



St Peter's Lutheran School

News Bulletin - Friday 21st October 2022

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From the Principal

Hello Everyone.

Cricket Blast

Unfortunately, Cricket was cancelled last Friday due to the weather. It is rescheduled to go ahead next Wednesday 26th October. Hopefully the weather is kind to us and allows it to go ahead.

Book week & Grandparents/Special Friends' Day

Today was the day! All students looked great in their costumes. It was great to have our families and extended families back into the school. We hope everyone had a great day. Thank you to everyone that helped make the day happen.

Dimboola show

Last week was the Dimboola show. Our school displayed artwork our students have completed throughout the year in the show pavilion. The displayed looked marvellous (you can head to our schools Facebook page to check out what it looked like). Thank you to Shirl King and Sheena King for taking the time to create the display.

Melbourne Cup

Just a reminder that the Monday 31st October, the day before Melbourne Cup, is a student free day. We hope all families enjoy a 4 day weekend.

Have a wonderful weekend!

Millie Dent

Acting Principal

Look for something
positive
in each day,
even if some days you have to
look a little harder.

Devotional Thoughts

Dealing with disappointment

by Pastor Fraser Pearce

Then Eli answered, 'Go in peace; the God of Israel grant the petition you have made to him.' And she said, 'Let your servant find favour in your sight' (1 Samuel 1:17,18a).

[Read 1 Samuel 1:9–20](#)

Often our needs and disappointments in life can drive us to God in prayer.

This is how it was for Hannah. She dearly wanted to have a child but had none. When she and her husband went to Shiloh, the place where God had made himself present in his favour for his people, she cried out to him in her deep distress. She wanted God to notice her and pay attention to her misery. She was willing to offer her child back to God as his special servant if only God would give her a boy to love and care for.

At first, the priest Eli thought Hannah was drunk, seeing how she was praying. Sometimes our distress can lead us to act in ways that are hard for other people to understand. When Eli heard Hannah's plight, he gave her God's blessing, saying, 'Go in peace; the God of Israel grant the petition you have made to him'.

Hannah listened to this word in trust and went back to live out the callings God gave her, including the calling with her husband Elkanah to live as a married couple. From trusting in God's word and living faithfully in her calling, she became pregnant and had a son, Samuel, who would indeed be a great servant of God.

Do you have needs or even disappointments in life? God is not far from you. Call out to him in Jesus' name, and he will hear you. Listen to the word he gives you in Christ Jesus – especially the word that, in him, you have life as a gift from God. Live your day-to-day life with the peace this word gives, and you will find that God will work his gifts in you in ways beyond human understanding.

Dear Father, please look at me and see the needs and disappointments I have in my life. Remember the great love you have shown me in Christ Jesus, and give me your Spirit so that your work of new life may be seen in my life. In Jesus' name. Amen.

AWARDS



**Book Week parade awards
“Best dressed Juniors
and Seniors”**



Notice's

Important Dates

All the below dates are to the best of our knowledge and may change at short notice depending on COVID-19 restrictions.

October 2022

31st Oct - Student Free Day

November 2022

1st - Student Free Day (Public Holiday)

25th - Student Free Day (Report Writing Day)

December 2022

2nd - Carols by Candlelight

PREP TRANSITION DAYS

Prep Transition dates for students starting in 2023;

Tuesday 22nd November = 9am - 1:30pm

Tuesday 29th November = 9am - 1:30pm

Tuesday 6th December = 9am - 1:30pm

Tuesday 13th December (**STATEWIDE TRANSITION DAY**)= 9am - 3.20pm

STUDENT FREE DAYS

Monday 31st October and Tuesday 1st November will be student free days.

No students are to attend school on these days.

TERM 4—No Hat, No Play

Please ensure all students are being sent to school with a hat each day. No hat, No play policy for Term 4.

Please contact the school office for all your uniform enquiries.

Skoolbag App

All families should have received a note regarding the SkoolBag App.

If you have not received a copy on how to download it, please contact the office and we will forward you a copy.

We encourage all families to download the app as this is where all our letters and communications are posted.



Notice's



SPRING INTO SUMMER

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Hindmarsh
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- Sunday Sessions -
Live entertainment @
Dimboola Library Gardens

Featuring "Acoustic Box"
Sunday 30 October 2022
3:00pm - 6:00pm
BYO chairs, picnic rugs etc.



Acoustic Box

Notice's

Chaplaincy Book Fair

Fri 21 Oct 12 noon-9pm

Sat 22 Oct 9am-12 noon

Books \$1

Children's books/magazines 50c

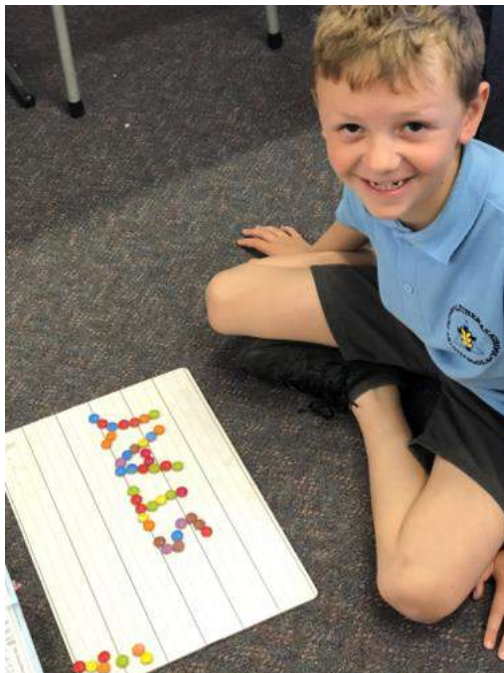
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Around the School

“Searching for Capital Letters in the sand”



“Making spelling words”



Around the School

