

St Brigid's

Thursday 2 May, 2019



3...2...1...'Blast off' into Term Two!

It's Term Two!

Welcome back to Term Two!

I hope you enjoyed a relaxing break and celebrated the spirit of Easter with family and friends. We have a 'jam-packed' term ahead of us so hold on to your hats!

Welcome to St Brigid's!

This week we welcomed both Mrs Annabelle Matenaar as our Year Two teacher, and Miss Mikayla Chilvers into Year One for her final teaching practice. May you enjoy being a part of our school community - we are lucky to have you both with us.

We also welcomed the youngest members into our school this week - the Pre Kindy class. We hope you will have a term full of learning and fun.

First Holy Communion

It is finally here! This Sunday 5 May we will celebrate the Mass of First Holy Communion. A group of Year 4 children will play an important role at this Mass which will be celebrated in the church at 5.00pm on this day. Please come along to support this Mass. Parents are asked to bring a plate to share for the supper following Mass.

ANZAC Service - Friday 3 May

Thank you to James Sparkes and Bindi Kitchener who represented our school at the town ANZAC service during the holidays. Our head students lay the wreath for St Brigid's community - thank you James and Bindi!

Tomorrow we will be hosting our school ANZAC service by the flag pole at 10.00am. Led by the Year 6 class, we hope you can join us to celebrate the freedom we have today as a result of all those war veterans who went before us.

Parent - Teacher Interviews

Thank you for your attendance last term at our parent interview evening. If you did not manage to see your child's teacher, please make contact with them as soon as possible. Thank you.

Election Day Sausage sizzle

We are looking for 12 volunteers to give 1 hour of their time on the morning of the Federal Election (Saturday 18 May) for a sausage sizzle fundraiser. Our sensational P&F have organised this stall to be run at the lesser hall of the Bridgetown Town Hall on this morning. If you can help, please contact Lizzy Doust (0447277043) to put your name down. The time-slots available are as follows and we need three people per hour.

10.30- 11.30am
11.30-12.30pm
12.30 - 1.30pm
1.30 - 2.30pm

Mother's Day Morning Tea

See to the right, the attached flyer about this morning - we would love to have you join us for a cuppa. We will share a laugh and enjoy each other's company for the morning to

acknowledge the importance of our Mums. We will have a raffle for some lucky Mum to win. No need to bring any money - just yourself! Thank you to the staff who will be catering.

Bee wax wraps

Our 'sustainability' group was hard at work on Tuesday making beeswax food wraps. They made 130 over the course of the day. These wraps will play an important role in our 'nude food' days coming soon.

Pupil Free Day - Friday 10 May

A reminder we have a pupil free day on Friday 10 May (next Friday).

Newsletter online

This is the first newsletter which is being publicised only digitally. If you hear anyone having trouble accessing our newsletter, please direct them to our St Brigid's family Facebook page or to the front office where we can ensure they receive the newsletter via email. Thank you. Our new website will be up and running soon and so this will also be another place to locate the weekly newsletter.

Thank you for your support with the changeover from the summer to winter uniform. I know many of you needed to purchase extra items for this term. Your effort to support the uniform is appreciated.

May this weekend be an enjoyable finish to the first week back.

Carlo Pardini
Principal



Mother's Day Morning Tea

PLEASE JOIN US TO CELEBRATE

THURSDAY MAY 9, 2019

AT 10.15 am IN THE MORNING

IN THE UNDERCOVER AREA

hosted by St Brigid's School



P&F

Welcome back to another Term at St Brigid's. The P&F have a lot happening this term and we would love your support:

- Our next fund-raiser is the sausage sizzle (for Election Day) on Saturday 18 May. Please contact Lizzy Doust if you can help out on 0447 277 043.
- The 'Entertainment' fund-raising books are selling and we need to ensure we have a minimum number of sales to make this a viable venture so please call in to see Margaret who has the paper work to fill in if you are interested.

Thank you to Nicole Ward for coordinating the 'Tulips With A Difference'. If you had an order, your bulbs are ready to collect from the front office.

Have a great start to Term 2 everyone - we look forward to some exciting times ahead.

Yolande Wendt
P&F President



Sunday Mass

5 May 5.00pm

First Holy Communion

12 May 9.00am

19 May 5.00pm

26 May 9.00am

Canteen

Fri 3 May	Jasmine Schmidt- Hunt <u>Jodie West</u>
Mon 6 May	Rosanna Parks <u>Abbie Fetter</u>
Mon 13 May	Amy Doust <u>Simone Taylor</u>
Names in bold are the 'cake makers' for the day.	

A look ahead at the week...

Wk	DATE	TIME	EVENT
1	Fri 3 May	10.00am	ANZAC Service
	Sun 5 May	5.00pm	First Holy Communion
	Thurs 9 May	10.15am	Mother's Day Morning Tea
2	Fri 10 May		Pupil Free Day - no school on this day!
	14-16 May		NAPLAN testing
	Thurs 15 May	10.00am	PP/Year 1 Liturgy in the church
	17 May	2.30pm	MJR Assembly



Community Information



BRIDGETOWN FAMILY & COMMUNITY
CENTRE PRESENTS:

LEGO CLUB

TUESDAYS 3.15 TO 4.15PM
AGES 5 - 12, ONLY \$8 PER CHILD

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WATOTO
AFRICAN CHILDREN'S GOSPEL CHOIR
ARE COMING AGAIN!



FREE CONCERT

A vibrant worship experience

The sound of a transformed generation

Tuesday 21st May @ 7.00pm

Bridgetown Town Hall
Steere Street, Bridgetown

BOOKFAIR BOOKFAIR BOOKFAIR

Welcome back to term 2. Our annual Bookfair will occur during week 4, starting Monday 20th May. The Bookfair will be open Monday to Friday in the Library at lunchtime and after school. It is an opportunity for children, parents and grandparents to view some of the latest publications from Scholastic. This year Scholastic will be providing us with a new system for displaying their great selection of reading materials.

It is also an opportunity for our library to gain new resources. We receive 30% commission from every sale and we are able to use the commission to purchase new books from the Bookfair for our school library. Please support our Bookfair during week 4. Lorraine Pearce Librarian