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Dear Parents,

Once again Sunday's Gospel show Jesus as ready to reach out and break the norms of the day to show compassion and forgiveness. Like Jesus we can also be ready to reach out ready to show forgiveness to those around us.

EDUCATION BOARD – Changed day & date

The Education Board meeting scheduled for tonight has been **changed** to next Thursday 20th June at 7:30pm. This will be the Annual General Meeting of the Education Board.

'POWER OF ONE' BULLY PREVENTION INCURSION

Yesterday the children took part in a program – The Power of One. The show:

- Explained the roles in bullying: Bully, Target, and Bystander
- Showed vivid examples of different types of bullying: Physical, Verbal, Exclusion, and Cyber bullying
- Alerted children that Targets need help and intervention
- Encouraged students not to be bystanders
- Emphasised the need for individual action to make the community a safer, better place
- Referred children to parents, adults, and teachers for further assistance and instruction

CONFIRMATION

The Sacrament of Confirmation will be administered on Friday 16th August.

Following are important dates:

Tuesday 18th June: Parent Information meeting 7:30pm (Hall)

Sunday 21st July: Commitment Mass 11am

Wednesday 7th August: Reflection day

Thursday 8th August: Family Workshop 7pm

Friday 16th August: Confirmation 7pm

Please note that the initial meeting is next week – Tuesday 18th June at 7:30 in the Hall.

PARENT/TEACHER INTERVIEWS

Children's Mid-Year Reports along with their Portfolios will be sent home on Friday 21st June. Parent teacher interview will be conducted the following week. Parents will receive a letter that will include their log-in details to enable access to PTO – Parent Teacher Online. Once logged in, you will be able to choose a time for the Parent/Teacher interviews on Tuesday 25th and Wednesday 26th June. If you have any concerns, or are unable to access the site, please call the Office and we will happily assist you.

www.parentteacheronline.com.au

Please note that that children will dismissed at 2:30pm on Wednesday 26th June to enable parent teacher interviews to continue.

Prep 'D' interviews will be conducted next week.

KITCHEN GARDEN

On Monday 29th July we will be building the raised garden beds for our kitchen garden. If you are able to assist us at any time on this day please call the office to leave your name.

CARPARK COURTESY

Please remember to be cautious in the carpark particularly at this time of year when it is raining and people are rushing to their cars. The only place cars should be lining up to collect from the gate is around the outskirts of the carpark, not through the centre where people are parking to walk up and collect their children.

TERM TWO DATES

Friday 14 th	Interschool sport
Friday 21 st	Disco (Prep – Yr2: 6pm; Yr 3-6: 7-8:30pm) Mid-Year Reports sent home
Tuesday 25 th	Parent/Teacher interviews 4pm-6pm
Wednesday 26 th	Parent/Teacher interviews 3pm-6pm Children dismissed at 2:30pm
Friday 28 th	End of Term – children dismissed at 2:30

With best wishes

Thomas Coghlan

PRINCIPAL

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Matthew Menzies (1/2G), Pete Nikolopoulos (1/2SP) and Kosta Nikolopoulos (Prep H) who led the teams out onto Etihad Stadium and then played in a half time match at the World Cup Soccer qualifying game on Tuesday night.

WOOLWORTHS EARN AND LEARN

As you know, our school has been participating in the Woolworths Earn & Learn program. The program has now finished for this year, so a big thanks to everyone who supported our school. We're now at the important stage of the program where Points Sheets are collected and lodged as our Earn & Learn claim. We will then be able to get new educational equipment for our school. The more we collect, the more we can redeem. So this week please send in your Woolworths Earn & Learn Points Sheets and any loose Earn & Learn Points Stickers you may have. Remember to check your handbag, the car glove box or they maybe stuck on the fridge. Every little bit helps. Thanks again for all your support!

BREAD TIES

We are asking for your help in collecting bread tags from the loaves of bread which will be used to purchase a wheelchair for a local senior citizens home. Please leave at the school office.