

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear members of the Lisieux community,

Congratulations to our Year 6 students who were confirmed on Sunday at St Therese Church in a beautiful celebration led by Bishop Mark Edwards and Father Linh Tran. The sacrament of confirmation completes the sacrament of baptism and we pray for God's blessings on our young people as they come to age through this celebration.

Today we held our first Prep Transition Session for our 3 classes of Preps for 2020. There is a feeling of great excitement in the air as we look forward to growing our learning community with new families and new staff. The next Transition Session will take place on Wednesday 20 November with a final transition morning planned for Tuesday 10 December, when all children will progress to their 2020 class group and work with their 2020 educators.

The Building Sub-Committee has been meeting fortnightly and the plans for Stage 2 development are very close to being finalised. It has been a very positive experience working with Minx Architects and I feel confident that our next stage of building growth will provide sensational learning facilities for our students. In the interim, we have applied for two portables for 2020 to cater for our growing numbers. We will make every effort to ensure these spaces are well fitted-out for learning. Our intention is that one portable will be a Year 5/6 classroom with the second being an Art room.

If you follow our school on Facebook, you may have seen a post in the last week confirming camp details for next year. We are delighted to confirm that Year 5/6 will travel to Canberra between 10-13 March, visiting iconic national places such as the Institute of Sport, Parliament House, The Mint and Questacon. By visiting The National Capital, students will develop a deeper understanding of our Australian history and identity, civics and citizenship and how we are governed. For our Year 3 /4 group, we are introducing a one-night camp to Sovereign Hill, Ballarat, in early November, where they will learn about Australian history in relation to the Gold Rush, immigration including the impact of Chinese culture, and will have the opportunity to pan for gold. It is our goal that both these opportunities will deepen students' learning experiences, as well as nurturing social and personal development.

With so much to look forward to in 2020, there are still some important events in our 2019 calendar to keep an eye out for. Make sure you have these highlighted in your diary:

Thursday 5 December 7pm. Appreciation Supper for Parent Helpers, Lisieux.

Friday 13 December 9:30am. End of year mass.

Friday 13 December 2:30pm. Nativity play and Christmas carols. (Please note change of time from published calendar.)

Monday 16 December. 6pm. Year 6 Graduation Dinner and Ceremony (tickets now available for purchase from Reception.)

God's blessings for the week ahead,

Susan Ryan
Principal

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SCHOOL CALENDAR

NOVEMBER

**Fri 15th NO ASSEMBLY
Due to swimming**

**Mon 18th November
Birthday
Morning Tea**

**Prep Health
Assessments
8:30am-12:30pm**

**Tues 19th Prep Health
Assessments
8:30am-12:30pm**

**Wed 20th 2020 Prep
Transition Day 2
9:00am-10:30am**

**Fri 22nd Prep Health
Assessments
8:30am-12:30pm**

**Mon 25th Prep Excursion
to Woolworths
10:30am-2:30pm
CareMonkey to come**

**Year 1- 4 Science
Incursion
10am – 11:00am**

**Tues 26th Prep Health
Assessments
8:30am-12:30pm**

**Fri 29th Assembly led by
Prep Blue
2:30pm – 3:00pm**

PRAYER

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Father of love,

You are the giver of all we possess, the source of our blessings. Thank you for the gift of our young people.

Bless our young students who have recently been confirmed. Strengthen them in their baptismal promises; seal them with the spirit of your love. May our children come to know you and to grow in faith, hope and love. May their ears hear your voice. May their eyes see your presence in all things. May their lips proclaim your word. May their hearts be your dwelling place. May their hand do works of charity. May their feet walk in the way of Jesus Christ. Amen.



LISIEUX
CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

YEAR 6 GRADUATION CEREMONY AND DINNER

A SPECIAL EVENT FOR STUDENTS AND
THEIR FAMILIES

**MONDAY 16 DECEMBER,
2019 | 6PM
MULTI-PURPOSE ROOM**

\$20 per adult; \$10 per student



LISIEUX CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

Appreciation Supper

a chance to say 'thanks' to our parent helpers.

**THURSDAY 5 DECEMBER
7:00 PM @ LISIEUX**

JUDD FAMILY ASSISTANCE

Estella, a Year 1 student, has recently had surgery and will be undergoing treatment throughout November and December. If you are able to provide a meal to assist the family, please click on the meal train link below and be sure to read the special instructions. The family are very grateful for the support provided.

<https://www.mealtrain.com/trains/20q828>

PHOTO'S FROM THE WEEK



+ Instrument Lessons

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ONYA SCHOOL FUNDRAISER

The P&F committee are fundraising with Onya for school purchases, including items such as school sports, playground and kitchen equipment.

Please follow this unique URL for 30% of your Onya purchase to automatically go towards Lisieux school facilities funds.

Offer available 28/10/19 – 25/11/19.

<https://www.onyalife.com/ref/106/?campaign=lisieuxcps>



In addition to sandwiches, the Onya Reusable Sandwich Wrap is versatile enough for veggie sticks, pizza, biscuits, bagels, muffins and hot bakery items.
You can also transport your deli products, cutting down on plastic wrap.
Useful name/order window – great for that lunch order at your favourite café or the school canteen.
Made from recycled PET bottles, with a fully food safe PEVA lining.
12-month Manufacturer's Warranty

Sustainability school fundraising



There is a wealth of information and options available online in relation to nutritious nude food ideas and reusable packaging.

The Lisieux P&F Committee has also setup permanent fundraising codes with the following product suppliers:

<https://bellarinebeewraps.com/> (20% commission)
<http://www.litterfreeliving.com.au> (20% commission, 10% discount & free zip snack bag for purchases >\$50)
<https://www.stuckonyou.com.au/affiliate/fundraiser/LISIEUX> (20% commission full price / 5% sale items)

(ENTER LISIEUX AT CHECKOUT TO HELP RAISE FUNDS FOR OUR SCHOOL!)

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