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ST PATRICK'S DAY - PRAYER

May the good Lord smile upon you
With grace and peace today,
And send an Irish angel
To bring good luck your way.
Amen

Happy St Patrick's Day!

Dear Parents,



We wish all of our families a very happy St. Patrick's Day on Sunday. We hope that you have an incredible St. Patrick's Day full of fun, friendship and lots and lots of Irish music, dance, literature, drama, food and so much more.

I hope that our Years 3 and 5 students are enjoying the NAPLAN work that they are currently undertaking.

CAMP

I am currently attending the Year 6 Camp. Everyone is having an enjoyable time with rewarding and challenging experiences for each student (and staff members).



URSTRONG - FRIENDSHIP FIRES

A friendship fire is any situation between you and a friend that results in negative feelings. During this session, the students learn how to resolve conflicts with a friend and how to respond to hurt feelings, misunderstandings and disagreements.



URSTRONG ONLINE WORKSHOP

We invite you to attend an **online URSTRONG workshop** on Thursday evening, **21st March from 6pm to 7:15pm**. This workshop gives children, parents and teachers a common “language” for talking about friendships. Through interactive parent-child activities, parents will learn strategies to support their child in fostering healthy, feel-good friendships. **To attend this workshop, you are required to register at the following address:** www.urstrong.com/events

Please note that St Andrew’s will pay the for the cost of this workshop and therefore tickets are FREE for parents.

EXTREME GAMES INTERSCHOOL SPORTS CARNIVAL

The Year 6 and selected Year 5 students who participated in the Summer Extreme Games Sports carnival represented both themselves and our school admirably. The sports included Modcrosse, Cricket and Basketball. All in all, they had a great day and we had some wonderful results. The children should be very proud of their efforts.

In particular, we congratulate the boys' cricket team who achieved first place in their competition. This is an outstanding achievement and they should be very proud of their efforts!

A big thank you to Mr Kelly, Mrs Stokes, Mrs Peacham, Mrs Baldock and Mrs Jaschinsky for assisting with the preparation for the Carnival and looking after their teams so expertly!



CONGRATULATIONS

We congratulate Gabriel M who recently competed in the State Relay Championships. He received a silver medal for the Swedish Relay and a bronze medal for the 4x100m relay. These are outstanding achievements and he should be very proud of his efforts.



**May God Bless You All,
Sam Fontaine
Principal**

VISION STATEMENT

Saint Andrew's School offers an education that acknowledges, respects and nurtures the uniqueness of each child.

Within a framework of Catholic values and teamwork, the students will be challenged and supported to recognise their gifts and to develop their potential as they learn and contribute to their community.

We endeavour to provide a quality Catholic education which is Christ centred, child focused.



**Happy Birthday to Darragh M, Logan N, Ariana C,
Violet H, Trinika M, Sonny T, Ruby M, Teddy H, Kaiden P
and Paige M**

We hope you have a wonderful day!

ST ANDREW'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL
TERM 1, PLANNER 2024 – Parent (9 week term)

SAT/SUN	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
9/10 MAR Week 7	11 MARCH	12 MARCH	13 MARCH	14 MARCH NAPLAN Year 6 Camp @ Ern Halliday	15 MARCH NAPLAN Year 6 Camp @ Ern Halliday Saint Patrick's Day Classroom Prayer
16/17 MAR Week 8	18 MARCH NAPLAN	19 MARCH Staff Prayer Playgroup 8:30-10:30 Hall Staff Meeting	20 MARCH NAPLAN	21 MARCH NAPLAN Years 4, 5 & 6 Reconciliation 11:00am Church URSTRONG online workshop (Parent/child) 6pm-7:15pm	22 MARCH NAPLAN
23/24 MAR Week 9	25 MARCH NAPLAN Last Day	26 MARCH Staff Prayer Playgroup 8:30-10:30 Hall Staff meeting	27 MARCH	28 MARCH Free Dress Gold Coin donation (Project Compassion) "When I grow up, I want to be" BURSARY – Irene McCormack Catholic College Due to Mr Fontaine <i>Easter Assembly EB Visit after assembly (Sam)</i> 1:30pm Last Supper / Religious Play Host: Year 5B SCHOOL FINISHES LAST DAY OF TERM	29 MARCH GOOD FRIDAY

P&F NEWS

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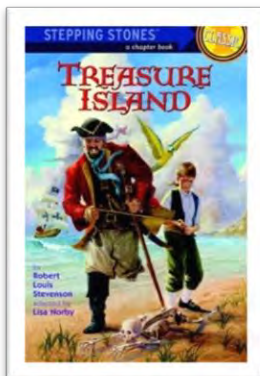
PARISH NEWS



For all Mass times and parish information, please follow the following link.

clarkson.perthcatholic.org.au

LIBRARY NEWS



**“There is more treasure in books than in all the
pirate’s loot on Treasure Island.”**

- Walt Disney

***Thank you
Mrs Baldock***



Creating a kinder world by
empowering kids with **friendship skills**

URSTRONG's whole-school friendship strategy has improved the social climate in schools around the world, connecting over a million kids, parents, & teachers with a common language of friendship.



THE LANGUAGE OF

FRIENDSHIP!



YOU ARE INVITED!

THURSDAY 21 MARCH
6.00pm to 7.15pm

in the

URSTRONG CLASSROOM ONLINE



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Tickets are generously paid for by your school.

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