



Dear families and friends

Last term, Miss Halliday worked with many classes addressing the **Visual Arts** curriculum. During her work with the students they have looked at a variety of accomplished artists and explored some of their artworks, techniques and mediums. The students used this knowledge for inspiration when creating their own artworks. Throughout the term, classes' work will be displayed in the library. Stay tuned to Seesaw when your child's class will be showcased, you will not be disappointed! **4S is on display until the end of the week.** Thank you to Miss Halliday for organising and preparing such rich opportunities for the students each week.



In Week 4, Years 3, 4 and 5 will visit Beef Australia at the Rockhampton Showgrounds and participate in the *Suncorp Schools Program*. Parents, please stay tuned to Seesaw for more information coming shortly, regarding these excursions.

Some classes have also participated in the **Design a Boot - Paddock to Plate** competition, these will be on display at Beef Australia during Beef Week.

This term, our school will be implementing the **Daniel Morcombe Child Safety Curriculum** with students in **Prep to Year 6**. The curriculum is based on principles of best practice in child safety education and centres around three key messages: **Recognise, React** and **Report**. Through a series of lessons, students will learn how to recognise, react and report when they are unsafe or find themselves in these situations.



We hope many of you can come and join us for tomorrow's Dawn Service in Gracemere.

Have a great week, God bless
Nicole Anderson
Assistant Principal Curriculum



All St Paul's families are invited to join and walk with us for the Gracemere March and Dawn Service on Thursday, 25th April. We will assemble in front of the Gracemere Bakery, Lawrie Street from 4.10 am for a 4.25 am step off. Look for the St Paul's banner.

Students are to be in their formal uniform. Please bring a rug to sit on for the Dawn Service. As part of the service, our School Captains will lay a wreath on behalf of the St Paul's community.



Prayer for the Virtue of Acceptance: Dear God, I come before you with a heart heavy with self-doubt and insecurity. Help me, Lord, to accept myself as you do, with all my flaws and imperfections. Grant me the strength to embrace my uniqueness and to find confidence in your love. Let me see myself through your eyes, knowing that I am fearfully and wonderfully made. Thank you for accepting me as I am, for in your eyes, I am perfect, just as you intended.
Amen. St Paul: Pray for us.

Congratulations to the Corinth Cockatoos who are St Paul's 2024 Cross Country House Champions!

It was a great event with high student participation and wonderfully supported by the families. Thank you to Mrs Bauer and Mrs Bauman for organising the event.

Congratulations to our age champions. 11 students ran fast enough times to qualify them to represent St Paul's at the district level in May.



Year 4 Girls (Born 2015)	Swade N	Imogen O	Maddy B
Year 4 Boys (Born 2015)	Teller C	Ethan D	Oliver W
10 Year Old Girls (2014)	Georjie F	Addelyn M	Kayla C
10 Year Old Boys (2014)	Blake H	Leo M	Jensen T
11 Year Old Girls (2013)	Josie B	Willow D	Ella M
11 Year Old Boys (2013)	Huxley S	Lachlan P	Mason H
12 Year Old Girls (2012)	Josie P	Harper L	Alexis O
12 Year Old Boys (2012)	Oliver W	Nate MD	Nate M

Important Dates	
25 th April	ANZAC DAY
2 nd May	Year 6 Maths Team Challenge
6 th May	Labour Day Public Holiday
7 th May	Year 5 excursion – Beef Week
9 th May	District Cross Country
10 th May	Year 3 & 4 excursion – Beef Week

TUCKSHOP VOLUNTEERS NEEDED - Term 2



Upcoming Events/Save the Date	
17 th May	Year 5 & 6 Friday Sports commences
24 th May	Trivia Night
10 th June	Photo Day
12 th June	Athletics Carnival
21 st June	Colour Run
10-12 th Jul	Challenge Cup
9 th Aug	Family Fun Night
30 th Aug	Pupil Free Day
3 rd -6 th Sept	Year 6 Camp
7 th Nov	Swimming Carnival

Daniel Morcombe
Child Safety Curriculum

Week 2 Focus -
Recognise

RECOGNISE
Encourages students to be aware of their surroundings and to recognise body clues in situations where they don't feel safe. Keeping kids safe!

In this week's lesson, the students will discuss the importance of paying attention to their surroundings to help keep them safe.

Students will identify different clues, such as the things they hear, smell, or feel, to help protect them from harm.

They will also explore different strategies to assist them when they find themselves in these situations. (e.g. if they are in a busy environment with big crowds, what might they do if they become separated from parents/carers.)



SAVE THE DATE
Friday 10 May 2024
National Walk Safely to School Day

We would like to invite Catholic Primary Schools and Colleges to our Capras Community Care - Professionals All Abilities Clinic & Sign-on in Rockhampton this Saturday 27th April 9am Clinic & 9.45am Sign on at Rugby Park (RGS Rugby Park, 34 Normanby St, The Range QLD 4700)

Very welcome to attend this clinic
The link to register is on our Capras Community Care Facebook page.