

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

We acknowledge and pay our respects to the Kurna people, the traditional custodians whose ancestral lands we gather on. We acknowledge the deep feelings of attachment and relationship of the Kurna people to country and we respect and value their past, present and ongoing connection to the land and cultural beliefs.

Dear Members of our St Mary's Memorial School Community,

Parents often raise the issue regarding the difference in parenting style of their children's friend's parents. It's not uncommon to develop a friendship with your child's friend's parents, but not fully agree with some of the ways they approach parenting issues. It's worse, when we expect our child to behave the way we have spent years 'cultivating', for the child's friend's parent to say, "Oh, let them" whatever! While we stand there cringing, knowing that we would have never let our child do whatever he/she is now doing with unrestrained zeal!

The choices we make as parentscloth nappies versus disposable; breast fed versus bottle/formula; to fast-food treats or notreveal so much about our values, character and upbringing. It's little wonder we take it personally when a friend makes a quip about the fact that we let our six-year-old son wear nail polish and play with Barbie!

While friends (which includes our children's friend's parents) don't have to agree all the time, having different parenting philosophies can make it seem like we're speaking totally different languages. It can be polarizing when we get along with someone well but our parenting styles clash! The two friends may start to think, 'What are we going to talk about if we can't talk about how we are raising our children?

Not to mention the fact that each time a friend disagrees with our parenting choices, it can feel like criticism. When a friend tells us how they do something ...and we all know people who believe their way is best ...we might feel defensive or doubt ourselves. It feels like what we're doing is being questioned, and that can be unnerving. While debates about time-outs or breast versus bottle are nothing new, parenting rants on Facebook and pictures on Instagram amplify differences!

Naturally, we gravitate towards people who parent in a like-minded way because they validate our own choices. It's also just simpler...because, it's often easier to spend time with people who parent like we do for our own sanity. If we have a friend over for lunch and we're trying to get our child to sit at the table, but their children are allowed to get up and down, it can be just frustrating and chaotic!

This isn't to say that we can't be friends with people who parent differently, but it does take a certain amount of "let's agree to disagree" to achieve that, plus enough confidence in our own style to not feel defensive!

Of course, that doesn't mean we have to ditch our friends. Managing our relationships just takes finesse.

Firstly, we shouldn't jump to conclusions ...when a friend raises an eyebrow as we ply our crying 2 year-old with 'cheese puffs' to calm her down, it's natural to feel offended; but we shouldn't take all of our disagreement personally. It might sound or look like judgment, but it's not going to do our friendship any good to start thinking, 'They're attacking who I am as a person,'we have to be able to let things go.

Remember, too, that often a friend's questions about our way of doing things are truly out of curiosity; navigating parenthood, especially the first time, can feel like the clueless leading the clueless! Exhausted parents (and grandparents), for example, might be willing to rethink a strategy that isn't working.

Have you stepped back and considered if you are not doing the same. During a friend's child's 'eating at the table' crisis, we may want to shout, "Just tell him to sit down and eat his food, and he can't leave the table until he has eaten everything from his plate!" But a 'judgy' comment like that won't do any good. If we know that we generally don't agree on parenting issues with friends, we shouldn't offer tips unless we're asked for them. Unsolicited advice will only create more conflict or tension. If a friend asks for advice, absolutely share it ...but we need to be sensitive about how we offer it.

More often than not, parents whose children won't eat or do their homework (or whatever the problem of the day is) aren't looking for advice so much as someone to listen. Being open and saying 'I'm here for you if you want to talk' can go a long way!

When comparing notes becomes one awkward conversation after another, it might be a good idea to take the subject off the table. That's easier said than done in today's hyper-parenting world, but making the effort to take a step back can be a refreshing mental break. There is life outside the sleeping and eating and pooping of our children, and sometimes it's important to say to ourselves, 'Okay, maybe this will be the friend I occasionally go to the movies with or who comes over after the children are asleep to have a glass of wine and whatever!

If there's no avoiding the parent talk and opposing outlooks are driving a wedge between friends, it might be time to schedule fewer playdates or talk less frequently for a bit. The good thing is, if we had a long-standing friendship before this, we can rest assured this phase will pass.

We also need to remember, that there's no one "right" way to parent! In fact, I remember reading a long time ago that there is research that backs up the idea that contrary parenting styles can both work! If we can look beyond the comparisons and the me-vs.-you of it all, we may find that the contrast in styles actually offers some comfort. It's a great reminder that we all do things so distinctly, but everybody's child is turning out to be pretty much okay!

No matter how drastically divergent our methods are, keep in mind that we and our friend have the same intention. In the end, we're all just trying to do the best job possible for our children. A friend may think we're nuts for allowing children not sit at the table to complete their meal, and we may think their style is strange, but we're both trying to be a good parent.

Plus, in the end, isn't seeing things differently better than not seeing each other at all!

2023 CLASS PLACEMENTS

We all agree that it is important for students' social and emotional development that they make and participate in healthy friendships at school. Learning to make new friends and interact effectively with all types of people is an important part of children's development.

School is the perfect environment for rehearsal of social and emotional experiences for later life. Therefore, our children will not always get it right the first time or even the second and third! We need to provide children with as many opportunities as possible for them to work at making/engaging friends and more importantly maintaining friends!

By midway through this term, the staff will endeavour to place students in the best possible learning environment (class group) for the 2023 school year. It isn't an easy task; and from what has occurred in the past couple of years, it will not be finalised until the last week of this term; and even then, some teachers really aren't one hundred percentage satisfied! In some cases we will be intentionally splitting friendship groups to ensure that students are given the opportunity to put into practice some of their developing social skills.

In 13 plus years of education, your child will eventually find themselves in a class without their close friends. It had happened to us at some stage in our own schooling experience. It's normal for them to initially feel a little anxious about this; so how should you handle it?

Tempting as it may be to request a class swap (which is a logistical nightmare for the staff and not always possible), here are some important things to consider first.

Don't rob your child of this opportunity to develop social skills. School is a place where our children learn important social skills as well as academic ones. Finding their place and making friends in a new group is a vital skill to develop and one they'll rely on their entire lives. It will be something they will continue to develop and ultimately take with them into the workforce when they are young adults! The classroom is one of the gentlest places to start learning this because -

- Teachers turn a new group of students into a team every year. They keep an eye out for students who aren't mixing in, and create opportunities to pair them up with different children.
- There's still lunch and recess to play with their mates – our school playgrounds are not that spread-out that students could not find children from other classes. It's also a great opportunity for them to learn about separating social time and work time.
- Lots of their classmates are in the same boat. Everyone is starting a new year, with a new teacher and a new classroom and many will be looking for new friendships too. Some children choose a new "best friend" in every class they have, which builds a rich network of friendships over the years.
- Children learn different skills from different classmates. These days there are lots of opportunities for group work in class, when students team up and work through learning tasks together. Unlikely pairings can produce excellent workmates, who share a common language of learning and help each other along.
- You can gently help them make new friends. If you are able to spend some time in your child's classroom (for example, by helping out with reading or beach walks) you'll meet the other children and be able to suggest possible friends to your child. Your child will be thrilled to see you involved with their class and it also seems to fast track their sense of 'belonging'. Encourage play dates with classmates.

Normally, after a couple of weeks, a child will be settled into his/her new class environment. Veteran parents and teachers can tell you that more likely than not, a child will be absolutely fine and will have developed a new level of resilience from spreading their wings a little.

In fact, let's give our children some recognition; this year (2022) we had many new students beginning at St Mary's Memorial across Reception to 6 from other schools. Not only have the new students quickly and smoothly settled into their new classroom; but existing students embraced the opportunity to make new friends and accepted the children from other schools with minimal fuss!

SPORTS DAY 2022

ReminderReception—Year 6 **SPORTS DAY** is scheduled for this **Friday 4th November** at the Bowker Street Oval, North Brighton.

Weather permitting, all students are expected to be at the oval (that is, dropped off at the oval) for a prompt **9:00 am** start. We anticipate the day will conclude at approximately **1:30 pm** when all students will be dismissed for the day. Therefore, it is imperative that parents make the necessary arrangements to ensure that children are collected from the venue by **1:45 pm**.

All students will need to wear their **House Team t-shirts** (Blue/Green/Red/Yellow). All students must wear their **school hat** throughout the daywe had tears in the past when some of the younger students couldn't find their hat before the start of the day!

All students must bring their own drinks and a substantial recess/snack food (because they will have a late lunch). Each Year Level will have scheduled breaks throughout the day. Please do not supply students with food during the changeover of sporting activities (that is, on the actual sports field/oval).

Parents should have contacted either Vicki Messent and/or Annika Lenz if their child/ren required **After School Care** after Sports Day for the appropriate bus to have been hired. Students returning to school will require their own lunch.

We need parents to stand on the peripheral/border/outer area of the oval, to allow the class groups to move from one activity to another without 'human' obstacles. There is a slight rise between ovals that will give parents an opportunity to see their child/ren competing in various events. Do not be surprised if a staff member asks you to move to the peripheral if you are standing where a class is meant to be participating in an activity.

WEATHER PERMITTING

From last week ...a reminder that we are currently experiencing a very wet and temperamental spring season! As we have no control over the current 'La Nina' weather phenomenon and very little covered areas to accommodate both the students and potentially their families, some events during the next couple of weeks may need to be severely interrupted, postponed or cancelled.

As much as we want you to be involved in whatever capacity, the limited gathering area will challenge our fortitude and tolerance! Your patience and understanding will be greatly appreciated.

Grandparents and Special Friends Day will go ahead tomorrowhowever, if the weather is inclement, and we have enough parent volunteers, we will have the morning tea component in St Mary's Hall. Please remind the grandparents about car parking!

Sports Day may be postponed, as we will try to avoid exposing children to wet conditions for four hours of the day. If the weather is inclement on Friday morning (that is, it is raining heavily) please take your child/ren to school, as we will resume our normal teaching and learning schedule for the day.

Thank you and God Bless!
Have a great week!

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GRANDPARENTS & SPECIAL FRIENDS DAY

We welcome the Grandparents and Special Friends of the students from St Mary's Memorial School to a morning where we showcase the present and share the past!

THURSDAY 3 NOVEMBER, 2022

From 9:45 am until 11:30 am

Morning Tea at 10:45 am

- 9:45 am Grandparents gather in the Church to listen to the Year 6 Choir
- 10:10 am Classrooms Open for Visiting by Grandparents or Special Friends
- 10:45 am Morning Tea
- 12:00 noon Parish Mass with grandchild (Optional)

FROM THE APRIM

Last week we were filled with joy to watch all our children participate in dance performances. It was also wonderful to have so many family and friends join us to watch all the action. We thank Dancify for spending so much time with our children and creating this wonderful experience for all of us.

All throughout the Bible there is referencing to dancing:

Once again you shall dance for joy - Jeremiah 31:4

You have turned my wailing into dancing - Psalm 30:11

And all the women followed her with tambourines and dancing - Exodus 15:20

Then young women will dance and be glad, young men and old as well - Jeremiah 31:13

David was dancing before the Lord with all his might - Samuel 16:14

Praise him with tambourines and dancing - Psalm 150:4

There is a time to weep and a time to laugh, a time to mourn and a time to dance - Ecclesiastes 3:4

His daughter was coming out to meet him with tambourines and with dancing - Judges 11:34

Let us praise his name with dancing and make music to him - Psalm 149:3

Enjoy the photos of dance celebration.

Blessings,

Tamara Smith
APRIM



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SACRAMENT PROGRAM 2022/2023

Preparation for the sacrament of Reconciliation began on the weekend with a parent workshop.

Children are now required to attend workshops to prepare them to receive this sacrament. These workshops will be at St Dominic's Hall:

Thursday November 3rd - 6:30pm or *Saturday* Nov 5th - 3pm
Wednesday Nov 9th - 6:30pm or *Saturday* Nov 12th - 3pm
Wednesday Nov 16th - 6:30pm or *Saturday* Nov 19th - 3pm

Those considering taking this very significant step in their child's faith journey are encouraged to contact me or the Parish Office for an enrolment form which needs to be completed and returned with a copy of your child's Baptism Certificate.

I look forward to hearing from you very soon.

Melissa Mabarrack Parish Sacramental Coordinator
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SUNDAY GOSPEL QUOTE

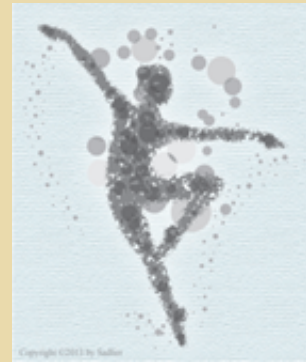


PRAYER

DANCING WITH GOD

*Lead me in the dance of life, O God.
Turn my heart towards you
as I follow your lead into places of wonder and grace.
Attune my ear to the music that hums
beneath the surface of my thoughts and activities.
Give me a lithe spirit
that moves with the flow of love and grace.
May I find joy in the dance that is my life.
With you as my partner and guide, I pray.
Amen.*

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MASSES

Masses can now be celebrated and we warmly invite family and friends to join our year level celebrations. Wearing a face mask is encouraged.

The following is an outline of the Masses for Term 4:

Week 4	Year 5 Mass	Tue 10am
Week 5	Year 4 Mass	Tue 10am
Week 6	No Mass	
Week 7	Year 1, 2 & Reception Liturgy	Tue 9am
Week 8	Year 3	Tue 10am
Week 9	Whole School Mass	Wed 9am

Changes to the calendar regarding Masses and their times will need to be made as COVID regulations and advice changes. We need to be flexible as adjustments are made to cater for these needs as well as the needs of our parish and our priests. The newsletter will publish the most current times. Apologies for any inconvenience

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ST MARY'S MEMORIAL SCHOOL

ST. CATHERINE

ST. THOMAS

ST. MARY

ST. DOMINIC

SPORTS DAY FRIDAY, 4 NOVEMBER 2022

BOWKER STREET OVAL, NORTH BRIGHTON

8:45AM - 1:30PM

The Program for the day is as follows:

8:45am – 9:00am	Students to be dropped at Bowker Street Oval and meet their classroom teacher. Roll call in classes.
9:00am – 9:15am	Acknowledgement of Country/Prayer/Welcome/Housekeeping
9:15am – 10:45am	Events Begin (See event timetable)
10:45am – 11:10am	Recess
11:15am – 1:00pm	Events Resume (See event timetable)
1:00pm – 1:15pm	Year 6 Team Relay
1:15pm – 1:30pm	Presentations
1:30pm	Students are dismissed

Your Child will Need:

- School hat, sports uniform shorts and their respective House Team coloured sports shirt
- Sunscreen (applied before they arrive at Bowker Street and reapplied throughout the day)
- Drink bottle of water
- Recess

St. Mary's Memorial School Sports Day 2022 - Class Timetable

Class	9:00 - 9:15	9:15 - 9:30	9:30 - 9:45	9:45 - 10:00	10:00 - 10:15	10:15 - 10:30	10:30 - 10:45	10:45 - 11:10	11:15 - 11:30	11:30 - 11:45	11:45 - 12:00	12:00 - 12:15	12:15 - 12:30	12:30 - 12:45	12:45 - 1:00	1:00 - 1:30
Rec	Acknowledgement of Country/Prayer/Mir Izzo Welcome to Sports Day/Housekeeping	100m Sprint	Tug O' War	Tail Game	Drink Break	Ball Target Throw	Skipping Zone	Recess	Team Baton Relay	Stilt Race	Bears in the Basket	Three Legged Race	Drink Break	Sack Races	Ball Relays	Team Chants/Presentations/Dismissal
Year One		Ball Relays	100m Sprint	Tug O' War	Tail Game	Drink Break	Ball Target Throw	Recess	Skipping Zone	Team Baton Relay	Stilt Race	Bears in the Basket	Three Legged Race	Drink Break	Sack Races	
Year Two		Sack Races	Ball Relays	Drink Break	100m Sprint	Tail Game	Stilt Race	Recess	Ball Target Throw	Skipping Zone	Team Baton Relay	Drink Break	Bears in the Basket	Three Legged Race	Tug O' War	
Year Three		Tail Game	Three Legged Race	Ball Target Throw	200m Sprint	Ball Relays	Goal Ball	Recess	Tug O' War	Sack Races	Skipping Zone	100m Sprint	Team Baton Relay	Bears in the Basket	Stilt Relay	
Year Four		Stilt Relay	Ball Target Throw	200m Sprint	Skipping Zone	Sack Races	Team Baton Relay	Recess	Goal Ball	Bears in the Basket	100m Sprint	Tug O' War	Tail Game	Ball Relays	Three Legged Race	
Year Five		Tug O' War	200m Sprint	Goal Ball	Ball Relays	Team Baton Relay	Bears in the Basket	Recess	Three Legged Race	100m Sprint	Sack Races	Tail Game	Skipping Zone	Stilt Relay	Ball Target Throw	
Year Six		200m Sprint	Stilt Relay	Skipping Zone	Ball Target Throw	Tug O' War	Sack Races	Recess	100m Sprint	Three Legged Race	Ball Relays	Goal Ball	Goal Ball	Tail Game	Bears in the Basket	

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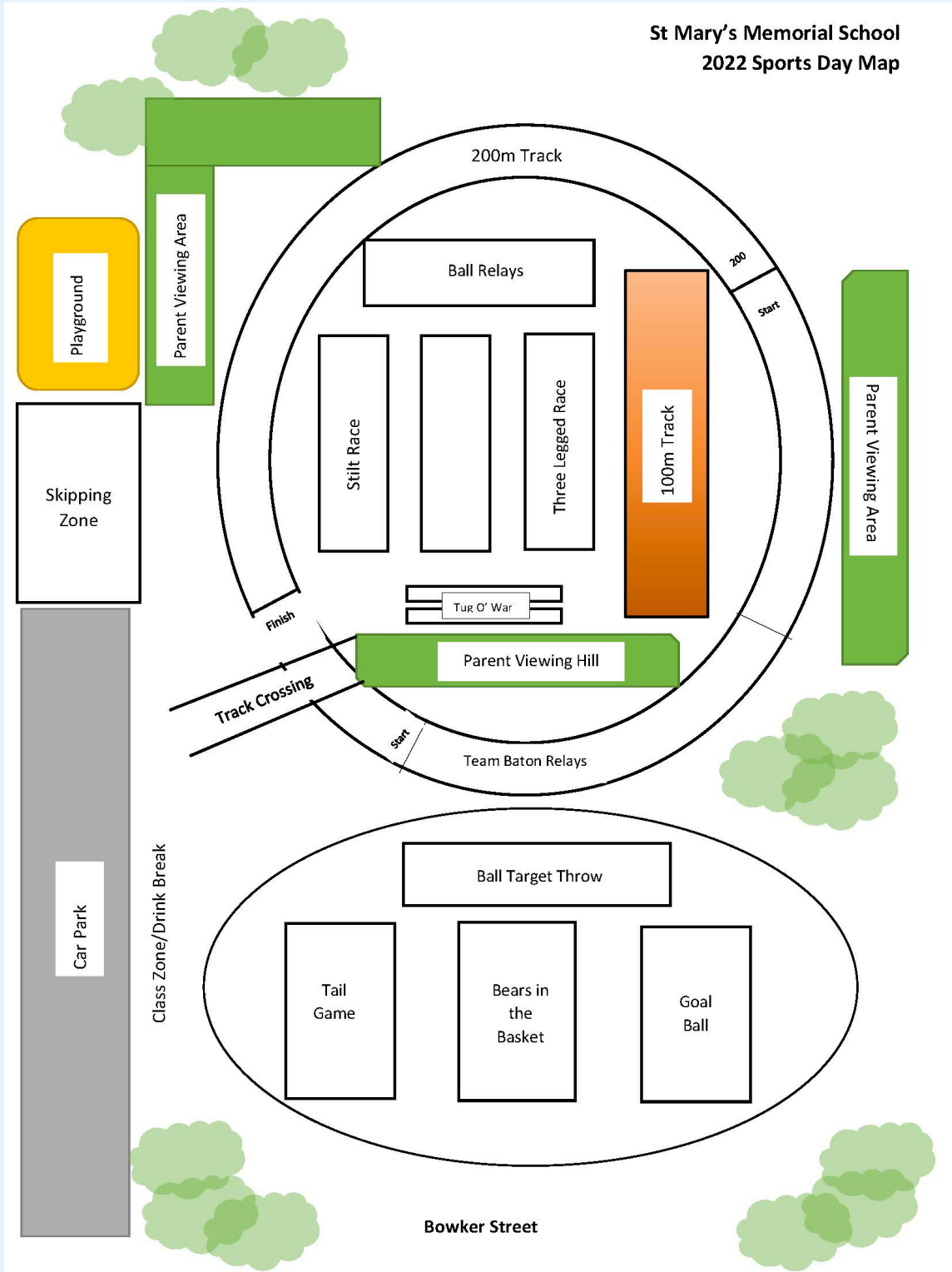
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SPORTS DAY

FRIDAY, 4 NOVEMBER 2022

BOWKER STREET OVAL, NORTH BRIGHTON
8:45AM - 1:30PM

St Mary's Memorial School
2022 Sports Day Map



LIBRARY NEWS

This week our R – 2 students selected two books from a collection that has been set aside for re-homing. The process of selecting books to remove from our shelves is always one fraught with difficulty but it is nonetheless an important and necessary task to ensure our library collection remains fresh, relevant, dynamic and serves the needs of our students.

Books are periodically removed from school libraries for a variety of reasons...

- outdated and unused
- in poor condition
- no longer appealing
- make room for newer and more appealing books
- makes collection easier to browse as books are no longer hidden

It is my sincere hope that by removing our older picture books from our library shelves they will be given a new lease on life in your homes. Some of these books have also made it into the junior classrooms where they will be put to good use by our teachers and our budding young readers.



"There is no friend as loyal as a book." — Ernest Hemingway

Enjoy your week!

Tracey Tolley

NEWS FROM THE ART ROOM

Congratulations to *Ruby Watkins* and *Grace Bartemucci* whose artworks will feature in a **"Transport of the Future 2023"** calendar created by the office of Robert Simms MLC. What a fabulous achievement! Thank you to all students who submitted artworks for this competition.



Here are some examples of our incredible artworks and artists in action in Term 3 and 4.





RI	08/11	<i>Eli Mateiwai</i>
1E	06/11	<i>Jett Burns</i>
2H	05/11	<i>Patrick Ninnis</i>
2W	06/11	<i>Antonio Brown</i>
3S	08/11	<i>Jaxon Bieg</i>
4R	06/11	<i>Kimberly Pulgies</i>

UNIFORM SHOP - OPENING TIMES

TUESDAY 2:45 - 3:30pm
THURSDAY 2:45 - 3:30pm



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Important Dates for Term 4

Thursday, 3 November
Grandparents and Special Friends Day
9:45am

Friday, 4 November
Sports Day
9am-1:30pm Bowker Street Oval

Monday, 21 November - Thursday 24 November
Year 6 Camp
Normanville

Monday 28 November - Wednesday 30 November
Year 5 Camp
Victor Harbor

Monday, 12 December
Year 6 Graduation Dinner

Wednesday, 14 December
Year 6 Breakfast
Year 6 Graduation Ceremony

Thursday, 15 December
Term 4 Concludes - Last Day of School
3:10pm

PLEASE NOTE: These dates are subject to change.

LUNCH ORDERS

We advise that lunch orders for Term 4 are only available through **The Daily Fixx**.

Order forms can viewed by clicking on the icon below.



As usual, please remember to fully complete the order form and then place the order into a brown paper bag, ziplock bag or envelope. Write your child's full name and "Daily Fixx" clearly on the bag.

Orders must be received at the Front Office by no later than 10:00am.

If there is a shortage of funds in your child's lunch order you will receive an email requesting monies to be paid to the Front Office the following day.

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Week 5 Thursday

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TERM PLANNER

St Mary's Memorial School

Term 4 – 2022

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	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat/Sun
Week 1 October	17 School Resumes	18 8:45 Morning Prayer	19 Staff Meeting School Board Meeting 6:30 pm	20 R-6 Dance Lessons	21 School Assembly 9:00 am – Principal	22/23
Week 2 October	24 National Children's Week	25 8:45 Morning Prayer Class Mass 10:00 am Year 6 Classes	26 Staff Meeting	27 R-6 Dance Lessons	28 Dance Showcase – 9:00 am Playground	29/30
Week 3 Oct / Nov	31	1 8:45 Morning Prayer All Saints Feast Day R-6 School Mass 10:00 am	2 All Souls Feast Day Staff Meeting P&F Meeting 7:15 pm	3 Grandparents & Special Friends Day	4 SPORTS DAY 9:00 – 1:30 Bowker Street Oval	5/6
Week 4 November	7	8 8:45 Morning Prayer Class Mass 10:00 am Year 5 Classes	9 No Staff Meetings (<i>Report Writing</i>)	10	11 No School Assembly Term 1 Reception Orientation 9:00–10:30 R-6 Remembrance Day Service	12/13 Adelaide Christmas Pageant
Week 5 November	14 Zoo Snooze – Yr 3 L	15 8:45 Morning Prayer Class Mass 10:00 am Year 4 Classes	16 Staff Meeting School Board Meeting 6:30 pm	17	18 School Assembly 9:00 am – Term 1 Reception Orientation 9:00–10:45 Year 6 Market of Hope	19/20 Christ the King Feast Day
Week 6 November	21 Year 6 Camp 21-24 November	22 8:45 Morning Prayer Class Mass 10:00 am Year 3 Classes	23 Staff Meeting	24	25 No School Assembly 9:00 am - Term 1 Reception Orientation 9:00–10:45 Sacred Heart Transition Day	26/27 First Sunday of Advent
Week 7 Nov / Dec	28 Sabbath Week Year 5 Camp 28-30 November	29 8:45 Morning Prayer Class Liturgy 9:00 am Rec – Year 2	30 Interschool Athletics Carnival Years 3-6 Staff Meetings	1 2:00 Reception Christmas Sing-a-long	2 School Assembly 9:00 am – Term 1 Reception Orientation 9:00-11:30	3/4 Second Sunday of Advent
Week 8 December	5 Aquatics-Sailing Year 5P	6 8:45 Morning Prayer Aquatics-Sailing Year 5M	7 Aquatics-Sailing Year 6N Staff Meeting P&F Meeting 7:15 pm	8 Aquatics-Sailing Year 6T	9 R-6 Christmas Presentation 9:00 am	10/11 Third Sunday of Advent
Week 9 December	12 2023 Transition Morning Second Semester Report Distribution Year 6 Graduation Dinner	13 8:45 Morning Prayer Year 5 Excursion – Beach House	14 9:00 R-6 End of Year School Mass (Last day for Year 6 Students) Year 6 Breakfast 7:00 Year 6 Graduation Ceremony	15 School Assembly 9:00 am - Principal Term 4/School Concludes 3:10 pm	16 Staff Day (Pupil-Free Day)	17/18 Fourth Sunday of Advent