

Lutheran School Wagga Wagga

NEWSLETTER

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Term 4 Week 1



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HUMILITY

Over this next term students and staff will be considering our core value of 'humility' and what it means for us and our way of living. What does it mean to act with humility and who are good role models for us and our children as we consider this value?

'Acting with humility involves recognising and valuing one's own gifts and abilities and the gifts and abilities of others as being equally valid but of no lesser or greater importance. It is using those gifts and abilities in service to others with an attitude of selflessness. It is being thankful, rather than boastful, and willing to respect and learn from the experience of others.'

(from 'Lifelong Qualities for Learners' - Lutheran Education Australia)

Don't do anything only to get ahead. Don't do it because you are proud. Instead, be free of pride. Think of others as better than yourselves. None of you should look out just for your own good. You should also look out for the good of others.

Philippians 2:3-4

As we consider the value of 'humility' please look for opportunities to talk about this in your own family.

- Peter Weier

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Welcome back everyone and best wishes for the final term of the school year.

Introducing Ms Moeller

Ms Janet Moeller, pictured right, (currently Head of Junior School at Good News Lutheran College in Melbourne) will commence as principal of Lutheran School Wagga Wagga from the beginning of next year. Janet has created a video to introduce herself to the school community.

Watch it here <https://youtu.be/6cKZ940w6Yw>



School Fees 2021

Attached to the email with this newsletter is school fee information for next year. There is no increase to our school fees for 2021 and fees will remain at the current levels. Our school is committed to supporting families if the cost of fees becomes difficult. If parents have any concerns about school fees or associated costs (eg uniforms, camps) please do not hesitate to contact me to talk about ways in which the school can support you. Our school's Tuition Fee Concessions Policy can be viewed on our website.

Term 3 Values Awards

The Values Award is presented to one student from each class at the end of each term. This is a new award, introduced this year, presented to students who consistently model our values through their words and actions. Congratulations to the following students who received the award for living out the value of 'appreciation', our focus for Term 3:

Edward Benecke – KM
Harry Deacon – KF
Mikaela Heape – 1T
Satpreet – 1S
Ryan Jose – 2E
Christopher Ip – 2MR
Ellen Libu – 3T

Olive Billington 3W
Clara Labens – 4E
Abigail Toohey – 4G
Ayaan Mohammed – 5W
Tom Gunter – 5R
Madamary Tadrous – 6D
Archie Cronk – 6R



Safety Reminders

Being COVID-safe: We start the term with the same COVID-safe practices and routines that were in place at the end of last term.

- Only students and staff are to enter the school beyond the school car parks and drop off/pick up areas. Parents can visit the school office if necessary.
- Weekly chapels will continue as K-2 and 3-6 groups. Assemblies will not be held at this time.
- Students who are unwell must not come to school (and if they have cold/flu symptoms they must be COVID tested and receive a negative test result, have no symptoms and advise the principal before returning to school).
- Good hand hygiene and sneeze/cough etiquette is to be practised at all times.
- Adults are to practise physical distancing at all times.

Sun Safety: With summer coming, please ensure your child brings their school hat each day. Please also teach children how to safely and effectively apply sunscreen before coming to school. Sunscreen is made available at school for the children to apply themselves. If your child has an allergy to particular brands of sunscreen, please write a note to the class teacher and send appropriate sunscreen to school with your child.

Being Allergy Aware: Due to the presence of children in our school who have severe allergies to particular foods, parents are asked to be mindful when packing lunches for their own children. Please do not include the following with your school lunches: peanuts and peanut products such as peanut butter, whole egg such as boiled eggs, egg sandwiches or omelettes.

Thank you for helping to keep our school a safe place for everyone.

- Peter Weier

FROM THE DEPUTY PRINCIPAL

Welcome back to the start of Term 4. I hope everyone had a good break and that our students are ready to be engaged and challenged in their learning this term.

Class Newsletters

This Friday you will receive your child's class newsletter. Please take your time to make a note of important dates, administrative and curriculum information for the term. Please be aware due to the ever changing nature of the COVID situation there may be some changes to calendar dates or some new dates added if restrictions start to change.

Term 4 Chapel Services

Starting in Week 2 Team 6 students will be supporting Chaplain Mick in leading 3-6 and K-2 chapel services. The students will work in small groups of 3-4 and be involved in delivering the gospel message for the week to our students. The theme for the chapel services will be based on our value word for the term, 'humility'. Best wishes to the Team 6 students.



Dylan Evans

K-6 Athletics Carnival

Ms Stewart is busy preparing our students for the K-6 Athletics Carnival that will take place in Week 2 on Thursday 22 October. It's great we are now able to run this event and our students are able to participate. As mentioned in my last newsletter, unfortunately due to COVID-19 restrictions this will be a students and staff only event.

- Dylan Evans

TEAM 6 NEWS

Preparations are underway for our LSWW Walkathon on Friday 6 November. This event is being led by our Team 6 students as an act of service for the school.

A note has been distributed to all students asking them to begin collecting sponsorships from family, friends and neighbours. For every \$25 collected, students will receive one ticket to our prize draw. Prizes have been generously donated by our Team 6 families. Our major prize will be a birthday party for the winning student and their friends at their choice of local establishment.

Other prizes include vouchers (Rebel Sport, Collins Booksellers, Smiggle and more), various sporting equipment and games. The money raised from our Walkathon will hopefully go towards the construction of an outdoor learning area.

Thank you to all families for their assistance with this event.

- Gavin Richards (Year 6 Teacher)



FROM THE FINANCE OFFICE

Fee accounts for Term 4 have been sent home this week – please check your child's bag. The due date for payment is Friday 6 November. If you are unable to settle your account in full by this date it is important that you contact me on 6923 8100 or email finance@lpsww.nsw.edu.au.

For parents/caregivers who have a direct debit arrangement in place, payments will continue as usual. Accounts that are not cleared by the last direct debit date will continue during November/December, please check your statement for payments or adjustments.

If you have any concerns or queries please let me know.

Jenny Hausfeld – Finance Officer

OSHC NEWS

Vacation Care

We were flat out having fun building, exploring and getting active over the September/October school holidays!

Some of the most popular activities (pictured below) were the **Fitness Day** when *In Motion Fitness* ran a boot camp with the children on the oval. We also used an amazing app to be able to have wild animals in the OSHC room. Nellie was feeding a deer.

The visit to the school library was a very welcome change of scenery. The children played card games, read books to each other and enjoyed some quiet time. The abundance of art and craft was popular, as was making aprons on **Cooking Day**, bandanas for **Pirate Day**, and moon lamps on **PJ Day**!

One of the themed days these holidays was a **Fundraiser Day**. I would like to thank everyone who made a donation and would like to share that, with your help, we were able to raise \$115.50 for *Angel Flight*.

Before and After School Care

This term for **Active After School** a local dance studio, *Triple Threat Riverina*, will be getting the children up and involved in a one hour lesson from 4—5pm each Tuesday afternoon. I know I'm excited.

Throughout the year OSHC has collected a number of lost property items including jumpers, hats and drink bottles both mufti and uniform. If you get a chance please come and have a look to see if any of these items belong to your child.

- Bec Cameron (Coordinator)



INFORMATION

2020 Term Dates	Term 4 ends on 10 December 2020	2021 Term Dates	Term 1 27 Jan—31 Mar	Term 2 19 Apr—25 Jun	Term 3 13 July—16 Sept	Term 4 5 Oct—9 Dec
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Second hand uniforms at reasonable prices

Orders are accepted via the e-form purchase request on the school app or a phone call/text message to

Mel Crawford

0427 375 856

or

Tegan Peel

0401 665 640

BETHLEHEM LUTHERAN CHURCH



Athol Street, Turvey Park
Worship each Sunday

9:30 am

ALL WELCOME

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If you prefer a paper copy of the school newsletter, please collect the latest edition from the school office.



DIARY DATES

Date	Event	Time	Venue/Information
WEEK 1			
Thursday 15 October	K-2 Chapel	9:10am	School Chapel
	Mastermind Round 1	2pm	School Hall
WEEK 2			
Monday 19 October	3-6 Chapel	9:10am	School Chapel
	Kinder 2021 Parent Information Night	7-8pm	School Hall
Thursday 22 October	Athletics Carnival	9am—2pm	Jubilee Park. Students and staff only
WEEK 3			
Wednesday 28 October	Kinder 2021 Transition 1 Group 1	10—11am	Please refer to information sent by email
Thursday 29 October	Kinder 2021 Transition 1 Group 2	10—11am	Please refer to information sent by email
	NRL Gala Day	9:45—2:30pm	Years 5-6 boys and girls at Parramore Park

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Humility is not thinking less of yourself but thinking of yourself less.

- C S Lewis -

LCA Standards of Ethical Behaviour

If you feel that you have reason to complain about any type of harassment, abuse or bullying within the LCA, please contact the Manager of the LCA Professional Standards Department (PSD) Telephone 1800 644 628 or write to the Manager of the PSD: Confidential, Professional Standards Department, PO Box 519, Marden, SA 5070 or email complaints@lca.org.au