

## Our Lady Queen of Peace

## Newsletter - Term 2 Week 10, 2016

# PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE:





Dear Parents, Students and Teachers,

Welcome to last week of Term 2. It's hard to believe that we are half way through the year. I hope that the half-yearly reports and interviews were helpful in acknowledging your children's growth and identifying areas to develop. A big

thank you to all our teachers who spent a great deal of focused time on organising the reports and interviews.

Next term we will be having a Staff Development Day (Pupil free day) on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> August. The teachers will be working on literacy development. We will send a reminder home next term.

Congratulations once again to all the children who made their First Holy Communion over the last four weeks. They were well prepared by the catechists and their teachers and it is an experience that I know they will remember and participate in for years to come. The Eucharist is the central precept of our faith and so a very important time in the lives of these students.

Congratulations also to all our children who participated in the Captivate performances. I was very proud of our choir as they performed at Nagle College and Penrith last week. Thank you to Mrs Mahony and Mrs Grella who have trained the choir and organised to take the children to these venues.

I would like to draw your attention once more to our school website (<a href="www.olqpgreystanes.catholic.edu.au">www.olqpgreystanes.catholic.edu.au</a>). The site was recently upgraded and includes a Youtube Channel where we have posted some film clips of the children and teachers at work. It also contains *Latest News, The School Calendar*, Uniform Shop and Canteen information.

On the 31st July the new Bishop of Parramatta, Bishop Vincent Long, will be visiting our Parish and celebrating Mass. This will be a very special event for our Parish and more details will be sent home next term.

I hope everyone has a great holiday and a chance to reconnect with family. I am looking forward to returning in Term 4 after my holiday and I will keep you all in my thoughts and prayers.

Have a great week!

Michael Hopley Principal

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

FRIDAY 1st JULY:

End of Term 2 – school closes

MONDAY 18th JULY:

Start of Term 3

THURSDAY 21st JULY:

Stage 3 Boys soccer gala

FRIDAY 5<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST:

**PUPIL FREE DAY** 

#### **OUR EVERYDAY HERO**





One of our students, Heidi from Kindergarten, cut her hair on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> June and donated it to make wigs for children with cancer. The Alopecia Program is part of the Variety Princess Charlotte Charity. So far, she has raised \$1092.75, for more information and pictures, please visit our website.

If you would like to help Heidi raise more money, please visit:

https://alopecia.everydayhero.com/au/heidi-s-hair

#### **UNIFORM SHOP**

The last day of trading for Term 2 will be on Thursday 30th June 8.30-10.00 am and we will return Saturday 16th July 8.30-10.00 am.

For any further enquiries please contact

Elle: 0421216414

Email: elle@ozfashions.com.au

Normal trading hours Thursday's 8.30-10.00am Saturday's 8.30-10.00am

Thank you and have a nice holiday. Kind regards *Elle Uniforms* 0421216414

#### **OLQP PRESCHOOL**

Enrolment forms for Preschool 2017 will be available from Monday 18th July until Friday 22nd July 2016, between 9.00am and 3.00pm.

Please see Preschool staff for an enrolment form.

Enrolments will only be open for 1 week.

Any enquiries for enrolments made after this week, will be put on the waiting list. Interviews will be held in August

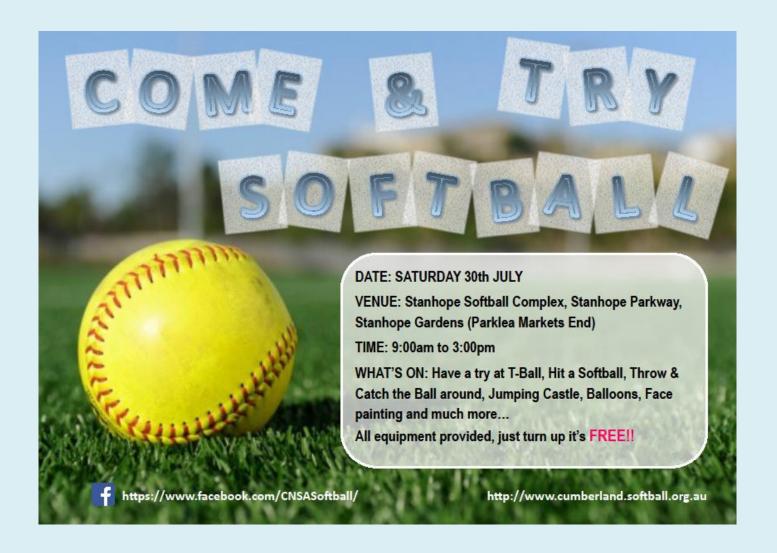
#### **SEMINAR – UNDERSTANDING FAMILY LAW-Two Sessions**

CCSS Solo Parent Services are holding two sessions for our Seminar on "Understanding Family Law". The seminars on the following dates will cover the topics below:

Wednesday 20th July – Understanding the Family Law Act – Focus on Divorce/Separation and Children's needs.

Wednesday 27th July – Understanding the Family Law Act – Focus on Property /Settlements.

Venue for both Seminars: DAC, 1-5 Marion St Blacktown Time: 7.30pm – 9.30pm Cost: \$7.00 per session. Registration Essential: Solo Parent Services - Rita - PH: 8822 2222 or email: soloparentservices@ccss.org.au















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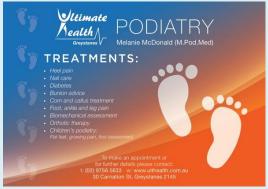














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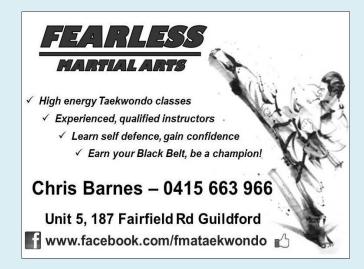
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