

Queen of Peace **Newsletter** 

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# Queen of Peace – Guiding the Way

Dear Parents / Carers,

Today we are hosting the Laverton Catholic Education Community (LCEC) Confirmation Reflection day for all of the year 6 children in the five parish schools. Whilst the children have been busy preparing for this sacrament, the reflection day puts it all into focus and shows that this sacrament is bigger than just Queen of Peace and that the catholic community of the Laverton Parish is behind them as they prepare. I offer our prayer this week in honour of our Confirmation candidates and in fact all of our children. Can I ask everyone to pray this prayer and show our support for all of our children.

Yesterday staff were involved in Professional Learning in THRASS and literacy strategies to enhance student learning at Queen of Peace. Teachers need continued Professional development to ensure that they are able to meet the needs of all student and to keep up with the latest research into education. This day highlighted for me the quality of staff we have at Queen of Peace. The level and depth of discussion by staff indicated a deep commitment to the students. It was indeed a pleasure to work with such a professional and dedicated group of people who have the needs and the interests of the students at the forefront of all they do.

A reminder that dogs are not permitted in school grounds.

Enjoy your weekend.

Darren Gibbons Principal

# Prayer for Confirmation Candidates

Loving God,

You are the giver of all we possess, the source of all of our blessings. We thank and praise you.

Thank you for the gift of our children.

Help us to set boundaries for them, and yet encourage them to explore. Give us the strength and courage to treat each day as a fresh start.

May our children come to know you, the one true God, and Jesus Christ, whom you have sent.

May your Holy Spirit help them to grow in faith, hope, and love, so they may know peace, truth, and goodness.

May their ears hear your voice. May their eyes see your presence in all things. May their lips proclaim your word. May their hearts be your dwelling place. May their hands do works of charity. May their feet walk in the way of Jesus Christ, your Son and our Lord. Amen.



Please note; Naplan testing continues next week. All tests will be completed in the morning session between **9am and 11am**.

Monday 21 May	Tuesday 22 May	Wednesday 23 May	Thursday 24 May	Friday 25 May
Year 5 Numeracy	Year 3 Reading	Year 3 Conventions of Language	Year 3 Numeracy	Catch up tests

Have you changed your Mobile number? Address? Email? PLEASE INFORM THE SCHOOL OFFICE **AND** UPDATE YOUR DETAILS ON CAREMONKEY

### **Student Absences**

According to new Attendance Guidelines, the school is required (by the beginning of Term 3) to notify parents whenever their child is marked absent without explanation. We are implementing this procedure next week and will send a text to a parent of any child who is away without notification.

If your child is going to miss school for any reason it is important that you contact the school **as early as possible** to advise:

- 1. Your child's name
- 2. Your child's class
- 3. Reason for absence

You can do this by either:

- FLEXIBUZZ: click on the ABSENCE tab and fill in a quick form
- or EMAIL absence@qopaltonameadows.catholic.edu.au
- or PHONE 9369 2581 to leave a message on the absentee line (remember to leave name, class & reason)

Preferred method is Flexibuzz or email as phone messages can sometimes be difficult to understand.

If we have not been informed of your child's absence, a parent/carer will receive the following text:

You are receiving this text as Queen of Peace has not been notified & your child has been marked absent today. Please contact the school, QoP 9369 2581

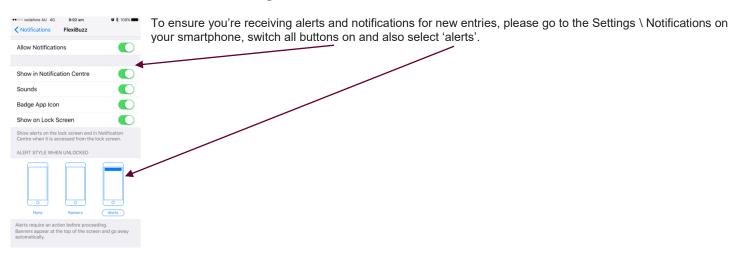
Please bear with us as we work to implement this system. We many need to fine-tune procedures, however we will always inform you of any changes to the process via FlexiBuzz and the fortnightly newsletter.

Term 2: Monday 16 April – Friday 29 June **PUPIL FREE DAYS: Thursday 17 May & Tuesday 12 June** Term 3: Monday 16 July – Friday 21 September Term 4: Monday 8 October – Wednesday 19 December

## Parking

Please note that the two parking spaces closest to the Parish House are reserved for the Parish Office Staff. It is clearly marked on the car space and on the wall in front of those two spaces. Recently, school parents have been parking there, thus causing Parish Staff to find another space. Please refrain from parking in these two spaces. - Fr John

### Flexibuzz – don't miss out on your reminders!



## **Mother's Day Morning Tea**

Last Friday morning after the Mother's Day Mass, Minnie Vinnies organised a mother's morning tea. To enter it was a gold coin donation all the money raised is going to the Breast Cancer Foundation. In total we raised a huge \$179. Thank you to all the mums and grandmas for donating. The winner of the raffle was Karen Aston. Congrats and thanks again to all the mums and grandmas. – By Emma M and Emilia K (Minnie Vinnies).

## **Mother's Day Stall**

A huge thank you to all of the lovely parents who organised and helped our students at this year's stall:

Stephanie H, Belinda N, Fay F, Maree S, Sharon H, Lauren K, Linda S, Eva A, Cindy T, Celeste R, Herly G, Alison S, Alison K, Cheryl P, Michelle R, Teresa P, Bridget H, Rebecca w, Michele R, Sharon H and Karen A. We hope that all the Mothers and Grandmothers in our community enjoyed unwrapping their very special gifts.

## **QoP Uniform Shop**

Open Fridays 2:30-3:30pm. Also opening on Monday 21 May 2-3pm. Orders can be left with the school office if you are unable to attend at this time. Returns will only be accepted with receipt.

## **Important Notice re Camps, Sports & Excursions Fund (CSEF)**

CSEF provides payments for eligible students to attend activities like: school camps or trips, swimming and school-organised sport programs, outdoor education programs, excursion and incursions. A reminder to all eligible families that the CSEF forms are available from the office and must be submitted **no later than Friday 29 June 2018** to receive funding for 2018. This is \$125 per year for eligible primary school students and parents need to apply for this every year. More detailed information can be found on the VET website, click here: <u>CSEF Information & Eligibility</u>

To download a copy of the form, click here: <u>2018 CSEF Application Form</u> or pick up a hard copy from the carousel in the office foyer.

## **Collecting children early**

To avoid disruption to classrooms, if children need to be collected early they should be picked up at the lunch break (at 1:30pm Monday or 1:40pm Tuesday to Friday). It is also very disruptive for classes and the office to be passing on messages to children in the afternoons. It would be appreciated if these interruptions could be kept to a minimum.

Religion News	Laver	ton C	Catholic I	Parish
	Parish Office – 9369 68	377	laverton@cam.c	
Sacrament Family Nights 2018 Eucharist – Tuesday 17 July at 7pm	Fr John Healy – Parish Tho Tran – Deacon	Priest	Sue Sherman — Grace Gingco — Liz Nissen — Ba	
Reconciliation – Tuesday 18 September at 7pm	2 <sup>nd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup>	weekend c	of the month (exception of Peace 9am at a second se	ot January)
<u>Sacraments for 2018</u> Confirmation – Sunday 27 May First Eucharist – Sunday 12 August Reconciliation – Thursday 18 October	Laverton St Martin de Porres Reconciliation by	Mass request	Sunday Tuesday Thursday	10:00am 9:15am 9:15am
Please note that these dates are currently correct but may change due to circumstances beyond our control.	Altona Meadows Queen of Peace	Mass	Saturday Sunday	9:15am 6pm 8:00am 11:00am
		nciliation	Wednesday Friday Saturday	9:15am 9:15am 10:00am—10:30am
	Point Cook Stella Maris St. Mary of the Cross Lumen Christi Stella Maris	Mass Mass Mass Mass	Sunday Wednesday Thursday Friday	9:00am 9:00am 9:15am 9:15am

On Wednesday 23rd May the Year 6 children are hosting the parish healing mass. The mass is at 10.30am and there is a morning tea following the mass for the sick and elderly in the parish. We require parent help before the morning tea to cut up cakes, prepare scones and set out tea and coffee. We also need help to make and serve tea and coffee for our parishioners. Some of the year 6 children will stay behind to serve the food but we need help with the hot drinks. If you are available to help. please let Mrs Suzanne Gracias know.

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	Please contact the school office	e if you are unable to attend on you	ur rostered day, thank you.	
Mon 21 May	Tues 22 May	Weds 23 May	Thurs 24 May	Fri 25 May
Tammy S	Maria A	Рорру	Jessie	
			Michelle	
Mon 28 May	Tues 29 May	Weds 30 May	Thurs 31 May	Fri 1 June
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Is anyone available to help Antoinette on Friday 25 May and 1 June between the hours of 9:45am-2pm approximately? Please call school office 9369 2581

## **Community Chats**

Year 3 & 4 students were visited by Sergeant Kristy and Constable George from Altona North Police Station last Friday. They discussed the difference between laws and rules and the importance staying safe in our neighbourhood. They gave our students great insight into their job, rules and laws in Victoria and the important role they play in our local community. We appreciate their time and enthusiasm when talking to the students in Years 3 and 4. It was just a shame the weather wasn't on our side to view their police vehicle.





Mrs Currie is thinking of changing her occupation!

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Student Awards		ent Awards
Prep A	Makalya H Paige O	<ul> <li>For always making sensible choices.</li> </ul>
	Alessia N	For reading confidently at the Prep Assembly.
Prep B	Dominico M	For reading over 100 night at home.
Prep C	Hannah C	For terrific reading at our Prayer Night.
Year 1A	Lily C	For her fantastic effort in collecting and graphing data.
Year 1B	Luca F	For his fantastic writing using a sizzling start.
Year 1C	Sam K	For reading confidently and clearly at the Year 1 Prayer Service.
rearic	Eloise H	For showing great kindness to others by inviting people to play with her.
Year 2A	Emerson C	For being a helpful and supportive friend.
Year 2B	Jade A	For her great effort with her writing.
	Ava B	For contributing to all classroom discussions.
Year 2C	Mel L	For always thinking of others.
	Alicia S	For using lovely manners on our excursion to Central Square.
Vee: 24	Neave H	For her continuous efforts in reading.
Year 3A	Karina L	For her continuous efforts in writing.
Year 3B	Felix P	For being a great energy monitor in our classroom and organizing our technology responsibly.
Year 3C	Violet S	For her consistent effort and positive towards learning.
	Gregory X	For being a helpful and supportive class member.
Year 4A	Will O	For his excellent knowledge and contributions during our incursion, learning about democracy and the roles of the local council.
	Lucyann S	For achieving her Pen Licence this term. Congratulations on all your hard work.
Year 4B	William P	For their excellent work in mathematics, especially creating a party planner on Google
	Aidan V Blake C	sheets. For great contribution during guided reading.
Year 4C		For drafting a well thought out plan on
	Elena O	"Wycheproof". For always doing her best in all tasks she
Year 5A	Cindy N	undertakes.
	Tylah M	For great contributions to class discussions.
Year 5B	Katia A	For being an outstanding role model to her buddy always showing kindness.
Teal 3D	Juan-Felipe F	For his excellent persuasive writing piece in which he gave sound evident to support his arguments.
Year 5C	Lucy N	For identifying an issue in the community she would like to improve and using her voice to encourage others to support her in her efforts.
	Benjamin D	For using new strategies to multiplication and division problems.
Year 6A	Olivia B	For consistenly presenting her home learning to a high standard.
	Keenan K	For working hard on his Saints project.
Year 6B	Bridget F	For demonstrating great skills in Multiplication.
	Kade A	For his kind gesture towards a classmate.
	Ariana D	For representing QoP at the Altona Dawn Service.
Year 6C	Alex D	For showing responsibility and working hard to complete class activities.
	Amy V	For her hard work in mathematics.



Parents and Friends News:

### P&F General Meeting- Tuesday, 22<sup>nd</sup> May 7pm

This meeting will be held in the staff room with the heater on. Everyone is welcome to attend for a cuppa and to join in the discussion about our P & F events. The agenda is available through FlexiBuzz and on our school website. The minutes will also be sent out via FlexiBuzz. A hard copy is available at the office or free to email

Pandf@qopaltonameadows.catholic.edu.au for a pdf version.

### Social events and working bee survey

Thanks to the 47 people who completed the social events and working bee survey over the past couple of weeks. The feedback is very valuable and will help the P&F plan social events and working bees more strategically. A summary of the results will be presented at the P&F General Meeting on Tuesday night at 7pm.

### Working Bee Postponed

On the Term 2 Calendar we had proposed a working bee for Saturday, 26<sup>th</sup> May. We have decided to postpone it until later in the year.

### Family assistance program

Thank you to those who have offered to assist families in need in our school community either through the foodbank or the school transport service. If you would like to sign up to help, you can via the CareMonkey form at any time.

### Mother's Day Stall

Last Thursday, the children were very excited about choosing their gifts for the important women in their lives. We hope you enjoyed them and found a special place for your gifts in your home. Thanks to everyone who helped out to make the day, especially Kirstie and Rebecca. With so many helping we were able to smoothly get through the day selling to all 21 classes and wrapping many beautiful presents.

### Mother's Day High Tea

Thanks to all who attended the Joseph's Corner High Tea at Mount Saint Joseph's on Sunday, May 6th - it was a lovely afternoon with an abundance of good food, good company, some live music and an inspiring guest speaker. Joseph's Corner is a very worthy cause for us to support, as it is a not-for-profit charitable organisation set up in response to the community's need for free counselling and support for families and friends of those living with alcohol or drug addiction.



Stay warm.

Teresa Prismall P&F President 2018

"Where the WHOLE COMMUNITY works for OUR KIDS!"

# GATEWAYS PROGRAM

If you are interested in either of the following programs, please contact Rose Gusman, Director of Students. rgusman@qopaltonameadows.catholic.edu.au or phone 9369 2581

CAROLINE	Host venue:	Years 1, 2 and 3 Thursday 31 May	Lower Years Brochure and Expression of Interest	
SPRINGS	Southern Cross Grammar	Years 4, 5 and 6 Wednesday 30 May	Upper Years Brochure and Expression of Interest	
Years 1, 2 and 3 Lower Years Brochure and				
	Liestuseus	Wednesdey 42 June	Every series of Interest	

WERRIBEE	Host venue:	Wednesday 13 June	Expression of Interest
WERRIDEE	Heathdale Christian College	Years 4, 5 and 6 Thursday 14 June	
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'Equations that Changed the World' Years 1, 2 and 3 - Term 2, 2018

Fee \$100

#### Thursday, 31 May

Southern Cross Grammar, Gourlay Road, Caroline Springs

8:35am-3:00pm

The brightest minds in history from Pythagoras to Albert Einstein and beyond, have used mathematics to lay the foundation for how we measure and understand our universe. In this term's Eureka program, curious gifted students will explore some of these important maths equations.

#### 'Farmer Pythagoras' Prize-Winning Problem' with Jenny Lee

Farmer Pythagoras is in trouble! His perfectly fenced fields of prize-winning pumpkins and ponies are no longer perfect after his plump pigs escaped from their pen and destroyed all his fences. Oh no! Now he needs your help to measure and re-build the paddocks in the shape of right-angled triangles using geometric tips and tricks from ancient times. Armed with a knotted rope and a set square, can you help him protect the pumpkins, placate the ponies and put the pigs away before he enters his produce in the upcoming Royal Show? During this workshop we will learn about Pythagoras' Theorem and the importance of this fascinating equation. **Please bring a ruler**, glue stick and scissors.

Jenny has completed a Master of Teaching with Mathematics and Science methodologies. She has been teaching Mathematics for many years and worked with students, parents and teachers from various backgrounds. She is excited about delivering differentiated learning to highly able students in fun and exciting ways.

#### 'Pyramids and Postmen' with Robyne Bowering

In this workshop we will explore the formula which Leonhard Euler devised to describe the patterns he observed in different three-dimensional shapes. We will work with these mathematical patterns, look for relationships between different features of shapes and describe this relationship as a mathematical equation. In doing so, we'll embark on a quest to catalogue the Tsar's crystals, explore the pyramids and even attempt to solve the riddle of the 'Seven Bridges of Konigsberg'. Then we'll take a look at how Euler's equation can be used to solve fascinating real-world problems, including helping the postman to work out the most efficient route for his mail delivery round!

**Robyne** is a passionate and enthusiastic educator with over twenty-five years' experience teaching primary, secondary and tertiary students. Robyne is particularly keen on providing bright students with opportunities to explore their ideas and thinking through a range of hands-on, minds-on activities.

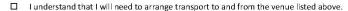
#### 'Napier's Rods to the Rescue' with Louise Flourentzou

Evil genius, Al Jebra has wiped all modern calculating devices off the face of the Earth as part of a terrible plan to become the only person who can solve mathematical problems. This has created sheer chaos as no-one can seem to remember how to multiply and divide large numbers! We'll have to go back four hundred years before the invention of the mechanical calculator to re-discover a clever method that makes multiplying large numbers easy. This method, invented by Scottish born mathematician John Napier, enables anyone who can add and subtract to multiply and divide! Can you use Napier's method of calculation to put humankind back on track? We're counting on you!

Louise is an experienced teacher with a special interest in gifted and talented education. She has always found numbers fascinating and loves how they can be used to explain so much about the world around us. Louise has previously presented at G.A.T.E.WAYS festivals and is looking forward to sharing her love of all things mathematical in the Eureka program.

Program: Equations that Changed the World	Venue: Southern Cross Gram	mar Year Levels: 1, 2 and 3
Time: 8.50 – 3.00 (Registration 8.35am)	Date: Thursday, 31 May	Cost: \$100
Child's name:	Year Level: I	Parent Mobile:
Parent's name:	Contact email address:	
<ul> <li>Please nominate my child OR Please do not nominate my child</li> <li>I have checked the dates of the program to ensure they do not conflict with school commitments (e.g. schootos, excursions etc.). Once enrolments are finalised, G.A.T.E.WAYS is unable to give refunds or credit</li> </ul>		lict with school commitments (e.g. school

I understand that once nominated, online payment must be made to confirm my child's place in the program.
 Please do this as soon as possible as places fill very quickly.



Parent's/Guardian's signature: \_

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Date: \_\_\_



'Equations that Changed the World' Years 4, 5 and 6 - Term 2, 2018

#### Fee \$100

Southern Cross Grammar, Gourlay Road, Caroline Springs

8:35am-3:00pm

The brightest minds in history from Sir Isaac Newton to Albert Einstein and beyond, have used mathematics to lay the foundation for how we measure and understand our universe. In this term's Eureka program, curious gifted students will explore some of these important maths equations.

#### 'Imagine That!' with Emma Carter

Wednesday, 30 May

We can count for as long as we like and break numbers into fractions and decimals. We are even able to use irrational numbers like pi which have never ending decimal places. But do these numbers really exist or are they just ideas in our heads? There is another type of number called an 'imaginary' number, which is the square root of a negative number. Join us as we use imaginary numbers to make patterns and find out how the combination of 'real' and 'imaginary' numbers called 'complex numbers' changed mathematics completely and brought a new tool to the fields of electronics and quantum mechanics.

**Emma** has bachelor's degrees in Science and Engineering from the University of Melbourne, with majors in Physics and Electrical Engineering. She has taught secondary school maths, science and physics, and has worked at Scienceworks as well as the Discovery Science and Technology Museum. Emma now enjoys presenting workshops for G.A.T.E.WAYS.

#### 'It's Relatively Simple' with Sanjin Dedic`

Some 130 years ago a 16-year-old Albert Einstein fantasised about what would happen if an object were to speed up and travel at the speed of a wave of light. Ten years later, this thought experiment eventually led to Einstein publishing a ground-breaking paper on the equivalence of mass and energy, encapsulated by the equation E=mc<sup>2</sup>. At first glance this equation may appear straightforward, involving nothing more complicated than multiplication, but there is much more understanding required to appreciate how we can use this equation to discover wonderous things about the world around us. To apply this equation, we need to use scientific notion to manipulate some very large and very small numbers – not your everyday multiplication! Join us as we explore the maths behind this famous equation and its implications.

Sanjin is a robotics engineer and a teacher who loves combining programming and mathematics into educational games, robots and interactive electric circuits. He has turned his house and backyard into a high-tech experiment where gadgets grow seedlings, feed fish and scare cats. Now, many of these life hacks are finding their way into G.A.T.E.WAYS programs so watch out!

#### 'Mathematical Powers' with Shane Lawrence

How would you manage if you were required to do thousands of very long, very difficult calculations without a calculator? This was the problem facing John Napier, a Scottish mathematician and engineer. After twenty years working on the problem, Napier discovered an elegant solution when he invented logarithms (a system of calculating numbers and bases). Astronomers of the time who were required to carry out huge computations, were able to breathe a collective sigh of relief! Their huge calculations were easily completed using Napier's simple, almost miraculous, slide rule! Join us as we discover how we can use addition to perform multiplication and explore the mathematical powers and exponents that form the basis of this world-changing equation.

Shane is an educator with over 20 years' experience teaching both locally and internationally - most recently at an International Baccalaureate school in South East Asia. He holds a Master of Education and a Bachelor of Science with a major in Applied Mathematics. Shane is passionate about promoting lifelong learning in students and assisting them to appreciate the relevance of maths and its application in everyday life.

Time: 8.50 – 3.00 (Registration 8.35am)       Date: Wednesday, 30 May       Cost: \$100         Child's name:       Year Level:       Parent Mobile:         Parent's name:       Contact email address:	Program: Equations that Changed the World	Venue: Southern Cross	Grammar	Year Levels: 4, 5 and 6
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Please do this as soon as possible as places fill very quickly.

□ I understand that I will need to arrange transport to and from the venue listed above.

Parent's/Guardian's signature:

Date:

### **Commbank School Banking**

School banking day is every TUESDAY. Any new students to the program will receive your student number with your first deposit at school. The process for school banking is as follows: Students bring in their deposit books with their money on a Tuesday morning, give them to their classroom teacher, where it is then sent to the office in the note tub to be banked. Students receive a Dollarmites token each time they bank. Once they have 10 tokens, they can then send them in with their next deposit to redeem the tokens for a reward.

When redeeming your reward, make sure you only choose from the following rewards **Glow Light** and **Sparkle Glitter Pens**.





## **Emmanuel College News**

Welcome to Grade 4 students who will tour Emmanuel College in coming weeks. They will have the opportunity to see how the College operates and the range of programs and facilities provided. Students will get the chance to ask questions about secondary school life, complete some interesting learning activities and experience a secondary school in operation.

It was wonderful to welcome such large numbers of families to the recent College Open Day and to hear from them how impressed they were with the students and staff whom they met, the outstanding campus facilities and the rich range of subject and co-curricular offerings. A reminder that the closing date for applications for Year 7 in 2020 is Friday 17 August 2018 and that an application is required for any sibling applicants.

## **Mount St Joseph Girls' College News**



We invite you to explore our College and see what makes us leaders in educating girls

Sunday 20 May 10:00am - 1:00pm

Principal's address 10:30am, 11:30am & 12:30pm







## **Fete Update**

WOO HOO!! ALL STALLS HAVE A STALL SUPERVISOR!!

It is with much excitement that we can reveal the proposed stalls for the Fete, and we are thrilled to say all stalls have a supervisor! **Thank you very much** to the parents who have put their hand up to supervise on the day. You can see the table of fete stalls and supervisors below.

Now it is up to the rest of the school community to **volunteer to man the stalls**, as without volunteers, a stall cannot run. Early next week, all families will receive a letter via Caremonkey which will contain a link to the QoP Fete stall volunteer sign up form. It is **very easy to fill in**. We realise the Fete is still 5 months away, but knowing we have volunteers on the day will greatly assist with our planning. Please sign up!

The second **parent art/craft workshop** was held last Friday in the art room. With 17 parents attending as well as some toddlers, it was a hive of activity, either painting rocks or continuing with card making. Check out some of the creations below!! The next workshop is Friday 25th May from 12.30 - 3.30 - "Matching aprons - adult and child." However, you are most welcome to also paint rocks, make cards or create your own art. There will then be a workshop the following Friday (1st June) - "Sunbursts / dream catchers." All welcome!





Thank you to the following businesses who have signed on as sponsors of our Fete so far: Platinum Sponsor - Sweeney Altona Meadows Gold Sponsor - Haley Hire & Sales Silver Sponsor - C One Beauty Bronze Sponsor - Forero Motor Mechanic Services

There are still more sponsorship packages available, so if you know of, work for, or own a company that may be interested in the opportunity to be a sponsor of our Fete, (or provide a donation of items for raffles, spinning wheel, etc), now is the time to contact the Fete Committee at <u>fete@gopaltonameadows.catholic.edu.au</u>

We are still in need of **many more marquees/gazebos** to borrow. We are aiming to have all stalls under shelter in case of bad weather or too much sun. If you have one at home, or know of someone who has one, and are willing to loan it to the school for use on Fete day, please contact the Fete team at the above email address.





Don't forget to check us out on facebook (follow, share, like). Search for "QoP Fete in the meadows 2018" or visit: <u>https://www.facebook.com/qopfeteinthemeadows2018/</u>

So that you don't miss out on any notifications, make sure you have selected "all on" under "notifications", under "following" on the Fete page.

FETE STALLS AND SUPERVISORS. The following stalls are proposed for the Fete:

### FETE STALLS AND SUPERVISORS -

The following stalls are proposed for the Fete:

FOOD STALLS	SUPERVISOR
BBQ / Pulled pork	Kirsty O'Connor
Cake Stall	Alexia Javni
Coffee / devonshire tea & scones	Irene Hatzoglou
Donut	Lavinia Yor
Ice Cream	Lavinia Yor
Soft Drinks	Deb Haley
Slushies	Deb Haley
Fairy Floss	Jodie Ryan
Popcorn	Jodie Ryan
Hot chips	Alex Georgakakis
Pizza	Alex Georgakakis
Pastizzis	Cherie Ambry
Hot dogs	Cherie Ambry

## **Queen of Peace Primary School**

CHILDREN'S STALLS	SUPERVISOR
"Makeover" stall - includes face painting, nail painting, temporary tattoos, coloured hair	Alison Kertsch
Games - includes guessing games, Lob-a-choc, Lucky Ducks	Kate Johnstone
Games - includes Lucky Plate, Ring-a-bottle, Tin Can Alley	Lisa Vella
Handball competition	Brendan Halloran
Treasure Hunt	Himanshu Jain

BUY/WIN STALLS	SUPERVISOR
Craft	Sue Rigby
Lucky Dip	Menik Jayasuriya
Mystery Jar	Carol Doloughan
Plants	Mary Koukounakis
Books	Kimberley Shields
Pre-loved costumes	Sharon Frisina
Raffle	Cheryl Price
Spinning Wheel	Cheryl Price
Silent Auction	Pamela Leung
Wine Wall	Natalie Babic



## **CERES FREE Organic Grocery delivery service - Altona Meadows**

This is a note to let families know that CERES Fair Food - a non-profit organisation based in Brunswick (read more about it below) - currently have a FREE delivery drop off point in Edina Grove Altona Meadows - just two streets behind the school.

This is only one of THREE drop off points in the Western suburbs and has been running for 4 years. It needs a minimum number of weekly / fortnightly orders to keep delivery to this area free. So if you would like to get involved by buying your groceries online and picking them up from EDINA Grove every Thursdayafternoon after school pick up, you can sign up using this link:

https://members.ceresfairfood.org.au/join?token=bc631e617d010e0d or you can use this QR code which will take you right to the Edina Grove sign up page. To use QR codes, you just open the camera on a smartphone and hover

it over. Alternatively you can ring CJ - 0412111097 - if you wanted to have a chat about the quality of produce, which box would best suit your family or any other questions you may have.

### More about this Enterprise:

CERES Fair Food sources fresh organic fruit and vegetables from Victorian farmers, many living fewer than 100 km from the city, and distributes them directly to members. The farmers receive a fair price for their produce, which is boxed and distributed through a network of food hosts across Melbourne to keep costs low as possible.

By sourcing locally produced fruit and vegetables, and using a network of community distribution points, we can reduce our food miles by 40%. This is a great way to improve the health of local food systems, become better connected to our community, enjoy local

produce and conveniently receive an affordable box of fresh food. CERES Fair Food also provides a supportive environment to train and employ disadvantaged people. CERES helps refugees and asylum seekers gain long-term employment by providing transferable work skills.

Being part of the Fair Food network, we can help farmers have a sustainable 12-month income and can also ensure people facing hardship learn long-term employable skills, all while eating fresh, sustainably grown produce that is barely travelled.

### FREE FROP OFF POINTS IN MELBOURNE:



