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## **eNEWS 2019 - Term 4 Edition 34**

Thursday 21 November 2019

Dear Community,

With the school year quickly coming to an end and with Christmas on everyone's mind, I would like to ask for your support with donations to our annual Christmas Raffle & Christmas Hampers.

Donations from our families & from friends of St. Paul's, have always allowed us to have a Christmas Raffle (including hampers) with well over 30 prizes; with the number of donations so far this year, we will be struggling to make up 10-15 prizes, at the most.

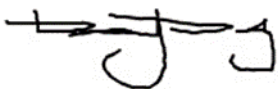
I am once again asking you, our parents, guardians & friends, to consider making a donation to the Christmas Raffle & Hampers, so that we can make it a substantial raffle, with plenty of prizes!

With this in mind, we are requesting donations for the Christmas raffle. We would appreciate donations in the form of either gifts or even cash contributions of any amount, which will then be put towards purchasing our major prizes. Some gift suggestions are: jewelry, wine, vouchers, pamper packs, electrical items, etc. Do you have any contacts who you think might be willing to contribute to a prize; these might be local businesses or perhaps your workplace?



We are hoping that our families and friends will be as generous as possible in contributing to our last major raffle for the year. If you have any queries please contact any member of the Parents Group either via the school office or email [ParentsGroup@spkealba.catholic.edu.au](mailto:ParentsGroup@spkealba.catholic.edu.au)

Thank you once again everyone, in anticipation of your generous support.



**Denis J. Daly**

**Principal**

### **FOUNDATION (PREP) 2020 – TERM 4 ORIENTATION DATES**

The Orientation Dates for our 2020 Foundation students are as follows:

- Monday November 25, 9.30 am – 11.00 am: Parents, Guardians and children
- Monday December 2, 9.30 am – 11.00 am: Children only
- Monday December 9, 9.30 am – 11.00 am: Children only
- Monday December 16, 9.00 am – 1.00 pm: 'Step Up Day'; Children only (with Year 1 – Year 5)



### **BORROWED SCHOOL UNIFORM ITEMS**

If families have school uniform clothing at home, that were borrowed for your child from the sick bay at some stage, could you please return them clean to the school office as soon as possible.

### **SCHOOL UNIFORM DONATIONS**

If families have school uniform items they no longer need or use i.e. (children leaving St Paul's, no younger siblings to pass uniform onto) and they are in good condition, could you please drop off at the school front office. These will be used in the sick bay for children when they have been sick or have an accident.

### **ACADEMY UNIFORMS: NEW STORE & PHONE NUMBER**

As advertised in recent newsletters, Academy Uniforms will open a new store in Deer Park, effective Wednesday November 6. The address is 10/85 Mt Derrimut Road, Deer Park. **The phone number is 9115 4600.** The trading hours will be Mon – Fri 9.00 am – 5.00 pm & Sat 9.00 am – 12.00 pm. ***From this date forward the School Shop will close and the Thomastown store will no longer stock the St. Paul's Uniform.*** Academy will continue to do a weekly drop off to the school free of charge to parents. The new 'Price List', effective from September 1, follows and is also available from the office.

## GREEN BUTTON FOUNDATION FUNDRAISER

On Tuesday, 12<sup>th</sup> November, 2019, St Paul's Community came together to support The Green Button Foundation.

To add to the spirit of the day and of the Foundation, students wore splashes of green, enjoyed their meal deal and purchased merchandise. Our fabulous parents helped cook on the barbecues and donated their time generously. We are so very grateful for their input.

Days like last Tuesday can only happen because of the enthusiasm, goodwill and hard work of the St Paul's community. We are blessed with so many wonderful people.

A BIG thank you, however, to Mr. Daly, Miss Majczak, Mrs. Wanda Peplow, Mrs. Lorraine Hammet, Brian Bonnici, Richard Davies, the student team of dedicated Grade 4 volunteers and the St. Paul's staff. Without their support and generosity, the day could not have gone ahead.

As a community, we are proud to lend support to The Green Button Foundation and we believe in its mission to financially support blood cancer patients during their difficult journey. This is done by assisting them in paying for everyday costs such as household bills, childcare during treatment, transport to and from hospital as well as other immediate costs that arise while the patient cannot work. The Foundation also raises awareness of the disease and encourages people to join the Bone Marrow Donor Registry.

For more information on Jonathon Tarascio's legacy to find a way to ease the financial burden of blood cancer patients, please visit the website [www.thegreenbuttonfoundation.com](http://www.thegreenbuttonfoundation.com)

St. Paul's Community made a difference on Tuesday by raising the overwhelming amount of **\$2,420.00. Congratulations to you all!**

On behalf of The Green Button Foundation, I thank you most sincerely,

Nadia Tarascio  
Year 3 TW Teacher



# 2019 CALENDAR

## TERM 4

### NOVEMBER

- WED. 20-FRI. 22: YEAR 5 CAMP
- MON. 25: FOUNDATION 2020 ORIENTATION SESSION 1 (PARENTS & CHILDREN)
- WED. 27-FRI. 29: YEAR 4 CAMP

### DECEMBER

- MON. 2: FOUNDATION 2020 ORIENTATION SESSION 2 (CHILDREN ONLY)
- MON. 2: 2020 FEE AGREEMENTS DUE TO BE RETURNED TO SCHOOL
- WED. 4: YEAR 6 'BIG DAY OUT'
- FRI. 6: CHRISTMAS CARNIVAL, CAROLS & NIGHT MARKET
- MON. 9: FOUNDATION 2020 ORIENTATION SESSION 3 (CHILDREN ONLY)
- WED. 11: PARENT HELPERS - MORNING TEA (11.00 AM)
- THURS. 12: END OF SCHOOL YEAR MASS & YEAR 6 GRADUATION (7.00 PM)
- FRI. 13: YEAR 6 FINISH
- MON. 16: WHOLE SCHOOL 'STEP UP DAY' – INCLUDING FOUNDATION 2020 STUDENTS
- WED. 18: FOUNDATION TO YEAR 5 FINISH
- THURS. 19: TERM 4 ENDS - OFFICE CLOSING & STAFF FINISH

## A CHILDREN'S PRAYER

Give us new eyes, Lord, to see our lives in the light of your love.  
Too often our fear, neediness, anger, or hurt fog our vision.  
Help us to see your providence in the glory of trees, lakes, and cloudless skies.  
Help us to see your generosity in the many gifts we enjoy each day.  
Help us to see your wisdom in the rhythm of the days, the weeks, the seasons, and the years.  
Help us to see your image in the faces of everyone we meet and to know your goodness in the joy and love we feel for one another.  
We ask you this because we know you love us.

AMEN



## MASS TIMES

### ST PAUL'S CHURCH SUNSHINE AVENUE

#### KEALBA

Monday	No Mass
Tuesday	No Mass
Wednesday	9.30 am
Thursday	9.30 am
Friday	No Mass
Saturday	5.00 pm (Latin) 6.30 pm
Sunday	8.00 am (Maltese) 10.00 am

**RECONCILIATION:** Saturday: 6.00 pm

### ST MARY MACKILLOP CHURCH ODESSA AVENUE

#### KEILOR DOWNS

Monday	9.30 am
Tuesday	9.30 am
Wednesday	No Mass
Thursday	No Mass
Friday	9.30 am
Saturday	5.00 pm
Sunday	9.00 am 11.00am 5.30pm

**RECONCILIATION:** Saturday 4.30 pm



# ENROLMENTS FOR YEAR 7 2021 ONWARDS ARE NOW BEING ACCEPTED

Limited places available for Year 8 - 12 2020

**Upcoming Open Morning Tours:**  
**Tuesday 12 November and 3 December 2019**

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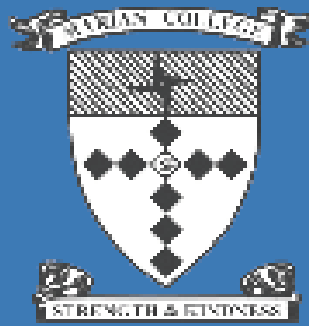


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