



St Angela's Primary School

Castle Hill

SHINE

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Ministry of Our Lady of the Rosary Parish, Kellyville

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Term 3, Week 10

Dear Parents,

Dancing with the Stars.

Congratulations to all our students who participated in the Dance Fever extravaganza at Homebush last Friday evening. St Angela's certainly 'Let Their Light Shine' and were an absolute stand out! We were in the A pool and received trophies for coming first in the Yr 5 overall, Yr 6 overall, overall Best School and best Show Dance. This is certainly a credit to the students. I am extremely proud of the over 130 Year 3 to 6 children who participated. Great fun was had by all on the evening. Thank you to the parents for their support and to the many staff that were present on the evening to ensure all ran smoothly. (See further highlights of the night in this Shine).

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What an Amazing Term!

So many great achievements across so many different areas.

It is hard to believe that Term 3 concludes today. I would like to thank our outstanding St Angela's community of children, parents, priests and staff for making every school day an opportunity to 'Let Your Light Shine' and a place where faith, fun and learning take place every day. I wish to also thank the many people who give so generously of their time and so much more, all for the children, knowing that it is in giving that they truly receive. To the dedicated staff of St Angela's who, together with you, provide an outstanding level of Catholic education and care for the children, we say thank you for a wonderful Term 3. I look forward to Term 4. Take care over the holiday period. I encourage you to take time out with your family to enjoy and appreciate each other. There is never a better time than right now to spend time with those you love.

Thank you for your continued support. It is in partnership that we can achieve great things for our children.

Tony Calabria
Principal



A reminder that tomorrow, Friday 28th September is a Staff Development/Pupil Free Day
Staff will gather for a day of spirituality.
Today is the last day of term for the children. School resumes for staff and students on Monday 15th October.

Diocesan Voice of Youth Grand Final Social Justice Award

Congratulations to Dana Adan (6B) who spoke beautifully at the Diocesan Voice of Youth yesterday. The thought provoking speech on 'Poverty', was awarded the highly acclaimed Social Justice Award. To compete at this level is an outstanding achievement. St Angela's has now reached the grand final for three consecutive years. This is certainly noteworthy and to all accounts never before accomplished.



We are Proud of all our Athletes.

Congratulations to our St Angela's McKillop team members who proudly represented their school, zone, diocese and McKillop. Special congratulations to Oshi Kirkley and Keira Murphy who now progress to the state championships. See this Shine for the amazing results!

We Love a Good Pie and Sausage Roll! Thank You

Our appreciation to the following parents, who helped provide our Special Food Day on Tuesday: Wayne Davie, Donna Collins, Jo Evans, Cecile Fitsimmons, Louisa Laird, Donna May, Michelle McEneaney, Sonia O'Rourke and Estela Singh. Your time and efforts are greatly appreciated.

Kindergarten 2019 Information Evening For Parents

Our Kindergarten 2019 Parent Information Evening will be held on Wednesday 24th October at 7.00pm in the school hall.

Next Cyber Installment 'You Tube' and 'Managing Your Reputation'.

Following on from our Cyber Safety talk with Constable Rob Paterson see coming home via email soon, the next two installments of valuable information sheets (You Tube and Managing Your Reputation), to assist parents in ensuring safe and responsible use of technology. All information presented can also be viewed on the <https://esafety.gov.au/> website. It is certainly worth a few minutes of your time.

Supporting the Bohol Orphanage - Philippines

St Angela's, as part of our social justice outreach program, last Friday supported the Orphanage in Bohol to help make a difference in the lives of those less fortunate. Children wore their favourite sports code colours from any sporting code. For the privilege, they were asked to bring in a gold or fold donation for the orphanage in the Philippines. Thank you for your generosity which helped raise approximately \$1300.00 for those in need.

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Religious Education

Sunday, 30 Sep 2018: Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B

Gospel Mk 9:38-43. 45. 47-48

Anyone who is not against us is for us. If your hand should cause you to sin, cut it off.

John said to Jesus, 'Master, we saw a man who is not one of us casting out devils in your name; and because he was not one of us we tried to stop him.' But Jesus said, 'You must not stop him: no one who works a miracle in my name is likely to speak evil of me. Anyone who is not against us is for us.'

'If anyone gives you a cup of water to drink just because you belong to Christ, then I tell you solemnly, he will most certainly not lose his reward.'

'But anyone who is an obstacle to bring down one of these little ones who have faith, would be better thrown into the sea with a great millstone round his neck. And if your hand should cause you to sin, cut it off; it is better for you to enter into life crippled, than to have two hands and go to hell, into the fire that cannot be put out. And if your foot should cause you to sin, cut it off; it is better for you to enter into life lame, than to have two feet and be thrown into hell. And if your eye should cause you to sin, tear it out; it is better for you to enter into the kingdom of God with one eye, than to have two eyes and be thrown into hell where their worm does not die nor their fire go out.'

Q. How do the people we mix with impact our ideas and actions?

Q. How might the teaching about cutting off what causes sin be relevant to your life?

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On Wednesday, Year 1 celebrated a whole grade liturgy centred on the Sacrament of Baptism. Together they recalled their own baptism and that of Jesus' in the River Jordan. It is through our baptism that we are welcomed into the Church community. They gave thanks for the many gifts that have been poured on them through the Holy Spirit in the Sacrament of Baptism.



End of Term Prayer

We thank you Lord, for this term.

For the challenges, the success, and the mistakes from which we have learnt.

Be with us as we spend time with our family and friends.

Give us strength to do what is right, to give time and help to others,

And to be peacemakers in our families.

Keep us safe in our activities and

Bring us back refreshed and ready for a new term.

Amen

Sport Days for Term 4

Please find outlined below the days your child will be required to wear their sport uniform in Term 4:

Kindergarten	Tuesday and Thursday
Year 1	Monday and Thursday
Year 2	Monday and Thursday
Year 3	Wednesday and Friday
Year 4	Tuesday and Friday
Year 5	Monday and Wednesday
Year 6	Wednesday and Friday

Summer Uniform Term 4

Summer uniforms can be ordered through our uniform supplier, Oz Fashions, via the order form on our website under School Information, School Notes, Whole School, School Uniform Order Form and either send it into school or email the form directly to Elle at Oz Fashions at elle@ozfashions.com.au. We would expect that all children are in their summer uniform by the first day of next term, Monday 15th October.



Upcoming Dates

TERM 3

Week 10

Friday 28th Sept

Staff Development/Pupil Free Day
(Staff will be focusing on Religious Education)

TERM 4

Week 1

Monday 15th October

Term 4 commences
Students return to school.

Tuesday 16th October

8:45am Optional Parent Screening
Year 5 PD Health DVD

Saturday 20th October

OLOR Parish Fete
10am - 8pm here at St Angela's

Week 2

Tuesday 23rd October

8:45am Parent Rep Meeting

7:00pm Year 5 Personal Development
Evening for parents and students.

Wednesday 24th October

7:00pm Kindergarten Information Night

Friday 26th October

8:30 am - 2:50 pm School Hall
Year 4 Fizzics Incursion/Science Day

Theme for the week:

"Keeping Our Children Safe"

At St Angela's, in the last week and the first week of each term, each class takes time to discuss the protective behaviour themes of:

"We all have the right to feel safe all of the time"

"Nothing is so awful that you can't tell someone about it"

.... So that children feel comfortable at all times to approach people on their network.

This is an opportune time to talk to your children about being safe in the holidays.

Understanding, Tolerance and Inclusion

Reflection

As always, parents teach by example

- ◇ Notice your own attitudes.
- ◇ Remember that children are always listening. Be aware of the way you talk about people who are different from yourself. Do not make jokes that perpetuate stereotypes.
- ◇ Select books, toys, music, art, and videos carefully.
- ◇ Point out and talk about unfair stereotypes that may be portrayed in media
- ◇ Answer children's questions about differences honestly and respectfully. This teaches that it is acceptable to notice and discuss differences as long as it is done with respect.
- ◇ Acknowledge and respect differences within your own family. Demonstrate acceptance of your children's differing abilities, interests, and styles. Value the uniqueness of each member of your family
- ◇ Help your children feel good about themselves.
- ◇ Honour your family's traditions and teach them to your children.

Daylight Saving

A reminder that Daylight Saving starts Sunday 7th October. Clocks are put forward one hour.



Celebrating Our Gifts

(Awards presented on Friday 21/9/18)

Academic Excellence

Sienna Bressi KB
James Morr KB
Jack Hewlett KG
Cavarni Morsillo KY
Oliver Como 1B
Finn Sweeney 1G
Ivy Tole 1Y
Theodorus Kinsong 2B
Alana Younan 2G
Cristian Frasca 2Y
Aaron Zlomislic 3B
Keeran Mazuvancheri-Perera 3G
Noah Celano 3Y
Sean Collins 4B
Cooper Mills 4G
Dominic Piperata 4Y
Clarissa Burgess 5B
Madison Nasr 5G
Kingsley Barnett 5Y
Enrique Hanza 6B
Cameron McCranor 6G
Isabella Hall 6Y

St Angela's Award

Susie Wang KG
Kira Layoun KY
Anika-Klara Muller 1B
Lachlan Thew 1G
Mikayla Zlomislic 1Y
Daniella Zeaiter 2B
Adalyn Lewis 2G
Holly Brincat 2Y
Joseph Sultana 3B
Christian Mendoza 3G
Nicholas Heanes 3Y
Jessica Mitchell 4B
Domenic Stornelli 4G
Gabriel Younan 4Y
Anthony El-Rahi 5B
Joel Foxe 5G
Noah Granero 5Y
Rachael Rodrigues 6B
Aaliyah Netana 6G
Benedict Solomon 6Y



Happy Birthday!



Happy birthday to members of our St Angela's community who will celebrate their birthday during the holidays and the first week of next term:

OCTOBER

Mon 1st Oct
Madison Tedros
Aidan Rambow
Tues 2nd Oct
Vaughn Bagus
Ivy Tole
Wed 3rd Oct
Max Bourne
Nicholas Eric
Fri 5th Oct
Tyler Olan
Sat 6th Oct
Adriana Tikellis
Paul Colet
Jessica Tallaridi
Sun 7th Oct
Jada Yu
Sienna Fonseca
Caitlin McNamara
Mrs Castro
Mon 8th Oct
Mrs Powell
Zarah Ciccio
Tues 9th Oct
Marcus Ma
Alex Milas
Domenic Stornelli
Olivia Siligato
Wed 10th Oct
Isabella Polic
Thurs 11th Oct
James O'Donnell
Zachary Lane

Fri 12th Oct
Mason Stopps
Taylor Brett
Madison Nasr
Sat 13th Oct
Samuel Jesuorobo
Jasmine Oakey
Susie Wang
Sun 14th Oct
Seth Petersen
Mon 15th Oct
Scarlett Sosa
William Taylor
Romik Gulumian
Tues 16th Oct
Jack Hewlett
Mrs Szady
Wed 17th Oct
Finya Begg
Madeline Pace
Thurs 18th Oct
Jake Perkins
Charlize McDonaldcia
Fri 19th Oct
Matthew Rae
Sat 20th Oct
Cooper Mills
Lara Gomes Pestana
Lachlan Pillion



Thank you ...

Thank you to the large number of parents who have given generously of their time and support in so many ways this term at St Angela's. This includes helping with fun(d)raising, excursions, annual golf day, sporting events, netball gala day, dance fever, Father's day gifts and morning tea, literacy, numeracy, parent meetings, library assistance, special food days, athletics carnivals, uniform sales, debating, canteen and book club. We truly appreciate your support.



St Angela's Chess Club will commence for all students in Years 3-6 next term. Interested children will be given details in Week 1 of Term 4. This is a fun and exciting opportunity for students to become involved in an extracurricular activity which promotes critical and strategic thinking. We are looking forward to an exciting competition. Get practising over the holidays! All are welcome.

GRANDPARENTS DAY
Friday November 9, 2018
Term 4, Week 4



SPORTS NEWS

McKillop Wrap Up

MacKillop Athletics Trials

On Monday 24th September Keira Murphy, Oshi Kirkley, Ariella Colosimo, Sophie Watson, Mia Jacobs, Noah Granero, Annika Benning, Ryan Sloan and Aiden Crowley represented their school, zone, diocese and McKillop. Just to put this achievement into perspective MacKillop is all the Catholic schools in NSW from the Parramatta, Canberra /Goulburn, Wollongong, Wagga Wagga and Sydney Diocese. It is a fantastic achievement to compete at this level.

St Angela's results were outstanding. What talented athletes we have!

The senior girls relay team (Keira, Sophie, Mia and Ariella) finished 5th in the final.

Noah Granero 6th Shot put
Aiden Crowley 11th High Jump
Annika Benning 12th Shot put
Ryan Sloan 5th in the 800m
Mia Jacobs 11th 800m
Keira Murphy 9th High Jump,

The biggest excitement of the day was seeing Keira Murphy finish 3rd in the 200m and 800m and then watching Oshi Kirkley win, 1st place in the 100m and 1st place in the 200m (look out Usain Bolt). What a highlight of the year. Keira and Oshi will now compete at the NSWPSA Athletics Championships at the end of October at Homebush.

Congratulations to everyone on such a successful athletic season.

Andra Hemmings

Thank you once again to Mrs Hemmings for another outstanding term of sporting success, achievements and fun participation for all students.

Dance Fever Challenge Night

What a sensational night! Our St. Angela's students showcased their talents, good behaviour and sense of 'having a go'. The children were a credit to our school and to themselves.

We had amazing results. Overall winners in Year 5, Year 6, Overall School winner in our section and Overall Winners for the Show dance!

Our individual winners on the evening were:

Waltz

1st Place

Angelina Tallaridi & Domenic Laird
Mischa Vujnovich & Oliver Vujnovich

2nd Place

Kaija Kneivitt & Ava De Carlo

3rd Place

Luciana Castillo & Ryan Sloan
Ariella Colosimo & Joel Foxe
Keira Murphy & Dylan Manio



Samba

1st Place

Mischa Vujnovich & Oliver Vujnovich
Alannah Bridge & Aaliyah Netana

2nd Place

Angelina Tallaridi & Domenic Laird
Jemima Scothern and Yasmin Davie

3rd Place

Ariella Colosimo & Joel Foxe



Congratulations to these and all the children who participated in the fun. St Angela's shone on the night. Thank you to the team of dedicated teachers who attended, the supportive parents and, of course, all of the children. We also thought we would share with you a message we received from a parent on the evening about the wonderful night:

To the staff at St Angela's

I write this as I am still on a high from the amazing night that was Dance Fever!

My heart is bursting at how amazing each and every child performed and gave their all to the night.

To the amazing teachers that were there tonight to encourage and assist- I thank you and commend you. To give up your Friday night to be with your students and to have more energy than normal was astounding.

My heart is bursting from pride and adulation for what St Angela's achieved tonight. It was our first experience and definitely not our last - I have the happiest child in the world tonight and for that feeling of accomplishment and for being part of a team environment- I am so very grateful.

Regards, a very proud parent



Our infants dance showcase on Monday morning was very well attended with children enjoying a dance with each other and their mum or dad (their number 1 dance partner).



Checkout our Facebook page to view our award winning Showdance and additional photos.

Premier's Reading Challenge

Congratulations to Kindergarten, Year One and Year Two for completing the Premier's Reading Challenge, as well as the following children;

Year 3

Amelia Blackwell, Zachary Brook, Gabriella Fernandes, Emeline Fitzsimons, Keeran Mazuvancheri-Perera, Olivia Miletic, Jasmine Oakey, Connor Paton, Lucca Piotto, Carlo Scida.

Year 4

Jessica Araneda, Freya Begg, Emma Lang, Matthew Metcalfe, Cooper Mills, Nitika Nirmalan, Sean Salib.

Year 5

Dominic Darmudi, Aimon Fitzsimons, Jason Herbas, Cairo Piotto, Harrison Valenzisi, Noah Wheatley.

Year 6

Amalia Araneda, Finya Begg, Jessica Herbas, Charlotte Hogan, Riley Hogan, Bianca May.

Peer Support

Thank you to all our year six leaders who have participated as leaders during our Peer Support program. The Year 6 students are to be commended for their diligence and enthusiasm to make this an exciting experience for the whole school. Congratulations Year 6. Your efforts have been greatly appreciated by the whole school community.

"It was a fun learning experience and everyone participated with enthusiasm. Peer Support gave us an opportunity to mature in leadership skills. Throughout Peer Support we were able to establish friendships with younger children within our school. These past two terms we followed a module that focused on Friendship and Resilience. During the sessions some of the things we worked on were, establishing connections, identifying personal qualities and strengths, discussing skills and achievements, recognising people we trust to support us and encouraging resilient responses. All of Year 6 enjoyed meeting new students and participating in the exciting activities. It will be a memorable part of our Year 6 journey".

By: Alannah Bridge, Isabella Polic, Madlen Gunasekera and Amalia Araneda.

Parent Representative Meeting

The parent representative meeting for Term 4 for those who are available will be held in Week 2, Tuesday October 23rd, at 8:45am in the staffroom. We will be discussing planned activities for Term 4 and future initiatives.

Term 4 Dates for 2018

15th October to 19th December (last day of school for the children).

20th and 21st December - Staff Development Days

Grooming

Please note our school uniform policy for boys haircuts. As parents are in charge of taking their child to the hairdresser, haircuts that perhaps follow a trend are not suitable for school and are best left for the first day of the holidays. *"Number 1 shaves, undercuts, sculpturing cuts and excess gel are not allowed at St Angela's."* Thank you for your support in upholding our high expectations and standards.

Star Spot

Congratulations to Zara Phelan who recently had the opportunity to be trained for the NSW Development Squad in gymnastics by Peggy (Australian Olympic Medalist and Coach) Dimitri (Russian Olympic National team coach) and Pete (Australian Master coach). Congratulations also to Freya (4G), who after a lot of hard work, finally was awarded her blue belt this week (her 4th karate belt)! Well done!

Sent Home This Week

Emailed: Cyber Safety Information Sheets, 2018 CEDP School Choice Parent Survey, Year 1 Term 4 English Spelling List,

Hard Copy: OLOR Fete Flyer, Parramatta Diocese Basketball Gala Day

OLOR Parish Fete

Saturday October 20th

All order forms for the following have been sent home and are also available at the school office.

Our Lady of the Rosary Parish Fete Saturday 20th October 2018

*To be held on the grounds of St Angela's
due to the construction at OLOR.
All proceeds go towards the renovation
of the OLOR church.
Raffle ticket, ride bands and chocolate-
wheel information has been sent*



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Only \$25 per child

Chocolate Wheel Donations

*We kindly ask that all donation
items be sent to school by the
last day of Term 3, Thursday
September 27th.*

***Thank you for
your support.***

OLOR Parish Fete needs your help in the school grounds of St Angela's.

Calling all parishioner helpers for making fairy floss, popcorn and waffles, all the equipment and food will be supplied. We need helpers to make the food and man the stalls for the day, the more helpers will make the day easier working in shifts.

Market stall holders selling their crafts are invited to join the Fete too.
BYO gazebo please.

For inquiries please call Donna 0438 758 848
or Soo 0408 861 648



**Tickets now on
sale!!!**

**\$10,000
RAFFLE PRIZE**

10am-8pm
Here at St Angela's