Start of School Year Social Gathering

SAVE THE DATE! Every member of our school community is invited to attend the Community Council Start of Year Soiree next Friday 26 February from 3.20 pm to 5.00 pm. We will be hosting this event on the Kinder/Year 1 playground this year. It will be a great opportunity for the kids to have a play, for you to meet the teachers and other parents in an informal setting and to keep building our wonderfully inclusive and supportive community. The Community Council will provide a sausage sizzle for everyone and a bouncing castle for the kids. Bring along some drinks to share.

Parking

Please be mindful of the parking rules which govern Stutchbury Street. It is illegal to park on the opposite side of Stutchbury Street from where the school is located and also around the only corner on Stutchbury Street. These are both no-stopping zones in the afternoons at pick up time. I must encourage people to follow the road rules for the safety of all our children, as their well-being is always our highest priority.

I am so aware that parking is an issue in the afternoons, but unfortunately cannot create more parking spaces. However, we could work together to ease congestion. I am sure you know that staff are on duty until 3.20 pm each afternoon and your children are in safe hands until then. Perhaps you could arrive a few minutes after school has ended and then you are guaranteed a convenient parking spot as most people have left by 3.10 pm. Just a thought for you to ponder!

Our deepest sympathies to Mrs Leonard (Year 4M teacher) and her family after the recent death of Millie’s mother.

Our thoughts and prayers are with them at this time.

† Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and may perpetual light shine upon her.
† May she rest in peace.
† Amen †

Important Dates

- **Friday 19 February**
  - 9.30 am Year 3 and 5 Mass

- **Friday 26 February**
  - 9.30 am Year 6 Mass
  - 3.20 pm

- **Community Council Start of Year Soiree**

- **Wednesday 2 March**
  - 6pm Sacramental Parent Meeting

- **Friday 4 March**
  - Year 2 and 3 Botanical Gardens Excursion
  - 9.30 am Year 1 Mass

- **Friday 11 March**
  - 9.30am Year 2 and 4 Mass
  - 12.30 pm Year 6 Leadership Ceremony

- **Monday 14 March**
  - Canberra Day Holiday

- **Wednesday 16 March**
  - 10.00 am Year 3 Excursion to the National Museum of Australia

- **Friday 18 March**
  - Fish and Chip Friday
  - 12.30 pm Awards Assembly

- **Sunday 20 March**
  - Palm Sunday

- **Tuesday 22 March**
  - 11.45 am Holy Week Prayer Celebration
  - 6pm Community Council Open Meeting