

St Cecilia's Catholic Primary School

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Term Three, Week Two, Thursday 28 July 2022

Principal's Notes

Welcome

Welcome to Term Three. I am very excited to have begun this term not only as Principal of St Cecilia's, but also as the Year Four teacher while Ms Tait has been on Long Service Leave. Spending time back in the classroom was very enjoyable but I know that the class are looking forward to the return of Ms Tait.

New Staff

I would also like to extend a very warm welcome to our new staff members,



Mrs Christine Padua and Miss Mikaela Noonan. Mrs Padua joins us this term as our new Assistant Principal and is making a smooth transition to our family. Miss Noonan, while not new to St Cecilia's, has re-joined us in a new role, that of the Year Two teacher. Both Ms Noonan and the Year Two class are settling into new routines and are enjoying the start of their learning journey for this semester.



Bookweek

Week Six may sound like it is ages away but it is quickly sneaking up on us which means Book Week is sneaking up on us. The theme for this year is, *Dreaming with Eyes Open*. This year's theme invokes thoughts of ancient times and of listening to Country as the first storyteller and so we are encouraging a focus on stories of the Dreamtime for our annual Dress Up Assembly. You can, of course, adapt the theme to your own stories and dreams but if you would like to join us in recognising the dreaming of our country, Miss Greateorex is happy to help with anyone needing a little story inspiration.



After school pick-up

There have been a few occasions when parents have been running late to pick-up children after school. If you are running late, please don't rush and please don't panic if when you arrive, your child is not waiting in the usual pick-up location; we will take your child into the office to wait until you are able to get here.

No School

A final reminder, Friday 29 July is a Staff Professional Development Day and Monday 01 August is the Hedland Cup Public Holiday so students will enjoy a four-day weekend this weekend. However you spend the weekend, have a wonderful weekend and we look forward to seeing you back at school on Tuesday.

Mrs Mandy Sheen
Principal

Dates to Remember

TERM THREE WEEK 2

Friday 29 July
No School - Pupil Free Day

WEEK 3

Monday 1 August
No School - Public holiday
Friday 5 August
Ice block sales \$1 each

WEEK 4

Monday 8 August
Whole School Mass - St Mary of the Cross
8.45am, Y1 Lead
Thursday 11 August
Assembly 8.45am
Friday 12 August
Confirmation Retreat
Sunday 14 August
Confirmation St Cecilia's 8.00am

WEEK 5

Monday 15 August
Whole School Mass - Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary 8.45am, Y3 Lead
Tuesday 16 August
Y4 Reconciliation
Wednesday 17 August
K & PP Mini Olympics 8.45am
Friday 19 August
Ice block sales \$1 each
Sunday 21 August
9.30am Confirmation St John The Baptist Catholic Church

WEEK 6

22 - 26 August
Book Week
Thursday 25 August
Book Week Dress up Assembly 8.45am
Friday 12 August
Ice block sales \$1 each

OTHER IMPORTANT DATES

School Term Dates

Term 3: 18-07-2022 to 23-09-2022
Term 4: 11-10-2022 to 09-12-2022

Public Holidays & Pupil Free Days & Catholic Day - No School

Term 3:
Fri 29 July - Staff PD
Mon 1 August - Hedland Cup Public Holiday
Term 4:
Mon 10 October - Staff PD
Mon 7 November - Catholic Day

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