



Week 7, Term 2
Tuesday, 12 June 2018



- ◆ As part of our front foyer upgrade, I am delighted to introduce our **new Celebration Wall**. We will use this space to celebrate our students' learning and special events happening in our school. I encourage you to regularly take time to come and have a look at examples of the amazing learning experiences happening at St Brendan's.
- ◆ Due to the weather and wet condition of Warnervale Oval, our **K-6 Athletics Carnival and Community Sausage Sizzle** have been **postponed** AGAIN to Thursday, 5 July. One last permission note will be sent home tomorrow for parents to complete and return. To avoid sending home more permission notes, tomorrow's note will request permission for your child to attend the carnival on either the 5 July or a date to be confirmed by the school in case of further rescheduling. Please note all of the orders we have received for the Community Sausage Sizzle will be kept for when the carnival takes place.
- ◆ There will be a **3-6 Assembly** at 8:20 am on Friday.
- ◆ **Congratulations to our Learning Support Assistant, Kristie Riley** who is now a qualified classroom teacher. Kristie will join our casual teaching staff. On behalf of the school community, I thank Kristie for the time she has spent working in the Hive and wish her all the best as she begins her teaching career.
- ◆ Please refer to the attached information from Central Coast Council regarding **Parking Restrictions Outside Schools**.
- ◆ I ask all parents/carers to remember the road rules, especially in our **school car park**. A member of the public visiting our school last week observed that a number of drivers were not following the road rules at school pick up time. Please be extra cautious to ensure the safety of all members of our community.
- ◆ Parents and carers are warmly welcome to join **Years 3 and 4 for Mass tomorrow** at 9:00 am.
- ◆ Please keep in your **thoughts and prayers** any members of our community who are sick or have recently lost a loved one.

I hope everyone enjoyed a relaxing long weekend!

Kellie Prendergast
Acting Principal

LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE

On Monday, 4 June, we travelled to Gosford to attend the GRIP Leadership Conference. This was held for leaders and captains from many schools across the Central Coast. We participated in activities designed to help us become better leaders and to help improve our school.

We enjoyed working with students from different schools and sharing our ideas. It was a great experience and we would love to do it again. We brought back some new strategies to support our students, our school and our community as a whole. It was a great opportunity for us to interact with other leaders, share ideas and make new friends.

On Thursday, 5 July we will be holding our Athletics Carnival at Warnervale Oval, if the rain stays away!! We hope you can join us and show your support. We would also love it if you were able to help with running the events.

Thank you!

Chloe, Ellie, Noah and Will
School Captains



IMPORTANT DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR:

- Tue 12 Jun:** Circle of Security (8:30am - 11am)
- Wed 13 Jun:** Yrs 3 & 4 - Stage 2 Mass (9am)
Maths Olympiad
- Fri 15 Jun:** Yrs 3-6 Assembly (8:20am)
- Tue 19 Jun:** Circle of Security (8:30am - 11am)
5G & 5R CARERS Day (Road & Bike Safety)
- Wed 20 Jun:** Yrs 5 & 6 - Stage 3 Mass (9am)
5B CARERS Day (Road & Bike Safety)
- Fri 22 Jun:** K-2 Assembly (8:20am)
- Tue 26 Jun:** Circle of Security (8:30am - 11am)
- Wed 27 Jun:** Yrs 1 & 2 - Stage 1 Mass (9am)
Semester 1 Reports
- Thu 28 Jun:** CCC Soccer Gala Day
- Fri 29 Jun:** K-6 Assembly &
Spirit of St Brendan's Awards (8:20am)
- 2 - 5 Jul:** Parent Sharing Week
- Tue 3 Jul:** Circle of Security (8:30am - 11am)
- Thu 5 Jul:** K-6 Athletics Carnival (Warnervale Oval)
Last Day of Term 2
- Fri 6 Jul:** Staff Development Day (Pupil Free Day)

You learn
something
everyday
if you
pay attention

- Ray Lebond