

# St Angela's Primary School

**Castle Hill** 

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<u>Sending Home Information and News about Education</u> <u>Ministry of Our Lady of the Rosary Parish, Kellyville</u>

We acknowledge the Darug people, the traditional custodians on whose land we educate our students.

#### PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Welcome to our 4th and final term for 2022. The year is certainly passing quickly.

The holidays were a wonderful time to catch up with family and friends and just to generally "go at a slower pace". I encourage you to try and take time out where and when you can during this busy term to spend time with family and friends, most particularly with your children who very easily get caught up with the busyness of everyday life at this time of the year. The staff look forward to another term of welcoming our parents, families and extended family into the school as we let our light shine each and every day. Please refer to the Parent Calendar, School Newsletter and What's Happening at St Angela's to keep updated about school events this term.

During the holidays, work commenced on commissioning the demountables located at the Orleans Way end of the school. This included connecting services - electricity, communications, plumbing and security. As you may have noticed, builders fencing has been added to the pathway leading from Orleans Way to make the children's entry and exit safer. Supervised student access through the back gate will be from 8:05am as usual. Tradesmen are required to access the site prior to 7:40am and close the gate after that time. In the afternoon the gate will open again as usual when the teachers bring the children to the gate to be dismissed. Work was also commenced within the demountables making them ready for our class groups. On Thursday of Week 2 another demountable will be positioned in the back area of the school and will be commissioned along with the others.

In term 4 we will continue to utilize the Centenary of Anzac Reserve across the road in Wrights Road at lunch times for our Stage 2 and 3 students - this was a huge success last term with the students looking forward to their turn to go across the road.

St Francis' Feast Day and Our Lady of the Rosary Feast days were celebrated over the holidays. They are both very special for our Christ Centred St Angela's community. St Angela's is part of the Our Lady of the Rosary Parish, Kellyville which is pastored by the Franciscan priests - led by Fr Alejandro. The Franciscans are a worldwide Order, of both priests and brothers, who have dedicated themselves to follow the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ in the spirit of St Francis of Assisi. St Francis was a man of God who lived a life of simplicity and humility. Francis discovered God and all about him in nature and the beauty of creation. He encouraged the people of his time to reverence God in one another and to love the earth and all her creatures. St Angela's school environment reflects our care for the earth in the spirit of St Francis and appreciation of nature.

#### **Best Wishes**

On behalf of the St Angela's community, we extend our best wishes to all Year 12 students who are undertaking their final school exams over the next 3 weeks.

May they be enriched by the gifts of the Holy Spirit Wisdom, Understanding, Fortitude and Knowledge. Grant them the strength to face their examinations and the satisfaction of achieving their personal best.

"Together we can achieve so much" Leanne Nettleton PRINCIPAL Welcome to Term 4! During the holidays our church celebrated a couple of feast days which we have gathered to reflect on at this week's morning assemblies.

#### St Francis of Assisi feast day



4th October - We thank Miss McRoberts and Kindergarten Green for leading us in prayer on Wednesday. It was a solemn reflection on the life of St Francis and how he inspires us everyday to care for creation.

#### **Our Lady of Our Rosary**

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#### October as the Month of the Rosary



The month of October is a powerful time to draw close to Our Blessed Mother by praying the Rosary. She loves it when we draw near to her in trust. Praying the Rosary is similar to small children reaching up to hold the hand of their mother in complete trust. During her lifetime, Mother Teresa always carried a rosary in her hand. In this way, she said, she was holding Mary's hand. Saint Louis de Montfort said, "Mary is the safest, easiest, shortest, and most perfect way of approaching Jesus." May she draw us ever nearer to her Immaculate Heart and to that of her beloved Son.

Our Lady of the Rosary, Our Lady of Victory – Pray for us!

#### St Angela's Mini Vinnies

Thank you to all students in Years 3 to 5 who submitted their application to be part of Mini Vinnies. They would have found out today who will be part of the very first Mini Vinnies group at St Angela's. We are proud of how you will continue to let your light shine in your new mission.





## Celebrating Our Gifts

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Learníng Excellence	St Angela's Award	
Sophia Beshay KB	Samuel You KB	
Isabella Guimenez KG	Jake Vellon KG	
Edgardo Franco Espinosa KY	Leah Ryan KY	
Ava Holeva 1B	Maddison Cooray 1B	
Eden Alexander 1G	Alexandra Chehade 1G	
Isabelle Riley 1Y	Charlotte Moran 1Y	
Tia Lawlor 2B	Amelia Abdow 2B	
Reese Sargent 2G	Hillary Roditis 2G	
Lucas Tassone 2Y	Brendan Fadeli 2Y	
Oliver Newbury 3B	Arabella Fameron 3B	
Beth Kenny 3G	Benjamin Morr 3G	
Joseph Dababneh 3Y	Joshua Halpin 3Y	
Kira Layoun 4B	Amelia Baylis 4B	
Havana Seydler 4G	Mason Stopps 4G	
James Lang 4Y	Skye Doyle 4Y	
Alyssa Dababneh 5B	Ava Morgan 5B	
Patrick Netana 5G	Vivaan Goel 5Y	
Eloise Hansell 5Y	Victor Demartini 5G	
Charlotte Thompson 6B	Marcus Ma 6B	
Ashlee McKnight 6G	Cassidy Southwood 6G	
Edgardo Franco Espinosa KY	Rusty Smith 6Y	

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Matthew David KB	Abigail Vavayis KB
Stella Williams KG	Vienna Sosa KG
Luke Lin KY	Joshua Bacon KY
Jacob Tadiaman 1B	Paige Doyle 1B
Noah Dib 1G	Calissa Layoun 1G
Samuel Sourial 1Y	Riley Muscat 1Y
Siena Boumelhem 2B	Xavier Zullo 2B
Lachlan Lashlie 2G	Vanessa Boumelhem 2G
Keira Vavasour 2Y	Shuya Wang 2Y
Norah Siountris 3B	Lewis Norrish 3B
Joshua Raad 3G	Chloe Barbara 3G
Charlize Barnett 3Y	Daniel Moor 3Y
Jack Hewlett 4B	Borui Zhang 4B
Elizabeth Glendenning 4G	Elizabeth Cornish 4G
Rafferty Castillo 4Y	Mia Vassallo 4Y
Julia Tinelli Forthaus 5B	Bodhi Neeld 5B
Flynn Wilson 5G	Ivy Tole 5G
Finnegan Brook 5Y	Claire Alcock 5Y
Jagger Woodham 6B	Mason Kelly 6B
Elly Gohil-Bozic 6G	Adalyn Lewis 6G
Dominique Southwood 6Y	Jayden Younis 6Y

# **UPCOMING EVENTS**

#### Term 4

Week 1

Friday 14th October Yr 1 Excursion to Sydney Zoo

Tuesday 18th October Yr 6 Fizzics Incursion

Infants K-1 Athletics Carnival 11-12.30pm Friday 21st October

World Mission Prayer Assembly 5B

Kindergarten Assembly Mini Vinnies Members Mtg

Week 3

Mon 24th & Tues 25th October Year 5 Camp

Thursday 27th October Year 2 Liturgy 2.20pm parents welcome Friday 28th October Year 3 Assembly @ 2pm parents welcome

Week 4

Tuesday 1st November **Grandparents Day** 

Wednesday 3rd November All Souls Prayer Assembly 5G

Week 5

Wednesday 9th November Kindergarten 2023 Parent Info Evening @

7pm

#### **SENT HOME THIS WEEK:**

**Emailed from Compass** 

Whole School: What's on at St Angela's this week

> School Uniforms in Term 4 Term 4 Parent Calendar

2023 School Bus Opal Card Application

Kindergarten and Year 1 Athletics Carnival 2022 Reminder

Kindergarten Grade Overview—Term 4

Year 1 Year 1 Grade Overview—Term 4

Year 2 Year 2 Grade Overview—Term 4

Year 3 Year 3 Grade Overview—Term 4

Year 4 Year 4 Grade Overview—Term 4

Year 5 Grade Overview—Term 4 Year 5

**Fizzics Incursion** Year 6

Dinner Dance

Year 6 Grade Overview—Term 4

Year 3-6 Stage 2 & Stage 3 Touch Football Gala Day



# Happy birthday to members of our St Angela's community who are celebrating their birthday this coming week

23rd September	8th October
Charles Kenny	Elise Rasquinha
Sienna Glass	Maddison Cooray
Cayleigh Mantua	Taylor Manio
	Olivia Stuart
24th September	Zarah Ciccia
Samuel Sourial	
Sebastian Raad	9th October
	Georgia Hoare
25th September	Marcus Ma
Isabela Halfhide	Olivia Siligato
Sebastian Brook	
	11th October
27th September	Oliver Burchill
Reese Sargent	Gabriel Edouard
	Zachary Lane
28th September	Miss McEntee
Jared Prescilla	
Eva Garcia-Loyola	12th October
Sofia Garcia-Loyola	Zac Holeva
	Mason Stopps
29th October	
Mrs Sandri	13th October
	Shuxin Wang
30th September	44th Ostabas
Ayden Martin	14th October
Dominic Jodlowski-Tan	Lily Mogan
1st Ostobou	Seth Peterson
1st October Aiden Rambow	Mrs Kiaian
Alden Kambow	15th October
2nd October	John-Alexander Dabit
	Domenic Trimboli
Ivy Tole	Scarlett Sosa
3rd October	Scarlett 308a
Matthew David	16th October
Jake Vallon	Jack Hewlett
Olivia Scanlon	Jack Hewlett
Madeline Reilly	17th October
wadeline Kelliy	Florence Guglielmi
4th October	Olivia Raad
Julius Barba	Madeline Pace
Janus Barba	Waterine Face
6th October	18th October
Azariah AbuDuhou	Jake Perkins
Keira vavasour	
Adriana Tikellis	19th October
	Lucia Mauceri
7th October	
Alexandra Chehade	20th October

# **Year 1 Parent Helpers Needed**

Ava Buckley

Mr DeSouza

Mrs Castro

We are looking for Year 1 Parent helpers for the Infant's K-1 Athletics Carnival on Tuesday 18th October, 2022.

If you are able to assist please send through an email to St Angela's and we will forward it on to Mrs Mazza.



To the lovely St Angela's Community,

We cannot begin to thank you enough for the generosity we have received from students, parents and teachers schoolwide. This is a very exciting time in our lives and we will never forget all that St Angela's has done for us.

We are very blessed to be a part of such a supportive community and truly appreciate everything that has been organised to celebrate the next chapter of our lives.

Many thanks,

Mr Anthony Stagnitta and Miss Gemma McRoberts.



#### Stage 2 & 3 Combined Touch Football Gala Day

The new date for the Stage 2 & 3 Combined Touch Football Gala Day is Friday 4th November. Training will resume in week 2, Wednesdays Stage 2 (Years 3 and 4) Thursdays Stage 3 (Years 5 and 6).

Thank you to the parents who have volunteered to help manage a team at the Touch Football Gala Day. If anyone is available or might know someone who can referee on the day, please contact Mrs Mazza as we still need more referees for the day.

### **Notification of leaving St Angela's Primary**

We are currently planning for the 2023 school year. At this time of the year there may be movement of families out of the area. If your family will not be continuing at St Angela's in 2023 please notify the office via email as soon as possible so that a "Ädvice of Withdrawal Form" can be emailed to you.

#### COVID

Families at St Angela's continue to experience COVID cases, so it is important for you to monitor your children for symptoms and keep them at home if they are unwell. We will also contact you if your child feels unwell at school. Please also be vigilant about the early signs of influenza which require you to keep your children at home to ensure that we continue to maintain a healthy environment for the children and staff while at school. Thank you for following the COVID communication protocols below.

#### **COVID SAFE PROTOCOLS**

All students, families and staff are requested to follow NSW Health's advice to reduce the risk of not only transmitting COVID-19, but also other illnesses that may affect schools this winter such as the flu.

New COVID Guidelines came into force from October 14. This includes:

- NSW Health strongly recommends people who are sick or have tested positive to COVID-19 stay home until their symptoms have gone.
- •Please inform the school if your child is absent due to COVID.

Thank you for all that you do to support the health of students and staff.

## **Congratulations to our COLOUR FUN DAY TOP FUNDRAISER PRIZE WINNERS FOR 2022**

### **Major Prize:**

InterContinental Sydney Double Bay	An overnight stay for a family at the InterContinental in Double Bay in a Bayside room, valued at \$800.00	Vienna Sosa KG
Robert Cliff Master Jewellers	Gift card, valued at \$500.00	Zachary Worseman 3B
Totally Workwear	Gift voucher for the Totally Workwear store, valued at \$300.00	Maximus Orifice 3Y
Endota Spa, Castle Hill and InterContinental Sydney, Double Bay	Gift voucher and hand cream prize pack & A deliciously decadent high tea experience for two at the InterContinental Sydney Double Bay, valued at \$150.00	Emilia Holland KY
InterContinental Sydney, Double Bay	A deliciously decadent high tea experience for two at the InterContinental Sydney Double Bay, valued at \$150.00	Marcus Eltakchi 3Y
InterContinental Sydney Double Bay	A deliciously decadent high tea experience for two at the InterContinental Sydney Double Bay, valued at \$150.00	Chloe Eltakchi 6Y
Sydney Zoo	A family pass of four tickets to Sydney Zoo donated by Totally Workwear, valued at \$135.00	Luke Eltakchi 1B
Taronga Zoo	A family pass for two adults and two children for Taronga Zoo Sydney, valued at \$130.00	Zara Naidu 2Y
Featherdale Sydney & Hunter Valley Wildlife Parks	A family day pass for two adults and two children for entry into Featherdale Sydney Wildlife park or Hunter Valley Wildlife park, valued at \$115.00	Abigail Vavayis KB Alexander Bruegger 3G
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Parramatta Riverside Theatre	Family Pass to A Bee Story 30th Sept - 1st Oct Donation valued at \$108.95	Oliver Burchill KY
Event Cinemas	Two Gold Class movie vouchers and two drink vouchers, valued at \$100.00	Cara Villanueva KB
Local Trade	\$100 Gift Voucher for the Local Trade at Kellyville	Charlotte Moran 1Y
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Patrico Jewellers, Kellyville	Swarovski Necklace	Arianna Vallejo 3G
Event Cinemas	Gold Class movie Gift Card \$100.00	Oliver Todd KB
Event Cinemas	Gold Class movie Gift Card \$100.00	Moses Estera 6B
Event Cinemas	Gold Class movie Gift Card \$100.00	Olivia Katipunan 1Y
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