



**Week 9  
Term 3**



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St Anthony's a NUT FREE  
School**

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6231 7310

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Saturday 6pm  
Sunday 9am & 5:30pm

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# ST ANTHONY'S

## PARISH PRIMARY SCHOOL

Dear Parents and Carers,

**Prayers**

Please continue to keep our school counsellor Anne Walls and her family in your prayers as her brother's funeral is this week.

**Staff on Leave**

Good luck to Miss Laura Hadley and her fiancé John as they prepare for their upcoming wedding. Miss Hadley will be on Long Service Leave in Week 10. We wish Laura and John all the best for their wedding day and for a lifetime of happiness together.

Good luck to Mr Michael Bradley for his upcoming overseas trip to Nepal and all of the adventure this will entail. Mr Bradley loves his outdoors and this will be an experience of a lifetime. Mr Bradley will be away Week 10 on Long Service Leave.

**School Disco**

Thank you to Maree Alchin and all of the parent volunteers that generously donated their time on Friday evening to support the school disco. The students that attended had a great time and they seemed to really get into the dancing this time around. The canteen and BBQ were popular again and the supervision at the disco was excellent. Well done to everyone and we look forward to the Term 4 disco which is always a big occasion!

**Year One Assembly**

Congratulations to Year One staff and students for their assembly on Friday. Unfortunately due CEO meeting commitments I was not able to be there but I heard it was excellent. This was a big effort at this time of a busy term.

**Learning Journeys**

You are warmly invited to attend our Term 3 Learning Journeys tomorrow Wednesday 17 September. They are scheduled from 8.30am to 10.00am and going on last year it will be very busy before school. Term 3 is not a formal reporting term so a Learning Journey is a great opportunity for you to see some of your child's work samples and their learning environment.

**Walkathon**

The Walkathon is on this Friday. Thank you to Jason Egan and Cate Druhan who have been working together to organise this annual event. The day should be a lot of fun and good exercise! The funds raised go towards the P&F who contribute about \$35000 to the school budget each year. The theme is Commonwealth Games and I believe the students have been impressed with the supremely fit and talented athletes visiting the school in recent days to promote the Walkathon! In the event of postponement due to weather an announcement will be made on FM104.7

**Year 5 Camp - Week 10**

Good luck to staff and students preparing for Year 5 camp next week. They will travel to Ballarat in Victoria for 3 nights and 4 days. There is a lot to explore in this region and Sovereign Hill Gold Mining Village will be a highlight. The staff attending are Mr Jon Liddle, Miss Nicole Ptycia, Mrs Alisa Spackman and Mrs Leah Taylor.

## 2015 Student Placement Considerations

It is getting to the time of the year where planning has begun for 2015. I am meeting shortly with the last of the Kinder enrolments who have siblings at the school. Kinder lists for 2014 will then be drafted for their upcoming orientation sessions.

It will then be time for the teachers and me to draft 2015 class lists for students in Year 1 to Year 6. I am inviting parents and carers to write to me with any considerations they have for their child's placement in 2015. The most valuable information you can provide is:

- Friendship interactions that may be affecting your child;
- Information pertaining to their learning needs;
- Family circumstances affecting your child.

**It is not appropriate to request particular teachers or write about teachers in these requests.** I would hope that your child's teacher has been informed of any social support and learning support currently needed by your child in the course of the year. Information you provide is used in conjunction with the teacher's knowledge of each student to draft 2015 lists across the cohort of students. This is not an easy task and I'm sure you realise I cannot guarantee every request can be met. There are many factors that contribute to a child's learning, social development and happiness at school and their class placement is just one of them.

I invite you to write to me or email me at [greg.walker@cg.catholic.edu.au](mailto:greg.walker@cg.catholic.edu.au) with your considerations. You will receive a reply from me or one of the front office staff so you know your request has reached me. If you don't receive a reply, I do not have your request. **Considerations will close on Friday 17 October (Week 1 Term 4).**

Life's a celebration; let's celebrate the little things this week.

Greg Walker  
Principal

### SCHOOL FEES

**Term 3 School Fee Accounts ARE NOW OVERDUE!** Payments may be made by cash, cheque, credit card, BPAY, EFTPOS or Direct Debit. There is a formal process to apply for fee concessions if you are experiencing financial difficulties. Please contact me for more details. Thank You. Judy Mead.

### Happy Birthday to the following Students

Jacob W, Kaycie A, Cassidy B, Layla H, Amelia H,  
Jessie W, Jasmin L, Lachlan S, Alysa E,  
Isabel V and Sienna P.

Have a Wonderful Day!



### Glasses found after Grandparents Day

A pair of glasses on an orange cord has been handed into the front office. They were left behind after Grandparents Day.

### Student of the Week Certificates

*Congratulations to the following students who are this week's student of the week for their class:*

Eliana L KA, Rylan B KA, Logan K KP, Jerome N KP,  
Tahlia S KP, Joshua K 1A, Mitchell D 1A, Cassidy B  
1A, Kai B 2A, Adrian G 3A, Joshua P 3A, Tom H 4P,  
Connor W 5L, Jacob D 5L, Anna O 5/6A, Halle B  
5/6A,

*Certificates will be presented at Friday morning assembly at 9am.*

### Learning Journey's

Tomorrow morning from 8:30am – 10am parents and carers will have the opportunity to go to your child's classroom and see their work and what they are currently working on.

### Clothing Pool

The Clothing Pool will be open this Wednesday from 3.00pm – 4.00pm.

**New items:** St Anthony school bucket hats \$11 each. Sizes S, M, L.

**Pre-loved clothing:** summer shorts & skorts \$2 each, polo tops \$2, girls summer dresses \$10 each.

Please note; we **do not have** credit card facilities so please bring along cash and we will see you on Wednesday.

### Piano Lessons

My Way Music is very pleased to announce, the renowned Piano teacher, Brad Luttrell has joined the team is now taking enrolments for piano students for lessons conducted at school. Brad is completing his latest course at the CIT MIC in performance. He specialises in primary school aged students and comes to us with a wealth of experience teaching in local and national music schools. Unfortunately, places are strictly limited so please contact Owen On 0412261000 or [owen@mywaymusic.com.au](mailto:owen@mywaymusic.com.au) if you are interested in enrolling or would like more information.

### St Anthony's Netball – Yr 5/6 Summer Comp

The Yr 5/6 Summer Comp netball team need two more players to make a team. Summer Comp is played on Wednesday evenings during Term 4. No separate training. Please contact Fiona Hempstead on 0402152288 by Friday 19 September.

## St Anthony's Walkathon – Friday 19th September

A reminder to send in your walkathon sponsorship cards every Wednesday so we can tally up donations and award the incentive prizes. There is still plenty of time to seek donations to be in contention to win prizes.

If you are able to help on the day please email Cate Druhan on [Cate.Druhan@cg.catholic.edu.au](mailto:Cate.Druhan@cg.catholic.edu.au). Any assistance would be greatly appreciated.

In order for your child to qualify for the prize giving ceremony all money MUST be returned by 9am Friday 26<sup>th</sup> September to go into the draw which will take place at 2:15pm that day.

### Off-season fun & fitness - Play Judo!

#### **Judo is the perfect sport during the winter off-season**

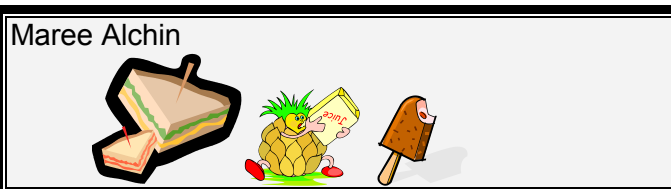
It's organised fun that will help young kids, teens and those young at heart, with balance, strength and discipline. It's hand on, safe with no air kicks or striking, and supervised by international qualified coaches. Olympia Judo is your local Club to play Judo and improve your winter season sport performance. Term 4 (2014) and term 1 (2015) enrolments on NOW! Contact Sensei Stephanos and give it a try...you'll love it!

Olympia Judo Club:

Mob: 0411 105 449

[olympiajudoclub@hotmail.com](mailto:olympiajudoclub@hotmail.com)

#### **CANTEEN ROSTER: 6231 4022**

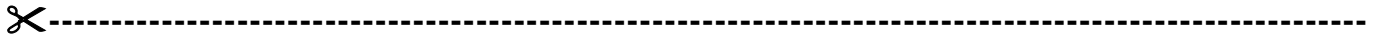


Wed 17 <sup>TH</sup> Sept	HELP NEEDED
Thurs 18 <sup>TH</sup> Sept	Carole Coulton 9am-2pm
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Stephanie Quantrill 9am – 2pm
<b>WALKATHON</b>	<b>NO LUNCH ORDERS AVAILABLE</b> <b>Recess as normal</b>
Tues 23 <sup>rd</sup> Sept	HELP NEEDED

*Thank you to the wonderful helpers at the disco, the kids danced the night away. A big thank you to Nicolle Sullivan for making the disco packs, and Paul Locke for helping to set up and pack up.*

**Flexischools On-line Ordering: Go to [www.flexischools.com.au](http://www.flexischools.com.au)**

**Reminder: Canteen Volunteers need to sign in at the Front Office. A copy of your WWVP (Working with Vulnerable People) card is kept on file and you must have your card with you at all times while on the school premises.**



**SENSORY GARDEN AND PLAYGROUND**

Parents Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

I/We are able to help with the garden/playground project by: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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**STUDENTS NOT RETURNING TO ST ANTHONY'S IN 2015  
(EXCLUDING CURRENT YEAR 6 STUDENTS)**

- My child/children have an enrolment application pending at another school.
- My child/children will not be returning to St Anthony's in 2015.

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Destination School: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents Signature: \_\_\_\_\_



# 2014 Summer Competition Registration

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> September & Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> September  
6:00pm to 8:00pm

Enquiries: phone 62924480 or email

[tnainc@bigpond.net.au](mailto:tnainc@bigpond.net.au)

**-Seniors & Mixed** (subject to numbers)

- Mondays – 13<sup>th</sup> October to 15<sup>th</sup> December

- **Inters, Juniors, Years 2 & 3 and Net Set Go** (5-7years)

- Wednesdays – 15<sup>th</sup> October to 17<sup>th</sup> December

**Fees** - Senior, Mixed, Inters, Yr 5 & 6 - \$60 per player if  
they played winter\*

\*Players that did not participate in the winter competition  
will also be required to pay an additional fee NACT Levy of  
\$55

NSG aged 5-8, NSG Yr 2, 3 & 4- \$60 per player if they  
participated in winter & don't want the pack or \$75 if they  
didn't participate in the winter comp or want the pack  
again.

Fees must be paid at registration. Anyone who has not  
paid fees before the first round cannot take the court.

**Each team must provide their own umpire**



**runjumpthrowfunhurdle  
racecompeteleapsprint**

**Come and join in the Little Athletics  
fun for the 2014-2015 season**

**For boys and girls ages 5 – 16**

**Where: Kambah No 3 Oval, Kett St  
(opposite the Burns Club)**

**When: Saturdays @ 8:45am  
from 18th October**

**Registration days at Kambah No 3 Oval:  
9am-12:00pm, Sat 13th & 20th Sept  
or register online**

**More info at [www.tlaa.org.au](http://www.tlaa.org.au)**



## Twilight Hook in2 Hockey

**WE WANT YOU!** To come and play **HOCKEY** in a fun and social environment! Twilight Hook in2 Hockey is a great way to make friends, have fun and play Australia's Gold Medal sport! Twilight is run over an 8 week program with individuals, clubs and schools all welcome to join.

**Age groups:** Under 7's, Under 9's and Under 11's

**Day/Time:** Fridays 5:30pm - 6:30pm

**Dates:** 24<sup>th</sup> October- 12<sup>th</sup> December

**Location:** ANU Willows, Synthetic oval

### Northside



**Age groups:** Under 7's and Under 9's

**Day/Time:** Wednesdays 5:30pm - 6:30pm

**Dates:** 22<sup>nd</sup> October – 10<sup>th</sup> December

**Location:** Tuggeranong Hockey Park, Greenway

### Southside

**Registrations are due by Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> of October.**

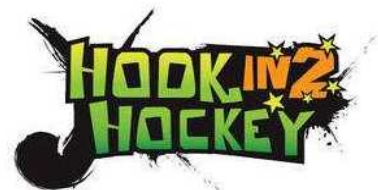
If you are interested in being involved please contact your local club. If you are new to hockey please contact Hockey ACT who will put you in contact with a club.

**Phone:** (02) 6257 2374

**Email:** [shelley.watson@hockeyact.org.au](mailto:shelley.watson@hockeyact.org.au)

\*Each centre will be run by a centre coordinator who is responsible for the set-up, pack-up, organisation and running of each session.

\*\$35 per person for the 8 week program



[www.hockeyact.org.au](http://www.hockeyact.org.au)

**Calwell Little Athletics**  
**Ph: 0411 144 046**  
**Email: [dlinsweden@grapevine.net.au](mailto:dlinsweden@grapevine.net.au)**  
**[www.clac.net.au](http://www.clac.net.au)**

***Do you like to Run, Jump and Throw?***  
***Are you aged between 5 and 17?***  
***Don't miss out on the action!***

**Join Calwell Little Athletics**  
**Come down to our registration sessions**

**Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> September 6-8pm**  
**St Francis of Assisi Primary School, Casey Cres, Calwell**  
**Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> September 1-4pm**  
**Calwell Shopping Centre, Were St Calwell**


**Calwell Little Athletics meets at Calwell Playing Fields every Saturday morning starting 8:45am**  
**Commencing 11<sup>th</sup> October through to end of March**

**For more information visit our website:**

**[www.clac.net.au](http://www.clac.net.au)**

**Or**

**Phone David Lawrence (Registrar) on 0411 144 046**

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**Facebook** - [CalwellLittleAthleticsClub](https://www.facebook.com/CalwellLittleAthleticsClub)**