Catholic Schools Week 2015

This year, St Patrick’s Parish School will join Catholic schools across NSW and the ACT to celebrate Catholic Schools’ Week (CSW) from 8-14 March.

The theme is ‘Educating for Today and Tomorrow’. The theme ties in with the 50th anniversary of the Declaration on Christian Education, ‘Gravissimum Educationis.’ The document recognised the continuing need for the Church to support parents in the education of their children.

Our school has a very supportive community of teachers, parents, carers, clergy, parishioners and support staff who work together to focus on giving students the best education possible, encouraging success, promoting discipline, supporting creativity and instilling compassion. Catholic Schools’ Week is about strengthening those relationships between all who have a stake in our schools.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for all your support of our school and I look forward to celebrating both Catholic Schools Week and St Patrick’s Day with you at the Parish Mass on Saturday evening at 6pm.

As the State election is coming up, I would encourage you to read the material inside this newsletter about the significance of Catholic Education in providing quality education, despite a disparity in funding with our neighbouring state schools. I will be inviting each of the local candidates to present their position on funding for our schools in next week’s newsletter.

Catholic Schools’ Week is a very appropriate time to have the Parent/Teacher/Student Conferences which have been on this week in the Ex-Services Club. The focus was on the students’ achievements and goals for this semester. I appreciate the commitment of both parents and teachers to this time. It is crucial to build a relationship because we are ‘Educating for Today and Tomorrow’.

Frances Robertson
Principal

coming events....

March 12
School Board meeting and P/T/S conferences for Secondary

March 13
National Ride to School Day
Stage 2 &3 AFL Gala Day

March 14
P&F catering at the Cooma Show
St Patrick’s Mass 6pm in Church

March 16
Year 1 Support Evening

March 17
St Patrick’s day activities and Cross Country run

It’s Cooma Showtime Again!
Saturday 14 March 2015

St Patrick’s Parish School
P&F will be doing the catering for this event. See the flyer inside the newsletter or contact Tammy Byrne 0428 645 323 or tammybyrne320@gmail.com
A message from the AP’s Desk...

The new 'Interim Reports' have been sent out to all parents. These reports are an opportunity to build the communication bridge between home and school and are a general indication of the student’s approach to learning. The Parent/Student/Teacher Conference is time for parents to get to know teachers and for teachers to learn about their students; and who better to give that information than a parent. Areas such as what motivates your child, what their special interests are and how they respond in certain circumstances, are all valuable information that can help a teacher fine-tune instruction or make interaction with the child more effective.

We are not just aiming to inform parents about a child’s progress. **Our focus is on achievements and goal setting. It is always beneficial that students attend** if we are striving for academic progress and continued improvement in learning. The Secondary student diary has a section on goal setting and this would be a great place to record the goals determined in the conference. We are hoping that you find these conferences a profitable part of our school-home partnership.

**St Patrick’s Feast Day is next Tuesday. All members of the school and Parish communities are invited to attend a special Mass on Saturday evening at 6pm at St Patrick’s Church. There will be a special gathering afterwards where all are invited to have some light refreshments and join the students in walking the new labyrinth in the Church grounds.**

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**Message from Michael Lee, Principal of St Mary MacKillop College**

**Successful meeting at Cooma**

Several senior staff joined me last Monday night at the Parish Centre at St Patrick's Cooma to talk to the parents and care givers of the Year 11 students who joined MacKillop this year from St Patrick's and other schools on the Monaro.

This meeting was well-attended; even new Parish Priest Fr Mick McAndrew joined us. Issues covered included the progress of the students’ successful integration into Year 11, BSSS issues, pastoral issues, and ways to further engage St Patrick's families into MacKillop.

**MacKillop and St Patrick's have worked hard and successfully to provide Catholic education from Kindergarten to Year 12 for families from the Monaro.**

**This is a cause for real celebration for the MacKillop and St Patrick's community.**

Yours in St Mary MacKillop,

Michael Lee
The NSW State Government Election will be held on 28 March 2015.

The Catholic Education Commission in partnership with Catholic School Parents Archdiocese of Canberra & Goulburn has four key messages for political parties and candidates to secure an increase in NSW government funding for Catholic schools in NSW.

KEY MESSAGES
1. A significant public funding gap exists between Canberra-Goulburn’s Catholic systemic schools and government schools in the same area
2. Catholic schools save taxpayers billions of dollars each year by educating 251,000 - or one in five - NSW students
3. Catholic schools require a more equitable share of capital funding to expand school places to meet growing demand
4. Parents of Catholic school students contribute to the NSW education system

The Facts

The average cost of educating a student in a Canberra-Goulburn Catholic systemic school in NSW is $11,510 per year.

The average cost of educating a student in a government school within the diocese’s boundaries is $13,695 per year.

Canberra-Goulburn’s systemic Catholic schools teach the same curriculum as government schools while saving State and Federal taxpayers more than $3,600 per student each year.
The facts cont....

Government would need to fully fund the education of an extra 251,000 students - at an additional cost to taxpayers of more than $3 billion a year.

NSW Catholic schools need to add 80,000 student places by 2031 – requiring some 20 new schools and the expansion of hundreds more across the state. The Government is relying on Catholic schools to maintain or grow their current share of students; otherwise, it will be forced to take on more of the education burden and fully fund the construction and operation of more government schools than is currently forecast.

The majority of capital works in Catholic schools are funded by parents or diocesan sources, with some support from the NSW and Australian Governments.

What We Need

A funding commitment from all political parties and candidates that provides greater equity, certainty and choice into the future.

An increase in funding that allows our schools to continue to support families by keeping tuition fees at a modest level.

A commitment to a more equitable share of capital funding to expand school places to meet growing demand

The NSW Government must send a message to Catholic school parents that it values their significant contribution and supports their ongoing investment in the state’s schools (government and non-government).

You are encouraged to write to your local Member and candidates to emphasise the importance of these messages.

Enquiries to: Mr Tim Smith- tim.smith@cg.catholic.edu.au

Authorised by Daryl Smeaton on behalf of the Catholic Education Commission, Archdiocese of Canberra & Goulburn
CARROTS

Carrots are so healthy for your eyes.
A carrot is a great source of vitamin A.
Round like an orange pointy cylinder.
Really people used to grow carrots for medicine, not food.
Orange, tasty and better than eating cardboard ; what’s not to love about carrots.
Terrific fun to plant, grow and eat.

Designed and created by Kennedy Purcell Yr 5
St Patrick’s Parish home-based Sacramental Program 2015

Term 1 Registration (Friday 27 March 2015)

Letters of invitation to register in our Parish home-based Sacramental Program for 2015 have been sent out to families whose children are in Years 3, 4 and 6. If you would like your child - or children - to be part of the program this year, you are asked to complete the registration form and send it to the Parish Sacramental Coordinator, Lou Mackay, or our Parish Priest Fr Mick MacAndrew, c/- St Patrick’s Church; or phone 64522062; or email: lou.mackay@cg.catholic.edu.au by Friday 27 March 2015. If you feel you may have missed getting this letter, or if you are new to our Parish Family-based Sacramental Program and would like to know more about it, please feel free to contact us.

Term 2 CONFIRMATION

This is a four week course offered to families who have children in Year 6 and onwards. The first session is for the whole group in the Church. Children and parent(s) attend these meetings. The following three sessions are in home groups at a time and day that most suits the family. All four sessions are of one hour duration. The program includes Reconciliation one evening, a practice held during school hours prior to the celebration of the Sacrament and a Thanksgiving Mass afterwards. Confirmation will be celebrated this year on Friday 19 June 2015 at 6.00pm with Archbishop Christopher Prowse.

Term 3 RECONCILIATION (Confession)

This is a short three week course offered to families who have children in Year 3 and onwards. The sessions are one hour long. Children and parent(s) attend these meetings. They are followed by the celebration of the Sacrament in August at a time that is convenient to the family. The program is a very gentle one that is suited to young children. Reconciliation must be celebrated before undertaking the First Communion program. Reconciliation will be celebrated on 15 and 22 August 2015.

Term 4 FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

This is a short three week course offered to families who have children in Year 4 and onwards. The first session is for the whole group in the Church. Children and parent(s) attend these meetings. The following two sessions are in home groups at a time and day that suits the family. All three sessions are of one hour duration. A practice is held during school hours prior to the celebration of the Sacrament. Note: Reconciliation must be celebrated before undertaking the First Communion program. First Holy Communion will be celebrated on 7 and 8 November 2015.
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Caroline Blyton
Canteen Manager

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School Vacation Care
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Last Friday a large contingent of students travelled to Goulburn for the Archdiocesan Secondary Swimming Carnival. Congratulations to all students on their participation and the way that they conducted themselves on the day. Listed are all those students who finished in the top three overall in an event.

Congratulations to those students and good luck to those that have qualified for the Combined Catholic Colleges Carnival in May. I would like to thank all of the parents and grandparents who transported students on Friday and to everyone who helped with timekeeping throughout the day!

Mr Lawley  
Sport Coordinator

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**A BBQ & LUNCHEON WILL BE OFFERED ON THE DAY**

We need lots of helpers to assist with cleaning and transporting BBQ and goods on Friday morning and then on Saturday for set up, preparation cooking the BBQ and serving luncheon in the pavilion.

Help is required from 8.00am until finish around 6.00pm. The busiest time is between 1.00 and 4.00 pm, so if you can spare a couple of hours during this time, it would be very much appreciated!

We also require donations of cakes, scones & slices - please leave at school office BEFORE 3.00 pm on the Friday or bring to showground on Saturday morning

Please return the section below to the school office indicating times you can assist no later than Thursday 5 March

or you can advise

Tammy Byrne 0428 645 323 or tammybyrne320@gmail.com

P&F BBQ & Luncheon Saturday 14 March 2015 – Cooma Show Assistance Reply

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Any other time___________ |
| Please tick Cake [ ] Slice [ ] Scones [ ] How many? ____________ |
| Mobile Number: |  |
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LETTER TO PARENTS

In May 2015 the National Assessment Program – Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN) will be completed by students in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9. NAPLAN has the support of all State and Territory Education Ministers and will assess the literacy and numeracy skills of students across Australian schools.

The results of the tests will provide important information to schools about what each student can do, and will be used to support teaching and learning programs. Parents will receive a report indicating their child’s level of achievement. Each student’s level of achievement will be reported against the national minimum standard.

Student background information (student name, gender, date of birth, language background and Aboriginality) will be collected as part of the National Assessment Program. This information is treated confidentially and held securely to ensure that every student’s right to privacy is maintained.

The NAPLAN tests will be conducted from 12-14 May 2015.

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In the Numeracy tests students do not require any measuring tools such as rulers or protractors. In Years 7 and 9 there will be two Numeracy tests: one where a calculator is allowed and one where calculators are not to be used. For the calculator test, the student should use the calculator that they currently use at school.

**Friday 15 May** – A ‘catch-up’ day is scheduled for students who missed a test or were absent on a test day.

Students may be considered for exemption from the tests if they:

- are newly arrived in Australia (less than one year before the test) and with a language background other than English, or
- have significant intellectual disability and/or significant co-existing conditions which severely limit their capacity to participate in the tests.

**All other students are expected to participate in the tests.** Disability adjustments which reflect the student’s normal level of support in the classroom may be provided. Large print, Braille, coloured paper versions and electronic tests are available to meet the needs of individual students.

Access to disability adjustments or exemption from the tests must be discussed with the school principal and a parent or carer consent form must be signed.

Students may be withdrawn from NAPLAN by their parent or carer. This is a matter for consideration by parents in consultation with the Principal. If you wish to withdraw your child from the tests, a parent or carer consent form must be signed.

Please make an appointment with the Principal.
The Rotary club of Cooma would like to invite interested students and their parents and guardians to an informal presentation and information meeting on **Tuesday 17 March at PD Murphy’s Café in Cooma at 5pm**.

The Rotary club is interested in supporting members of the Monaro community aged 12-18 years to establish a local Interact club. Through Interact, members can;

- Carry out hands-on service projects in local and global communities
- Make international connections
- Develop leadership skills
- Have fun!
- Make a change in the lives of themselves and others

Cooma Rotarians are excited about this opportunity we can help provide the community. We look forward to supporting young adults in the Monaro develop into skilled community leaders.

For more information on Interact please visit the website [www.rotary.org/interact](http://www.rotary.org/interact)

For information about the meeting please contact Danielle Trigg at Danielle.trigg@cg.catholic.edu.au

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**Paid Advertisement**

**Private Tutoring: Reading and Spelling**

Does your child need extra help in reading and spelling?

My name is Candace Kenneally and I am passionate about reading and supporting children to reach their potential.

I provide one-on-one tutoring, tailored to the needs and interests of each child.

I believe children can benefit from extra tuition, whether to strengthen or improve their reading/spelling skills.

I am a qualified primary teacher and I create an environment that is supportive, encouraging, creative and fun.

And, I don't forget the parents! I support you with any information you require, or refer you to organisations or resources that might support you in supervising and understanding your child’s development.

Please call me on 6452 4830, or email cankensolaz@gmail.com, if your child needs extra help with reading and spelling!

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Thank you to the Gideon Society for the distribution of New Testaments for all of our St Patrick's Year 7 students.

This is a special project of the Gideon Society and Mr and Mrs Newman are pictured with Emmilee and Amber.
St Patrick’s Day Celebration and School Cross Country
Tuesday 17 March

Next week will see the running of the school primary and secondary cross country carnivals, along with a celebration of St Patrick’s Day. Below is some information about the day for parents, carers and students.

Plan for St Patrick’s Day

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Our St Patrick’s Day Prayer Service will be held in the Church between 9.45 and 10.30am next Tuesday 17 March. Parents are most welcome to attend. Our theme celebrates the light of our faith, the light of Christ which was so important to St Patrick.

The cross country will be held at the Lions Park, Cooma North. All students will need $3 for the trip on the bus. Parents are most welcome to come and cheer on their children. Students are visible for approximately 1km of each lap they complete.

Secondary students will be picked up from school at 11.10am and travel up to Lions Park. They will walk the course and the boys are scheduled to start at 11.45am, with the girls starting at 11.50am. All ages will run together. However, students will be classed according to their age this year.

Primary students will leave school at 12pm. They will walk the course and the boys are scheduled to start at 1pm. The girls will start at 1.05pm. All ages will run together. However, students will be classed according to their age this year.

Infant students will leave school at 1pm and will walk one lap of the course at approximately 1.30pm. Kindergarten will walk the course with their Year 6 buddies. The Infants walk is not a race and results will not be recorded.
Notes

All students are expected to attend the cross country carnival and compete in their age group, or House relay if in Secondary.

All students will need $3 for the bus, plus some food and water. There are no canteen facilities at the venue but lunch can be ordered prior to the day (see the separate attachment to place your order).

Water is limited at the venue.

Students are expected to bring puffers if they are asthmatic. Please remind your class teacher that you have it with you.

All students will need to wear their full PE uniform and run with a school hat.

The first 6 finishers in each age for boys and girls will qualify for the regional (primary) or Archdiocesan (secondary) carnivals. The primary regional carnival will be on Thursday 7 May (venue to be confirmed) whilst the Archdiocesan carnival is on Wednesday 20 May at Mt Stromlo, ACT.

The course at Lions Park is 1.5km long. Below are the distances students will need to run. The number of laps will be communicated with students on the day.

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Whole School Activities will take place after the cross run/walk.

If you have any questions prior to the day please contact Mr Lawley or Mr Mackay at school on 6452 1721.
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LOCAL DISABILITY INFORMATION SHARING SESSION

GUEST SPEAKER
JOANNE HANCOCK
FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES—AGEING, DISABILITY AND HOME CARE

All community members, including people with disability, families and carers of people with disability, local businesses, sporting clubs, etc. are encouraged to attend.

This session will be particularly relevant to any people who are already receiving an ADHC (Ageing, Disability and Home Care) funding package such as Community Participation, Flexible Respite, accommodation support.

Wednesday 18th March
11am - 1pm
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