

St Angela's Primary School

Castle Hill



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Ministry of Our Lady of the Rosary Parish, Kellyville

17th September, 2020 Term 3, Week 9

Dear Parents,

We certainly have enjoyed an action packed and fun filled week at St Angela's and our school facebook page has captured these events for you. The children have really "Let their Lights Shine" as they have performed the dances they learnt during their Dance Fever lessons, shared their Year 5 Powerful Voices Speeches at our morning assemblies, participated in reflection days such as the Year 3 Mercy Day and enjoyed competing in the Yr 3-6 Athletics Fun Day. It has been beautiful to witness how all the children have encouraged and supported each other by celebrating their gifts and talents.

Seeing the delight expressed on our students' faces as they have been recognised for their learning either in the classrooms or at assembly has been an indication that despite all that they have been presented with over the last six months, our children really are very resilient and adaptive. I would particularly like to commend and thank our very professional and hard working staff for the incredible energy that they have brought to every learning opportunity throughout this term. They are truly remarkable. On behalf of the staff I would also like to thank you, our parents for all the encouragement you have given to your children as they have come to school each day and as they have participated in learning "at a distance" from your regular involvement. You continue to be amazing.

When a family's love and support is combined with the expert knowledge of teachers, it can have a significant and lasting impact:

- Children can be more likely to enjoy learning and to be motivated to do well
- * Children can have better relationships with other children, improved behaviour and greater confidence
- * Children can do better at school and are more likely to graduate and go onto college, TAFE or university
- * Children can be less likely to miss days at school

Next Friday 25th September 2020, is a Spiritual Formation Day for staff and therefore a Pupil Free Day for students. Staff will be working with Sr Patty Andrew and with Father Alejandro on the theme of "Head, Heart and Hand". Thursday 24th September will be the last day of Term 3 for students.

"Together we can do so much" Leanne Nettleton PRINCIPAL

Free Movies for Students on Clickview

Parents, did you know that you and your children can log onto Clickview at home to watch some great G- rated movies without worrying about ads or inappropriate video suggestions?

Simply follow these instructions:-

- 1. Go to https://online.clickview.com.au/SignIn
- Enter student's CEDP email address. The page should redirect to the CEnet log in page



- Enter student log in details
- 4. Where it says Diocese Choose "Parramatta Education" from the dropdown menu.

Where to find the films in Clickview?

- Once you are signed into ClickView choose Libraries
- 2. Click Primary Library
- 3. Click Films and TV



COVID-19 symptoms



Cough









Stay Safe

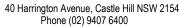
Clean your hands thoroughly for at least 20 seconds with soap and water, or an alcohol-based hand sanitiser



Cover your nose and mouth when coughing and sneezing with a tissue or your elbow. Put the tissue in the bin and wash your hands







Religious Education

Sunday, 20 September 2020: Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year A

Gospel Mt 20:1-16



Parable of the workers in the vineyard.

Have you thought? Equality or Equity?

How would you feel if you had done a full day's work and were paid the same as someone who had only worked for one hour? Is the landowner in the parable being unjust? He pays the workers exactly what he promised them but he promised everyone the same amount, regardless of when they started work. The workers who started at 6.00 am complain. How do you think the workers who started later in the day felt? The landowner claims the right to be generous - is generosity unfair? There is a difference between treating people equally and equitably. What has the landowner done here?

Source: Liturgyhelp.com Reflection by Greg Sunter

OLOR Parish Confirmation Program

Congratulations to our Year 6 students who received the Sacrament of Confirmation this week. Many thanks to your parents and sponsors for their loving support and guidance in preparing you for this sacrament. May the gifts of the Holy Spirit continue to guide you in your faith journey.

Year 3 Mercy Day - Congratulations to our Year 3 students on a successful Mercy Day on Wednesday 16th September. It was a wonderful celebration and sharing of faith and learning as they conclude their unit on mercy and sacrifice. Thank you to Miss Claxton, Mrs Newbury, Mrs Moller and Mrs Rubelj for all your work to make this a meaningful experience for the students. We especially thank Father Alejandro for sharing a reflective morning on the scripture of the generous landowner.

Jocelyn Williams Religious Education Coordinator

Kindergarten 2021 Orientation

As we await updated COVID 19 information for Term 4 from NSW Health, we are not able to communicate firm plans for Kindergarten 2021 Orientation. Arrangements for this very important transition programme for our newest members to St Angela's are being prepared behind the scenes and as soon as we know that we are able to go ahead we will inform families.

Peer Support Week 9 – A Better Friend

In this week's final session of the Peer Support module Keeping Friends the children will be participating in a board game, reinforcing all of the concepts and skills that have been learned over the past 7 weeks.

They will be reminded of the qualities of a good friend and the skills needed to maintain friendships and make new friends. Each Peer Support group will have the opportunity to celebrate what they have learned and the new friendships and connections they have made.

Upcoming Dates



Week 9

Friday 18th September Peer Support

> 7pm Confirmation Ceremony

Week 10

Dance Fever Monday 21st September

Tuesday 22nd September K-2 Athletics Carnival

Students only

Wednesday 23rd September Year 5 Geography PBL Showcase (Students only)

2pm Live awards ceremony for the Year 6 Hip Hop

Challenge

Thursday 24th September Sports Mufti to support Bohal Orphanage (Gold or

Fold)

Friday 25th September Last Day of Term 3

> Pupil Free Staff Development Day -Spiritual Formation

Term 4 begins Monday 12th October

CONGRATULATIONS!

congratulate the amazing student musicians who have been 'keeping the music alive' at school during these crazy times.

Whilst we have not had the chance to showcas your wonderful talents on the stage, we want you all to know that you have blown us away with your resilience and creativity. You should be very proud!

A massive thankyou must also go to your teachers, parents and the whole school community who have helped support you through these times

We look forward to seeing you all next term!



Year 3 Mercy Day

On Wednesday 16th September, Year 3 participated in Mercy Day to consolidate their learning in Religion this term. Their learning has been guided by the Beatitude 'Blessed are the merciful for they shall receive mercy' Matthew 5:7. The students have been engaging in activities to deepen their understanding and importance of the sacrament Reconciliation. The day focused on the inquiry question -"How am I merciful in my daily life?"

Throughout the day, the children heard from Father Alejandro, participated in various reflection activities and acted as Apostles of Mercy, sharing their learning with others. The children participated in all activities with reverence and enthusiasm. It was a pleasure to see all their learning this term make such an impact on them and their faith.





Celebrating Our Gifts

(Awards presented on Friday 04/09/2020)

Academíc
Excellence

St Angela's

Grace Lim KB Evelyn Vallejo KG Emma Houghton Boreham KY Maximus Orefice 1B Sarah D'Cruz 1G Mila Abeyaratne 1Y Alexis Foxe 2B Annelise Araneda 2G Giada Genio 2Y Zac Vallejo 3B

Claire Ison KB Estelle Karam KG Lorenzo Sarmiento KY Madeline Dafter 1B Joshua Halpin 1G Jessica Guirreri 1Y Lauren Spragg 2B Patrick Crowley 2G Sienna Bressi 2Y Caitlyn Rodriguez 3B Annelise Guirreri 3G

Charlize Woodham 3Y Jacob David 4B

Finn Sweeney 3G

Kirealea Crowe 4G

Dominique Southwood 4Y

Tiani Layoun 5B

Zoe Crowley 5G

Sophia Raad 5Y

Jessica White 6B

Isabella Camron 6G

Jack Hall 6Y

Award

Chloe Khairy 3Y

Leah Benedict 4B

Zara Abeyaratne 4G

Jayden Younis 4Y

Alexandra Huynh 5B

Chelsea Mowbray 5G

William Taylor 5Y

Kaija Knevitt 6B

Lucas Seda 6G

Matthew Metcalfe 6Y



(Awards presented on Friday 11/09/2020)

Academíc Excellence

St Angela's Award

Danai Muregerera KB Zara Naidu KG Vanessa Boumelhem KY

Kelci Reese Anonical 1B Lewis Norrish 1G

Hudson McEnearney 1Y

Holly McGaulley 2B Willow Neeld 2G

Alana Laird 2Y

Eloise Hansell 3B

Isabella Arrastia 3G

Mikayla Martin 3Y

Eva Aguilar 4B

Misha Belle 4G

Charlotte Thompson 4Y

Luciana Castillo 5B

Georgia Lee 5G

Isaac Gunasekera 5Y

Stefan Geoghegan 6B

Jorja McKnight 6G Ava De Carlo 6Y

Olivia Gale Abesamis KB

Grace BaylisKG

Tia Lawlor KY

Norah Siountris 1B Alexander Bruegger 1G

Tiahna Barjacoba 1Y

Rita Dabit 2B

Ray Zhang 2G

Tanyaradzwa Muregerera

Ryan Shepherd 3B

Kaeden Hochstetter 3G

Mathis Ma 3Y

Gia Lorelle Anonical 4B

Matilda Scothern 4G

Justin Malinao 4Y

Ciara Crowley 5B

Sean Phung 5G

Keeran Mazuvancheri-Perera 5Y

Jessica Mitchell 6B

Jessica Lester 6G

Matthew Metcalfe 6Y

Happy birthday to members of our St Angela's community who will celebrate their birthday this coming week;

<u>September</u> Tuesday 22nd Giulio Muscardo Joshua Hall

Wednesday 23rd Cayleigh Mantua Sienna Glass Abbey Vengoa

Karina Greenfield

Thursday 24th Sebastián Raad Friday 25th Sebastian Brook Isabella Halfhide Mia Young

Saturday 26th Clarissa Gumuljo Olivia Joukhaďar

Sunday 27th Jack O'Neill Reese Sargent

St Angela's Debating Competition 2020

Congratulations to all involved in the 2nd round of our St Angela's Debating Competition.

Two teams from St Angela's debated each other on the topic, "Beauty is skin deep."

Both teams presented some challenging arguments resulting in the negative team winning the debate.

Affirmative Team	Negative Team
Vanessa Tesoriero	Tristen Gunawardhana
Luke Watson	Emma Lang
Madison Tedros	Vanessa Bell
Brandon D'Silva	Jemima Scothern

Thank you to all the parents involved for supporting your child in the lead up to the debate.

Ms Ogilvie, Mrs Newbury and Miss Fizely

Sent Home This Week:

Emailed: Letter from Very Rev Chris de Souza Vicar General Episcopal Vicar for Education & Formation, Year 2 Science Incursion, 3-6 Athletics Fun Day, Year 3 Mercy Day,

Hard Copy: Letter to 1 Green Parents