





Issue No. 22

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What	When
Parent/Teacher/Student conferences	18th and 19th August
Lightning Prems—Gr 5 & 6 students	Wednesday 18th August
Curriculum day—Pupil free day	Friday 20th August
The BEAT—Gr 6 students	Tuesday 24th August
School athletics sports	Wednesday 25th August
Book Week	Friday 27th August

#### "Every Day Counts"

If your child is absent from school we must have a note, phone call or you can also enter the reason directly onto COMPASS to explain the absence. This is required by the Department for our records

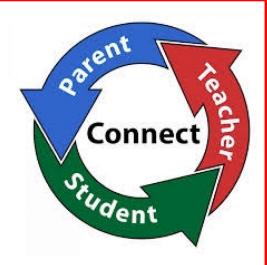
With current restrictions in schools, we are not permitted to run assembly.

Contact School Council: <a href="mailto:rceps.schoolcouncil@gmail.com">rceps.schoolcouncil@gmail.com</a>

## Parent/Teacher/Student Conferences

As part of the student reporting process we will be conducting Parent/Teacher/Student conferences on the 18th and 19th August.

The meeting structure will involve all 3 participants and will provide an opportunity to discuss how your child is going as a learner. We will send out a list of possible questions you may like to have ready to ask your child's teacher. In turn, the teachers will have particular topics that they would like to cover during the meeting.



There is a booking page on COMPASS so please ensure you find a time that suits.

If you have not already made a booking can you please log onto COMPASS and do so at your earliest convenience.

If you are having problems logging in to COMPASS, please make sure you contact the school so that we can assist you.

During the meetings you must wear a mask, check in using the QR code and ensure that you are not on the school site any longer than required. These are the requirements we must follow in order to meet the current restrictions.

> Curriculum Day—Pupil free day Friday 20th August



## Swimming Program 2021

All students will have the opportunity to attend swimming lessons at the First Stroke Swim school. The lessons will be 45 minutes in duration and will be conducted by trained swimming instructors.

This year we will be conducting the program over three weeks.

# Dates for the programs:

Monday 13<sup>th</sup> to Friday 17th September (last week of term 3) – Gr 2 and Gr 3/4

Monday 11<sup>th</sup> to Friday 15<sup>th</sup> October (second week of term 4) – Gr 4/5 and Gr 5/6

Monday 18th to Friday 22nd October (third week of term 4) – Prep/1 and Gr 1

Final costs will be sent home with permission notes during this term. This is simply informing parents the dates of the program.



# Prep Enrolments For 2022

We are now taking enrolments for Prep students for 2022. Parents are invited to ring the school and make a time for a personalised tour.

Parents wanting to collect an enrolment form can do so from the school office.



## Athletics Sport Day

On Wednesday 28th August we will be holding our annual Athletics Sports Day. It is very important that this day goes ahead for the students. Now we are back at school we can get it up and going.

The down side is that we will not be able to have parents attend the day. We usually ask for your assistance but unfortunately we cannot do that at the moment, nor can we invite you on site to come and watch. We must abide by the State Government restrictions that are currently in place. Of course this is not ideal and certainly not how we want to run the day, but it is a necessity at the moment.

Mr. Tuohy has adapted the timetable for the day to ensure it works with the staff who will run it. We will make sure that the students have the opportunity to shine and it will provide a path through to the Mini Olympics (provided that these can run) for the older students.

Students are encouraged to come along dressed in the school house colours.





## Continuation of FREE trial.

We are offering a continuation of free trial.

You must have completed and returned an enrolment form in order to attend.

Come along and try the OSCH program.

# Outside Of School Hours Care (OSHC)

We have started!!!! This week we had a few students book in and spend some time at OSHC.

#### Things you need to know:

- Sessions start at 3.15pm, straight after school, and conclude at 6pm sharp. Students are able to be picked up any time before 6pm.
- Cost of the session is **\$20 per student** per night, regardless of how long they are in attendance.
- Students cannot attend without a completed enrolment form for each students.
- There is a maximum of 15 students per session.
- Students must be booked in for a session at least 24hrs before. If you ring up for your child to attend a session on the day of the session they may not be able to attend if it is at
- capacity.
- The students will receive a snack as part of the program.
- When you pick your child up you must sign them out. The sign out form will be in the MPR. Student will not be able to leave the MPR without a parent there to sign them out.
- Payment for the service will be invoiced to parents once a week. They will be sent out on a
  Monday invoicing for the previous weeks service. The invoice will include a due date in
  which it must be paid. Cash will not be accepted at the service. It will need to be paid at the
  office or direct bank payment. Details will be included on the invoice.
- If you are running late (later than 6pm) you must phone the school. A fee of \$10 for every 10 minutes late will also be charged.

Enrolment forms are available from the school office. Students cannot attend without a completed form returned to the office.

Our first 4 students heading off to OSHC last week. We already have students booked in for the rest of this week and next week.

Come along and give it a go!!!



## Book Week

On Friday 27th August, the students and staff will be participating in a celebration of books and reading. Students will spend the day in multi aged groups participating in a variety of reading/book activities. The students are invited to dress up as a book character for the day. We will give the students a chance to 'model' their costumes to the rest of the students at a get together in the morning.

We encourage family members to come along to our assembly (if we are able to run them with parents) and join in with the reading festivities.

This is always a great day on our calendar and we look forward to seeing all the creativity in the students.

The theme for this year's book week is:



Some photos of costumes from previous years:



