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#### FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear members of the Lisieux community,

#### **Bonjour!**

Welcome to Term Two! This will be a brief edition of The Tide, as it is a short week, however, there are some important updates for families included here.

#### **Congratulations and welcome:**

We warmly welcome the arrival of Luna Florence Byrne, born late last term to Leah and Grant Byrne, and precious baby sister to Imogen, Eddie and Arabella. We wish Luna every blessing and know that she will bring great love to the Byrne family.

Welcome to Samuel (Carmel Red) and Jack Holdaway (Year 2) who joined our school community this week. It is always very exciting to welcome new families to Lisieux.

#### **Staff Conference**

Our staff team experienced a powerful Positive Education two-day conference at the end of Term One. Led by Andrea Downie from Project Thrive, we discussed many relevant areas such as resilience, adaptability, the development of empathy and how to cultivate a gratitude mindset. A common theme was "Ubuntu", an African word which translates to mean "*I am because we are.*" We found this very meaningful in the context of the Lisieux community, as our growth as a school has been facilitated because of the incredible support of key stakeholders: parents, families, staff, students. It is an exciting time for our school as we continue to grow and enrich the initiatives we have begun. Thank you for your ongoing support. I will be absent from Tuesday-Friday next week to continue the professional development journey in relation to leading learning communities for a sustainable world. Again, this will be facilitated by Andrea Downie, who has a wealth of wisdom in this area.

#### **Staffing:**

To allow time for our Art / 100 Languages Specialist Teacher, Tess Righetti, to coordinate our first School Production, and for her to facilitate some small group Art Enrichment lessons, a change has been made to Year 5 / 6 for the remainder of 2019. The class teachers of Year 5 / 6 will be James Flint (Tuesday and Friday) and Gerard Douglas (Monday and Thursday), who the students know from Decourverte lessons. Wednesday remains Specialist Day. As Gerard Douglas takes on a higher contact role with Year 5 / 6 students, he will no longer work in Carmel Blue on Tuesdays. From next week, Leesa McNamara will be with Carmel Blue on Tuesdays from recess until 3:15pm. Leesa is well-known to the Carmel Blue students from her time with them in Term One and will continue to support their learning while Ron Dando has release at that time for Religious Education Coordination responsibilities.

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#### SCHOOL CALENDAR

#### <u>APRIL</u>

Thurs 25 <sup>th</sup>	ANZAC Day Holiday – No Students
Fri 26 <sup>th</sup>	Whole School Sports Carnival
Mon 29 <sup>th</sup>	April Birthday Morning Tea
<u>MAY</u>	
Mon 1 <sup>st</sup>	Year 3 Reconciliation Family Night
Wed 8 <sup>th</sup>	Year 3 Reconciliation
Fri 10 <sup>th</sup>	Mother's Day High Tea
Tues 14 <sup>th</sup> – Thurs 16 <sup>th</sup> NAPLAN Year 3 & 5	

Student Learning Conferences scheduled for Tuesday May 7<sup>th</sup> have been postponed till Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> July 1:30 – 7:00



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#### **Calendar update:**

Please note that the Student Learning Conferences scheduled for Tuesday May 7 have been **postponed**. They will now take place on Wednesday 24 July between 1:30pm- 7:00pm.

#### **Sports Carnival:**

We are looking forward to our Sports Carnival on Friday at Grenville Oval, Torquay, and are grateful for the support of many volunteers who are coming along to assist or cheer competitors on. Students should wear sports uniform with house colour top if available and hat and should bring water bottle and snacks. A sausage sizzle lunch will be provided.

#### 2020 enrolments:

As the closing date for 2020 enrolments is fast approaching, if you have younger siblings who will attend Lisieux next year, or know of any friends / neighbours interested in enrolment, please make contact with Fiona at Reception for an enrolment application form. School tours will continue in the coming weeks and enrolment interviews will commence in late May / early June.

God's blessings for the week ahead, Susan Ryan Principal Susan.ryan@lisieux.catholic.edu.au

#### PRAYER

God of love and liberty, we bring our thanks for Anzac Day, a day to be grateful for the peace and security we enjoy, which was won for us through the courage and devotion of those who gave their lives in time of war. We pray that their labour and sacrifice may not be in vain, but that their spirit may live on in us and in generations to come. That the liberty, truth and justice which they sought to preserve may be seen and known in all the nations upon earth. Amen



#### **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS**

A big *thank you* to all our families who supported our fund raisers in Term One. The Reach Vietnam Fun Run raised \$1132. The Project Compassion/ Coin Trail raised \$706. Thank you again for your support.

#### Reconciliation

Just a reminder for families who have children celebrating Reconciliation.

The family night will be on Wednesday May 1 here at Lisieux Primary School at 7 pm and will conclude by 8 pm. The St Therese families will be present for this session. The celebration of Reconciliation will be at St Therese Church at 5 pm **sharp** on Wednesday May 8.

#### **First Eucharist**

Just a reminder for families who have children celebrating their First Eucharist.

Presentation Mass for Candidates is Sunday May 19 at St Therese Church at 8:45 am. First Eucharist Family Night will take place at St Therese Primary School at 7 pm. The celebration of Eucharist will be at St Therese Church at 8:45 am on Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup>June.

#### **ADVERTISING PACKAGES**

If you have a business that you would like to advertise, or know of anyone that would like their business advertised, please get in touch with Fiona Thompson - <u>fiona.thompson@lisieux.catholic.edu.au</u> or 03 90896614. (Word or jpeg formats are preferable).

The cost of advertising is as follows; \$25 – 1 week \$90 – 4 weeks slot \$200 per Term

We are so excited to be hosting our first big fundraising event at Lisieux, a school ball!



LOCATION RACV Torquay Resort 1 Great Ocean Road, Torquay, VIC 3228



# LISIEUX VEGGIE BOXES ARE BACK!



Now in three sizesSmall box \$40Medium box \$60Large box \$90

# Why buy your veggies through Lisieux?

- 5% of every box donated back to the school by Organic Mojo
- For every \$500 donated, a box worth \$75 will go to a family in need
- Friends and family can order which further helps support our kids
  - Recipe ideas that align to items in your order
- 100% Australian Certified Organic and Bio-Dynamic fresh produce
- Supporting our farmers to live and work in a healthy environment
  - Reducing waste which contributes to a happy planet earth
  - Select from 3 options mixed box, only fruit or only veggies
- Order 1 week, 4 weeks or ongoing weekly subscription you can manage online
  - New easy online ordering system

Pick ups will always be Friday afternoon at school.

Go to <a href="https://www.organicmojo.com.au/shop?category=Schools">https://www.organicmojo.com.au/shop?category=Schools</a> to place an order!

Thanks in advance for your support to the P&F Committee 😂

### **ENROLMENTS CURRENTLY BEING ACCEPTED FOR 2020**



#### Come and see Torquay's newest Catholic School in action...

Visit our classroom and hear from our Principal about what we offer.

We believe you'll be excited by our vision.

Group tours being offered at **11:15am** on the following days:

- 20 March 25 March
- 24 April 9 May

To Register Phone: 9089 6614 www.lisieux.catholic.edu.au





#### **Coordinator Update**

#### Dear Famillies,

I am writing to inform you of an upcoming staff change at your service at Lisieux Catholic Primary School, due to the coming departure of our coordinator, Vishali Kanagarla. Vishali is leaving to take on a Coordinator position closer to her home.

Karren Boddington will be taking over as the Coordinator at Lisieux Catholic Primary School. Karren will be moving from Barwon Heads Primary School to also relocate to a service closer to home. Karen has completed her Diploma of Early childhood and comes with a range of experience working with children in early childhood and OSHC services. She is very motivated and passionate about working with children and will continue to be supported by myself and the entire Camp Australia Team during the transition to her new role commencing the 23<sup>rd</sup> of April 2019

We have a lot to look forward to in the program with a new Coordinator, new activities and new smiles!

For further information regarding the program or to discuss any specific

requirements, please contact Karen or Vishali on 0418945139

We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause but please be assured that making kids smile is our number one priority and we are confident that the new team will be able to support the children of Lisieux Catholic Primary School to continue enjoying their Camp Australia OSHC experience.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please call our friendly Customer Care team on 1300 105 343. The team are available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week (except National Public Holidays).

Kind Regards,

Jessica Linguey Regional Manager Camp Australia

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Before School Care program Times: 7.00am to 8.30am each school day After School Care program Times: 3.15pm to 6.00pm each school day

Register and book now Manage your before and after school care bookings at www.campaustralia.com.au or call the Customer Service Team on 1300 105 343.



Courses and Activities

Torquay Community House 14 Price Street, Torquay



## Bookings/enquiries: 5261 2583

#### WOMEN'S DISCUSSION GROUP

Come and share your afternoon with Tonia Ramus and other women. Be open to new ideas, friendship, discussion and a new way to look at life. This group will investigate your perception of the world and yourself through discussion of relevant topics.

April 28th: Self Image – From how you dress to how you feel about yourself.

**May 26th:** Personal Space – What does that mean to you? Public personal space and private personal space.

**June 23rd:** 'What are your emotions telling you?' A look at emotions as indicators of imbalance in your life.

#### When:4th Sunday of month starting April 28th 2-4pm

**Cost:** \$20 per session **Contact Details:** If Interested please contact Tonia 0419541913 Email: tflreiki@gmail.com

#### **STUDIO 14: WATERCOLOUR PAINTING WITH DOUG BANNER**

Learn watercolour painting with artist Doug Banner. Suitable for all levels of expertise from beginners to the more familiar with working with watercolour.

When: Mondays 1.30-3.30pm

**Cost:** \$10 per term membership and \$15 per session tutor fee. **Contact: 5261 2583, enrolment essential** 

#### **STUDIO 14: DRAWING THE LINE**

This class is for those who have a desire to learn how to draw. It covers the basic fundamentals required for every artist whether amateur or professional. Sessions cover short drawing exercises including drawing shapes, shading, perspective, textures and form.

# When: Tuesdays 12.45pm-2.45pm and Wednesday 6.30pm-8.30pm starting 30th April.

**Cost:** \$10 per term membership and \$20 per session tutor fee.

Contact: 5261 2583, enrolment essential



