



# St Brigid's

Thursday 19 September 2019



# Holidays are coming!

## Confirmation Mass

A slip went home last week requesting items of food Sunday and support for Confirmation this - so far only two have been returned! Mass will be this Sunday at 9.00am in the church and I encourage our families to attend to support Alex Walker. Following Mass there will be a morning tea in the hall.

## Year 4 Assembly

Please join us tomorrow (Friday 20 September) for the Year 4 Assembly at 2.30pm in the hall. We will find out the next recipient of Brigid the Bear at this assembly. See you there!

## Dance Sport update

As you know, Debbie-Anne left suddenly last week, and we are so pleased she did, since she was able to celebrate the birth of her first grandson in Perth. Dance sport will resume next Wednesday 25 September and conclude with our 'Dance sport' assembly on Friday 27 September at 8.45am. The Year Six class will miss this 'catch up' as they will be at camp, but I know they will

be having a great time regardless. Please come along on Friday morning to join us.

## TREE Talks

Well done to all competitors at our recent TREE Talks public speaking competition. I am pleased to say everyone gave it their best shot. Congratulations to some students who were awarded individual prizes:

Jasper May Porteous - 1st (Yr 6 boys)  
Buckeley Barker-Rose- Commendation  
James Rutten - 1st (Year 5 boys).  
Xanthe Ward - 2nd (Year 5 girls).

## September sausage sizzle

Our classes gathered for a sausage sizzle lunch today to increase awareness of cerebral palsy and to raise a little bit of money for research. Thank you Crystal and Alysha for your time.

## Blues Manager - can you help?

The P&F are still searching for a person who can help be the on-site manager, for this year's Blues camping. This role simply ensures the campers can contact someone in the case of an issue. There is flexibility within this role to leave the school - you don't need to stay on site for the whole festival. Providing a manager is our commitment to providing a safe experience for the campers.

## St Brigid's app

I would like all families to ensure they

have our app (called Connected) loaded onto their phones as this is a much more effective way to communicate information. If you have not already done so, please call into the office and we will assist you with the steps involved. We will be using this app more and more each week so please ensure you have this on your phone.

## Cricket Carnival

Thank you Mr T for escorting our Year 5/6 classes to Manjimup for this annual cricket carnival. It was wet and cold, and you all got very wet and cold but by all accounts, it was a lot of fun (the pictures certainly tell us it was!). Well done St Brigid's on joining in with this friendly competition.

## Year 6 Camp

We wish our intrepid year 6 campers all the very best for their week long Perth experience which starts on Monday. May you all have a fabulous time and we look forward to your return next week. What a way to end Term 3!

## Absentee notices

Absentees can now be logged through the school app or our new website. This is a convenient and easy way to inform the school about your child's absence. Please use this where possible as it is the most effective way we can keep a track of absences. Thank you.

Carlo Pardini



TREE Talk Team 2019





### Kindy 'Zero Waste' Challenge

The Kindy class has been focusing on waste in their class. Last Friday they were up to day 3 of their 'zero wrapper' challenge. The class managed just that....zero lunch wrapper waste! It has been a big team effort and thank you to the parents who have embraced this challenge. The question was asked, "I wonder if the whole school can have zero waste?" The Kindy class had an 'Environmental Officer' and they counted the wrappers after lunch and put them in a bucket.

Well done Kindy!



### Cricket Carnival



3 YEAR OLD  
PRE-KINDY

4 YEAR OLD  
KINDY

2020

*Come along meet the dedicated team...*

- Single stream classes from Pre-Kindy through to Year Six with small class sizes.
- Dedicated support classes catering for learning differences and needs.
- Education Assistants in all early years classes.
- Student progress is monitored and reported regularly to families.
- Catholic and Non-Catholic enrolments welcome.
- We are a low fee paying school, with generous reductions for Health Care Card holders.

*Call in to grab an application form and be a part of our learning community.*

*We would love to show you around our engaging learning spaces.*



### Sunday Mass

22 Sept 9.00am

#### Confirmation Mass

29 Sept 5.00pm

6 Oct 5.00pm

13 Oct 9.00am

### Canteen

Fri 20 Sept

Paula Waters

**Volunteer needed**

Mon 23 Sept

Trish Absolom

**Afina Barker-Rose**

Fri 27 Sept

Donna Perkins

**Victoria Baker**

Mon 14 Oct

Lorraine Vuckovic

**Abbie Fetter**

*Names in **bold** are the 'cake makers'.*



# What's coming up at St Brigid's?

Wk	Date	Time	Event
9	Fri 20 Sep	2.30pm	Year 4 Assembly in the hall
	Sun 22 Sep	9.00am	Confirmation Mass in the church
	Mon 23 Sep		Year 6 Camp week - Point Peron
10	Fri 27 Sept		Dance Sport Assembly 8.45am in the hall
1	Mon 14 Oct		First day of Term 4



## BRIDGETOWN YOUTH THEATRE

Bridgetown Youth Theatre have created a play, Bushfire. It centres on a group of kids and how they get caught up in a bushfire threat. Their play tells a story that could come from any town nestled near bushland. It shows the ripple effect that one small mistake can have on a community and the people in it. A timely message leading into summer, but Bushfire is also a great example of the talent of this group of teenagers. Self scripted, with supporting music created by the group. Come and enjoy the show. A special afternoon performance is being shown on Friday 20th Sept at 4.30pm. We encourage school kids (recommended ages 8+) to come down to the theatre to watch it after school. Gold coin donation entry. Snacks and drinks on sale.

Then Bushfire will show again on Saturday 21st Sept, at 6.30pm.

Also, **Treasure Island the pantomime - auditions are on this Sunday 13th, 2pm at Bridgetown Theatre. Heaps of roles for kids and adults.**









## Accessing the **CONNECTED** App for St Brigid's Catholic Primary School, Bridgetown

### 1. Download the App

Simply follow the link...  
<http://q-r.to/baixCA>



### 2. Allow Notifications

For Apple or iOS devices you'll be asked if you would like to Allow Push Notifications or Not ... click "Allow" or "OK".



### 3. Subscribe to St Brigid's CPS, Bridgetown

Be greeted with the Search page. Then simply start typing the School's name "St Brigid's, Bridgetown".

When the name appears simply click on it and the app will open.



### 4. Get connected!

Receive the information that is important to you by subscribing to sub groups.

### 5. Add Sub Groups to your CONNECTED App

Click the settings icon - bottom right, to open the "Sub Groups" listing. Simply select the sub groups that are important to you.

