



Good Shepherd Primary School Newsletter

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Term 3

Week 7

Tuesday, 4th September, 2018



Bookweek 2018!

This was our first whole school Bookweek Parade. It was a great success with both students and staff taking part. Thank you to all parents for their enthusiasm and support in supplying costumes and making it a fun day for our students. A special thank you to Mrs Sirry who has spent many hours preparing activities, Author visits, stories and games for a successful Bookweek!

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Term 3 concludes:

Thursday,
27th September

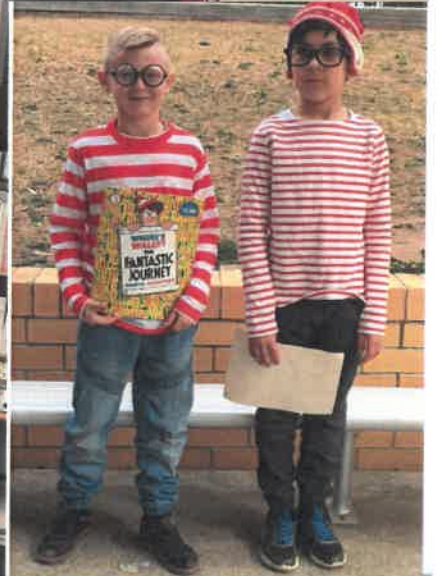
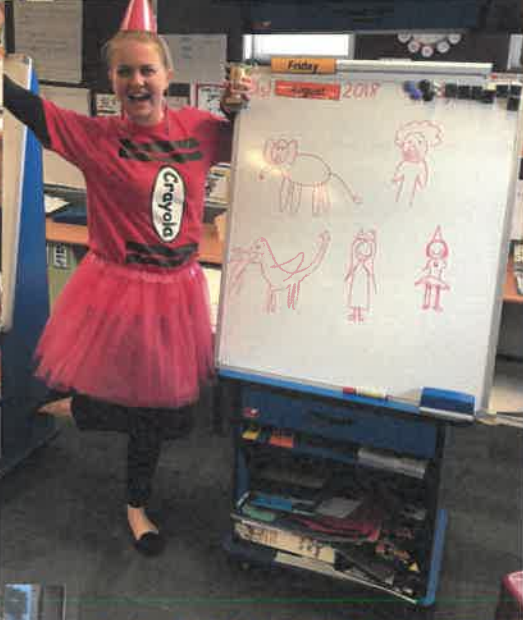
Term 4 commences:

Monday, 15th October

Term 4 concludes:

Wednesday,
19th December





Father's Day 2018

A big thank you to all who attended our Father's Day BBQ Breakfast last week—it was a great success and many fathers, grandfathers and families enjoyed the beautiful Prayer Service in our church. Thank you to those who gave up their time to come in early and organise the bbq and the morning's activities.



UPCOMING EVENTS

Wednesday, 5th September:	Years 2B & 2G to Riverside Theatre
Thursday, 6th September:	Years 2R & 2W to Riverside Theatre
Friday, 7th September:	Kindergarten Grade Assembly (2.00 pm Good Shepherd School)
Tuesday, 11th September:	Reconciliation (11.00 am Good Shepherd Church)
Thursday, 13th September:	Year 5 Excursion to Teen Ranch
Friday, 14th September:	Year 5 at Teen Ranch
Monday, 17th September:	Infants End of Term Awards (8.30 am Good Shepherd School)
Wednesday, 19th September:	Year 1 Assembly (2.00 pm Good Shepherd School)

Waste Free Wednesday!

Dear Parents, don't forget we have commenced our Waste Free Wednesdayswe are encouraging students to bring their recess and lunch to school in recyclable wrapping and/or containers. When they do they will receive a stamp next to their name on a class list. At the end of the term, the class in each Stage with the most stamps will receive a Science/Environmental based book as a prize.

So, we are asking parents to come on board with this initiative. Talk to your children at home about some things that you can do as a family to help fight the War on Waste.



Complaints/Grievances Forms

Parents, please note if you would like to make a complaint/grievance in regards to any school matter, you can visit our school website, look under "About Us", "Policies & Procedures", "Catholic School Community", and you will find the Complaints documents there, or you can pick up a form from the school office. All matters will be attended to under strict confidentiality.

Peace & Joy Awards



The Good Shepherd School Community would like to congratulate the following students for their hard work and dedication throughout the past week. These awards are presented for cooperation, respectfulness, responsibility, care, compassion, fair go and integrity.

KB	Not Published	KG	Loleta-Elisapeta Taungakava
KR	Xavier Lautier	KW	Serenity Thomas
1B	Carter Horne	1G	Aleksandra Zeinati
1R	Saanvi Suresh	1W	Isabella Musngi-Kabigting
2B	Not Published	2G	Seraphina Vaasili
2R	Mia Smith	2W	Thomas Planer
3B	Carolina Barkho	3G	Faith MacMillan Savea
3R	Cameron Rintoul	3W	Alexis Palu
4B	Matthew Zacharia	4G	Mikayla Uili-Lilo
4R	Ashton Paciano	4W	Rasgur Mann
5B	Kaelan Torralba	5G	Joanne Imlay
5R	Roman Lautier	5W	Not Published
6B	Joshua Thomas	6G	Charlie Luke
6R	Tsega Dawit	6W	Adier Job

Communication between Parents and Staff

Just a reminder that the direct line of communication if you need to discuss concerns/issues etc regarding your child is:

Phone call, email or letter addressed to your child's teacher stating your concerns and requesting an interview if required.

Following this, you can request an interview with your child's Year Group Coordinator. Year Group Coordinators are as follows:

Kinder: Mrs Bianca Cooke

Year 1: Mrs Trish Conner

Year 2: Mrs Yvonne Davies

Year 3: Mrs Debbie Dela Paz

Year 4: Mr Ian Byrne

Year 5: Mrs Beulah Frankson

Year 6: Ms Elizabeth Dowd

If you need to take further steps, after speaking with the Year Group Co-Ordinator, an email, letter or phone call to our Assistant Principal, then to the Principal.

Student Supervision

As you know it is a priority at Good Shepherd Primary School to keep every child safe. Teachers have a duty of care to supervise children both in class and on the playground. This supervision commences at 8.10 am each morning. **Similarly afternoon supervision of children concludes at 3.15 pm. All children must be picked up by this time.**

It is vital that parents seek a safe, supervised environment whilst they are away at work. It is not the responsibility of school staff to provide before and after school care whilst parents are at work. School staff have their own personal and professional responsibilities to attend to in out of school hours. Thank you for your support with this matter.

Social Skill of the Week

"Open the door for another person"

Acceptable Hairstyles & Jewellery

Girls – Shoulder length or longer hair must be tied back and ribbons or a 'scrunchie' in school colours may be used. Hair colouring is not permitted.

Boys – Neat and simple haircuts. No undercuts, Mohawks, Number Ones, Lines, Rat Tails or Hair Colouring is permitted. Hair must be of consistent length.

Hair is a very important aspect of your child's appearance. Children must have appropriate hair cuts. Coloured hair is not permitted nor should hair be cut in steps or stairs, or have any other symbols or patterns. Long hair needs to be tied back. Green or white ribbons or scrunchies are permitted. No rat's tails or mohawks are permitted.

Jewellery

Only one plain sleeper or stud is to be worn in each lobe. No other earrings are permitted. One signet ring is permitted and a cross and chain or other symbols of our faith are permitted. Any other jewellery is not permitted, nor is makeup of any description. Parents are asked to please ensure that children attend school in accordance with uniform expectations.

Library News

Thank you to everyone for your participation and enthusiasm during our Bookweek Book Parade. We all had a great time and we look forward to the next time we run our parade.

A Big congratulations also to all the students that completed and handed in their Premier's Reading Challenge. The Challenge has now closed for 2018.

If your child has received a note about Overdue Books recently, please make sure they try to locate them. If they cannot be found then they must be paid for so that we can replace it.

Bookclub Issue 6 will close on Friday 14th September. Please make sure orders are in to the office no later than the above date. Kind regards Mrs Sirry

School Fees 2018

Dear Parents, accounts for the third instalment of school fees were due on 29th August. Any family who may experience difficulty paying their fees this year please contact the School Office for an appointment to discuss options available under the Catholic Education Office financial hardship policy.



Dear Parents & Carers, please note if someone else will be collecting your child **early or during school hours**, on your behalf, you need to inform the school **in writing or by email to:** (goodshepherd@parra.catholic.edu.au) **PRIOR TO PICKUP**. This policy is **effective immediately**.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Term 4 Summer Uniform

GIRLS

Uniform: Regulation School Uniform, Green Hair Ribbons, White turn-down School Socks, Black School Shoes.

Sports: Unisex Sports Shorts with School Crest OR Green School Track Pants, Short sleeved White Polo Shirt with School Crest, Green Sports Jumper, White turn-down School Socks and Joggers **predominantly white**.

BOYS

Uniform: School white short-sleeved shirt with lay-back collar, Black Shorts, Black turn-down socks and Black School Shoes.

Sports: Unisex Sports Shorts with School Crest OR Green School Track Pants, Short sleeved White Polo Shirt with School Crest, Green Sports Jumper, White turn-down School Socks and Joggers **predominantly white**.

The School Jumper with crest may be worn at any time throughout the year. The School Hat with crest is a compulsory school item to be worn every day. The School's Uniform Supplier is Lowes, Mt Druitt. **Please mark all school clothing with your child's name to avoid lost property!!**



2018 Dates

Term 3

Concludes: Thursday, 27th September

Term 3 School Holidays

Monday, 1st October—Friday 12th October

Term 4

Commences: Monday, 15th October (Week 1)

Concludes: Wednesday, 19th December

Term 4 School Holidays

Thursday, 20th December 2018 through to Monday, 28th January 2019

Please note Staff Development Days will occur throughout the year. Parents will be notified of such dates at the start of each term.

If your child is absent from school due to illness

In the event of your child being absent from school due to illness, it is necessary that a note of explanation be forwarded to the class teacher on the day of your child's return to school. In the case of absences of more than one day, a telephone call to the office indicating your child's expected date of return is required. Prolonged absences from school due to illness should be supported by a medical certificate.



OUR LADY OF MERCY COLLEGE PARRAMATTA

College Open Morning Tour

Wednesday September 5, 2018

expanding beyond what we know we can be

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Birthdays

Happy Birthday to the following students who will celebrate their birthday this week: Cruz Raza, Marta Ghilagaber, Catherine Palu, Oliver Toma, Belinda Gama, Mayar El-Awar, William Planer, Abby Cornish, Mary Farhad, Iesha Singh, Veronica Ballesteros, Thomas Planer and Ethan Aducayen.



No Nut Policy

Dear parents, just a reminder that a number of our students have severe allergies.

Please do not send peanut butter/Nutella sandwiches or other foods containing whole or crushed nuts or sesame seeds to school. This also includes excursions!



Term 3 2018 Staff Development Day (Pupil Free Day)

Each year Staff participate in professional development to support them in their roles as educators. The focus of these days is aligned to Good Shepherd School's goals. Staff will use information they have gathered about the children to design learning programs for the children that will best meet their needs. Term 3's Staff Development Day is a Pupil Free Day and will take place on Friday, 28th September (Week 10). Our thanks to parents for organising care for their children on this day. COSHC will be able to offer spaces for care on this day. Please phone COSHC on 0409 121 980 for all inquiries and bookings. Refer also to attached Holiday

Policies and Forms

For all policies and forms, please refer to our School Website—"About Us"—"Policies & Procedures". Please note our Parent Handbook is on our School Website for your convenience.

Contact Details

Parents, it is vital that all contact information including phone/mobile numbers, emergency contacts, home address, email address are kept up to date. **Please contact the School Office if any changes need to be made.** Thank you.



Bicycle Awareness - Keeping the children safe

Dear families, If your child rides a bicycle to school, (with or without supervision), please ensure that you have signed the Bicycle Policy and returned it to school. Please also ensure that the child enters the school using the walkers' gate and not through the carpark entrances or drop off circle. A copy of the Road Safety Policy & Bicycle Safety Policy 2016 is available at the office.



Canteen News

Two Meal Deals to choose from at \$5.00 each (This deal is available until Friday 21st September).

Meal Deal 1

Salad Sandwich, Juice Popper and Piece of Fruit

Meal Deal 2

Beef Burger (with lettuce, tomato & bbq sauce)
Flavoured Milk

To view the full menu of Classroom Catering, please visit website: www.classroomcatering.com.au



Information regarding Leave from School

Leave from school for holiday/overseas trips in school time is not encouraged and must be explained in writing to the School Principal.

A leave form ("Application for Extended Leave") must be completed at least 4 weeks in advance for **5 or more school days**. Leave forms can be obtained from the school administration office. **Leave during school terms is strongly discouraged.**

Leave of 4 days and less needs to also be approved by the Principal. Please write a letter to your child's class teacher outlining the details of the leave, including the first and last school day that the child will be absent.

In NSW, school attendance is compulsory for children over the age of six years until the minimum school leaving age of 17 years. Students must complete Year 10, and after Year 10 until they turn 17 years of age, students must be: in school or registered for home schooling, or in approved education or training (e.g. TAFE, traineeship, apprenticeship), or in full-time, paid employment (average 25 hours per week) or in a combination of work, education and/or training.



Privacy Consent

Dear Parents & Carers,

If you **do not** give consent for the use of your child's image and/or works to be published in our School Newsletter or on our website, **please notify the school in writing**. If you do not want your child to sell raffle tickets, please also inform the school office. Thank you.

Kindergarten 2019 Enrolments

Enrolment Application forms for Kindergarten 2019 are now available from the School Office. Parents, if you already have a child at Good Shepherd, you will still need to submit an Enrolment Form for any **new siblings** for 2019.



Australian Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting Authority (ACARA)

Dear Parents, by now you should have received your updated ACARA Privacy Notice. If you did not receive a copy, please call into the school office to pick up a copy.

Uniform Shop—Opening Days

**Fridays only
8.30—9.00 am**

Please note **only Cash is accepted**. If you can assist with helping our Parent Group with the uniform shop, please leave your contact details with the school office.

School Hat found on a Busways Bus

Dear Parents, please note a school hat has been found on one of the school buses. Please go to Busways Glendenning Depot (150 Glendenning Road, Glendenning) and quote Reference No. B2296.

Is my child too ill to attend school?

What signs should I watch for to see if my child should stay home from school? Sick children who are lethargic or whiny are often giving clues that they require rest at home to recuperate. Other possible signs of illness are fever, uncontrolled coughing, difficulty breathing, wheezing or persistent crying. Did the doctor diagnose a contagious illness that should keep your child at home? In this case, your child should remain at home until the risk of passing on the illness has passed. When can my child return to school?

As long as there is no fever or discomfort, a child with a cold may go to school, as long as they are not too uncomfortable to function in school. Instruct the child on the proper use of tissues for coughing, sneezing, and nose blowing. They should also be taught good hand-washing techniques, since research has shown that more colds are spread via contaminated hands than by infected droplets in the air.

SPORTS NEWS

PSSA Rugby Union

A very special congratulations to Mitchell Holmes of Year 6. He has now been selected as a member of the New South Wales Primary Schools Sports Association (NSWPSSA) team to compete in the National Rugby Union Championships to be held next month. A great achievement for both Mitchell and his family!!



Did you know

Your child's best learning time is the start of the school day just a little bit late doesn't seem much but

He/she just missing,

That equals ..

Which is ...

and over 13 years of schooling that's ...

10 minutes per day

50 minutes per week

Nearly 1.5 weeks per year

Nearly half a year

20 minutes per day

1 hour 40mins per week

Over 2.5 weeks per year

Nearly 1 year

Half an hour per day

Half a day per week

4 weeks per year

Nearly 1 and a half years

1 hour per day

1 day per week

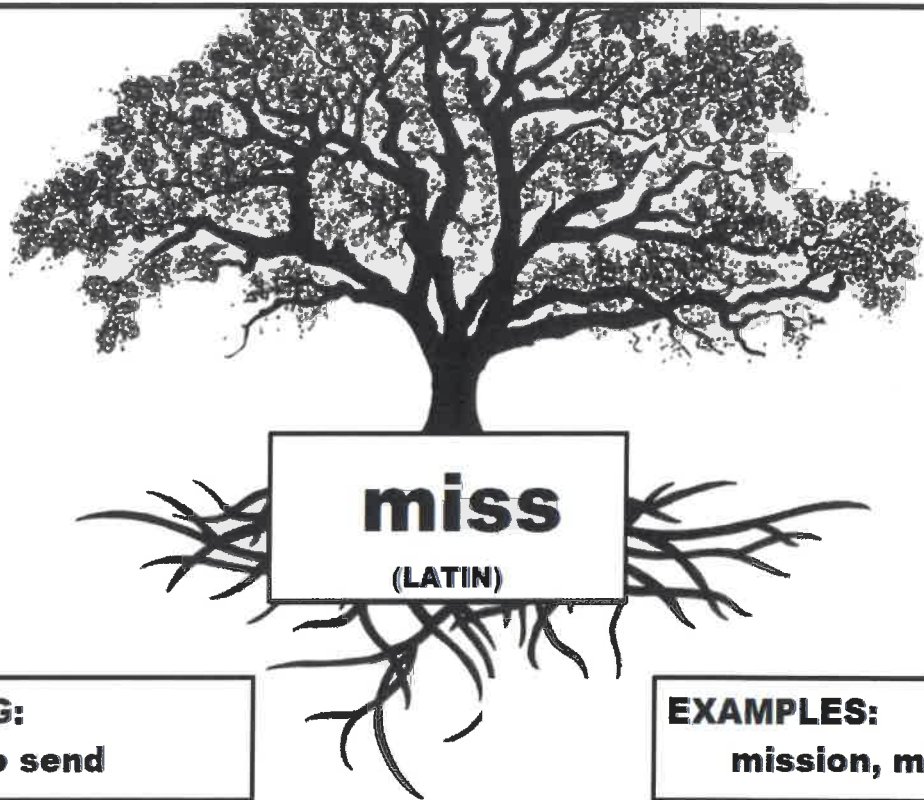
8 weeks per year

Over 2 and a half years

every learner
every day



ROOT WORD OF THE WEEK



MEANING:
to send

EXAMPLES:
mission, missile

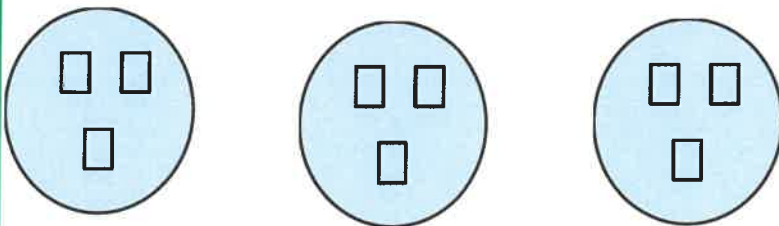
Numeracy Warmup

Dice Multiplication

Task: Roll the dice two times. The first roll indicates the number of groups to make. The second indicates the number in each group. Predict how many there are altogether before using counters or other equipment to make and prove it. Write a multiplication/division number sentence to match the groups made.

$$3 \times 3 = 9$$

3 groups of 3 is 9



Purpose:

To allow students to understand and visualise what multiplication and division look like.

Resources:

- dice
- counters or any collection of objects around the house (pegs, buttons, pencils, blocks)
- Paper/pencil for drawing groups
- white board/markers for drawing groups (optional)

Supporting/Extending Questions:

- Can you organise the groups of items in an efficient way? (not by ones)
- How many would I have if I had one more group? Can you imagine one more group?
- Are your groups equal?
- Could you organise your groups in the form of an array?
- You could use a 12 sided dice as an extension

From the Bishop's Office

Natural Fertility Services

"My husband and I opted for Natural Family Planning (NFP) after our first baby, we'd struggled with other means of fertility management prior to this. Since then, we've been shocked by just one thing, hardly anyone knows about it! Our educator has patiently guided us in learning, implementing and having confidence in ourselves. Best of all, NFP goes hand-in-hand with faith, as God's handiwork is on vibrant display in the human body. Beyond its practical benefits, NFP has revealed to us the astounding mechanisms that God has set in motion in our bodies to create life. NFP is family planning God's way". A couple in their 40's with two children.

To learn more about Natural Family Planning in the Diocese of Parramatta contact 02 8838 3460 or nfs@parracatholic.org or catherine.bourne@parracatholic.org and www.parralmf.org.au/nfs

We're hiring!

If you're studying or recently graduated from accounting and looking to get your foot in the door in finance, the Diocese of Parramatta Diocesan Development Fund is looking for a casual Trainee Assistant Accountant with an immediate start. For more information contact ddffinance@parraddf.org.au

IFM Themes of Faith Program

Exploring Catholic life, faith and action themes – for people keen on very manageable home readings/reflection ready to attend great group conversations. Ten Monday evenings and one Saturday morning are spread out across July 30 to Oct 29. Gatherings break into mentored groups of 10 - excellent for age 18 to seniors - builds confidence to grow and share faith. See ifm.org.au or call the IFM team 9296 6369

IFM Reflective Ministry Program

This enjoyable program aims to enrich those involved in service/ministry of Catholic communities – excellent chance for learning and further shaping of faith and purpose. Ten Tuesday evenings and two Saturday mornings are spread out across August 18 to Dec 1 – presenters' inputs, journaling and application to ministry – group size about 35. See ifm.org.au or call the IFM team 9296 6369

ACYMC 2018

Early-bird registration for the Australian Catholic Youth Ministry Convention hosted by the Diocese of Parramatta on behalf of the Australian Catholic Bishops is now open at www.acymc.org.au. The event will host up to 500 adult delegates who are engaged in ministry with young people in parishes, schools, agencies and ministries of the Catholic Church. Rooty Hill RSL, September 21-23.

Contact James Camden, Director, Catholic Youth Parramatta for more information (02) 8838 3428 or james.camden@parracatholic.org

Save the Date - Liturgy Conference 2018

Date: 10 November 2018. Keynote Speaker: Fr Peter Williams Vicar General from the Diocese of Parramatta. Workshops (still to be finalised): Singing the Psalms, RCIA ritual & symbols, Training Junior Altar Servers and Music and Prayer in the Classroom. To register your interest go to: parracatholic.org/liturgyconference2018/
Tickets: On sale soon (we'll let you know when).

Plenary Council 2020

Pope Francis has approved the Australian Bishops' decision to hold a Plenary Council in Australia in 2020 and 2021. It is a significant moment for the Church in Australia to make decisions about the future. To prepare the agenda for the Plenary Council, all of God's people are invited to reflect on the question: "What do you think God is asking of us in Australia at this time?" Find out more about the Plenary Council 2020 at the new website, now online: www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au

St Vincent de Paul DROUGHT APPEAL

Help support struggling rural communities facing tough drought conditions. Help individuals and communities across NSW in three ways:

Provide immediate relief through food assistance and other household bill payments

Fund the delivery of water and animal feed by partner organisations

Organise social events for rural communities to come together and find support

Donations can be made by calling 13 18 12, www.vinnies.org.au/drought or at any local Vinnies Shop.

Lawn and Garden Services: Help CatholicCare to Help Disabled Workers

CatholicCare Western Sydney and the Blue Mountains (CatholicCare) is the diocesan social services organisation. Our Mamre Garden Services employed disabled people in a lawn and garden service lawns for both residential and commercial clients. The team of workers is supervised by our Garden Crew Supervisor. Each job is quoted separately and you will not be disappointed with the quality of the work. If you're interested in having your lawns and/or gardens serviced by CatholicCare or would like more information, please contact 02 8843 2500 or visit our website www.ccss.org.au

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Meal Deal \$5.00

Meal Deal 1

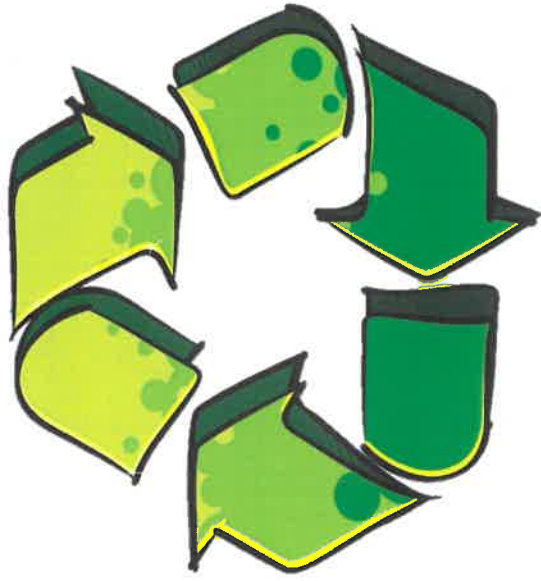
- Salad Sandwich
- Juice Popper
- Piece of Fruit



Meal Deal 2

- Beef Burger
With Lettuce, Tomato & BBQ Sauce
- Flavoured Milk





WASTE FREE WEDNESDAYS

MEAL DEAL \$5.00

Toasted Ham & Cheese Sandwich

Bottle of Water

Wednesdays **ONLY**

Please return empty water bottle
to canteen for recycling



Pack Waste Free

Lunches

Reusable containers

Reusable drink bottles

Reusable cutlery

Reusable lunchbox or bag

Fruit (banana, apple, grapes, mandarin, pear etc)

Cling wrap

Plastic bags

Zip closed bags

Disposable drink cartons, poppers, cans and single use plastic bottles

Disposable cutlery

Straws



WASTE FREE WEDNESDAY

**Every Wednesday from week 5 bring
lunch that produces no rubbish.**

Pack
reusable
containers
and drink
bottles



Earn stamps
and you can
win a prize!

Parent / Guardian Permission

(Please read and initial every statement)

I understand that failure to make the full Vacation Care fee payment by Friday 21st September 2018, will result in my child/ren's position at Vacation Care being cancelled without notice.

I understand that **no further bookings OR changes to bookings will be accepted After Friday 14th September, 2018**

I agree to abide by all policies and procedures of Catholic Out of School Hours Care.

I accept that children will be supervised at all times, and that all travel between the Centre and excursion venue will be in privately booked buses with seatbelts.

I understand that excursions are compulsory for all children booked in on that day to attend and that the number of participants will not exceed the licensed number.

I understand that "Excursion and Incursion Risk Assessments" have been completed prior to the event and are available to me upon request.

I understand that the ratio's that COSHC adheres to is 1:15 for onsite days and 1:8 for all excursions (water based excursions are 1:5). Additional educators will be rostered where it is deemed to be necessary, based on the activity risk assessment.

I accept that it is my responsibility to ensure we are at the Centre by 8:00am on excursion days (unless another time is specified). I understand that the bus will not wait, and I will need to make alternative care arrangements for my child/ren if we arrive late.

I understand that I am required to sign my child in and out of the program each day. Written notification is required to allow another person to collect my child if they are not listed as an authorized contact.

I understand that my children may be required to participate in activities that may be physically and emotionally demanding. My children's participation in any activity is not compulsory. COSHC staff will duly exercise their Duty of Care.

I agree to support the centre in implementing the Sun Protection Policy by my child/ren wearing Sun-safe clothing with sleeves & collar, sun-safe hat and sports shoes & socks.

I understand that all programs will continue in the event of inclement weather unless notified. I understand that should the scheduled venue need to change due to inclement weather, the backup venues COSHC will use are the Movies, Bowling and Sydney Aquarium/Wildlife World.

I understand that COSHC will take no responsibility for lost property. This includes all electronic devices.

I give permission for my child/ren to have their face painted and hair sprayed as part of the centre program throughout the holidays.

Parent 1 Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent 2 Signature: _____ Date: _____

Child Information (As listed on your enrolment form)

Child Name: _____ Age: _____ School Year: _____

Child Name: _____ Age: _____ School Year: _____

Child Name: _____ Age: _____ School Year: _____

Are children currently enrolled in COSHC for Before/After School Care? YES / NO If this is the first time booking for Good Shepherd VAC you will need to also complete an enrolment form

If YES, which COSHC Service do they attend? _____

I hereby give my permission for my child/ren to participate in the excursions and incursions on the dates I have indicated on this booking form:

Preferred Contact Number: _____

Preferred Email Address: _____



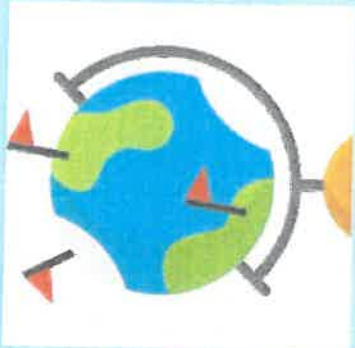
Parent/Carer Name: _____

Parent/Carer Signature: _____

Date: _____

Please initial the box for each child, for each day of care that you require

Child's Name	Mon 1st	Tue 2nd \$50	Wed 3rd \$70	Thur 4th \$55	Fri 5th \$50	Total \$
						\$
						\$
						\$
Child's Name	Mon 8th \$50	Tue 9th \$55	Wed 10th \$70	Thur 11th \$50	Fri 12th \$55	Total \$
						\$
						\$
						\$
CLOSING DATE FOR PAYMENTS Fri 21st September 2018						TOTAL: \$

<p>Monday 8th October</p> <p>EMOJI DAY</p>  <p>Are you happy, excited, cool or surprised? Express your emotions or emoji filled day.</p> <p>Bring: Morning tea, lunch, sun-screen, hat, refillable water bottle, enclosed shoes.</p> <p>Cost: \$50</p>	<p>Tuesday 9th October</p> <p>CLAY WORKS</p>  <p>Sculpt your own creation with the COSHC educators. Be prepared to get messy.</p> <p>Lunch is provided.</p> <p>Bring: morning tea, refillable water bottle, hat, enclosed shoes.</p> <p>Cost: \$55</p>	<p>Wednesday 10th October</p> <p>CALMSLEY HILL FARM</p>  <p>Enjoy a tractor ride and get up close and personal with the animals and find your favourite farm animal.</p> <p>EXCURSION—Additional Authority Form Required.</p> <p>Bring: Morning tea, lunch, refillable water bottle, hat.</p> <p>Cost: \$70</p>	<p>Thursday 11th October</p> <p>AMAZING RACE</p>  <p>Ready, Set, Go! We are off on an amazing race around the world.</p> <p>Bring: Morning tea, lunch, hat, refillable water bottle.</p> <p>Cost: \$50</p>	<p>Friday 12th October</p> <p>MUTLEY CREW</p>  <p>Farmer Dave and his gang of wonderful dogs will visit COSHC. We look how to communicate and build relationship with dogs.</p> <p>Bring: Morning tea, lunch, hat, refillable water bottle.</p> <p>Cost: \$55</p>
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Children must wear sun-safe clothing with sleeves & collar, enclosed sports shoes & socks & a sun-safe hat (legionnaire or bucket hat with wide brim) for all outdoor play and excursions. COSHC will supply breakfast and afternoon tea each day. COSHC is an allergy aware space—please do not bring nuts or eggs. Children will not be able to purchase food while off site.

36 Breakfast Road Marayong | Open: 7:00am—6:00pm | coshcgoodshepherd@parra.catholic.edu.au



catholic out of school hours care

Spring Vacation Care 2018 Program WEEK 1 — Good Shepherd

Monday 1st October	Tuesday 2nd October	Wednesday 3rd October	Thursday 4th October	Friday 5th October
Closed Public Holiday	BOOK WEEK PARADE	STOMPING GROUND	GAMES 2 U	MONSTERS & FAIRIES
				
	Dress as your favourite book character. Become an author or illustrator as we create our own books.	Become a gladiator, test your skills on a horizontal bungee and challenge your friends in a airhockey or fooseball dual EXCURSION— Additional Authority Form Required.	Race your friends, or just dance in the video game van. Afterwards take a ride in hamster ball or compete in a lazer tag battle.	Are you or a monster or a fairy? Join us for the day to find out.
	Bring: lunch, morning tea, refillable water bottle, hat. Cost: \$50	Bring: Morning tea, lunch, refillable water bottle, sunscreen, hat and enclosed shoes. Cost: \$70	Bring: picnic rug, morning tea, lunch, hat, refillable water bottle. Cost: \$55	Bring: Paint apron/shirt , morning tea, lunch, refillable water bottle and hat. Cost: \$50

Children must wear sun-safe clothing with sleeves & collar, enclosed sports shoes & socks & a sun-safe hat (legionnaire or bucket hat with wide brim) for all outdoor play and excursions. COSHC will supply breakfast and afternoon tea each day. COSHC is an allergy aware space—please do not bring nuts or eggs. Children will not be able to purchase food while off site.

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Vacation Care Good Shepherd Stomping Grounds

As part of COSHC's vacation care program we are excited to be running a fun excursion for our children. Parents / carers are required to complete this Authority Form providing consent for their child to attend.

Risk assessments have been conducted and are available at the service.

When	Wednesday 3rd October 2018
Where	Stomping Grounds 13 Old Pittwater Road, Brookvale
Time	Children will leave the service at 8:30am Children will return to the service at 2.30pm.
Activities	Children will participate in an inflatable obstacle course
Transport	Children will travel by private, chartered bus to and from the stomping grounds
Number of children	All children attending the service on the day of the excursion will participate. Numbers will vary according to bookings—but we expect approximately 30 children will attend and the maximum we can take is 54 children.
Number of educators	When on excursions, COSHC maintains a ratio of 1 educator per 8 children.
What to wear or bring	Morning tea, lunch, refillable water bottle, sunscreen, hat and enclosed shoes. (Children will NOT be able to purchase food on the excursion)
Cost	\$70



Authority Form

I give consent for my child to attend the excursion to Stomping Grounds on Wednesday October 3rd.

Child's Name	
Parent's Name	
Parent's Signature	
Date of Signing	



Vacation Care Good Shepherd Calmsley Hill City Farm

As part of COSHC's vacation care program we are excited to be running a fun excursion for our children. Parents / carers are required to completed this Authority Form providing consent for their child to attend.

Risk assessments have been conducted and are available at the service.

When	Wednesday 10th October 2018
Where	Calmsley Hill City Farm 31 Darling street, Abbotsbury
Time	Children will leave the service at 9:00am Children will return to the service at 2.45pm.
Activities	Children will participate feeding, petting animals and tractor ride.
Transport	Children will travel by private, chartered bus to and from Calmsley Hill City Farm
Number of children	All children attending the service on the day of the excursion will participate. Numbers will vary according to bookings—but we expect approximately 30 children will attend and the maximum we can take is 54 children.
Number of educators	When on excursions, COSHC maintains a ratio of 1 educator per 8 children.
What to wear or bring	Morning tea, lunch, refillable water bottle, sunscreen, hat and enclosed shoes. (Children will NOT be able to purchase food on the excursion)
Cost	\$70



Authority Form

I give consent for my child to attend the excursion to Calmsley Hill City Farm on Wednesday October 10th.

Child's Name	
Parent's Name	
Parent's Signature	
Date of Signing	

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