



St Andrew's Parish

## CORPUS CHRISTI PRIMARY SCHOOL

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**NEWSLETTER 7**

**15th July 2022**

**WEEK 1 TERM 3**

\*Available on our School App, Website, CC Parent Portal.

*Dear Parents and Carers,*

### **WELCOME BACK TO TERM 3 2022!**

A very warm welcome back to Term 3 of the school year. We trust that you had a relaxing and restful break. It is certainly difficult to believe that we are entering into the second half of the year!

### **FIRST COMMUNION NEWS**

First Communion (Eucharist) sacrament preparations have begun for our candidates in Grade 4. First Communion (Eucharist) will be celebrated on **Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> August at 5.00pm and 6.30pm** at St. Andrew's Church.

Please keep all our First Communion candidates and their families in your thoughts and prayers as they prepare to receive Jesus for the first time through this most special and holy sacrament.

### **SCHOOL CLOSURE DAYS – TERM 3**

This term we will have two school closure days when children will be at home while staff take part in Professional Learning sessions. The two school closure days in Term 3 will focus on areas identified through the School Review process conducted in 2021 in relation to School Improvement.

**Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> August – Focus: Student Voice and Agency**

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> August – Focus: Faith & Hope for the Future**

*We look forward to an engaging and learning-filled Term 3.*

*With kind regards,*

*Linda*

## CORPUS CHRISTI SCHOOL VALUES AND SPORT HOUSES

At the time of enrolment at Corpus Christi School, each family is allocated to a Sports House. It is important that as a whole school community we are aware of the significance of our Sport House Names, Colours and related School Values.

The House names and colours are as follows;

**Portland** – Blue

**MacKillop** – Yellow

**Penola** – Green

**Woods** – Red



## SIGNIFICANCE OF THE HOUSE NAMES AND VALUES

**Portland:** The Victorian town where the idea was born to establish schools that would be run by a special group of dedicated Nuns who would not be under the direct control of local Bishops and would work mainly with the poor. Value: COMMUNITY

**Penola:** The South Australian town where the first school was established in very humble beginnings, not unlike Corpus Christi in 1985. Value: LEARNING

**Woods:** Father Julian Woods was the co-founder of the Sisters of St. Joseph and their Spiritual Leader in their early days of formation. Value: SERVICE

**MacKillop:** Mary MacKillop was the foundress of the Sisters of St. Joseph and is a direct link to the establishment of our own school, Corpus Christi. Mary MacKillop was beatified in 1995, our 10th Anniversary year and Canonised a Saint on 17th October 2010, our 25th Anniversary Year. Value: COURAGE



*At the end of each year, four School Leaders and four Sport House Leaders are elected to represent the school in the following school year.*

These children are selected from the current Year 5 children. They will be called upon to take on extra duties to help to develop pride and spirit in the school and within their respective sporting teams. They will be a model of good leadership and positive sporting behaviour to the whole school community.

The process for children to apply for these positions takes place in Term 4 of each year.

## UNIFORM

Thank you families for continuing to ensure children are wearing our uniform including the correct shoes. PLEASE CLEARLY NAME items especially jumpers, windcheaters and tracksuit pants so they can be returned to their owner when found.

## IMPORTANT - LEARNING COMMUNITY GROUPINGS 2023 ALL CONSIDERATIONS DUE BY - FRIDAY 2<sup>ND</sup> SEPTEMBER

Staff will be considering Learning Community groupings for 2023 during Term 3. Your child's teacher and all the teachers in your child's level consult frequently about each individual child's development, academically, socially, emotionally, spiritually and physically. When placing your child into a new learning community, your child's Learning Community Home Group teachers are the best people to place your child in a group that enhances your child's learning.

Teachers know the children that work well together and those that may do better when placed apart. Teachers know the children who may need a special 'friend' in their learning community group. Teachers know students' friendship groups. Parents can be invaluable supporters of teachers by ensuring as much information is shared with teachers as possible. This culmination of knowledge will be used to place your child in a Home Group for 2023.

It is vital that any information about your child that you feel is important for teachers to know is communicated directly to your child's teacher by **FRIDAY 2<sup>ND</sup> SEPTEMBER** as groupings for the 2023 School Year will take place in the last 2 weeks of Term 3.

### ORDER SCHOOL LUNCHES ONLINE

All orders need to be placed **BEFORE 9:00am**  
for delivery the same day



[www.schoollunchonline.com.au](http://www.schoollunchonline.com.au)

Sunrise Bakery **Monday - Friday**

[www.thelittledeli.com.au/corpuschristi-werribee](http://www.thelittledeli.com.au/corpuschristi-werribee)

The Little Deli & Panini Bar **Fridays only**

## Student Absences



### Corpus Christi Primary School

**Address** 29 Russell Street Werribee 3030  
**Phone** 9741 8440  
**Email** [ccschooloffice@ccwerribee.catholic.edu.au](mailto:ccschooloffice@ccwerribee.catholic.edu.au)

**ALL student absences** please notify the school office **by 9:30am**.

Email School Office at [ccschooloffice@ccwerribee.catholic.edu.au](mailto:ccschooloffice@ccwerribee.catholic.edu.au) or call the School Office on **9741 8440** press **1**, record students name, teacher and reason for absence.

**IMPORTANT** provide a written note or medical certificate to the home-group teacher upon your child/ren's return.

**EXTENDED ABSENCES** a letter or email is to be sent to the attention of the **Principal** outlining **extended periods of absence for family holidays etc** to [ccschooloffice@ccwerribee.catholic.edu.au](mailto:ccschooloffice@ccwerribee.catholic.edu.au)

## Shop for Schools Initiative



Thank you to everyone who scanned their receipts to support the Shop For Schools initiative.

Corpus Christi won \$500 Pacific Werribee vouchers which will be put to good use!

Noah and Adam also won a Smiggle prize pack each. Congratulations to both Noah and Adam!



# MANHOLEART

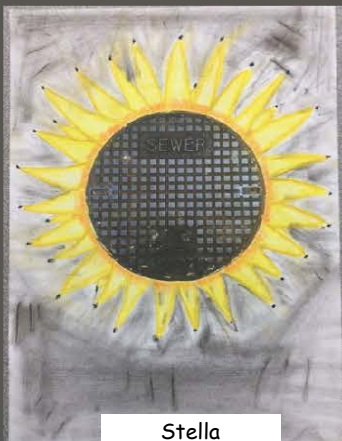
Senior students completed their own version of Street Art using a manhole cover as inspiration.



Kristian



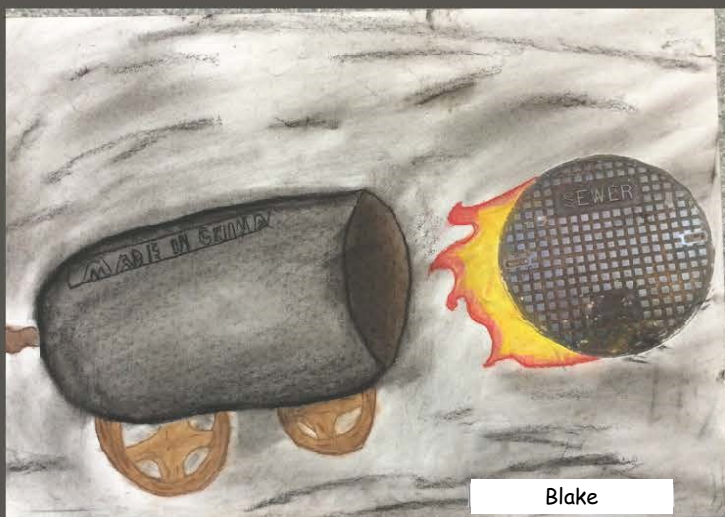
Sienna



Stella



Parker



Blake



Chloe



# Mackillop College

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Our Grade 5 Information Evening  
is on Thursday 28 July 7:30pm



**Applications for Enrolment to Year 7 2024**  
close Friday 19 August 2022

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# 2022 School Calendar and Important Dates

## 2022 Sacrament Dates

**First Eucharist Celebration (Years 4) – Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> August at 5:00pm & 6:30pm**

### Term 3

Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> July	7pm P & F Meeting
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July	Whole School Assembly
Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> July	Interschool Sports -Year 6s
Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> July	First Eucharist Family Night 6:30pm
Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> August	School Advisory Council Meeting 6:30pm
Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> August	First Eucharist Reflection Day—Grade 4 Children
	Interschool Sports -Year 6s
	Whole School Assembly
Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> August	First Eucharist Celebrations at 5:00pm and 6:30pm
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> August	Interschool Sports
	12:30pm St Mary of the Cross-Feast Day Liturgy
	Followed by—Whole School Assembly
Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> August	P&F Meeting 7:00pm
Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> August	<b>SCHOOL CLOSURE DAY</b>
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> August	<b>SCHOOL CLOSURE DAY</b>
Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup> August	District Athletics Carnival - selected students
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> August	Interschool Sports - Year 6s
Tuesday 30 <sup>th</sup> August	School Council Meeting 6:30pm
Thursday 1 <sup>st</sup> September	Father's Day Stall
Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> September	Father's Day Liturgy
	Interschool Sports - Year 6s
	Whole School Assembly @ 2:05pm
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> September	<b>FOOTY COLOURS DAY</b>
Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> September	Whole School assembly 9:00am
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Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> September	<b><u>Term 3 Concludes – 1:00pm Dismissal</u></b>

### Term 4

Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> October	<b>Term 4 Begins—Students return to school</b>
Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> October	Back - to - School BBQ – Year 6s 2021 and Year 6s 2022
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> October	9:00am Mission Month Prayer Service
	Whole School Assembly
Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> October	P&F Meeting at 7:00pm
Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> October	ARTS Show 5:00pm - 7:00pm
Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup> October	Middle Camp - Lady Northcote
Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> October	Middle Camp - Lady Northcote
	Whole school Assembly
Monday 31 <sup>st</sup> October	School Closure Day
Tuesday 1 <sup>st</sup> November	Melbourne Cup Holiday
Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup> November	Foundation 2023 Transition Session 1
	All Saints and All Souls Liturgy - 9:00am
Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> November	Book Character Parade