



St Peter's Lutheran School

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From the Principal

Hello everyone, welcome to week 4 of term 4. I hope that you have all had a wonderful week. The weather has been playing games with us again. Each day beginning with a cool, fresh morning and then by recess time it becomes quite sunny and warm. It's quite entertaining to see all the students running around having fun with their classmates and then suddenly there are dozens of school bomber jackets hanging off the equipment, piled up on benches and generally all around the yard. We have all had a very productive and positive week here at school.

We would like to let the school community know that Mrs Millie Dent and family welcomed a new addition to their family!! Layla Kate Dent arrived last Sunday, 7lb 11oz, both Millie and Layla are home now and settling in. We know that this is an exciting time for you all, and pray that your family stays healthy and safe. We also can't wait to meet little Layla!!

I know I may be repeating myself but it has been exciting to let students know that our **junior class sleepover will be going ahead next Friday the 6th of November**. This year due to the cancellation of the senior class camp we are also offering a **senior class sleepover** as well. The senior students do seem very excited about this opportunity to have fun at school overnight.

The **senior class sleepover will be on Friday the 13th of November**.

Please return the permission slips as soon as possible so all students attending can be catered for. There is no cost to families for these sleepovers. Please be aware that all students must be picked up at 8:00am on the Saturday morning after their sleepover.

We are now able to have our **School Photos**, Andrew from 'Creations' Photography will be coming to our school **on Wednesday the 25th of November**. We hope that this is the last change in regards to School Photos. We will remind all families as we get closer to this date.

We will continue to keep you all up to date in regards to any health advice received from government departments in respect to School operations. Our school is still being cleaned every day of the week. All staff and students are following strict hygiene practices and anyone unwell is being asked to stay at home until they have recovered.

Last week was very exciting with the book fair, book parade and prizes on Thursday morning. It was great to see how excited the students were about their new reading material. Another huge thanks to those who organised the book fair and spent many, many hours decorating and setting up the Multi-purpose room for this event.

Have a wonderful weekend,

Yours in Christ,



Layla Kate Dent



Devotional Thoughts

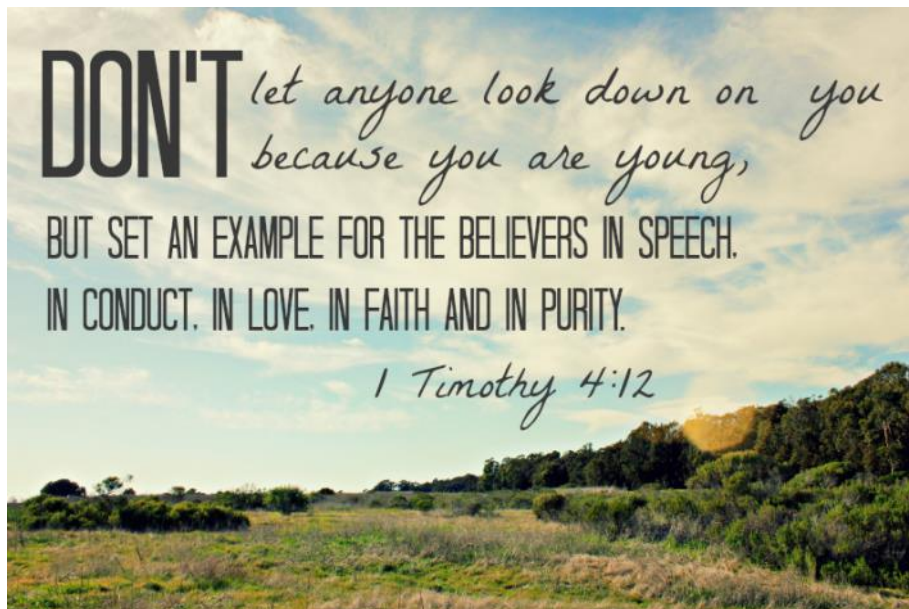
Don't let anyone look down on you because you are young, but set an example for the believers in speech, in conduct, in love, in faith and in purity. – 1 Timothy 4:12

Often, people assume maturity is an age thing. They think that if you're older that automatically means that you're more mature. And while that can be true, maturity isn't always an age thing. You can be young and still be mature.

To see how mature you are you can start by examining yourself. When you have conversations, what are you talking about? Are you asking others about themselves? Or are you always "me" centered? When you focus on others you are displaying maturity.

Are you living in a way that displays maturity? Do your actions show that you are thinking of others and living Christ-like?

These are great questions to ask yourself. You don't have to be old to be mature. True maturity is found in what you say and do. That's what today's Bible verse is stressing. It tells you to set an example in these areas. You don't have to wait until you're older, you can start now. Let your speech, action, and love reflect Jesus and maturity. Be an example to those around you of what the love of Jesus really looks like!



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.

November 2020

2nd - Student Free Day
3rd - Melbourne Cup Student Free Day
6th - Junior School Sleepover
13 - Senior School Sleepover
17th - SPLS Prep 2021 Transition Day
24th - SPLS Prep 2021 Transition Day
25th - School Photos
27th - Report Writing Day (Student Free Day)

December 2020

1st - SPLS Prep 2021 Transition Day
8th - State Wide Transition Day
11th - Last Day Term 4 for students (normal finish time)
11th - Graduation Service (TBC)
16th - Last Day for all staff

January 2021

28th - First Day of Term 1

Transition Days

Our Transition Days for Prep 2021 will be as follows;

Tuesday 17th November 2020 8.30am - 1pm
Tuesday 24th November 2020 8.30am - 1pm
Tuesday 1st December 2020 8.30am - 1pm
Tuesday 8th December 2020 8.30am - 3.20pm
(State Wide Transition Day)

DMSC Transition Days

These have all been cancelled at this stage!!

Year 7 2021 Transition Days for DMSC will be as follows;

Wednesday 11th November 2020 (students come to school as normal & will go up at 9am)

Wednesday 18th November 2020 (students come to school as normal & will go up at 9am)

Tuesday 8th December 2020 (State Wide Transition Day, students go straight to DMSC)

Chapel Services

With the current COVID-19 restrictions, there will be no Friday Chapel Services until further notice.

Lunch Orders

Lunch Orders are back from Thursday 15th October.

Please make sure there is only 1 order per bag/envelope. Money for multiple orders can be placed in one.

Our menu is different to DMSC, please make sure you are ordering off the correct menu.

Orders must be in by 9am.

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Awards

Mercedes Paech

For keeping calm and showing humility and displaying genuine forgiveness towards fellow students.



Liam Collins

For displaying and producing high quality work during Maths.



Bridgette King

For outstanding effort and persistence when working with peers and completing 'Community Service' activities.



Around Our School

