



# St Michael's Catholic Primary School

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### Vision Statement

St Michael's Catholic Primary School is a welcoming community, embracing the Gospel values of faith, hope and love. We provide a Catholic education that nurtures the development of all children to their full potential. Through Christian witness, we offer a safe and supportive learning environment for the families in our school community.

We would like to acknowledge the Aboriginal people and their ancestors who are the Traditional Owners of this land. May we and all Australian's, Aboriginal and Non Aboriginal, continue to be committed to the ongoing journey of Reconciliation.



### Parish Priest: Fr Jess

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## **Sunday Mass Times**

1st, 3rd & 5th Sunday of the Month 10.30am 2nd and 4th Sunday of the Month 8.30am

Lord, as we walk through Holy Week toward the cross, may we remember the wonder of who you are. Beyond sin, your love is inexhaustible. Beyond brokenness, your forgiveness is incomprehensible. Beyond betrayal, your grace is poured out eternally. Beyond death, your life is unimaginable. Beyond human understanding, your ways are always higher than ours. Jesu, by your cross and resurrection you have set us free.



### Dear Parents, Staff and Students,

Our students have been re-enacting the story of Holy Week. Palm Sunday, Last Supper, Good Friday and the joyous celebration of the resurrection, Easter Sunday. All our classes are to be congratulated on the wonderful way they told the story of Holy Week. Thank you students and teachers.

Our Term One will now come to a close. After a busy eight weeks we have managed to fit in all the normal activities that take place in term one. Our sports days, welcome BBQ and parent interviews have all gone well. We thank our dedicated staff and our parents for their support.

Our P & F organised a very successful Easter Egg raffle to the delight of many of our students. Thank you P & F.

Students are reminded that they may now return to school their Project Compassion (Caritas) boxes. We thank our school community for their generous support. Caritas — End Poverty

Promote Justice Uphold Dignity.

We wish all our families a happy, safe and holy Easter.

God bless, Phillip Rossiter

### THIS WEEK'S AWARDS

K/PP—Rafaele Kneale, Harriet Vergurg

Yr 1/2-

Yr 3/4—Stella Verburg

Yr 5/6-

### EASTER RAFFLE WINNERS

K/PP—1: Connie, 2: Danika, 3: Ashton, 4: Michael Yr 1/2—1: Emily, 2: Zach, 3: Jayden, 4: Blair Yr 3/4—1: Riley, 2: Penelope, 3: Angus, 4: Preston Yr 5/6—1: Sancia, 2: Jamie, 3: Jemimah, 4: Scott

Extra Raffle Draw—Bodhi, Evie S, Luke

#### HOLY WEEK CHURCH SERVICES

Good Friday Stations of the Cross (April 2)

Brunswick 9am Harvey 10am

Liturgy of the Lord's Passion

Harvey 3pm Brunswick 5:30pm

Easter Vigil (Sat April 3)

Harvey 7pm

Easter Sunday (April 4)

Harvey 8:30am Brunswick 10:30am



### New to School Bus

If you have children who need to catch the school bus and are new in the School Bus System for St Michael's, please notify the office so we are able to add your child/ren to the bus roster.

#### Bus

Just a reminder to parents, if your child is no longer catching the school bus please notify the bus department so this will free up a seat for another child.

Thank you.

### School Fees

If you have not done so already, please return the Payment Option Form via email admin.office@stmichbruns.wa.edu.au or direct to the office.

## Skoolbag App

Parents are able to download Skoolbag App to receive the newsletter and other notifications.

### Allergy Awareness

A number of our students are allergic to certain food products that have traces of nuts. We would remind parents to be allergy aware when they are making cakes or food that is being shared by students in your child's class. When making school lunches or morning recess please avoid any foods or bars that include nuts. Thank you.

# **Dates to Remember**

Thurs 1 April Holy Thursday—Students Finish

Fri 2 April Good Friday Sun 4 April Easter Sunday

Tues 20 April Term 2 Begins—Students Return

Mon 9 Aug Book Fair
Mon 23 Aug Student Free Day
Tues 7 Sept School Photos
Mon 22 Nov-Fri 3 Dec Swimming Lessons

### Term Dates 2021

Term 1 - 1 February- 1 April Term 2- 20 April - 2 July

Term 3- 20 July - 24 September Term 4- 12 October - 10 December



# SCHOOL HOLIDAY WORKSHOPS

### NATURALLY PRINTED

MONDAY 12TH APRIL 11am - 1pm



With Francesco Geronazzo

Suitable for any skill level. All materials supplied. The goal of this workshop is to utilise the natural environment around us and show you how it can be turned into a work of art.



### KIDS MIX-UPS

TUE 13TH APRIL 9am-12.30pm



With Rachel Wyder, Andrea Schell and Davida Palmer

Our always popular art and craft Mix-ups are back again! Joi our kids' tutors for three fun activities (induding pottery!).

- Mixed-up Creatures Game with Andrea Schell
- Painting Shadows with Rachel Wyder.
- Create your own pottery with Davida Palmer.



# **PECULIAR PORTRAITS**





With Mychelle Mahar

Learn how to create Peculiar Portraits, quirky characters and funky animal faces with whimsical expre Mychelle is a local artist and teacher who has run many classes sharing her fun, vibrant painting techniques.





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#### **Busselton Kids Triathlon and Funman Teams Events.**

Head down to Barnard Park on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> May for the Kids Triathlon. There are two distances to choose from - a Short Distance (100m swim, 2km cycle and 500m run) which is open to children aged 7-11 years and the Long Distance (200m swim, 4km cycle and 1km run) which is open to children aged 12-15 years. This short, fun filled event is designed specifically for kids to enjoy themselves and discover what it's like to compete in a triathlon. To find out more or to register, please visit our website: www.busseltonfestivaloftriathlon.com.au

Head down to Barnard Park on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> May for the Funman Teams Triathlon. This is a short, fun filled triathlon which caps off a great weekend of racing and is perfect for friends and families who might want to participate together (or against each other). Held as part of the SunSmart Busselton Festival of Triathlon, the Funman Teams Triathlon includes a 200m swim, 4km cycle and 1km run. To find out more or to register, please visit our website: www.busseltonfestivaloftriathlon.com.au



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## Easter Egg Decorating Competition

Tuesday 23 March to Thursday 1 April

Winners Drawn Thursday 1 April at 3pm

### Easter Crafts

Tuesday 6 April to Saturday 10 April

# Chicken and Quail Hatching

Monday 12 April to Saturday 17 April (During opening hours)

There will be no Storytime during the School Holidays







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