



Important Dates

Casual Day & Disco
Friday 24 September

Pupil Free Day
Monday 11 October

Start of Term 4
Tuesday 12 October

School Photo Day
Monday 18 October

News from the Principal



Dear Rosary Community

This week we farewell Mrs Lucija Kowalski as she retires after 35 years of teaching at Rosary School and 42 years in Catholic Education South Australia. We thank Lucija for her contribution and commitment to the school community and wish her a long and happy retirement. We will begin the day on Friday with a whole school assembly to celebrate and acknowledge Lucija's work. Unfortunately due to COVID-19 restrictions we are unable to have parents in the gym at a whole school assembly, however, weather permitting we will open up the large glass windows of the gym and invite parents to watch the assembly whilst standing on the Jubilee Court.

A big thank you to our Parents and Friends' Committee on hosting such an extraordinary community event and fundraiser. The Quiz Night was sold out and enjoyed by all who were lucky enough to get tickets. The hard work of the Committee has resulted in a profit of over \$10,000 which will be used to support the purchase of equipment required for the teaching and learning of the digital technologies curriculum. Well done P&F!

Last night I had the privilege of attending the Catholic Schools Music Festival. About 20 Year 5/6 children participated. The event is always a highlight for Catholic Education. I thank Mrs Kimberley Slattery for her work and co-ordination in providing this opportunity for our children. Well done choir, the performance was outstanding!

Over the past three terms I have observing and reflecting on a number of areas in the school that require some attention and focus. One of these is the school uniform.

Uniforms give students a sense of belonging and enhance pride in their school. Wearing a uniform shows unity and identity – it builds a sense of community. Research out of Macquarie University shows that high expectations regarding the school uniform has a positive impact on learning outcomes, as students develop self-discipline.

There are a number of children at Rosary School who are wearing the school uniform incorrectly and/or wearing items that are not part of the uniform – e.g. tights, skorts. Attached to this newsletter is a list of the uniform items that have been approved by the School Board and available at Campus School and College Wear.

In 2022 a sub-committee of the School Board will be established to undertake a uniform review and an invitation will be sent to all parents to join this committee. However, in the meantime, I look forward to seeing the Summer Uniform and Sports Uniform being worn correctly in Term 4.

School Uniform List:

[Rosary_School_Uniform](#)

If you have any questions regarding the school uniform please do not hesitate to speak with me.

I hope you all have a fantastic break from the school routine and return refreshed and ready for a busy Term 4.

Susan



Year 5 Camp @ Wallaroo



Week 8, this term saw the Year 5's heading off to School Camp at Wallaroo on the Yorke Peninsular.

It was the first time away on camp for the year group and everyone was VERY excited. We all had a great time and enjoyed some fantastic weather.

The activities included fishing, a Heritage Train ride, Beach activities, team building games, fitness fun, orienteering around the town and even a Movie Night!





‘Show us Your Colours’ Trivia & Games Night

The ‘Show us Your Colours’ Trivia & Games Night was a huge success. What a night!!!

Lots of fun, laughter and money raised for the robotics and coding program. The exact figure has not yet been determined, but it was in excess of \$10,000. The P&F would like to thank all the sponsors for their donations, and all the attendees for their generosity. A special thanks goes to Trang Tran from Wild Little Event for putting together the colourful photo wall and table centrepieces, and Jake Graziani from Saluti alla Famiglia for cooking the delicious wood oven pizzas on site. We look forward to the children enjoying this technology next year.

Casual Day and Disco

The casual day and disco will be held on Friday, the last day of the term during the day. Each year level will have their turn to dance in the hall, with ‘Bop Til You Drop’ providing the music and ‘Wild Little Events’ providing the decorations. All students will also be given a Zooper Dooper at lunchtime, so there will be no hot chocolates tomorrow. Please remember a gold coin donation.

Term 4 Ice blocks

During term 4 we will be trialling Zooper Doopers and Berri Quelch icy block tubes. Both will be sold for 50c and available for order via Qkr! Please note though, children will not be able to choose their flavour, they will be distributed randomly.

Enjoy the school holidays and see you in term 4!!

New Receptions Welcoming Liturgy



Our new Reception children celebrated their very first Liturgy this week and we thank Father Paul for leading such a special celebration and our families for joining us. The theme of the Liturgy was love and it was warming to see the children engaged and enthusiastic to share their love through prayer. Thank you to Amy Ramsey for preparing the children and the Year 6 students for supporting our Receptions with their readings.

Year 5 and Year 6 Masses

We thank Father Paul and our families for celebrating class Masses with us. The theme of our Year 6 Mass was "Leadership". The children reflected on the importance of how our words and actions impact others. The theme of our Year 5 Mass was "Friends" which reminded us that we live in the image and likeness of God in our relationships with others. The children reflected on the Gospel story of The Good Samaritan and how they can use the teachings of Jesus in their relationships with others. Thank you to our Year 5 and Year 6 teachers on preparing the students.

Religious Education in Year 6



In Religion, Year 6 students are exploring the meaning of Wonder and Awe in our life and in our world. We know that there is wonder and awe in everything we experience. We can call this Sacramental Awareness, especially when we become more aware through our senses, of our experiences of God. Their artwork beautifully depicts how they have experienced moments of wonder and awe; what they

see through their eyes, think in their minds and feel in their hearts.



Ecological Conversion and Awareness



We were fortunate to have KESAB visit our school and run 'Recycle Relays' with all students. The students received a brief introduction on waste and recycling before working in relay teams to sort real items into 'landfill', 'recycling' and 'organic' bins. The bin colours used replicate the kerbside system of the Prospect Council area, assisting students to become great recyclers at home too! After the relay, the

contents of the bins were examined, with 'tricky' items discussed in the group. This was a fun and active way to learn more about recycling and correctly using our new bins.



End of Term Prayer

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We thank you Lord, for this term.

For the challenges, the successes, and the mistakes from which we have learnt.

Be with us as we spend our time with family and friends.

Give us strength and courage to do what is right: to be witnesses of our faith.

Help us to be a practical Christian these holidays, to appreciate what others do for us, to give time and effort to help others.

To be peacemakers in our family.

Keep us safe in our activities; give us good rest and good fun.

Bring us back refreshed and ready for a new term.

We thank you for our classmates, teachers, parents

And a community that cares for us.

May we always be conscious of you in our lives.

Amen

QKR



A big thank you to all of our community for embracing our new lunch order procedure.

Just a friendly reminder that all orders must be in before 8.30am . All orders that have missed the deadline will need to be made directly at:

Prospect Bakery
144 Prospect Road, Prospect SA 5082
(08) 8269 5088

Please filter any feedback directly to the school front office.

If you have not already done so, click on the link below on how to download the app:

[QKR_User_Guide.pdf](#)

[QKR-How_to_view_receipts_and_cancel_orders.pdf](#)

Urban Streets Sportz

WEEK I

TUESDAY, 28 SEPTEMBER

STREET SOCCER SESSION

10am - 11am: Juniors (6 - 10 years)

11am - 12pm: Youth (10 - 15 years)

Soccer in its simplest form. Learn how to play the game and participate in a friendly match. You'll quickly see why it's the most popular sport in the world.

THURSDAY, 30 SEPTEMBER

DODGEBALL

10.30am - 11.15am (7- 12 years)

Learn the rules and participate in a friendly game. Dodge, duck, dip, dive and avoid being hit with the soft ball, and progress to the next round. A fun and enjoyable way to remain fit.

FRIDAY, 1 OCTOBER

HIP HOP DANCE

10.30am - 11.30am (7 - 12 years)

A fun and dynamic session where you'll learn all the basic Hip Hop moves whilst grooving to cool music! Create a fun and upbeat dance routine to perform for family and friends. No experience required.

WEEK II

MONDAY, 4 OCTOBER

BOOT CAMP

10am - 11am (7 - 13 years)

Have fun exercising outdoors in a safe and supportive environment. Learn exercises to increase your body strength and fitness.

TUESDAY, 5 OCTOBER

PARKOUR

9.30am - 10.30am (8 - 13 years)

This session will explain what the craze is and provide you with an opportunity to run, crawl, jump and hurl yourself over obstacles in the fastest and safest way possible. This is a popular way to keep fit, increase strength and endurance.

WEDNESDAY, 6 OCTOBER

BASKETBALL

10am - 11am: Juniors (6 - 10 years)

11am - 12pm: Youth (10 - 15 years)

Basketball session catering for all skill levels. Learn how to dribble, pass, shoot and play!

THURSDAY, 7 OCTOBER

SKATEBOARDING

10am - 11am: Juniors (6 - 10 years)

11.15am - 12.15pm: Youth (10 - 17 years)

Skate with confidence! Hone your skills and learn the proper techniques. Beginner and intermediate sessions offered.

Urban Street Sportz is a new offering from City of Prospect to keep you active and engaged during spring school holidays.

The program will be held at revamped George Whittle Reserve, 59 Churchill Road from Tuesday 28 September to Thursday 7 October

and is open to young people aged from 6 – 17 years.

Lots of exciting sessions are offered including Street Soccer, Basketball, Boot Camp, Dodgeball, Hip Hop Dance, Parkour and Skateboarding. Sessions are only \$10 each and facilitated by local sports clubs and businesses. Try one sport or try them all, the decision is yours!

Spots are limited, to view the full program and to book in visit:

<https://www.prospect.sa.gov.au/community/youth/urban-street-sportz>

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