



St. Brendan's Catholic Primary School  
Lake Munmorah

# St Brendan's NETMA

Week 5, Term 2  
Monday, 28 May 2018

"Piglet noticed that even though  
he had a very small heart,  
it could hold a rather  
large amount of gratitude."

*AA Milne, Winnie the Pooh*



## Some important notes:

- ◆ A number of our students will be receiving their **First Eucharist** at St Brendan's this Saturday at 5:00 pm. Please keep them in your thoughts and prayers as they celebrate this special time.
- ◆ This week we will be continuing to review our **Behaviour Support Policy** on Wednesday, 30 May at 7:40 am in the Hall. We will also be continuing to develop a **Statement of Commitment for Parents** on Wednesday, 30 May at 8:30 am in the Parent Retreat Room. If you are interested in participating in one or both of these meetings, please RSVP by Tuesday, 29 May. We welcome and encourage both parents and teachers to attend.
- ◆ This Friday is our Year 2 to Year 6 **Athletics Field Events Trials Day** (11:00 am to 2:00 pm). Parents are invited to come along to watch and/or assist. Refer to page 2 for more information.
- ◆ Please be aware the Office of the eSafety Commissioner has launched a new online interactive tool for parents, the **Screen Smart Parent Tour**, which aims to engage parents and carers of 10 - 14 year old children on a range of key online safety issues. This may be accessed at: <https://www.esafety.gov.au/education-resources/iparent/screen-smart-tour>.
- ◆ This week we **welcome Kelly Gray** to our teaching staff. Kelly is an experienced classroom teacher with particular expertise in the area of literacy. She will mainly be supporting Kindergarten and Year One teachers during the English and Mathematics block, as well as providing some classroom release for Lee Brown.
- ◆ The Catholic Schools Office have reserved a limited number of places for parents to attend the upcoming **Sweeter than Honey Teaching Scripture Summit** (Monday, 25 June and/or Tuesday, 26 June 2018). For any enquiries or assistance with registration, please contact Jo Spek by phone (9847 0304) or email at [jo.spek@dbb.catholic.edu.au](mailto:jo.spek@dbb.catholic.edu.au).

Inspire and teach your children (no matter how big or small), the art of gratitude!

Have a great week!!

*Kellie Prendergast*  
Acting Principal

*Sweeter than Honey  
Teaching Scripture Summit*

July 25 & 26 2018  
register by 29 June  
6 Weeks to go!!

Register today  
speak to your principal  
for registration details

"How sweet are your  
words to my taste,  
sweeter than honey  
to my mouth"  
(Psalm 119:103)

## ATHLETICS FIELD EVENTS TRIALS

On **Friday, 1 June from 11:00 am to approximately 2:00 pm**, the athletics field events trials for **Year 2 up to Year 6** will be held in the St Brendan's school grounds. There will be shot put, discus, long jump, high jump and a games station. Each station will be ½ hour in duration with every child getting an opportunity to trial for the field event final in the carnival at Warnervale on Friday, 8 June. The top 3- 5 boys and top 3- 5 girls in the junior division (8, 9 and 10 year olds), the 11 year's division and 12 year's division will progress to the final at our school carnival at Warnervale. Please note, only 8 to 12 year olds will have field event finals at Warnervale, not 5, 6 and 7 years.



Parents are invited to come and watch or assist at these school trials as well as on the Athletics Carnival Day at Warnervale.

## HOME AND SCHOOL WORKING TOGETHER Information About Green Slips



At St Brendan's all staff members commit to supporting all students to exhibit appropriate behaviours. The 'green slip' is the visual reminder to a student that they've committed a serious wrongdoing. It also serves to alert the parent/ carer to this wrongdoing and reminds you that the journey of raising a child is a home/ school partnership. Staff very much acknowledge that your support is critical in raising a child's awareness of right behaviours.

Oftentimes, the child will already have experienced a long time out along with a chat with a staff member (and another consequence if warranted). You aren't expected to give any additional consequence to your child. You are simply asked to sign and return the slip so that your child understands both home and school want to support him or her to grow into the best person they can be.



<b>Mon 28 May:</b>	Sorry Day & Reconciliation Week Liturgy (8:20am)
<b>Tue 29 May:</b>	Circle of Security (8:30am - 11am)
<b>Wed 30 May:</b>	Kindergarten Mass (9am)
<b>Fri 1 May:</b>	Stage 1 Showcase Assembly (K-6)
<b>Mon 4 Jun:</b>	Winter Uniform Central Coast GRIP - Yr 6 Leadership Team
<b>Tue 5 Jun:</b>	Circle of Security (8:30am - 11am)
<b>Wed 6 Jun:</b>	Yrs 3-6 Feast of Sacred Heart Mass (9am)
<b>Fri 8 Jun:</b>	NO ASSEMBLY K-6 Athletics Carnival (Warnervale Oval)
<b>Mon 11 Jun:</b>	Public Holiday (Queen's Birthday)
<b>Tue 12 Jun:</b>	Circle of Security (8:30am - 11am)
<b>Wed 13 Jun:</b>	Yrs 3 & 4 - Stage 2 Mass (9am) Maths Olympiad
<b>Fri 15 Jun:</b>	Yrs 3-6 Assembly (8:20am)
<b>Tue 19 Jun:</b>	Circle of Security (8:30am - 11am) 5G & 5R CARERS Day (Road & Bike Safety)
<b>Wed 20 Jun:</b>	Yrs 5 & 6 - Stage 3 Mass (9am) 5B CARERS Day (Road & Bike Safety)
<b>Fri 22 Jun:</b>	K-2 Assembly (8:20am)
<b>Thu 28 Jun:</b>	CCC Soccer Gala Day
<b>Thu 5 Jul:</b>	Last Day of Term 2
<b>Fri 6 Jul:</b>	Staff Development Day (Pupil Free Day)

## AWARDS

	Class	Class	Rose
<b>K Red</b>	Rhylea S	Torin M	Ayden S
<b>K Blue</b>	Adrian L	Dylan V	Amberlee C
<b>K Green</b>	Madison B	Chevy B	Ava D
<b>1 Red</b>	Laycie C	Millie S	Paige M
<b>1 Blue</b>	Eden S	Mason H	Bridgette C
<b>1 Green</b>	Ryder W	Layla H	Indya Rose T
<b>2 Red</b>	Finn S	Keira B	Luca F
<b>2 Blue</b>	Zayne S	Alex C	Amelia D
<b>2 Green</b>	Chaise A	Jayden B	Nathalie C
<b>K-2</b>		Riley S	Anton L

### PLEASE NOTE:

**There were no student awards presented for Year 3, Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6**