



The Pathway

1st July 2020

Dear Parents/Carers,

This will be the final “Pathway” newsletter for, what has been a very challenging Semester One 2020. I would like to acknowledge the efforts and support of all members of our school community who have coped with patience and understanding with the demands of the last 3 months. We must all look forward with optimism to the times ahead and join together in prayer for brighter and more normal times ahead.

School holidays commence at the end of this week.

Students are to return to school TUESDAY 21st JULY for the commencement of Term 3.

We will be taking MONDAY 20TH JULY as a pupil free day, in line with other schools. However, the staff will be hosting school inspectors from Sydney on this day who will be completing final checks in relation to the College gaining registration and accreditation to open our secondary department in 2021.

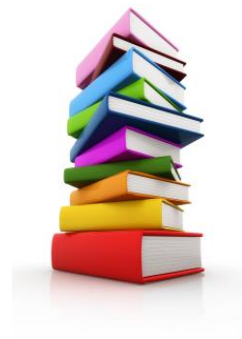
Special Lunch Fridays!

Our lunch day arrangement with Bella’s Café has been operating well and will, at this stage, continue into Term 3. Thank you for your support of this opportunity!

Library Lessons and Book Returns

We would appreciate the return of all library books by the end of this week so that we are able to undertake a stocktake during the vacation. At other times Library books can be borrowed and then returned to the school during each class’ Library lesson;

Prep/Kindy	Tuesday
Years 1/2/3	Tuesday
Year 4	Monday
Years 5/6	Thursday



Enrolments

We have had a significant increase in our enrolments over the last few weeks and have now reached 50 students K-6 plus 7 Students in Prep. This is an incredible achievement for the school having started with 16 students 2 years ago.

We are currently taking Enrolments for 2021 for Kindergarten through to Year 6.

We are also accepting Expressions of Interest for our Secondary Years 7-10 for 2021. We hope to receive confirmation of our registration and accreditation for secondary years early next term. When that process is complete we will be able to accept enrolments for Years 7 to 10.

Once registration is finalised, we will commence the new building program for 2021 which will comprise of six new general classrooms, a technology and arts centre, a new toilet block and new staffroom facilities. We are so blessed by what the Lord is providing for Verity CC and give thanks every day for the directions in which He is leading the development of the College.

Anyone wishing to donate to the College Building Fund can do so by contacting Mrs Stone in the office. Donations are fully tax deductible with funds raised going directly towards improvements in facilities for our students.

Semester Reports

These will be issued by the end of the first week after the holidays.

Annual School Report

As a part of our funding agreement with the State and Commonwealth Government, we are required to produce an Annual Report of College activities for our stakeholder groups. Our 2019 report will be available on our website from the end of this week.

Finally, I hope that all of our students enjoy a wonderful vacation. I pray that God will keep everyone safe and bless the times spent together with family and friends.

Regards & Blessings to all,

David Fox

Principal

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