**GALILEE BULLETIN**

1st Day

School Photos (Full school Summer Uniform)

2nd Day

Preps at school full time

4th Day

Ride2School Day

7th Day

Reconciliation at Ss. Peter and Pauls 7pm

8th Day

Meet the Teacher

9th Day

Reconciliation at OLMC 7pm

11th Day

Funky Hair Day

14th Day

Labour Day Public Holiday

15th to 18th Days

Years 5 and 6 Camp to Canberra

**TERM 1 DATES**

28th January - 24th March at 1.30pm

**LUNCH ORDERS**

Lunch Orders can be ordered on Wednesday and Friday only. Ensure you complete the order when ordering online.

**EARLY PICK UP TIMES**

If taking your child out of school early, please pick them up at 1.40 or 2.30pm to minimise disruptions to classes.

**MEET THE TEACHER**

Times are still available to book an interview with your child’s classroom teacher on **Tuesday 8th March**. If you are having difficulties booking online via the school’s website, please call the school office on 96992928 and we will be able to help you over the phone.

CHILDREN WILL FINISH SCHOOL AT 1PM ON THIS DAY. GOSH will be open, but be sure to book in with them to ensure they have enough staff for the afternoon.

**SCHOOL PHOTOS**

Arthur Reed will be at Galilee to take photos next week, Tuesday 1st March. Please note: Orders are made directly through Arthur Reed this year. Please have your order placed by 1st March. The office have spare forms on how to order if you have not received one. Children must be in full summer uniform. Those with Sport classes, need to bring runners to change into before their lesson.

**HEAD LICE**

There has been an outbreak of head lice in various classes. Please check and treat your children if there are any live or dead lice and/or eggs found.

**RECONCILIATION CLASSES**

27th February and 5th March will be the last Reconciliation Preparation Classes at Ss. Peter & Pauls and OLMC 4.45pm.

**END OF TERM 1 LUNCH**

Please return lunch order envelopes with correct money enclosed to your child’s teacher by Friday 11th March.

**CANBERRA CAMP**

Year 5 and 6 attend camp in Canberra from 15th-18th March, we’re all getting very excited! More information will go home to families soon.

**1ST INSTALMENT OF SCHOOL FEES**

The first instalment of school fees are due by March 11th. Thank you to those families who have already paid all of or some of your accounts. Families who meet their Galilee financial commitments by the conclusion of Semester 1 (June 24th 2016) will receive a $200 rebate. If paying the full amount online before the above date, please deduct $200 prior to paying. The school will then clear the $200 from your account after June.

In Christ we Live, Love & Learn
Classroom Helpers
Thank you to all the parents who attended our final Classroom Helpers Session on Tuesday afternoon. The turnout was fantastic!
We now have an extra 26 newly trained Classroom Helpers, who, along with our 60+ previously trained Classroom Helpers, will be a great support for our students and teachers, and no doubt strengthen the students’ learning.
The roster is currently being devised and will be sent out to you by the close of next week; ready to be implemented by Week 7 (i.e. March 7th).
Due to this, no further reply slips (i.e. day/time preferences) will be accepted. The cut-off day for these replies was February 11th.
Thank you once again for all your support,
Linda Florenca-Grillo (Literacy Leader)

NEW NETBALL COACH
There has been a lot of interest in netball teams for children in Years 3-5. Unfortunately, the current teams are already full.
For another team to be established there needs to be a parent who is willing to volunteer to coach the team.
Please come to the office if you would like to coach a team.

LOST UNIFORM
A number of children have lost their school hat. Please check your child has their own hat and if they've accidently got someone else’s, return it to the office.
It is best to make sure all uniform items are clearly labelled.
Lost property is located in the sickbay cupboard and GOSH also have a lost property tub in their foyer.

GALILEE MUSIC PROGRAM
Information regarding re-enrolling and joining the Galilee Music Program for Term 2 will be sent via Caremonkey within the next week. Please be mindful that there are already waiting lists for Drums, Voice and Keyboard for Term 2.

PARENT CALENDAR
A reminder to regularly check the Parent Calendar for upcoming events. Please refer to the last newsletter for instructions on how to access the Google Calendar.

BREAKING NEWS
Congratulations to the Galilee Swimming Team who came 2nd in the Dendy Swimming Carnival today. It’s our best result ever!