10 March 2015

Principal's Message – Sr Ann-Maree Nicholls, sgs

Dear Parents, Caregivers and Children

Year 5 Camp (written by the students)
On Wednesday 4th March Year 5 went to Tallebudgera Recreation Centre for camp. We stayed for two nights and three days (4th - 6th) and had the time of our lives! While we were at camp we did loads of fun activities such as fencing, archery, surfing, canoeing and the giant swing. Everyone really enjoyed each day and were so tired that as soon as our heads hit the pillow we were asleep. After dinner we went to the big hall where we did some really fun activities and games. The night activities were dodge ball and pirates, but on the first night the teachers from our school organised the games. It was extremely fun and we thank the teachers for a great time!

By Year 5

Our New Prep Students
We have reached the half way mark of Term 1 and the students have all settled well into their new classes. It is a joy to see our new Prep students embracing school and learning. Their enthusiasm and spontaneity as they begin their educational journey is contagious. Every year we welcome a new and diverse group of learners. Each child is unique and brings their own special talents and contribution to our school. Often we do not see the uniqueness of the individual as the students blend so seamlessly into our community. This year we welcome Jacob Puchala into our midst. Jacob's uniqueness is more obvious as he has Achondroplasia. Included in this week's newsletter is a letter from Jacob's mother, Michelle. This explains Jacob's condition and may answer any questions that you or your children may have. Michelle has also kindly donated a book, I'm Just Small That's All, to the library which is available for borrowing should you wish to read this with your family.

Reminder - Prep Enrolments - 2016
Prep enrolment details for 2016 are now required from our existing families. If you have a child due to commence Prep next year (born between 1st July, 2010 and 31st July, 2011) and already have children attending Saints Peter and Paul’s School please ensure that the enrolment form together with a copy of
your child’s birth certificate & baptismal certificate is returned to the school office by **Friday 20th March, 2015**. The demand for Prep enrolment in 2016 is once again extremely high; therefore it is essential that we have our current families accounted for. If you do not have an enrolment package please download one from the school website or collect one from the school office.

**Parking**

I would like to remind families that **SCHOOL PARKING IS NOT PERMITTED** along the driveway in front of the Church and beside the Parish Pastoral Centre. Also, this area should not be used as a pick up or drop off zone for students coming or going home from school. Parking in this area is strictly for Parish use only. Thank you for your continued support as we strive to ensure a safe environment for our school community.

Baptism first joined us to Christ. Let us pray that Lent will renew our life with Christ. May the water of our Baptism, always be a living spring inside us giving us new life in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Peace and Best Wishes
Sr Ann-Maree Nicholls, sgs
**PRINCIPAL**

**APRE News – Mr Brendan Schostakowski**

**SACRAMENT OF PANCE**

Congratulations to those children who will experience their First Reconciliation this week. The celebrations will be held on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evening beginning at 6pm. As a faith community we keep these children and their families in our prayers.

> Lord, thank you for the privilege You have given us to be parents, teachers, nurturers.

> Guide us so that the actions of our lives may lead our children to understand the love, care and forgiveness that you have for each individual person.

> Make us persons of conviction and inspiration to our children, so that through us their knowledge of forgiveness might be experienced and learnt. Amen.

**LENT PRAYER ASSEMBLY**

Due to the Years 3-6 Swimming Carnival on Wednesday, this week’s Lenten Prayer Assembly has been postponed to Friday morning 13 March at 9am. This week **Year 4 Green** will lead our Lenten Prayer with the theme of ‘Giving’. Child of the Week Certificates will be handed out at this time.

**PROJECT COMPASSION**  **Choosing food for life**

At each Lenten assembly members of the Year 6 Care and Concern Committee share the stories of people from different parts of the world whose lives have been transformed with help from Caritas Australia. This week we hear the story of Karen and how she is being helped through Project Compassion.

Karen a sole mother-of-six living in remote Central NSW had few places to buy food and prices were high due to freighting costs, and lack of local competition. Karen had neither the skills nor the money to provide a nutritious diet for her family – until two years ago when she enrolled in the Centacare Wilcannia-Forbes ‘Manage Your Income, Manage Your Life’ program (supported by Caritas Australia).

Through a series of budgeting and nutrition workshops and monthly budget planning sessions and cooking activities, Karen has gained the tools she needed to take control of her money, and provide regular, healthy meals for her family, ‘food for life’.

While there is abundant food in Australian cities, the story is starkly different for First Australians living in rural communities, where low incomes and limited access to nutritious, affordable food reduces the health and well-being of families. Your donation to Project Compassion 2015 helps First Australians in remote communities gain the skills to make healthier food choices, building a better future for their families. Please continue to give generously.

**GOSPEL REFLECTION FOR THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT – 15 March**

**John 3:14-21**  **Jesus meets Nicodemus**

One night a well-intentioned Pharisee, Nicodemus, sought counsel from Jesus. Jesus responded openly, giving him key insights into his own identity and mission.
Jesus explained to Nicodemus that God had sent his only Son into the world so that the world might be saved. Everyone who believed in the Son – the light of the world – would enjoy eternal life. Those who lived by this truth would themselves be a light in the world, a light to others.

Our journey through Lent to Easter reminds us that Jesus, the light, has come into the world dispelling the darkness of evil and restoring broken lives.

During this Season of Lent we pray.
That we may make known to the world the love of Jesus Christ in ever more effective ways.
That all people may have access to the basic necessities of life so they can live lives in peace and dignity.
That we may grow in awareness of how we can be a light in the darkness.

Wishing you God’s blessings for the coming week.
Brendan

APA News...Mr Damien Sullivan

Class Coordinators

We are very fortunate at Sts Peter and Paul’s to have a dedicated group of parents who volunteer as Class Coordinators. Class Coordinators essentially act as a point of contact between the school and families of the class. Their role includes arranging helpers for the class, distributing information, providing support for students and helping organise social gatherings. Each year the Class Coordinators organise the preparation of a Parent Contact list for all families in the class. Lists are distributed to families within class group and participation in the list is completely voluntary. The information included on the list is intended to be used for social contact between families and to help facilitate the distribution of information from the teacher and the school. This year’s Class Coordinators have begun the process of gathering family contact details. If a letter from your coordinator comes home requesting your details, please take the time to complete it and return it to school. If you would prefer your details to be kept private and not distributed to other families, just let the Class Coordinator know.

The school greatly appreciates the wonderful support that our Class Coordinators provide.

Making appointments with teachers

At Sts Peter and Paul’s we whole-heartedly believe that a healthy partnership between parents and teachers is vital for providing the best education for your children. Open communication is an important aspect of this partnership. All of our teachers are dedicated and very happy to discuss issues that parents wish to raise regarding their children. In general, teachers will be busy with planning, making preparations and marking before and after school but there may be an opportunity to briefly mention something that is important for the teacher to know or to ask a quick question. However, if there is something that parents wish to have a discussion about, it is important that parents make an appointment with the class teacher at a time that will suit both parties. Class time from 8:40am to 3:00pm is not an appropriate time to approach a teacher expecting a discussion.

Collings Street (Top) Drop Off Line

A reminder for parents that for the Stop, Drop and Go Zone at the top of the school each morning we use the same spot for dropping off as we do for picking up in the afternoon. To ensure the safety of families using the drop off line the following procedures should be followed:

- Enter the drop off line from Grosvenor Street. Please do not join the queue by turning right or left from Victoria Street.
- Only the first two cars are to unload. Subsequent cars are asked to wait and move to the top of the line once the cars unloading have left.
- Where possible parents should remain in the car. If parents need to assist their children with a school bag before school this should be done quickly so as to not hold up the line. In cases where parents would like to say a longer goodbye or walk their child to the gate, please find a place to park in one of the surrounding streets.

We ask parents to please discuss these important points with their children.

Naming Children’s Belongings

We ask that parents please check their children’s belongings to see that they are named and have this year’s class. In particular hats, lunch boxes and drink bottles are turning up in the lost property with last year’s details which makes it more difficult for our helpers to get them back to their rightful owners. Thanks for your help with this.

All the best for the week ahead!
Damien Sullivan

SENIOR SWIMMING CARNIVAL – 11 MARCH 2015

Please join us at the 2015 Senior Swimming Carnival:

Date: 11 March 2015
Venue: Langland’s Pool, 5 Panitya Street, Stones Corner - located directly behind the Langland’s Park Busway Station.

(Additional Parking is available in the overflow car park off the Easts Rugby League Club)

Transport: Children must come to school in the morning and travel with their class to the pool. Buses will depart from school at 8.45am.

Sports News

Langland’s Pool, 5 Panitya Street, Stones Corner - located directly behind the Langland’s Park Busway Station.

(Additional Parking is available in the overflow car park off the Easts Rugby League Club)

Transport: Children must come to school in the morning and travel with their class to the pool. Buses will depart from school at 8.45am.
Students “What to bring list”: Swimmers (one piece for girls), swimming cap, goggles (if preferred), towel, sunscreen, hat, water bottle, healthy morning tea and lunch. There will be no canteen facilities available to the students so there is no need for children to bring any money. The sports uniform should be worn to school; however, a house coloured shirt is encouraged. (Students may swim without their rash shirt if preferred for racing).

**Program Details of timetabled events: (approximate anticipated times)**

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**Presentation of Age Champions – Senior Swimming and Sports Award Assembly on Thursday 12 March 2.30pm.**

Parents are reminded that this is a school swimming carnival, and the main aim of the day is to encourage children to participate and be a part of their house as a team. Students have swum nominated times during classes recently and these will be used to assist with their placement in events that suit each student’s ability as indicated by these times. The decisions made by the teachers who are judging/timing the races will be final. Students will sit in their house areas. A spectator area on the other side of the pool will be set aside for parents. Please bring a chair or rug to set up on for the grassed area.

Thank you to the parents who have nominated to assist us on the day. Your support is greatly appreciated as a school event of this size relies on such wonderful support.

**FIT CLUB**

See the flyer attached for dates and times in preparation for the School Cross Country Carnival

**SAVE THE DATE**

School Cross Country Carnival
27 March 2015 at Hawthorne Park. More details to come

**SCHOOL TO LYTON DISTRICT TRIALS:**

School Hockey Trials for possible Lytton District selection will be held on Thursday 12 March, 11.00am – 11.45am (weather permitting) on the school oval.
The trials will be held for Boys and Girls 12yrs (DOB 2003 – 2005). Eligible students are invited to attend school trials for possible Lytton District nomination.
Please meet outside the Good Samaritan Hall at 11.00am.
Ensure you bring your hockey stick, personal hockey ball and ALL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT including mouth guard and shinpads with appropriate shoes and sports shirt. Please bring your hat and lunch with you.

Yours in sport
Mrs Conaghan

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**Library Bites**

Welcome to week 7! We have another exciting display in the Library to celebrate the Japanese festival celebrated on March 3, ‘Hina Matsuri’. This is Girls day in Japan. Can you see the tiered dolls in our Library display? Come in and see how the dolls are arranged. You can also read more about this festival in the Library or at: [http://www.japanesearch.com/hina-matsuri-the-dolls-festival-on-march-3/](http://www.japanesearch.com/hina-matsuri-the-dolls-festival-on-march-3/)

**Writing competition**

The 2015 School Writing Competition is NOW OPEN!
Calling all Australian school students... Prep to grade 12...
Write a poem or short story for your chance to win $1,000 cash ($500 for you and $500 for your school). As well as lots of AWESOME prizes! All it takes is a burst of inspiration, a dash of creativity and a little bit of effort for great poems and stories to appear! We can’t wait to read yours!
**Entry is FREE!** Entries close Sunday March 29, 2015.
For more information head to [http://www.write4fun.net/](http://www.write4fun.net/)
Entry forms are also available at the Library.
Library Working Bee

We are holding our first working bee for the year this Term. We are looking for volunteers to organise, process and cover a large number of new resources.

When: Thursday 19 March @ 8:45am in the Library.
We will supply morning tea and no experience is required.
Please let us know if you can help out by dropping in to the library, send us a note or email.
Happy reading.
Mrs Wilson, Mrs Rimmer, Mrs McEniery and Mrs Brooks

P & F News

“Dancing in the Moonlight” – Celebrating 99 years of our Sts Peter & Paul’s community.

As most of you are aware we have one major fundraising event for the school each year. Last year we had the very successful fete, so this year it’s time for the grownups to get together and kick up their heels, all while raising money for our amazing school.

In the past we have had a formal dinner, however we have decided this year to change it to more of a party… to celebrate that we are in the 99th year of our school and parish community.

The event will be held on our school oval and will be a celebration of how wonderful our community is. It will be more affordable, more local and just a great BIG party!

As soon as we have finalised all the details we will send out an invitation to you all. Until then please save the date, Friday 22nd May and get your dancing shoes on. It will be the “party of the decade!”

FYI – no dress-up theme this year 😊.

Care & Concern

Our new Care & Concern Coordinator is Ana Croger (Prep Blue parent)! Ana will be taking over the majority of the role from Megan Mobsby and will have an update in next week’s newsletter. Megan will continue to be the Year 6 Care and Concern Coordinator and is happy to take any enquiries.

Facebook Page

Did you know the P & F have a Facebook page? We are currently sitting at 378 followers but clearly have a much greater number of parents who use Facebook and who could benefit from our school related updates. Please type in “StsP&PP&F” in the search field in Facebook to find us.

P & F Meeting

The next P & F meeting will be held on Wednesday 18th March from 7:30pm in the staffroom (above Year 1 classrooms). All are welcome!

Tuckshop

The current menu is available on the school website at www.stspp.qld.edu.au.

PLEASE NOTE: Due to the Senior Swimming Carnival tomorrow, Wednesday, 11 March, tuckshop will NOT be available to Years 3 – 6. Tuckshop as available as usual for Years 1 & 2.

ROSTER:

Wednesday, 11 March
Kim Trajer

Friday, 13 March
Amelia Robinson, Katie Pesch, Louise Fraser

Monday, 16 March
Sarah Jewell, Ann-Marie Scafe

Many thanks everyone,
Chris Watt, Tuckshop Convenor
Tel: 0413 590 109

OSHC

We have great activities planned for everyone attending OSHC this week! In the kitchen we are cooking more delicious suggestions from children which include Potato Wedges, Panag Curry and baking Shortbread & Apple Berry Crumble. Craft activities include Tissue paper trees, Paper tails, Dream catchers & finger puppets. Inside we are playing lego, lincoln logs, dress ups, silent disco and castles. Root Vegetables are the focus of the Lunar Calendar this week, and we are planting carrots, onions and more potatoes. Outside we are skipping and playing handball, lava monsters, musical hoops, wobble boards, hockey and tackling an obstacle course. We have oval games on Tuesday and Thursday for Years 2-6, which include soccer & capture the flag.

OSHC CHAMPIONS: OSHC Champions this week are Jackson Papaconstantinou, Lara Grellman and Danny Keegan. Congratulations Lara, Danny and Jackson!

Kind regards,
Claire Ravenswood, OSHC Coordinator
Educational Leader
Thankyou to all parents who ordered from the first Bookclub issue last month. Your orders raised over $350 for the school to use to purchase new books and classroom resources. We had about half the families use the new Scholastic online ordering system and it worked very well.

The brochures for the second issue went home last week. For those parents who would like to order books at a different year level than your child receives, the brochures for all year levels are available on the Scholastic website at www.scholastic.com.au then clicking on the Bookclub link. You can then use the book numbers from the other brochures when you place an online order, or print off an order form if you were placing a paper order.

Please place all online orders or return your paper orders to the school office by Thursday 12 March. Please note, you do not need to send in a paper order if you place an online order with Scholastic.

Kylie Hayes and Justine Haddrill,
Bookclub Co-ordinators

Care & Concern Meal Register
The Care & Concern Committee Meal Register would appreciate any new volunteers to help out and make 2015 a great year. A simple home-cooked meal can make all the difference to someone suffering difficult times.

Approximately one meal per term is all that is asked.
The system is very easy. Meals are to be placed in a non-return takeaway or aluminum foil container and labelled with ingredients used. Please drop off at the School Office and they are then placed in a freezer in our tuckshop, for distribution to families experiencing difficulties including bereavements, sickness etc.
The group is meeting this Thursday 12th March after drop off from 8.45am at Pompidou Café for a get together, all are welcome.
Anyone interested can contact Amelia Robinson alltherobinsons@gmail.com or Karen McKeering-Smith (0421 451 545) for more information.

More hands make light work!

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Child of the Week

PB: Kaitlin Smith  PG: Claudia West  PR: Alfie Leigh  PY: Sam Hayes
1B: Oliver King  1G: Alison Crowley  1R: Tai Patterson  1Y: Jules Thomson
2B: Levi Collins  2G: Sophia Vasquez  2R: Henry Crawley
3B: Ewan Fisher  3G: Gianni Kingstone  3R: Alistair Mylne  3Y: Renee Signato
4B: Imogen Joseph  4G: Anna McAuley  4R: Xavier Rees
5B: Mia Quinn  5G: Gigi Shepherd
6B: Tess Catchpole  6G: Libby Brook
Hello, my name is Michelle and I am the mother of Jacob and Lincoln who have commenced Prep this year. As you would have noticed Jacob is somewhat smaller than his twin brother Lincoln. I wanted to write to explain that Jacob has a condition known as Achondroplasia and to provide the school community with some information about this condition, as I know Jacob’s height often raises questions.

Achondroplasia is the most common form of short limb dwarfism. Dwarfism refers to a group of conditions characterised by shorter than normal skeletal growth. Achondroplasia occurs in around 1 in 25 000 children so I guess this makes Jacob extra special. The majority of children born with the disorder have average sized parents as is the case with my husband and I, and it is unknown as to why there was a change in the fibroblast growth factor receptor 3 gene which causes this condition. Alternatively, the condition can be inherited if parents have Achondroplasia themselves. Achondroplasia does not affect intelligence and children born with this condition participate in all areas of the school curriculum achieving alongside their peers. Achieving higher levels of education, worthwhile careers and personal ambitions are things we encourage in all of our children and are certainly not limited by stature.

I am fortunate enough to be a part of a parent group who also have children with Achondroplasia and other bone dysplasias including one mother who has Achondroplasia herself. It saddens me that this lady often receives unwanted attention because of her stature, for example, people laughing at her and pointing, taking her photo and so on. It is my hope that our children’s generation is more tolerant and embracing of people’s differences.

It is understandable that Jacob’s peers may query his age due to his height. If questions are raised I hope that you are able to explain to your child that Jacob is the same as they are but that he has smaller bones. Jacob just wants to be treated like anyone else his age. I have seen in the past that some of the older children want to pick him up due to his compact size but as they wouldn’t pick up other 4-5 year olds, they shouldn’t pick Jacob up as he’s not a baby.

Out of interest, I have learnt along the way that people living with dwarfism are happy to have their medical condition referenced as short stature or little person (LP). The term dwarf is rarely used these days and the term 'midget' is actually considered highly offensive. Obviously, they prefer to be called by their name and not referenced by their medical condition. People of average height are referenced as 'average' rather than 'normal' or 'regular' as this infers that people with Achondroplasia are abnormal or irregular which is not how anyone wants to be considered.

If you have any questions feel free to ask me although I am no expert. I’m a mother of 3 lovely boys, one of whom is a little smaller in size but who definitely makes up for it in personality.

Kind Regards
Michelle Puchala
Calling all those who like to bake!
The Parish of Sts Peter and Paul Need You!
Parish Cake Stall – 14th and 15th March

The Sts Peter and Paul’s School Care & Concern Group manages 4 cake stalls each year with the proceeds of these stalls helping Sr Mary in her work within the parish community.
This may include providing bread, milk and other necessities to families who may need it from time to time. We require donations of cakes, biscuits, brownies, slices and individually packed items such as cupcakes for our stall to be a success. If you would like to help us with these baked goodies please contact Lea Reid or Brooke Power and join our Cake Stall Register. For those already on the register, thank you for your continued support. Your baked items are very much appreciated by Sr Mary and the Parish.
The next Parish Cake Stall will be held this weekend after the Saturday night and Sunday morning masses on the 14th and 15th March.
If you are able to supply some baked goodies, they can be dropped off to the school office on Friday (the 13th March) or to the stall before either of the masses. Please contact Lea or Brooke for how to package and label your items, like more information or if you would like to join the baking register.

Many thanks
Lea Reid (0418774896), reid_lb@hotmail.com
Brooke Power (0408064560, brookepower5@bigpond.com

Bulimba Kindy is opening our waitlist to all children eligible to attend Kindy in 2017.

*Children born between: 1st July 2012 and 31st July 2013

Sunday 15th March 2015
8:00 am to 10:00 am
231 Oxford Street, Bulimba

For further information, please contact the Kindy.

BULIMBA COMMUNITY KINDERGARTEN
2017 ENROLMENTS

PLEASE NOTE:
• A REFUND WILL BE ISSUED UP TO ONE WEEK PRIOR TO THE REGISTRATION OF THE CHILD.
• THERE WILL BE NO MONEY REFUNDED ON THE DAY.
• ONLY PAYMENTS CAN BE ACCEPTED IN THE FORM OF A CHEQUE OR錢 ORDER.

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Clear Aligners and Invisalign
Braces on the tongue side of the teeth.
FIT CLUB IS BACK

WHO: STUDENTS AND PARENTS of STS PETER & PAUL'S SCHOOL

WHERE: MEET ON THE SCHOOL OVAL UNDER THE BIG TREE NEXT TO THE WATER FOUNTAIN
        (WET WEATHER – GOOD SAMARITAN HALL)

WHEN: BEFORE SCHOOL FROM 7.30am – 8.10am

DRESS: COMFORTABLE CLOTHES AND A HAT WITH RUNNERS
        Remember to apply sunscreen before arriving and to bring your full school uniform to change into at 8.10am
        Bring a second breakfast snack for before class

DATES:
1. Thursday 12 March
2: Tuesday 17 March
Further dates may be announced next week.

WALK THE COURSE – Thursday 26 March
Meet before school at 7.30am WITH PARENTS at Hawthorne Park, Hawthorne Road side near carpark

FINAL GOAL -
Sts Peter & Paul's School Cross Country Carnival
Years 1 – 6
Friday, 27 March 2015
Hawthorne Park, Hawthorne Road Side
Executive Officer  
Catholic School Parents Australia  
20 hours per week  
Generous Salary Package  

Qualities and Skills  
- Strong Interpersonal and Communication Skills  
- Comfortable interacting within Catholic Education and Catholic Church and with Government  
- Interest in and some knowledge of political processes  
- Recognition of the power of advocacy in influencing policy  
- Able to prepare meeting papers and provide some other administration services to CSPA Council  

Role holder will be collocated with Federation of P & F Secretariat, 143 Edward Street, Brisbane. Some flexibility in hours will be discussed.

Further information  
Carmel Nash  33369349  or 0421633915  
www.parents.catholic.edu.au  

Applications close 5pm March 16 2015
Brave Stars Workshop

For anxiety and confidence building

This afterschool group program (maximum 8 children), will increase children’s ability to become emotionally aware, challenge their unhelpful thoughts, and develop strategies to overcome their fear and anxiety with confidence.

The group will commence on Monday 23rd March and conclude on Thursday 2nd April.

Please phone (07) 3309 7011 to register your place. There are a maximum of 8 places being offered.