical (kicking, pushing, hitting), saying mean words, breaking other people's property on purpose, shouting at others, excluding people from games. I learned what it is to be an 'upstander' by asking if someone is ok and trying to stop the bully."

"People shouldn't be bullied for liking different things."

"There are 4 types of bullying- physical, verbally, cyber and mental"

"If you see someone being bullied at school, tell a teacher."

"Bullying is mean and hurts others."

"An up-stander will help people who is being bullied and will protect you from a bully - bystanders don't help."

## CHILD SAFETY

"We are all responsible for our children's safety and wellbeing"

St Peter's Victorian Child Safe Standards Plain Language Summary demonstrates our commitment to Child safety and wellbeing. Please find attached the St Peter's summary of the 11 Child Safety Standards.

[St Peter's Victorian Child Safe Standards Plain Language Summary.pdf](#)



kidshelpline  
Anytime | Any Reason

1800 55 1800

The Kids Helpline is a free counselling service for children and young adults 5 -25 years.

Kids Helpline has a range of support for parents too. <https://kidshelpline.com.au/parents>

Parentline 13 22 89

Mental Health Victoria



MentalHealth  
Victoria

Mental Health Victoria is not a crisis support or referral service. However, useful links and contact details can be found below. If your safety or the safety of others is at risk, contact emergency services on 000 (24 hours).

If you need an interpreter to help speak with any of the below services, please call the Translating and Interpreting Service (TIS National) on 131 450.

## 2nd Hand Uniform Dates

Located in the meeting room between school office and church.

Open Times - 8:15am to 9:30am - Friday

### Term 2 - 2024

June - 14th

### Term 3 - 2024

July - 19th

August - 2nd, 16th & 30th

September - 13th



## Catholic Secondary School Enrolments

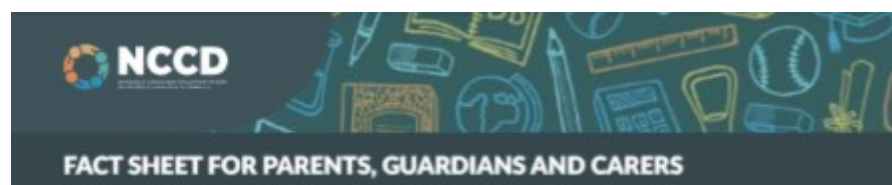
### Enrolments to Catholic Secondary Schools 2025

If you intend to send your child to a Catholic Secondary School and have not already enrolled them, Enrolments have now closed . We strongly encourage you to contact the secondary school as soon as possible.

### Year 5 Students in 2024 - Starting Year 7 in 2026

If you intend to send your child to a Catholic Secondary School applications for students Year 7 in 2026 will open on **Monday 29th January 2024** and applications will close on **Friday 16th August 2024**.

## NCCD Fact Sheet



To view the NCCD fact sheet please [Click here](#)



# St Peter's Community Hub News

## Next Cooking Workshops

Thursday 20th June and Thursday 27th June



## Seesaw

If anyone needs any help signing into our new Seesaw app please come to the Community Hub Friday 14th June between 9-10 am. Mrs Work will be able to support you.



Seesaw

## Refugee Week 16th-22nd June 2024

In 2024, we shine a light on the bonds created throughout the refugee journey which have the power to transcend borders and create profound long-lasting relationships that can change lives. The resilience of families torn apart by conflict or persecution inspires communities to come together and extend a hand of solidarity and compassion to those seeking refuge.

**Let us show compassion and celebrate the resilience that makes up parts of our wider school community by joining us in the Community Hub for a 'Bring and Share morning tea' on Wednesday 19th June from 9.30-11am.**



## Term 3 Preschool Playgroup sessions coming up Flyer Attached

Friday August 2nd Story Time  
Friday 16th STEM- Play and Learn  
Friday August 30th Story Time- Book Week  
Friday September 13th Art

# PRE-SCHOOL PLAYGROUP

**STORIES, PLAY & LEARN**

COME AND JOIN - ALL WELCOME  
CHAT WITH OTHER PARENTS  
CHILDREN PLAY, LEARN & SOCIALISE  
MEET OUR TEACHERS



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- Friday August 2nd Story Time
- Friday August 16th STEM - Play & Learn
- Friday August 30th Story Time - Book Week
- Friday September 13th Art

9.00am start - 45 minutes

St Peter Apostle Primary School - 38 Guinane Avenue, Hoppers Crossing



## Refugee Week

Coordinated by Refugee Council of Australia

### EMPATHY KNOWS NO BORDERS.

World Refugee Week  
**Wed June 19th**  
Bring & Share Morning Tea  
9.30-11am in the  
Community Hub




ST PETER APOSTLE PRIMARY SCHOOL  
Hoppers Crossing



## Refugee Week 16-22 June 2024

Finding Freedom: Family  
To unconditional love  
To strength in times of adversity  
To unwavering bonds

refugeeweek.org.au #RefugeeWeekAU

Proud Sponsor: Refugee Council of Australia  
 Coordinated By: Refugee Council of Australia  
 Event Partner: SSI  
 Principal Partner: Multicultural NSW, CITY OF SYDNEY, CHRC  
 Major Partners: Caritas, Migrant Services, The Australian Red Cross, Jewish Community Centre, LIFE WITHOUT BARRIERS, TEACHERS FOR REFUGEES, SBS FOOD, thrive, TORIA  
 Supporters: ANZ, AVEIC, MISC, United Way, core, PricewaterhouseCoopers, MyGov, NSW Government, CSSTT, SouthWest, Acknowledgments: Trans



# COOKING WORKSHOP

from 12.00-1.30 pm  
Thurs 6th June  
Thurs 13th June  
Thurs 20th June  
Thurs 27th June

Adults only  
registration essential



Sign up here for more information

# SACRAMENTAL DATES FOR 2024

## FIRST EUCHARIST

**Parent/ Student night** - Tuesday 30th April - 7.00pm

**Eucharist Mass**

Sunday - 16th June - 10.15am



## CONFIRMATION

**Parent/ Student night** - Tuesday 10th September - 7.00pm

**Reflection Day - students only** - Thursday 17th October

**Confirmation** - Thursday 17th October - 7.00pm





## SCHOOL FEES - 2024 & After School Care Information

2024	Fees		Levies					
	Recurrent	Capital	Curriculum	Swimming	Camp	Excursion	Sacrament	ICT
Family Fee	\$1,900.00							
Prep			\$320.00			\$80.00		
Year 1			\$320.00			\$80.00		
Year 2			\$320.00			\$80.00		
Year 3			\$350.00			\$80.00		\$212.00
Year 4			\$350.00			\$80.00		\$212.00
Year 5			\$350.00		\$250.00	\$80.00		
Year 6			\$350.00		\$300.00	\$80.00		

The ICT levy will continue in 2024 for our students in Grade 3 and Grade 4, as higher grades will still be part of the previous BYOD Program.

In 2025 the levy will be extended to Grades 3, Grades 4 and Grades 5.

If your family is eligible for the Reduced Fees Policy and you have been approved through the formal approval process, then the ICT levy will be included in the discount fees offered.

The benefits of this new program are as follows:

- Every Grade 3 child will have a device to use at school
- The device does not need to be fully paid for at the start of Grade 3

### 2024 FEE FORMS

2024 Fee Payment Consent Form [click Here](#)

2024 Credit Card Direct Debit Payment Form [click here](#)

**Please note: A new Credit Card debit payment form needs to be filled every year for monthly/fortnightly payments**

## Outside School Hours Care



St Peter Apostle Primary School's Outside School Hours Care Provider is Our Patch.

Information regarding outside school hours care [click here](#)

## CSEF

CAMPS, SPORTS & EXCURSIONS FUND (CSEF) School camps provide children with inspiring experiences in the great outdoors. Excursions encourage a deeper understanding of how the world works while sports teach teamwork, discipline and leadership. All are a part of a healthy curriculum.

CSEF is provided by the Victorian Government to assist eligible families to cover the costs of school trips, camps and sporting activities.

If you hold a valid means-tested concession card or are a temporary foster parent, you may be eligible for CSEF. A special consideration category also exists for asylum seeker and refugee families. The allowance is paid to the school to use towards expenses relating to camps, excursions or sporting activities for the benefit of your child.



### Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund APPLICATION Form

The annual CSEF amount per student is:

- \$150 for primary school students.

#### **HOW TO APPLY:**

New applicants should contact the school office to obtain a CSEF application form or download a copy by [clicking here](#).

If you applied for CSEF at your child's school last year, you do not need to complete an application form this year unless there has been a change in your family circumstances.

- ⇒ You only need to complete an application form if any of the following changes have occurred: new student enrolments; your child has started or changed schools this year.
- ⇒ changed family circumstances; such as a change of custody, change of name, concession card number, or new siblings commencing this year.

Check with the school office if you are unsure.



# PARENT RESOURCES

Click on any image below for more information.

## STUDENT ABSENCE



## TERM DATES



## CANTEEN / LUNCH ORDERS



## MOBILE PHONES



## SCHOOL APP



## AUTHORITY TO ADMINISTER MEDICA-



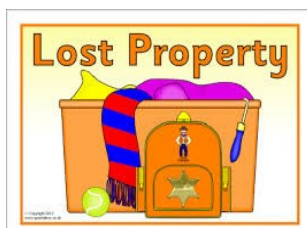
## SCHOOL UNIFORM



## STUDENT HEALTH



## LOST PROPERTY



## 2ND HAND UNIFORM SHOPPE



## OUTSIDE SCHOOL HOURS CARE (OSHC)

