

### **Upcoming Events**

#### <u>September</u>

Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> September - Foundation to Year Four Swimming Program.

Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> September - VSSS Rehearsal at John Cain Arena.

Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> September - Koorie Kids Celebration Excursion consent due.

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> September - VSSS Rehearsal at John Cain Arena.

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> September - Year Two Gumbuya World excursion - consent and payment due.

Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> September - VSSS Performance Day.

Monday 15<sup>th</sup> September - Year Four Camp Consent & Final Payment Due.

Monday 15<sup>th</sup> September - Year Three Camp Consent & Final Payment Due.

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> September - PCS Market Day Afternoon.

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> September - Divisional Athletics Day.

Thursday 18th September - Year Two Gumbuya World excursion.

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> September - Koorie Kids Celebration Day excursion.

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> September - Foundation Excursion Peven & Sarah in Concert - consent and payment due.

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> September - Footy Dress Up Day.

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> September - Last Day of Term Three - students finish at 2.30pm.

### <u>October</u>

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> October - First day of Term Four.

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> October - 2026 Year Six Camp consent and payment due.

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> October - Year Two Sleepover.

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> October - Year Two Camp Incursion.

Monday 20<sup>th</sup> October - Pevan & Sarah Foundation excursion.

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October - Foundation Breakfast.

Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> October - House Meetings - students can wear their house colours.

Friday 31st October - Curriculum Day - this is a student free day.

### <u>November</u>

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November - Professional Practice Day - This a student free day.

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> November - Melbourne Cup Public Holiday - School Closed

Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> November - Year Four Camp

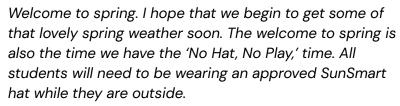
Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> November - Year Four Camp

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> November - Year Four Camp

# PCS NEWSLETTER

## August Edition

# **Principal Report**



A few weeks ago we had the council workers fining people who were parking in the bus zone. Please make sure that you park correctly around the school for the safety of our students and so you don't encounter the parking officers. While I have been on the front gate in the morning, it is very pleasing to see that the majority of parents use the 5 minute parking correctly. This is fabulous as it allows the flow of traffic to continue and students to be dropped off safely.

Recently we got to celebrate everything book related. It was great to see so many people dressed up as a book character. It was also great to see so many families come to see our students proudly parading their costumes in the gym.

Congratulations to the 50 students who recently represented our school at the district athletics competition. The reports that I heard from the day were that all our students enjoyed the day and represented us well. We have also had the Year 3 and 4 Hooptime event in recent weeks. I was lucky enough to get down and watch a few games. It was great to see the teamwork and encouragement that all the students displayed.

The Father's Day breakfast was once again a great event with many dads coming to celebrate the day with us. The egg and bacon cooking moved like a well-oiled production line, and I would like to thank all the staff who assisted.

Our 2026 Foundation enrolments are now sorted and we are looking forward to welcoming the new students at our transition sessions early next term. If you know of anyone who has not yet enrolled, please ask them to contact us as soon as possible.



# 2025 voluntary contributions

As we continue into the 2025 school year, we'd like to thank all who have contributed so far this year and remind our families about Voluntary Contributions. These contributions play a vital role in helping our school provide the best possible learning environment for your children.

Voluntary Contributions directly support the purchase of updated educational resources, as well as much-needed improvements to our school grounds and buildings. Your support helps us create safe, engaging, and modern spaces for students to thrive.

For details on contribution amounts and payment options, please see Compass.

Thank you for your continued support—it truly makes a difference.