

## FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear members of the Lisieux community,

We welcome you back to Term 3, fully aware that the weeks ahead present some unknown challenges but confident that together we are ready to respond as required. It is great to have the smiling faces and happy chatter of our students back at school and it certainly seems that students are thrilled to be back amongst friends too.

Over the break, quite a bit of action continued on our site. I hope you have had an opportunity to view our beautiful mosaic entrance boards. It was a pleasure to work with artist, Paula Retlein, on these designs, which creatively depict who we are as a community, including our key values. As previously advised, a recent tree report indicated that a number of our trees on site were dangerous and these were removed over the holidays. They have left some bare spaces so we will be engaging in a planting project with students, over the coming weeks. We are in the process of choosing some suitable bird-attracting native species. A fence was also constructed around three of the site boundaries. This afternoon, tenders for our Stage 2 building works close and myself and James Flint will be involved with other key representatives in confirming the successful company to commence works at Lisieux. I look forward to communicating the final outcome of this process to you next week.

Next Wednesday, as you would note on our Lisieux calendar, we have scheduled Learning Conferences, an opportunity for parents, students and teachers to discuss the Term 2 report, and take part in a conversation about your child's learning goals, individual growth as a learner and current classroom themes.

**This year the learning conferences will be conducted remotely.** An email about the process and how to book a timeslot has been sent to all families. Closer to next Wednesday, each classroom teacher will contact you via SeeSaw to explain how to log on to the remote session. **Please note that school concludes for students at 1pm next Wednesday in order for the conferences to take place.** Families who require onsite supervision after 1pm must book care through The Kelly Club.

ISSUE 19 | 16<sup>th</sup> July 2020

## SCHOOL CALENDAR

### JULY

Wed 22<sup>nd</sup>    Learning  
Conferences  
2:00pm – 7:00pm  
**Students to be  
collected from school  
at 1:00pm**

### AUGUST

Fri 7<sup>th</sup>    Professional  
Development for  
Staff  
**School Closure**

Mon 10<sup>th</sup>    Professional  
Development for  
Staff  
**School Closure**

## FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Later this term, staff will be involved in two days of professional learning. I ask you to note these dates in your diary, as there has been a change since the publication of our annual calendar. **The days for school closure will be Friday 7 August and Monday 10 August**, making this a long mid-term weekend for students, and a valuable opportunity to staff to participate in collegial curriculum planning and to learn more about a Literacy program we will be introducing next year, Little Learners Love Literacy. Once again, The Kelly Club will be available for student supervision if we have sufficient numbers to make this option viable.

God's blessings for the week ahead,

Susan Ryan

Principal

[Susan.ryan@lisieux.catholic.edu.au](mailto:Susan.ryan@lisieux.catholic.edu.au)

## PRAYER

Dear Lord,

We ask you to bless us as we begin a new term together. Make us ready, attentive and focused on learning and growing together as a community.

Thank you for the gift of being able to rise each day, knowing that You will walk through it with us.

Thank you for the gifts of creativity, curiosity and wonder that allow us to embrace learning opportunities.

May all that we are today, all that we try to do, our challenges and frustrations and celebrations be placed in Your hands.

May the work we do and the way we do it, bring new hope and new life to all we come into contact with this term. We thank you, Lord. Amen.

## SCHOOL INFORMATION

### Request

Last term we made a request that all families purchase a pair of headphones for their child/ren at Lisieux. Please send these to school in a zip-lock plastic bag, clearly named. This will ensure that we can follow recommended health and safety protocols when using ICT equipment.

### Congratulations

We congratulate Amy and Brendan Looney, together with Peyton (Year 1) on the safe arrival of their new son and brother, Remy Greyson Looney. We wish you a lifetime of love and happiness together.

## SCHOOL INFORMATION

### Gus On Site

Next week we will see Gus, our friendly border collie return to school. Gus will follow Mr Curry around the school, he is well trained and super friendly. The students will get the opportunity to interact and help care for Gus while he is at school.

Thanks Matt



### Kelly Club Bookings – Learning Conferences

Kelly Club will be running care on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July from 1 pm. The price for the session due to the extended time is **\$40 before CCS has been applied**. If you would like your child/children booked in, ensure you have enrolled with us before next Wednesday.

Enrolment forms can be found at the front office or you can fill in the online form using the link below.

[https://prodadmin.myxplor.com/enrollment\\_v2/centre/gYrWSMyYD24356SGYFi94231kw1aDw](https://prodadmin.myxplor.com/enrollment_v2/centre/gYrWSMyYD24356SGYFi94231kw1aDw)

### On the Day

Ensure your child/children have:

- Packed lunch
- Water bottle

Kelly Club will provide afternoon tea for the children.

### Kelly Club Bookings - Curriculum Day

Kelly club hours: 7:00am till 6:00pm

Cost:

\$65 (before CCS)

What to bring:

- Water bottle
- snack
- lunch

We will provide afternoon tea.

**For new families please ensure you have enrolled with us, either online or paper enrolment.**

## WHEN THE UFO CAME

“Boom! Crash!” The UFO landed. “KAPOW”!

“Run!” We yelled at the top of our lungs.

“Shoot! Shoot! Shoot!” We cried.

“It’s too strong for us! We need to retreat”.

“Get the backup!” I yelled.

“BOOM!” Went the sound of the bombs (which was the backup).

All the fog covered the UFO, but when the fog disappeared the UFO was in perfect shape! We were shocked. Stunned. Was it the end of the world? Was this going to be it? Would I get to say one last goodbye?

“Would you pack up your toys kids? I need to vacuum!” Said Mum.

“Awwwww! We were just having some fun!” We said.

**A short story by Archie, Tex and Jacob**



**TORQUAY DANCE ACADEMY**

**FREE WEEK DANCE PASS**

**NEW STUDIO OPENING**

- \*Ballet
- \*Jazz/Hip Hop
- \*Contemporary
- \*Stretch/Acro
- \*Musical Theatre
- \*Boys only Hip Hop
- \*Tap
- \*Under 5s Dance

Call us for a **FREE TRIAL WEEK**  
**0424-400-437**

Or visit us at 1/13 Boneyards Ave  
[torquaydanceacademy.com.au](http://torquaydanceacademy.com.au)