



St Peter's Lutheran School

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From the Principal

Hi everyone, welcome to the second week of Term 2 of 2021. I hope that you have all had a sensational week. After the super fresh mornings we suddenly started having we have been extremely impressed with the sunny days this week. It has certainly encouraged the students to be active and busy at recess and lunch times.

There has been a great deal of creative and imaginative play going on outside. I hope that you enjoy some of the photos of our crazy bunch of children enjoying the extensive collection of dress ups we have accumulated.

Thank you to all the parents and caregivers that encouraged your children to be a part of the ANZAC day march that was held at DMSC on Sunday morning. We had eleven students participate in this important ceremony and event. Thank you to our school captains, Victoria and Nitika represented our school sensibly and respectfully laid the wreath during the ceremony. I was extremely impressed by the extensive knowledge and understanding that our senior students have in respect to ANZAC day and the history behind this annual event.

School photos should have come home this week. We have been extremely impressed by the quality of the photos yet again this year. Please contact Andrew from Creations if you need any extra copies or are missing anything from your packs.

Congratulations to the students that are able to go on and compete at Kaniva Cross country on the 10th. We appreciate that some families are able to take extra students along on the day. Please let us know as soon as possible if you are struggling to find a ride for your child on the 10th.

On Wednesday our year 5 and 6 students headed to Tandara in Halls Gap. It was a 'Leadership' day which involved group activities, hands on tasks and mixing with students from 5 different Lutheran Schools. A big thank you to Mrs Whittaker for supervising our students and travelling on the bus with them. Mr Prenzler, who is the Nhill Lutheran Principal was extremely impressed by our student's attitude, manners and involvement. Thank you students for representing our school so positively.

Have a safe and Blessed weekend,

Tim Reimann

Sometimes you
have to rethink the
things you thought
you thought
through.



-Winnie the Pooh

Devotional Thoughts

God values everyone

by Nick and Brian Schwarz

See that you do not despise one of these little ones (Matthew 18:10).

[Read Matthew 18:10–14](#)

We humans have a tendency to rank other people according to what we think they are worth. We rank highly those who are rich, powerful, learned or famous. And we rank lowly those who are poor, unimportant, uneducated or insignificant. And the way we treat them reflects their ranking. We show a lot of respect and care for those who are highly ranked and much less to those who are lowly ranked.

Not so with God. All people have great value in God's eyes. He made them all. He gave his one and only Son, Jesus, to redeem them all. So when anyone turns away from God and does their own thing, God's heart grieves. And like a loving shepherd, he goes looking for his lost sheep to restore them to his flock.

God wants those of us who know him as Father to act like caring shepherds to brothers and sisters who stray from him. Rather than ignoring them or giving them the cold shoulder, God wants us to pray for them, lovingly approach them and seek to draw them back to their Good Shepherd.

When any one of the lost is found and returns to God's flock, all of heaven rejoices. And when you play a part in bringing one of the lost ones back home, you will have great joy too.

Dear God, help us to see others as you see them, as people to be loved. Please help us to bring followers who have strayed back home, and to bring people who have never known you into your loving embrace. Amen.



Awards

Junior Class Award

Jax Skurrie (Absent) - Putting in a fantastic effort & showing great improvement in his writing.



Senior Class Award

Lydia Paech - Developing independence & completing work to an excellent standard.



Principal's Award

Slater Collins - For outstanding effort & focus during writing activities.

Notice's

Important Dates

All the below dates are to the best of our knowledge and may change at short notice depending on COVID-19 restrictions.

May 2021

5th - P&F Meeting @ 3.30pm

11th - 13th - NAPLAN

19th - National Simultaneous Story Time

24th - 30th - Bike Education

June 2021

1st - 4th - Bike Education

2nd - P&F Meeting @3.30pm

8th - Lightning Premiership

11th - Report Writing Day (Student Free Day)

14th - Queens Birthday Public Holiday

18th - Athletics Carnival

25th - Last Day Term 2

Running Shoes

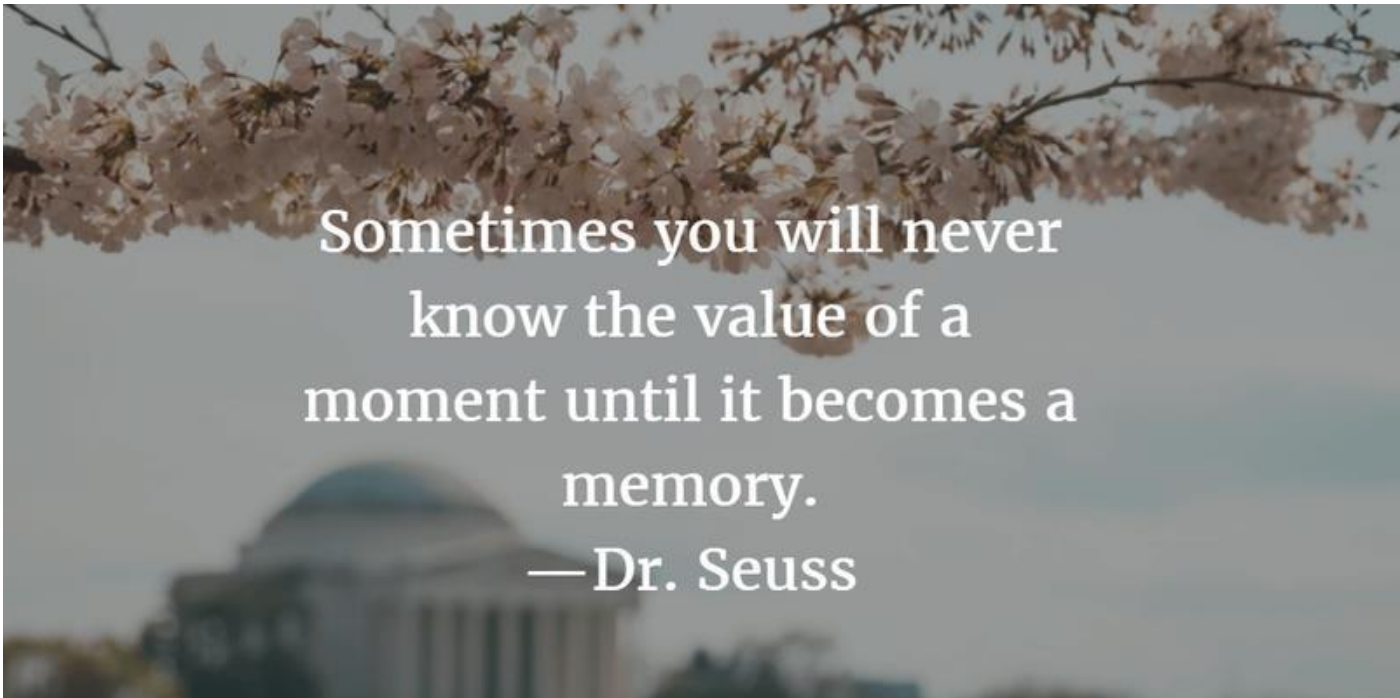
We encourage all students to wear their running shoes each day during Term 2. We are training for Athletics each morning.

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Report Writing Day

On Friday 11th June 2021 we will be having a Student Free Day so our teachers can write reports. There will be no supervision for students at school.



Sometimes you will never
know the value of a
moment until it becomes a
memory.

—Dr. Seuss

Around Our School



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