



# ST JOSEPH'S SCHOOL

## COLERAINE

*At St. Joseph's School, we are committed to the teachings of Jesus Christ and the Gospel Values. We believe that all students can achieve high levels of learning, and we are committed to embedding and providing a culture of child safety. We actively promote and respect the cultural diversity of all members of our school community.*

### WEEKLY REFLECTION

Lord Jesus,  
I ask for Your help as I begin this new school year. Allow me to experience Your presence in the many blessings You put before me.  
Open my eyes to the new challenges and exciting opportunities that this new school year brings.  
Open my heart and mind to new friends and new teachers. Give me a generous spirit to be enthusiastic with my studies and courage to accept new opportunities.  
Jesus, inspire me to do my best this year!

Amen

## NEWSLETTER

### Parish Mass Times

1st Sunday of the month - 9 am (Lay-Led), 2nd Sunday of the month - 9 am, 3rd Sunday of the month - 9 am, 4th Sunday of the month - 9 am, 5th Sunday of the month - 9 am Ecumenical Service  
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Friday, February 2024

ISSUE 1

Dear Families,

On Tuesday, we had many happy students and parents with the beginning of the 2024 school year. Kids seem to grow quickly over the holidays, and the staff look forward to teaching your children this year.

We welcomed our eight new Foundation students - Dusty, Hugo, Eva, Cooper, Leah-Rose, Isla, Elletra, Tyler and Nevaeh (Year 5). We also welcome three new families to our St. Joseph's community - Brooke Lambert and Stanley Chukwu, Cassie Chancellor and Joshua Warren, and Charles and Amanda Wilson.

We warmly welcome Mrs. Amy Harman, who will work in LGC this year. We are really pleased to have her on board as she brings a wealth of experience and enthusiasm.

Our newsletter will continue to be published on Friday afternoons and will be available as a PDF file each week via email and on the school website. Families who wish to receive a hard copy must indicate this to the office. Every fortnight, we will have a class report and three awards where we recognise outstanding achievements from our students.

Any queries, give the school a call, send a text through to the mobile or send through an email

*Karl Dwyer*



*We acknowledge the Traditional Owners of the land where we work and live, the Gunditjmara people, and pay our respects to Elders past, present and emerging. We celebrate the stories, culture and traditions of all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities who also live and work on this land.*



From Monday 5th through to Friday 9th February, we will have daily swimming lessons from 1.45pm - 2.45pm. Please ensure your child/ren has bathers, rashie, towel, goggles, water bottle and hat packed daily. Children can wear their sports uniform all week.

Children must wear a rashie or T-shirt for their swimming lessons. Sunscreen will be applied at school. Students will get changed into their bathers at school before we depart. **There are no lunch orders on Monday 5 February due to the swimming program, lunch orders will commence on Monday 12 February 2024.**



Due to the swimming program next week, lunch orders will commence from Cambo's Milkbar on Monday 12 February 2023.

Please see below list, a copy will be attached to this week's newsletter email.

<p align="center"> <b><u>ST JOSEPH'S SCHOOL COLERAINE</u></b>  <b><u>LUNCH ORDER LIST</u></b>  <b><u>TERM 1 – 2024</u></b>  <b><u>CAMBO'S MILKBAR</u></b>  <b><u>SCHOOL MENU - MONDAY ONLY</u></b>  <b><u>COMMENCING 12/02/2024</u></b> </p>	
<b><u>PIES</u></b>	
KINGS, HERBERTS, CLARKES	5.00
PASTIES	5.00
LARGE SAUSAGE ROLLS	4.00
SMALL SAUSAGE ROLLS	3.00
PARTY PIES	1.00
TOMATO SAUCE	.20
(Please indicate if sauce is required)	
<b><u>BURGER</u></b>	
CHICKEN FILLET BURGER, (lettuce, cheese & mayo)	7.00
<b><u>SANDWICHES</u></b>	
CHICKEN & HAM	5.00
CHEESE	3.00
HAM & SALAD	5.00
SALAD ROLL (Ham, Chicken)	6.00
<p align="center">             PLEASE ENSURE YOUR <b><u>NAME &amp; GRADE</u></b> IS CLEARLY WRITTEN ON THE              ENVELOPE AND THE <b><u>CORRECT MONEY</u></b> IS ENCLOSED  <b><u>ONLY ITEMS ON THE MENU WILL BE DELIVERED</u></b> </p>	





Thank you to all families who are now signed up and using the PAM module. New families are encouraged to download the Simon EVERYWHERE App. An email has been sent to new families and existing families who may have had a sibling start in Foundation. If you have any difficulties or require assistance, please contact the school office on 03 55752 131 and speak with Nicole or Fiona.

### Simon EVERYWHERE is now available on App Store and Google Play

Thank you to all families who are signed up and now using the **PAM module**.

Simon Everywhere is an App that is available for families to download from the App Store and Google Play for easier access to the PAM features.

Benefits of using the Simon Everywhere App for families are:

- Easier access to the Parent Access Module (PAM) feature rather than clicking on the link our school provided
- For consenting to Activity Permission, recording Parent Notified Absences, and viewing Student Assessment and Reporting
- Families with siblings in secondary schools who are using Simon Everywhere, e.g. Monivae or Good Shepherd can add another school (e.g. St Joseph's School Coleraine) to view both students in the one place
- Receive push notifications directly to you mobile phone

Please see below for easy instructions on how to download and install the Simon Everywhere app, or please contact the school office if you require assistance.

Simon Everywhere is now available on  
App Store and Google Play.

Your school has joined the growing Simon Everywhere community. By installing the Simon Everywhere app, you will be able to receive push notifications direct to your phone. Plus you will have easy access to all of the great PAM features, such as Assessments, Reports, Activity Permissions and more.

- Search "Simon Everywhere" on App Store or Google Play and install the app
- Launch Simon Everywhere and register with your name and mobile number
- Click Add School and locate your school from the list
- Enter your existing PAM credentials

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App Store



**simon**  
EVERYWHERE





# COLERAINE

# POOL

# Party

**FRIDAY 9TH FEB**

**4PM - 7PM**

**COLERAINE OUTDOOR POOL**

**FREE**



MUSIC



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ACTIVITIES

**All welcome!**



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Dear Parents and Caregivers,

We are very excited to introduce a new initiative to help support the wellbeing of your students and better resource key staff. After all, happy and well-supported students are better equipped to learn and succeed.

Because parenting doesn't come with instructions, SchoolTV is an online well-being resource that can support you in the challenges of modern-day parenting. This award-winning resource helps build relationships, foster connections, enable understanding and break down barriers to navigate a pathway towards better mental health and wellbeing for young people. It can assist you in starting conversations on topics that are sometimes awkward or difficult to tackle.

Parenting is a learning journey and SchoolTV supports families by providing credible information from trusted sources offering practical strategies with a focus to empower confidence when difficulties arise.

We invite you to visit our SchoolTV site and view the content. Discover a host of interesting topics featuring interviews with leading youth wellbeing experts and researchers from around the world offering hours of relevant and practical information. Additionally, each topic includes a compilation of related resources from key organisations providing a comprehensive stream of content. Resources include informative fact sheets, articles, apps, books, podcasts, websites, and other videos - all related to a single topic, in one place for easy access!

Start exploring SchoolTV today! <https://sjcoleraine.catholic.schooltv.me>



# Upcoming 2024 Dates

Week 2	5 Feb Swimming 1.45-2.45 pm	6 Feb Swimming 1.45-2.45 pm	7 Feb Swimming 1.45-2.45 pm	8 Feb Swimming 1.45-2.45 pm	9 Feb Swimming 1.45-2.45 pm	10/11 Feb
Week 3	12 Feb Lunch orders begin	13 Feb Beginning of Year Liturgy and School Leaders Induction 11.00am	14 Feb Ash Wednesday WT Swimming Casterton	15 Feb	16 Feb	17/18 Feb 1st Sunday of Lent
Week 4	19 Feb	20 Feb School Closure Day Structured Literacy	21 Feb	22 Feb	23 Feb	24/25 Feb 2nd Sunday of Lent
Week 5	26 Feb CDDSA Swimming SAC Meeting 7PM	27 Feb	28 Feb	29 Feb Division Swimming W'bool	1 March World Day of Prayer	2/3 March 3rd Sunday of Lent
Week 6	4 March	5 March	6 March	7 March 3/4 Camp The Outside Inn	8 March 3/4 Camp The Outside Inn	9/10 March 4th Sunday of Lent
Week 7 NAPLAN	11 March LABOUR DAY	12 March	13 March	14 March	15 March ANTI BULLYING DAY	16/17 March 5th Sunday of Lent St. Patrick's Day
Week 8 NAPLAN	18 March	19 March	20 March	21 March	22 March Twilight Fair 4pm - 7pm	23/24 March Palm Sunday
Week 9	25 March SAC Meeting 7PM	26 March	27 March CDDSA Athletics	28 March	29 March Good Friday	30/31 March Easter Sunday