



# St Anthony's Catholic School

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## April

**Thur 11<sup>th</sup>**

B4 Program 9.00 – 10.30 am

**Fri 12<sup>th</sup>**

Last day of Term 1

**Thur 25<sup>th</sup>**

ANZAC Day

**Mon 29<sup>th</sup>**

First day Term 2

## May

**Tues 7<sup>th</sup>**

Cross Country Carnival

**Wed 8<sup>th</sup>**

Mother's Day Liturgy 10.00 am  
and Mother's Day stall

**Thur 9<sup>th</sup>**

B4 Program 9.00 – 10.30 am

**Fri 10<sup>th</sup>**

Grades 5 & 6 Gala Sports Day

**Mon 13<sup>th</sup>**

Open Evening – Kinder 2020  
7.00 pm

**Tues 14<sup>th</sup>**

P & F meeting 7.00 pm

**Thur 16<sup>th</sup>**

B4 Program 9.00 – 10.30 am

**Tues 21<sup>st</sup>**

Reconciliation Workshop 6.00 –  
7.00 pm St Francis Church,  
Riverside

**No 10**

**Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> April 2019**

### ***This Sunday is Palm Sunday***

Palm Sunday is the final Sunday of Lent, the beginning of Holy Week, and commemorates the triumphant arrival of Christ in Jerusalem, days before he was crucified.

In the Gospels, Jesus entered Jerusalem riding a young donkey, and to the lavish praise of the townspeople who threw clothes, or possibly palms or small branches, in front of him as a sign of homage. This was a customary practice for people of great respect. Palm branches are a widely recognized symbol of peace and victory, hence their preferred use on Palm Sunday.



The use of a donkey instead of a horse is highly symbolic, it represents the humble arrival of someone in peace, as opposed to arriving on a steed in war.

### **Dear families and friends of St Anthony's School,**

Thank you everyone for a wonderful first term. During this term our students have been involved in the following events, alongside their normal learning opportunities:

- The school and Inter school swimming carnivals, for Grades 3-6.
- ATSI (Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander) Cultural Day
- Gr 6 Camp at Camp Banksia Port Sorell and Gr 5 Camp at Camp Clayton
- Painting on the Silos project
- STEAM Club after school
- Northern Catholic Schools Instrumental Music Program
- Brixhibition
- Project Compassion
- Catholic Education Week
- Futsal

We have received many comments about our students' excellent behaviour at each of these events. The students have represented themselves and their school very well. Prior to each excursion, we support our students by teaching them how to behave. This is called Positive Behaviour Support (PBS). For example:

- When we go to camp we will say hello to new people.
- When we go in for dinner, we will line up and say please and thank you. (It's really polite to look at the person as you speak to them).
- As you get off the bus please say thank you to the bus driver.
- We are inside now so remember to use your quiet, inside voice.

### **One Day School for Gifted Learners**

We are about to be part of an exciting new pilot project by Catholic Education Tasmania, involving Northern Tasmanian Catholic Primary Schools. The pilot project is called One Day School for Gifted Learners, and aims to address the needs of students in grades 2-6 who have been identified as gifted. There is a lot of research around the importance of addressing giftedness, for the academic, psychological, social and emotional wellbeing of the gifted student. The pilot project will be running for students from Gr 2-6 in terms 3 and 4, 2019. If you are interested, please contact the office for a nomination form.

### **Holy Week and Easter**

This year Holy Week and Easter fall during the school holiday period. We are preparing the students to celebrate Easter over the course of this week, at a number of gatherings. We will also celebrate Easter on our return to school with a Mass in the first week back.

### **St Anthony's Information Booklet**

A new booklet of ongoing information and dates for the year has been sent home today. It includes a feedback sheet that can be sent back to the office in Term 3 with suggestions for improvement.

### **School Hours and students on site before school**

Please remember that students must not be dropped off at the school prior to 8:30 am. Supervision is provided from 8:30 onwards and before school care is available on site through Catholiccare.

Wishing you all a happy and safe holiday, and a peaceful and holy Easter,

Anita



**PRINCIPAL**

### **School Families – Kinder 2020**

All school families who have a child who is 4 years of age, as of the 1<sup>st</sup> January 2020, and wish to enrol them in Kindergarten next year, please complete an enrolment form from the school office. If you know of any other families and friends who are looking to enrol their child at St Anthony's please encourage them to make contact with the office as soon as possible.

## St Anthony's School Kindergarten 2020



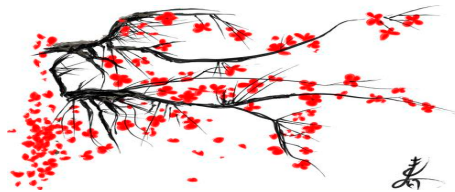
Please join us in the Kindergarten classroom on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May at 7 pm to talk with St Anthony's Principal (Anita) and Kindergarten teacher (Tia) about the 2020 Kindergarten program at St Anthony's.

**Enrolments close  
Friday 31<sup>st</sup> May 2019**



### Japanese

Grade 6 students were very excited to have won our competition with Japanese numbers this term. As a result they made sushi out of candy. It was a sugar high success with a lot of fun and laughs.



### St Anthony's Mother's Day Stall

**Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> May 2019**

Items priced between \$1 - \$10 with most items \$5 and under

Students will have the opportunity during the school day to buy gifts for Mothers, Grandmothers or a special person for Mothers Day!



## Mother's Day Raffle 2019

A huge thank you to all our donors for the amazing range of prizes for the Mother's day Raffle this year.



Tickets will be sent home with the oldest child by the end of term – please return by Tues 7<sup>th</sup> May for inclusion into the raffle.

Raffle will be drawn on Wed 8<sup>th</sup> May at the conclusion of the Mother's Day Liturgy.

|                  | <b>Prize</b>  | <b>Donor</b>                               |
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| 1 <sup>st</sup>  | 2 tickets for THE SHOW CLUB, VELO Wine, Riverside Hotel Voucher | The SHOW CLUB, Velo Wines, Riverside Hotel |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup>  | 6 month Family Pass to Kids Paradise                            | Kids Paradise                              |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup>  | \$50 Voucher Embellish  | Embellish                                  |
| 4 <sup>th</sup>  | \$50 Voucher The Secret Garden Florist                          | The Secret Garden Florist                  |
| 5 <sup>th</sup>  | "Date night in": Pomona Pizza Voucher & Wine                    | Pomona Pizza & P&F Donation                |
| 6 <sup>th</sup>  | Rhubarb Goodie bag & Wine                                       | Rhubarb & Anon donation                    |
| 7 <sup>th</sup>  | Scarf & Earrings set from Rhubarb & Chocolates                  | OZTech / P&F                               |
| 8 <sup>th</sup>  | \$30 Rhubarb Voucher and Chocolates                             | Anon donation/ P&F                         |
| 9 <sup>th</sup>  | Original Framed Floral print                                    | Nicki Folo                                 |
| 10 <sup>th</sup> | Bath & body set   | Anon donation                              |

## West Tamar Catholic Parish Easter Mass times



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| <i>Holy Thursday</i> | 7.00 pm St Francis, Riverside  |
| <i>Good Friday</i>   | 10.00 am Stations of the Cross, St Anthony's School<br>3.00 pm Celebration of the Lord's Passion, St Francis Riverside |
| <i>Easter Vigil</i>  | 7.00 pm St Francis, Riverside  |
| <i>Easter Sunday</i> | 9.00 am St Francis, Riverside<br>11.00 am St Francis Xavier, Beaconsfield  |

## Manions Bus – change of service

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> April is a Government Schools Pupil free day. Therefore, we will not be running our Platypus, Devil, and Possum buses, and no Early Bus from St Anthony's, on these dates. However our General Access services will still run as usual. Please refer to our website [www.manionscoaches.com.au](http://www.manionscoaches.com.au) for timetable information for these services. **One bus will be at St Anthony's when school is released and usual times at Launceston Christian School.**

Jan Clayton - Admin Manager (Ph: 03 6383 1221)



Autism Tasmania's annual barbeque is being held at the Door of Hope Discovery Centre this Saturday, 13<sup>th</sup> April from 11.00 am – 1.00 pm. There will be a jumping castle, storm troopers, and lots of activities for the cost of a gold coin.

**HAUS  
CREATIVE  
SCHOOL  
HOLIDAY  
WORKSHOP**

**THURSDAY  
18 APRIL  
10AM START  
PROVIDORE  
PLACE  
\$10**

**Join Dave mangenner Gough as he guides  
young people through a massive mural that  
is immersed in Aboriginal culture**

For inquiries please call:  
Kate Von Rock on 0437 474 570  
Book online at <https://form.jotform.co/72502627684864>





## ***WEATHERING FAMILY SEPARATION*** **Child Focussed Educational Program**

**A 3 hour session for separated parents on how to support your children following separation and make it “easier and healthier” for them**

**Venue: CatholicCare Launceston  
201 York Street, Launceston**

**Commencing: Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> May 2019 10:00am to 1:00pm**

**Please contact CatholicCare Launceston  
On 6332 0600 for registration**

**NO COST INVOLVED**



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