

OLW NEWS 2021

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Dear Parents & Families,

Welcome back everyone! It was great to have all levels back together today and we look forward to hopefully having 6 weeks of learning onsite together.

Whilst lockdown fatigue may have caused challenges for some families, student assessments that we have been completing online and onsite over the past two weeks have shown above average growth for most students once again. This is a great result for our students, and a testament to effort of parents and teachers to ensure that learning continued at a high level. Well done!

RETURN TO SCHOOL ARRANGEMENTS

Arrival and Dismissal Times for all students (Prep – Year 6) is now in House Teams once again.

o Entry - Latrobe - 8.30am

Bates – 8.40am

Kelly - 8.50am

Exit - Latrobe – 3.10pm

Bates - 3.20pm Kelly - 3.30pm

Please do not wait around or congregate in the carpark, once you have collected your child, you must leave directly.

Please remember that only staff and students are permitted on the school site.

FACE MASKS FOR STUDENTS

As you would be aware, face masks are recommended to be worn indoors for Years Prep – 2 and are mandated to be worn indoors for Years 3 – 6. If you are interested in purchasing a mask made by one of our school families, please see the attached flyer in the newsletter.

PREP 2022 ORIENTATION

Our first session will be onsite next Tuesday, November 9, from 9.30 – 11.00am. We are looking forward to hosting our new Preps for next year.

SACRAMENTS

RECONCILIATION

The Sacrament of Reconciliation for Year 3 2021 students will be celebrated on Thursday November 18 and Year 2 2021 students will celebrate the Sacrament on Thursday November 25. As previously advised, this Sacrament will be celebrated as a school activity, but parents will have a home activity to complete with their child prior to the Sacrament as part of their role in preparing their child.

FIRST EUCHARIST

After discussion with Fr Terry, due to COVID restrictions on religious celebrations, it has been determined that the planned celebration of First Eucharist this year will be moved to February 2022. Year 4 2021 students will celebrate the Sacrament on Sunday February 20 at 11.30am. Year 3 2021 will celebrate the Sacrament on Sunday February 27 at 11.30am. By moving to 2022 we are able to set definite dates and it will enable larger numbers to attend the celebration as the current roadmap density limit would only allow for the child and their parents to attend. It will also allow time for parents to book a venue for any celebration they wish to hold, give plenty of notice to extended family or friends, as well as organising this child's outfit for the day.

Year 3 2022 celebrate the Sacrament later in the second half of 2022.

SCHOOL HATS

School Hats are compulsory at all times in Term 4 when the students are outside, and the use of sunscreen is highly recommended. Students may now wear their summer uniform on the warmer days. As a Sunsmart School the policy is: 'No Hat, No Play'

Stay safe and enjoy having your child back onsite at OLW!

Kevin Burke

WORD OF THE WEEK

Congratulations to everyone who found out that prodigious means 'extremely great in ability, amount or strength'.

Our word for this week is:

HANDICAP

Find out it's meaning and origin and see if you can add this word to your vocabulary over the next week!

Parish of Our Lady of the Way Kingsbury

Presbytery: 13 Green Ave, Kingsbury, 3083



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Mass Timetable

Saturday – Vigil Mass: 6.00PM

Sunday: 8.00AM and 10.00AM

Weekdays: 10.00AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday from 5.15 to 5.45PM

Rosary Monday to Saturday: 9.30AM

Divine Mercy Chaplet After Mass Daily

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Friday from 9.00 to 9.30AM

Baptisms and Marriages by appointment:

Hi Everyone.

RESUMPTION OF MASSES

Masses will begin the first weekend in November, Saturday November 6 & Sunday November 7. Masses will then be held daily at 10.00am.

Under the current restrictions, numbers are limited under the density quotient rule, only double vaccinated parishioners may attend and you must wear a mask. You will also be required to sign in using the COVID safe app.

CHURCH MAINTENANCE & UPGRADES

New carpet squares are being installed in the Church next week. We are seeking the assistance of anyone who can help move the pews next Sunday, October 31, at 3pm. If you are free to assist, just arrive, no pre-registration is necessary. With a few helping it should not take long.

Thank you! Fr. Terry

FACE MASKS





\$5 each or $3 \times 12

Order Form Date Name Phone Student Name Grade Quantity Total Payment Options Bank transfer only **BSB** 733 - 396 Account 596362 **Delivery Instructions** We will contact you once you order is ready. Select your preferred option: Collection at School Office* Deliver to the student * Days/time to be confirmed Please send your complete order form and confirmation of payment to: vinyl.melbourne@gmail.com

Thanks



Girls, Boys, Women & Men! All Ages Welcome!

NORTHERN DISTRICT SOFTBALL ASSOCIATION
TOP OF THE HOMEPLATE LADDER/ASSOCIATION OF THE YEAR 2020/21

FREE COME & TRY DAY
FROM 10 AM TO 12 NOON ON

6 NOVEMBER 2021



Northern District Softball Association
Morang Drive, Mill Park
Next to Mill Park Leisure Centre
Contact Kerry Laird on 0423 661 860
or Chaminda Fernando on 0402 247 801



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PRESTON BASEBALL

COME & TRY BASEBALL

JUNIOR COMBINED SUMMER TEAMS YEARS 6 - YEARS 17
SENIOR COMBINED SUMMER TEAMS 17+
ALL AGES - ALL GENDERS - ALL ABILITIES

COME & TRY SUNDAY 7 NOVEMBER 2021 10AM REGISTRATION | 10:30AM START



ADDITIONAL JUNIOR COME & TRY ALL GENDERS - ALL ABILITIES WEDNESDAY 10 NOVEMBER 2021 | 6PM REGISTRATION | 6:30PM START

LA TROBE UNIVERSITY
PLAYING FIELDS
CARPARK 2A
KINGSBURY DRIVE
BUNDOORA 3083



EQUIPMENT PROVIDED

MORE INFORMATION MYLES 0418 559 144 KIRSTY 0415 561 443



READY SET GO FOR FAMILY, FUN & FITNESS

Little Athletics is the start of the Olympic journey for all children aged 5-15 of all abilities.

Register online www.lavic.com.au go to find a centre > 3073 Reservoir

Season runs from November to March on Saturday Mornings from 8:30am. Registrations also welcomed throughout the season.

A great active activity for the kids to get out of the house post lockdown.

Make new friends while keeping active in a fun, inclusive and friendly environment. Preston Reservoir LAC focuses on athletes improving week by week achieving personal bests!

NEW SEASON COMMENCES EARLY NOVEMBER. STAY TUNED ON OUR SOCIAL MEDIA, TEAM APP AND WEBSITE FOR IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS IN THE COMING WEEKS

FREE TWO WEEK TRIAL FOR NEW ATHLETES TO LITTLE ATHS

TO SIGN UP FOR YOUR FREE COME AND TRY TRIAL PLEASE GO ONLINE TO WWW.LAVIC.COM.AU OR CONTACT US FOR MORE INFORMATION

Preston reservoir little athletics centre

Athletics Pavilion, Edwardes Park Lake, Reservoir

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