



## St Theresa's Primary School

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# Newsletter

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Dear Parents

What a busy two weeks we've had. Last Friday's St Theresa's Day was a big success and we thank Doriana Cooper for all of her hard work organising the Day. Thanks to Ray and all of the parents who helped with the BBQ.



### **EXTRA PLAYGROUND SPACE**

You probably would have noticed that we are putting up a new fence between the school and 53 King Edward Ave but we have also been able to secure the back part of the property to add to our playground. This acquisition will provide an additional 256m<sup>2</sup> for us to use. The area will be developed over the summer holidays when we also commence work on our playground development plan. Thanks to Fr Barry and St Theresa's Parish for providing the land.

### **JOB OFFER**

One of our families is urgently looking to employ someone for 4-6 hours a day, Monday – Friday beginning at 1pm. The job would require school and kinder pickups and some housekeeping. A current driver's licence and a working with children check are required and the successful applicant must be able to speak English.

The position would start immediately and run until Christmas or possibly into 2018. The salary will be negotiated prior to commencing the job.

Anyone interested can hand their CV into Sally or Vivien at the office. If you need any more information please contact Marie on 93119070.

### **LOST BIKE**

Sadly, a student's bike has gone missing from the bike rack at school. It was left there on Monday with a helmet attached. The next day when the child went to get it, the bike was gone but the helmet was still there. It is a plain black Haro Leucadia BMX with pegs.

If anyone mistakenly took it home or knows anything about what happened to it please return it and/or see Rob or Marie.

### **JAVELONA FAMILY**

Roni and the children were overwhelmed and sincerely grateful for the assistance given to them by our school and parish communities. Because of your generosity, Wagner's funeral and the gathering of friends and family afterwards in our multipurpose room, was very well catered for and a great success. Roni, Margaret and Matthew have asked me to extend their heartfelt thanks to those who were able to help out in any way.

(Plates can be collected from the back bench of the staffroom)

### **SPECIAL REQUEST**

As you may know, Wagner had been battling cancer for the last 2 years and was unable to work. This has placed the family under great financial pressure with hospital and funeral costs to cover. If anyone would like to make a donation to help the family through this

tough time, we are taking up a collection for them. Any contributions can be handed in at the office. Thank you for your generosity.

### **2018 ORGANISATION, NEW PROGRAMS, DATES AND SCHOOL FEES**

This information will be sent home to you soon in a separate letter. Hopefully I will be able to provide you with these details during the next two weeks.

### **NO SCHOOL FOR CHILDREN**

**MONDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> OF NOVEMBER – REPORT WRITING DAY**

**TUESDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> OF NOV – MELBOURNE CUP DAY**

### **DATES**

<b>IMPORTANT DATES: TERM 4</b>	
Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Yr. 5/6 Incursion
Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> Nov	Feast of All Saints: Whole School Mass
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> Nov	School Closure Day
Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Melbourne Cup Public Holiday
Wed 8 <sup>th</sup> – Fri 17 <sup>th</sup> Nov	P-4 Swimming Program (8 days)
Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> Nov	2018 Prep Interviews
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> Nov	2018 Prep Orientation Meeting 1: 9-11am
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> Nov	PSG Meetings
Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> Nov	School Advisory Board Meeting: 7pm
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> Nov	School Closure Day
Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup> Nov	2018 Prep Orientation Meeting 2: 9-11am
Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Sports Day
Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> Dec	2018 Prep Orientation Meeting 3: 9-11am
Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Christmas Carols Evening
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Graduation Mass & Dinner: 6pm
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> Dec	School Reports
Mon 18 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Yr. 6 excursion to Adventure Park
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> Dec	End of Year Mass: 12pm

*Have a great weekend.*

*All the best*

*Robert*