

Mary Immaculate Primary School

Newsletter Update 7th March ~ Term 1 Week 7



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Catholic Schools Week

Join Us as We Celebrate Communities
of Faith, Knowledge & Service!

Mary Immaculate Primary is a vibrant learning community offering quality Catholic Education in a dynamic and innovative environment. To learn more about our school and to meet our staff and students, please join us for our 2016 Open Day.

Mary Immaculate Primary School

OPEN DAY

Thursday 10th March 2016 9:15am – 11:00am

125 Barrier Drive, Quakers Hill

- Tour our Agile Learning Environments
- Meet the Principal – Welcome at 9.30am
- Talk to staff and meet our Year 6 Student Leadership Team
- Information Desk and Enrolment packages
- Children's Activity and Technology Centre
- Morning Tea



For more information, please contact our friendly office staff on 9626 3999 or visit our website
www.maryimmacqhill.catholic.edu.au

Mark Taylor Shield Cricket

Well done to the MIPS stage 3 cricket team who competed in round 1 against St Andrews Primary School, Marayong in the Mark Taylor Shield on Thursday 3rd March at Paterson Reserve and won!!!

We were 2 for 148 after 30 overs and we got St Andrews all out for 58.

The team spirit, dedication, encouragement and camaraderie of the team are to be commended.

Ethan Zuliani showed amazing leadership as captain and this was evident during both training sessions and the match on the day.

Each and every member of the team should be proud of their efforts, we sure are.

Congratulations *Ethan, Damon, Tarsheiysh, Jordan, Kyan, Guy, William, Sophia, Charlotte, Ralph, Kai, Nisarg.*

You guys were amazing!
Round 2 here we come!!

Narelle Boatfield
Jo Wolffe



Developing Literacy Partnerships

An invitation is extended for you to take part in a programme specifically designed to help you - help your child/children - in their literacy and language development.

This programme, called "**Developing Literacy Partnerships**", runs over two weeks, one *night a week from 7.00pm until 8.30pm.*

This programme is designed to give you knowledge, understanding and insight into how children develop in reading, writing and spelling. The course is simple, enjoyable, skill developing and affords you the benefit of being an asset in your child's learning.

This programme will also assist when volunteering at Mary Immaculate Primary.

When: Tuesday evenings 7pm – 8.30pm
8th and 15th March.

Where: Learning Support Room next to the Multi Purpose Area

I truly hope that you are able to attend.



MUFTI DAY FRIDAY 11TH MARCH

WEAR YOUR FAVOURITE SPORT SHIRT/JERSEY



In preparation for our annual Easter Egg Raffle, children may come to school wearing mufti on Friday March 11. The theme is to WEAR YOUR FAVOURITE SPORT SHIRT/JERSEY. Children are asked to make a donation of **Easter Eggs, which** will be collected by classroom teachers in the morning.

Children are reminded to bring a sun-safe hat to school.

Easter Raffle tickets will be distributed during Week 8 and hamper winners will be drawn on Friday 1st April. You can collect extra ticket books from the office. (To receive raffle tickets, you must have signed and returned the consent form distributed in Week 4). Please see the office if you did not receive any tickets.



Our Annual Mary Immaculate Parents and Friends Association Family Bingo Night is on again!

Have some fun, play some games, and possibly take home a great prize!!!

Seats are limited, so be quick to secure your place.

When: Friday 18 March – 6:00pm for a 6:30pm start

Where: Mary Immaculate Multi-Purpose Area



Cost: Tickets are \$10 for a family (max 2 adults and up to 4 children) - all other single entry tickets are \$3 each Book of 10 games \$10 Single Game Sheets and Daubers \$2

This is a BYO event (no alcohol permitted) with soft drinks, poppers and water available for purchase on the night as well as complimentary tea and coffee.

School Fees 2016

School Fee Accounts – Term 1

A big THANK YOU to all the families that have finalised their school fee accounts. The due date for Term 1 School fees is today. Please finalise payment as soon as possible. Reminder notices will be sent out this week from the Catholic Education Diocese of Parramatta office. Any family that is experiencing financial difficulty is asked to contact the school via email or phone, so that assistance or payment arrangements can be discussed.

The Office Administrator can be contacted by email cnalletambyandel@parra.catholic.edu.au or on 9626.3999. Thank you.

Thank you.
Claudine Nalletamby
Office Administrator

Free Old School Furniture

MIPS is seeking a person to remove old school furniture and scrap metal.

Please contact the school on 9626 3999 for further information.

Sports Uniform

Please be advised students are to wear their sports uniform on the following days.

Tuesday	Kindy	Year 1	Year 6
Wednesday	Year 3	Year 4	
Thursday	Year 2	Year 5	Year 6
Friday	All students		

Book Club News

Thank you to everyone who ordered from Issue 1. We received scholastic rewards to the value of \$265, which will be used to purchase books and learning resources. Issue 2 of Scholastic Book Club will be sent home this week. Orders need to be placed by **Thursday 17th March**.

We accept: **Credit card online payments using the LOOP: www.scholastic.com.au/LOOP.**

There is no need to return paper order forms or payment receipts to school when using the LOOP.

Cheques payable to Scholastic Australia. Please attach cheque to completed order form and return to school.

We do not accept cash payments. Please disregard option 2 on the Book Club order form.

Happy Reading
Sue Henson
Book Club Co-ordinator

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Rachel Smith who was announced Junior Girl Champion at Blacktown Zone Swimming Carnival and has qualified for the 200 IM at the NSWCPs Swimming Carnival at Homebush. Good luck Rachel.

SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY

Our school Cross Country is fast approaching. We will be offering Cross Country training on a Tuesday morning at 8.30am for all children interested. Parents and friends are more than welcome to come down to the front COLA for an early morning jog or power walk with the children.

READING CINEMAS FUNDRAISING SUPPORT

Reading Cinemas is offering to assist Mary Immaculate Primary School once again this year with their fundraising initiatives. Each time a member of our community hands in the attached vouchers when visiting Reading Cinemas, our school will earn movie tickets to be used for fundraising events during the year. Whether you are visiting the movies over the holiday period, or just on a night out, it is a great way families and friends of Mary Immaculate can help support our goals for this year. Please feel free to print off and hand out as many vouchers as you like for use over the year. *Nicole Eason - Fundraising Coordinator*



SCHOOL REWARD PROGRAM

Hand in this coupon at the box office when you purchase a ticket and earn 1 POINT for your school

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