

# ST BEDE'S NEWSLETTER TERM 2 ISSUE 2



## ***Parish and Class Mass***

WOW!!! The feedback I'm getting about last Sunday's Mass is absolutely amazing! I would like to thank all those beautiful families that joined in on our special parish/school Mass. I heard that everyone was so reverent and the readers did us proud. It is a testament to our students when strangers come up to us and tell us how brilliant the students of St Bede's are. Well done!!!

## ***Confirmation***

Thank you to the parents who have booked via [School Interviews](#) for the Confirmation Family Sessions (parent and child) of:

- 3.30pm – 4.30pm Wednesday, 17 May
- 4.30pm – 5.30pm Thursday, 18 May

If you have any questions or concerns about the stoles, sponsors or the letters, these will be addressed at the family sessions.

Meeting with Bishop Pat Power will be at 5.30pm on 29 May, so please mark this in your diaries.

## ***Mother's Day***

Mother's Day focus assembly will be led by our Kindergarten students next Monday, 15 May, at 2.45pm. Please join us if you are able.

## ***St Bede's Day Mass***

St Bede's Day will be celebrated on Thursday, 25 May. Please mark this occasion in the diary and come along to celebrate Mass with the school. Kindergarten and Year 5 will be organising the Mass and it will begin at noon.

The Year 6 students will also be holding a mini fete as per tradition and to raise money for a charity of their choice. Please remember to send some gold coins along with your child on that day so they can enjoy the sensational stalls the Year 6s will have on offer.

Levi Heffernan

Acting Religious Education Coordinator



## **Athletics Carnival**

Just a reminder that the Athletics Carnival is taking place next Tuesday (16th May) at Woden Athletics Park. Thank you to all those amazing parents that have offered their time to help out. Please feel free to come along and cheer on our little superstars but just a friendly reminder that, unless you are a timer, you are not to wait for your child at the finish line.

## **South Weston Cross Country Carnival**

Yesterday, I sent home notes to all of the 42 students that have made it to the South Weston Cross Country Carnival which will be held at Stromlo Park on Wednesday, 31 May. Please note that the permission form must be signed and returned to me no later than Friday, 19 May. All students must find their own way to and from the carnival.



## **Schools Day Out – Raiders vs Roosters**

If you 'bleed green' (or even if you are a 'chooks' supporter), join in the Viking clap on Sunday, 28 May for a 4.00pm kickoff. Tickets are available from [ticketek.com.au](http://ticketek.com.au) at a cost of \$15.00 pp – use promo code SBPSSD017



### Trials

During the year I receive emails and posters regarding upcoming trials and sport for children.

I will advertise these on the 'Sports Board' on the door of my classroom, Year 4.



*Please keep checking the board for all sporting trial information and visit the ACT School Sport website [School Sport ACT](#) if your child is interested in representative sport.*

Levi Heffernan  
Sports Facilitator

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There are still some time slots to be filled during this term.

The tuckshop is run by volunteers solely and we can only open if we have enough helpers available. All you need to do is sign up for a shift of your choice (please see links below) or contact Kathrin Mandic [zandkm@gmail.com](mailto:zandkm@gmail.com).

Sign up for Term 2:  
<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080d48a4ac2ca6fa7-tuck1>

Thank you!

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### ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

The following students received an award in Week 2:

Kindergarten	Jude, Grace, Agatha Sebastian and Mila
Year 1	Sofia, Charlotte and Harry
Year 2	Pantelis, Matilda and Victoria
Year 3	Nikita and Zoe
Year 4	Stella, Damon and Bridie
Years 5/6	Hamish, Georgia, Abbey, Sachi and Alice

### WALK IN LOVE AND PEACE AWARDS

Kindergarten	Emerson
Year 1	Bob
Year 2	Raf
Year 3	Elijah
Year 4	Lucy
Years 5/6	Sophia

### LEADERSHIP AWARDS

School Captain	Mila
Benedict	Gabby C
Polding	Emma (Year 3)
Scholastica	Gianna
SRC	Year 6
Principal's Award	Amelia P

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### P&F FUNDRAISER THE ENTERTAINMENT BOOK

Please note you are under no obligation to purchase The Entertainment Book so if you do not wish to keep it, return it to the front office as soon as possible please.

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### PERMISSION NOTES

We have concerns that children are not passing on notes to parents. Most events that the children are participating in are organised well in advance and are listed in the weekly family memo. Your assistance in permission notes being returned by the date stated would be greatly appreciated.



### *WALK SAFELY TO SCHOOL DAY*

Join us and walk to school on

**Friday, 19 May.**

We'll start at Flinders Park,  
Cnr Flinders Way and Monaro  
Crescent at 8.30am **sharp**.



### CLASS CONTACTS

#### Kindergarten

**Friday, 19 May** - Coffee catch up at Urban  
Pantry in Manuka following school drop off

**Thursday, 25 May** – Dads' dinner

**Thursday, 8 June** – Mums' dinner  
(venues TBC)



**DON'T LEAVE IT UNTIL THE  
LAST MINUTE**

**P&F FUNDRAISER  
THE GREAT GATSBY  
COCKTAIL PARTY  
FRIDAY, 26 MAY**

Tickets may now be booked  
on [www.flexischools.com.au/](http://www.flexischools.com.au/)  
by **Monday, 22 May**








**2018**

The official enrolment period for  
Kindergarten 2018 is Monday, 1 May to  
**Friday, 19 May inclusive.**

Don't forget to attach birth and baptism  
certificates as well as 4yo immunisation  
details.

If you know of anyone looking for a quality  
Catholic education, ask them to contact  
Linda to arrange a visit to our wonderful  
little school.

# Upcoming Events:

Term 2 Week 3				Thursday 11 May	Friday 12 May Year 2 Showcase Assembly 12.30pm  Year 4 Camp	Saturday 13 May	Sunday 14 May
Term 2 Week 4	Monday 15 May Kinder Mother's Day Focus Assembly 2.45pm 	Tuesday 16 May Athletics Carnival, Phillip 	Wednesday 17 May School Photos  <b>Smile</b>  Confirmation Parent Information Meeting 3.30pm	Thursday 18 May   Confirmation Parent Information Meeting 4.30pm	Friday 19 May WSTSD  8.30am sharp at Flinders Park  Year 1 Showcase Assembly 12.30pm  2018 Enrolment period ends	Saturday 20 May	Sunday 21 May
Term 2 Week 5	Monday 22 May	Tuesday 23 May P&F Meeting 7.00pm	Wednesday 24 May	Thursday 25 May St Bede's Day Mass 12.00pm  Year 6 Mini Fete	Friday 26 May P&F <b>GREAT GATSBY COCKTAIL PARTY</b> 7.00pm 	Saturday 27 May	Sunday 28 May