



# Galilee Bulletin

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# Messages

## Dear Families,

I wish to thank and congratulate everyone for the new routine developed for dropping off and collecting students from Prep – Year Two this week. Families arrived during the recommended times (8.35 Year 2 students, 8.40 Year 1, 8.45 Preps and families with more than one child) and the KISS and GO parking was utilised. The children have settled back in and are thrilled to see friends and teachers. It is natural to feel a mix of excitement and anxiety after such a long period of home learning.

A reminder that if your child presents with a fever, cough, sore throat, runny nose, sneezing, shortness of breath or breathing difficulties, they must not attend school. They

must remain home and seek medical advice if necessary.

### Dismissal Times

3.00pm all **siblings** from Prep, One and Two (including those in the same year level, ie: twins, triplets) are dismissed.

3.05pm **Preps** students are dismissed.

3.15pm **Year 1** students are dismissed.

3.25pm **Year 2** students are dismissed.

A special thank you to the Stringer family for their generous donation of hand sanitiser this week.

Please note that Instrumental lessons have recommenced for Prep-2 students and onsite Year 3-6 students.

## Winter Uniform

Students are required to wear the Winter Uniform in Terms 2 and 3. Hats are not required during these terms but can be worn. A reminder that the new blue shirt is available to purchase at PSW and either the shirt or current polo can be worn.



### WINTER UNIFORM OPTIONS

**BOYS**

-Navy blue shorts worn with mid length navy socks with embroidered stripe

-Navy blue pants worn with navy up and down anklet socks

-Short or long sleeve polo - striped collar/new blue shirt

-Wool blend maroon jumper with embroidered logo

-Microfibre jacket (to be worn over the top of the wool blend jumper for extra warmth)

-Black leather school shoes (velcro or lace-ups)

**GIRLS**

-Winter tunic worn with navy turnover knee-hi socks or navy tights

-Navy blue shorts worn with mid length navy socks with embroidered stripe

-Navy blue pants worn with navy up and down anklet socks

-Short or long sleeve polo - striped collar/new blue shirt

-Wool blend maroon jumper with embroidered logo

-Microfibre jacket (to be worn over the top of the wool blend jumper for extra warmth)

-Black leather school shoes

(velcro or T-bar)

### Kiss and Go



This week we commenced the Kiss and Go along the Bank Street frontage of the school. There are new parking bay lines that have been marked out. It is important to note that this area is now a **2 minute drop off only** and replaces the 5 minute parking **between 8:35am-9:00am** Monday to Friday.

For Child Safety, children must stay as close as possible to your vehicle as they make their way to the footpath. It is suggested that bags be kept inside the car to avoid having to access the car boot.

If there are no available spaces in the Kiss and Go zone for your vehicle, please continue to do a lap around the block

until a space becomes available. This will avoid traffic jams and congestion.

We are trialing this to ease traffic congestion around the school. This should hopefully allow for a smoother start to the school day. We currently have 15 spaces available.



### Congratulations!

Congratulations to Miss Fahy and her partner Kyle on their engagement over the weekend! We wish you all the best with all of your planning for your big day.



June.

## Lunch Orders

Lunch orders can be ordered online daily via [www.flexischools.com.au](http://www.flexischools.com.au). So far we've had many families take advantage of this with a large number of orders throughout the week.

## Learning and Teaching



## Student Pilates

Year 3-6 student pilates session will be on again tomorrow at 1.30pm. The link can be found in the Dojo sent this afternoon and the parent calendar. Prep-Year 2 have the opportunity to participate with their class if the teacher has the time to fit it in.

## Book Club



Book Club orders are due via the Loop app by Monday 15th

## Joke of the Week!



Knock, knock

Who's there?

Bean

Bean who?

Bean a while since I saw you!

**Simon Millar**  
**Principal**



# Dates & Information

**\*\*Dates and Times may change.**

## Parent Calendar

<http://www.gsmelbournesth.catholic.edu.au/page/179/Calendar>

SCHOOL STARTS: 8.50am  
(gate opens 8.35)  
SCHOOL ENDS: 3.25pm

## Break Times

First Break - 11.00-11.40am  
Second Break 1.50-2.30pm

It is preferred students leaving early are collected at the beginning or end of these breaks to minimise disruptions to classes.

## Term Dates

**Term 2** Wednesday April 15 - Friday June 26 1.30pm  
**Term 3** Mon July 13 - Friday Sept 18 1.30pm  
**Term 4** Mon Oct 5 - Tuesday Dec 15 1.30pm

## Term 2

June 8 - Queen's Birthday Public Holiday  
June 9 - Years 3-6 return to school TBC  
June 15 - Book Club orders due via Loop App  
June 26 - End of Term 2, 1.30pm

## School Closure Days

**2020**  
August 14  
November 2  
November 27


## Camp Calendar

### 2020 Camps

Year 5 Merricks Camp October 27-30  
Year 3L Zoo Snooze October 29-30  
Year 3M Zoo Snooze November 5-6

## Medical Consent Form

Please use this form if your child needs to take any temporary medication at school (antibiotics/eye drops/ventolin/creams or lotions etc.).

 [Medical Consent Form.pdf](#)

## School Uniform

Please read the policy below if you are unsure of the correct wearing of the Uniform.

Students who are in incorrect shoes, with a note, must be for a maximum of one week.

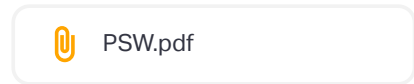
Correct shoes are to be worn till the end of the school year (it is not acceptable to be in incorrect shoes to save purchasing of new shoes towards the end of the school year).

Boys should be wearing the striped navy blue sock (or navy if unavailable) for Winter.

### **Galilee Uniform Policy:**

[http://www.gsmelbournesth.catholic.edu.au/uploaded\\_files/media/1517278888uniform\\_policy.pdf](http://www.gsmelbournesth.catholic.edu.au/uploaded_files/media/1517278888uniform_policy.pdf)

**PSW Uniform:** 1/128 Bertie Street, Port Melbourne 9768 0385



**Second Hand Uniform @ Galilee**

Not open at the moment until further notice

## Galilee Out of School Hours (GOSH)

To register and book for your child to attend before or after school care, please do so via this link: <http://theircare.com.au/>



# Community Links

FAMILY YOUTH & CHILDREN 2020  
PARENT INFORMATION SESSIONS



## POSITIVE PARENTING

Parenting is both rewarding and challenging. Positive Parenting brings together the knowledge and the mindset necessary for parents to meet these challenges.

The session explores simple practical strategies to help parents raise happy, confident kids; set family routines and rules that everyone can follow, and balance work and family with less stress.

Caroline Ellen is a parent mentor, social worker and educator. She has spent more than ten years working with vulnerable children and mentoring foster carers in healing the impact of trauma. As an educator, she is committed to empowering children and parents.

This is an online session, hosted on WebEx.

If you have any questions about WebEx please contact a member of our team at [fycparentinfosessions@portphillip.vic.gov.au](mailto:fycparentinfosessions@portphillip.vic.gov.au)

This session is free of charge, and will comprise a 45 minute presentation and 30 minute Q&A.

Wednesday 3 June | 6:00 pm to 7:15 pm

Facilitator – Caroline Ellen from *Safer Stronger Kids*

To register for this event: <https://www.trybooking.com/BIQPF>

**Using the service**

**What to Bring**

- Food**
  - A healthy, balanced lunch and snack
  - A water bottle (filled with water)
  - A change of clothes (in case of spills)
  - A hat and sunscreen (if outdoors)
  - A change of shoes (if outdoors)
- Appointments clothing**
  - Appropriate clothing for the weather
  - Appropriate footwear for the weather
  - Appropriate accessories for the weather
- Medication**
  - Medication for any medical conditions
  - Medication for any allergies
- Diapers**
  - Diapers for any children in your care
  - Diapers for any children in your care
- Medical Management plans**
  - Medical Management plans for any children in your care
  - Medical Management plans for any children in your care
- Changes to your booking**
  - Changes to your booking
  - Changes to your booking
- Changes to programming**
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  - Changes to programming

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**Space Zoo - Monday 4 June**

**ALL Back Off - Tuesday 5 June**

**Wild Encounters - Wednesday 7 July**

**Over the Moon - Thursday 7 July**

**K's Eureka! - Friday 8 July**

**Jeopardy - Monday 4 July**

**Bank Lessons - Tuesday 5 July**

**The Fables - Wednesday 7 July**

**Comic Capers - Thursday 7 July**

**K's in the Dock - Friday 8 July**