



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 PRAYER



**God of the Deep,
Be with us as we make our
way out of the shallow
waters of the beginning of
the year. Guide us as we
navigate the deep water of
our learning and
relationships during 2023.
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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Co-Pastors: Fr Patrick Mugavin & Fr George Kuruwila Principal: Mr Karl Dwyer SAC Chair: Mrs Andrea Munro

Friday, February 3rd, 2023

ISSUE 1

Dear Families,

Welcome back to school for 2023!

Seeing our students and teachers gather to get our year underway on Tuesday was exciting. It was also great to see our three Foundation students begin schooling at St Joseph's.

We also extend a warm welcome to Megan Garland, who will be working on a Thursday as our School chaplain. We are really pleased to have her on board as she brings a wealth of experience. If you would like to come and have a chat with Megan, please feel free. We also welcome Jack Novikov (Year 5), who has returned to us from Alexandra College.

Our newsletter will continue to be published on a Friday afternoon 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.

Parents who have been up to school recently will notice that the foundation for our COLA (Covered Outdoor Learning Area) has been laid in the northwest part of the school. A big thank you to Luke Boxer for coordinating this during the holidays so that it didn't provide any disruption or safety issues for the children. We are confident that the building will be completed during the following school holidays.

Karl Dwyer
Principal

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.

Important Messages

2023 Staff

2023 Administration Team

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| Principal | Karl Dwyer |
| Second in Charge to the Principal | Patrick Sinnott |
| Business Managers | Fiona Fitzgerald & Nicole Tindall |

Classroom Teachers

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| LGA | Nicky Lowe |
| LGB | Ann Aksakalli (Tues-Fri) & Emily Dwyer (Monday) |
| LGC | Patrick Sinnott |

Learning Support Officers

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| LGA | Mitch Lang |
| LGB | Jo Povey |
| LGC | Benita Lambert |

Learning Coordinators

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| Religious Education | Karl Dwyer |
| Teaching & Learning Leader | Patrick Sinnott |
| Learning Diversity Leader | Nicky Lowe |
| Science & Art | Emily Dwyer |
| LOTE (Indonesian) Coordinator | Karl Dwyer |
| Health & PE | Karl Dwyer |
| Music | Tara Stephens |

Student Services

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| Chaplain | Megan Garland |
| Student Leadership | Patrick Sinnott |
| Cleaner | Maria O'Connell |

We are a ResourceSmart School



Sustainability
Victoria



Nude Food at St Joe's

As a 3 Star ResourceSmart school, reducing waste is a daily focus for us at school, home and in the community. **Nude Food** is an important part of how we help to reduce plastic waste at school and to educate our students about how their actions can impact the environment and their health. We encourage students to bring a rubbish free lunch to school. **Nude food** is food that comes to school without disposable packaging – extra plastic bags, paper bags, wrappings, or cling wraps. It's been fantastic to see that many students have continued to bring Nude Food this year. Our LGC ResourceSmart Leadership team will be organising some Nude Food activities later in Term 1 to encourage families to provide totally Nude Food lunch boxes everyday.

LUNCH ORDERS

Student lunch orders will be available from Cambo's Milkbar from **Monday 6th February 2023**. There will also be a copy attached with this week's newsletter via email.

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LUNCH ORDER LIST TERM 1 – 2023

CAMBO'S MILKBAR

SCHOOL MENU - MONDAY ONLY COMMENCING 6/02/2023

PIES

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| 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) | |

BURGER

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| CHICKEN FILLET BURGER, (lettuce, cheese & mayo) | 7.00 |
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SANDWICHES

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| CHICKEN & HAM | 5.00 |
| CHEESE | 3.00 |
| HAM & SALAD | 5.00 |
| SALAD ROLL (Ham, Chicken) | 6.00 |

PLEASE ENSURE YOUR **NAME & GRADE** IS CLEARLY WRITTEN ON THE ENVELOPE AND THE **CORRECT MONEY** IS ENCLOSED

ONLY ITEMS ON THE MENU WILL BE DELIVERED



PAM Identity Changes

Dear Parents

In January 2023, your SIMON Everywhere /PAM account underwent a major upgrade to provide greater security and other improved functionality.

During the week of the 16th of January 2023, your current SIMON Everywhere/PAM account became inactive.

We have created new PAM accounts and you should have received an email asking you to create new credentials for a new PAM account.

This will be as simple as:

- clicking on the link provided in the email
- following the prompts to create a new password for your new account.
- opening the SIMON Everywhere app and log out of your old account
- navigating to the “Tools” menu in SIMON Everywhere and then “Add School”
- finding your school on the list and clicking on the “Login” button for Parent Access
- using your new credentials to log into your new PAM account via SIMON Everywhere

Your username will be your email address.

Your SIMON Everywhere/PAM interface will not look any different, but you may receive an account per parent if you were previously sharing an account with your spouse.

If you have any queries or need help to set up your new account please contact Fiona or Nicole in the office who will be able to help you with this process.

Upcoming Dates

Important Dates for Term 1 2023

- 10 Feb-** Beginning of Year Liturgy 9.15am
- 10 Feb-** Hockey Roadshow Program (Wear sports uniform)
- 13 Feb-** SAC Meeting 7pm @ School
- 13 Feb-** Yr 5/6 Students to attend Monivae Opening Mass
- 14 Feb-** WT Swimming Carnival in Casterton Outdoor Pool (Wear sports uniform)
- 20 Feb-** CDDSA Swimming Carnival in Casterton (Wear sports uniform)
- 22 Feb-** Ash Wednesday
- 26 Feb-** Monivae Discovery Day 10:00am-1:00pm
- 1 March-** Parent Information Evening 5.00-6.00pm
- 2 March-** Division Swimming in W'bool
- 3 March-** Clean up Australia Day
- 7th and 8th March-** Grade 3/4 camp to Grampians Retreat
- 10 March-** School Closure- SWPBS Professional Development for staff in Edenhope
- 13 March-** Labour Day Holiday
- 14 March-** Regional Swimming
- 15 March-** NAPLAN begins
- 21 March-** CDDSA Athletics Carnival in Casterton
- 20 March-** SAC Meeting 7pm @ School
- 6 April-** Final day of Term 1
- 7 April-** Good Friday
- 9 April-** Easter Sunday

Student Free Days for 2023

Term 2

April 24th- External Review and Validation Planning (Western Trinity Staff)

Term 3

July 10th- First Aid Training (Rhythm First Aid Training)

Term 4

November 3rd- Prayer Renewal Process- Justin McInerney (CEB)

DISCOVERY DAY **AT MONIVAE**

Visit Monivae and see the school in action. Explore our leading curriculum and wellbeing programs, meet staff and students, check out the facilities, gather information on scholarships, bus travel and our value-added fee structure, plus lots more.

Sunday 26th February, 10am – 1pm



Scan here to register, or visit **monivae.com**. We can't wait to welcome you!



educating the
mind
spirit
heart