



Dear Parents, Friends and Guardians

Farwell to Greg Casey

As most parents are now aware, our Principal Greg Casey took leave last Friday to take up an Acting Area Supervisor Role in the Southern region until the end of the school year. This involves Greg working with Principals and Leadership teams across many schools. It will be a challenging and rewarding role for Greg, at which he will be great. I am sure we will miss the smiling faces from the children and families at Marymount.

We wish Greg all the best in his new role for the rest of this year. We look forward to his return in 2017.

Gold Coast Catholic Schools' Cross Country

Our school's Cross Country squad competed at the Annual Catholic Cross Country St Brigid's School at Nerang this morning. I am sure that all the training has paid off! A huge thanks goes to our Senior PE teacher, Paul Hill, and two of our parents – Jenny Wood and Claudine Smyth for the efforts which they have put into the children. We will have full results in next week's newsletter.

Parent Portal and Semester One Reports

Our Parent Portal was introduced earlier this year and it's been great to hear of the number of parents who have taken up this new method of communication between home and school. Our Semester One Report Cards will be presented online this year and we will cease the process of providing hard copies of the children's reports so it is imperative that you log into the portal. There are a number of other things on the Portal which are aimed to make communication better for all parties and I would strongly encourage all parents to sign up to our Parent Portal. If you have problems with this medium please contact our Parent Reception and we will endeavour to rectify the issue. Our Report Cards will be posted on to our Portal on Monday June 20, the last week of this term.

Car Park Traffic

I would like to thank the many parents from our schools who have been utilising the new internal car park set down and drop off area. If all users follow the correct road and traffic rules then this new system works well and traffic is cleared on average by around 3.20pm. The idea of this new set up was to greatly improve the safety of our children, parents and staff and to improve the traffic flow in and out of our schools. There are barriers and witches hats located at the end of the first teardrop roundabout. This is so we can accommodate more cars in the chute, and keep Reedy Creek Rd clear. It is important that parents go all the way to the second roundabout to create this flow. Sadly some of our parents are choosing not to follow the road rules and are parking in the wrong areas or choosing to turn immediate right and heading east when entering the first car park area off Reedy Creek Road. This is happening even though the markings on the road surface (done by the Dept of Transport and Main Roads) direct traffic either straight through or turning left. This practice is very dangerous and causes major back-ups onto Reedy Creek Road and in turn on to Bermuda Street. We have put some witches hats on the road here to remind drivers to follow the markings and I would ask that you please adhere to this important safety issue.

Beachathon

Our Beachathon will be on again this year on the last day of this term – Friday, 24 June. We will be following the same route as last year with our start being at Miami Beach near the Miami Surf Club. More information about this day is included in the newsletter.

Finally, it wouldn't be a newsletter article from me without mention of something to do with a particular game on tonight!

Good luck to the mighty Qld side in State of Origin 1. I'm tipping a Qld win by 6

Thanks for reading, enjoy the rest of the week.

Yours in Christ

Tony Barron

Coming Events

Thursday June 2
Special Needs Morning Tea

Friday June 3
OM - Dress Up Day
Yrs 5 & 6 Interschool Sport

Wednesday June 8
Whole School Assembly

Friday June 10
Yrs 5 & 6 Interschool Sport

Wednesday June 15
Whole School Assembly
5.00pm - DISCO

Friday June 17
Yrs 5 & 6 Interschool Sport
Finals

Tuesday June 21
Yr 1 Fairytale Day

Wednesday June 22
Whole School Assembly

Thursday June 23
Prep S Open Day

Friday June 24
Beach-a-thon
End of Term 2

BEACH-A-THON

FRIDAY JUNE 24

Last day of Term Two

Mass Times

Children Mass
(Doyle Centre - children read at Mass)
5.30pm 1st Sunday each month

Children's Liturgy of the Word
(Doyle Centre - children are withdrawn for brief lesson)
10.00am 2nd & 4th Sundays;
5.30pm 3rd Sunday
8.30am each Sunday (school term)
St Benedict's, Mudgeeraba

Parish Mass Times
Sat—5.00pm Miami;
6.00pm at Palm Beach;
6.15pm at Burleigh Heads;
Sun-7.00am at Palm Beach & Burleigh;
8.30am at Mudgeeraba & Miami;
10.00am at Doyle Centre;
5.30pm at Doyle Centre

Jingerrri everyone. Jingerrri walla wahlu? = How are you?

BEACH-A-THON 2016

Just a reminder about our Beach-a-thon fundraiser for 2016, which will be held on Friday June 24, the last day of Term Two. The money raised this year will go towards more IT equipment for our school, such as new iPads. Our theme song this year is "Pump It" by the Black Eyed Peas.

Every child should now have brought home a donation booklet and many have to started bringing in the money they have raised. For every \$10 raised your child will receive a raffle ticket from their teacher for lucky door prizes. The first 100 children to bring in \$15 will each receive a hand ball. A list will be kept at student reception when money is returned.

There are some sensational prizes to be won in the raffle, such as a senior girl's and boy's bikes with helmets, junior girl's and boy's bikes with helmets, sporting equipment and vouchers. Also everyone who returns their money before the Beach-a-thon goes in the draw to dig on the day for buried treasure – an iPad!

As was the case last year, you will be asked to drop your child/children off at Miami Surf Club between 8:00- 8:30am on Friday June 24 and pick up your child/children at the same spot by 12:30pm. We will begin our walk around 9am. Children attending Outside School Hours Care will be bussed to and from the venue. Any child who is still at the venue after 12:30pm will be bussed back to school and supervised in the library until the normal end of day time. Car pooling is encouraged and volunteers are welcome – please see your class teacher to arrange this.

If you have not already completed the Volunteer Student Protection training course, please email me to enrol which will be held either tomorrow Thursday June 2 at 2:30pm or Tuesday June 7 at 8:15am in the staff room. tokeefe@bne.catholic.edu.au

Thanks and have a great week.

Tina O'Keefe

Curriculum News

This week Marymount Primary School registered to become a part of the "Premiers Reading Challenge". This initiative is not a competition, but more a stimulus to encourage and inspire a love of reading.

Children that complete the required number of books by August 26, will receive a certificate from our Premier in Term 4.

To ensure children stay motivated, at the halfway mark (Year 5 , 6 – 7 books and Preps- Year 4 – 10 books), a voucher will be given so that children can go into a draw to win a book!

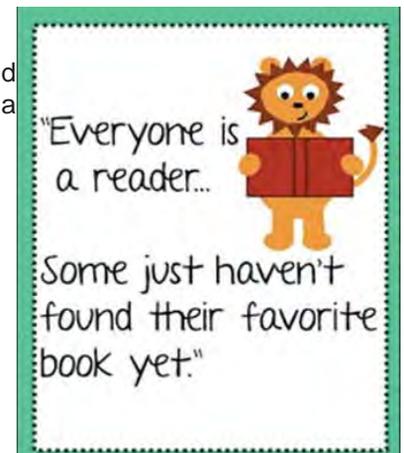
Should you want to read more:

<http://education.qld.gov.au/schools/readingchallenge/about-challenge.html>

Happy Reading!

Deb McKean-Nunan

Early Years Literacy and Curriculum Support Teacher.



SCHOOL BANKING

A reminder to bring in your school banking every Tuesday.
Only three banking days left to the end of Term.

If you haven't banked in a while and have lost your book, just put your name, class and money in an envelope and send to the banking ladies in your class banking bag and you will receive a new banking book.

The Banking Ladies

National Reconciliation Week- 27 May – 3 June

At the Reconciliation Week assembly today, Mrs Crowe's Year Five class led us in prayer as we prayed for reconciliation and celebrated Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples and their cultures. Ted Williams, a Kombumerri elder, began the reconciliation assembly with 'Welcome to Country' and Steve Chadburn, a Reconciliation Liaison Officer from Brisbane Catholic Education, joined with the Marymount Mob for activities throughout the day.

May 27 marks the anniversary of the 1967 referendum when Australians voted to remove clauses in the Australian Constitution that discriminated against Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. This year's theme for Reconciliation Week is, 'Our History, Our Story, Our Future,' as we celebrate 25 years of formal reconciliation in Australia. 'Our History' acknowledges that past laws, practices and policies deeply affected the lives of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. 'Our Story' reflects the fact that the journey towards reconciliation forms a significant part of Australia's story and encourages everyone to make reconciliation part of their own story. 'Our Future' reinforces that reconciliation must live in the hearts, minds and actions of all Australians as we move forward.

Throughout the assembly, large pieces of fabric (green, the colour of hope) and (white, the colour of peace) were 'rippled' over the students. This symbolic action represents the love and peace of a reconciled Australia.

Like a pebble creating ripples in a pond; let us pray for strength to send ripples of love to our friends and neighbours, especially Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples so we can move from past wrongs towards hope for a better future.

Thank you to 5M, Mrs Crowe and Mrs McCane for this very moving assembly.

Pilgrimage to Holy Door

Last Thursday, seven Year 6 students joined the Burleigh Heads Parish community on a pilgrimage to Sacred Heart Church, Clear Island Waters. We gathered at the Holy Doors of Mercy for prayer followed by the celebration of reconciliation and mass. Pope Francis announced this year as an Extraordinary Jubilee Year of Mercy and on February 12, Sacred Heart Church was declared by Archbishop Mark Coleridge as a designated pilgrimage site during this Year of Mercy. Thank you to these students for representing Marymount and the prayerful way they entered into the day.

Sacramental Program –Years 4, 5 & 6

Now is the time to register your details if you wish for your child to receive the sacraments of Penance, Confirmation and First Eucharist. All students in Year 4 who have been baptised are invited as a cohort to receive these sacraments which is the final time all three will be celebrated in the same year. The Brisbane Archdiocese has printed new guidelines on how these sacraments will be received and the Burleigh Heads Catholic Parish will be aligning with these guidelines after this final intake. Full details of this new policy can be viewed online at <http://liturgybrisbane.net.au/doctypes/christian-initiation-for-children/>

Sue Thomas will be working with Fr Ken and the Burleigh Parish as Sacramental Coordinator. A note and enrolment form will go home this week with Year 4 students and those students in Years 5 & 6 who have not yet received these sacraments. Could the enrolment form please be returned by Friday 10 June to Parent Reception. Sue Thomas and the Sacramental Team will then be in touch to provide further details. Preparation for these sacraments will commence shortly with Confirmation set for Wednesday 17 August. We look forward to journeying with the children and their families during this special time in their lives.

Enjoy the rest of the week

Maree Wright

**PATRON PARENTS**

Prep R - Mum's Night Out - Sat. June 4 at 6.30pm. JFK Woodfire & Bar (Tallebudgera Creek Rd, Burleigh) RSVP - Wed June 1
Liz 0439 995 799 or Cindy 0403 344 495

Prep M, A & S - Mum's Dinner - Friday June 10 @ Tom Ugly's, Burleigh. 6.30pm. RSVP Melissa 0405 258 160

Prep O - Parents Dinner - Fri June 10 @ Palm Beach Surf Club RSVP via text to Jen 0418 458 906 or April 0404 990 932 by Friday 3 June

Prep P Play date - Saturday 18th June @ 2.30-4pm at Currumbin Waters Playground, Galleon Way, Currumbin Waters (Opposite the Merv Craig Sporting Complex) Bring: Kids bikes/scooters and a plate to share

Sport News

Netball Results - Year 5

5A won 6-0 against Varsity 1
5B won 5-0 against Varsity 2
5C won 4-1 against Burleigh

Paul Hill

Netball Results - Year 6

6A Marymount 12 - St Andrews 6
6B Marymount 10 - Broadbeach 2
6C Marymount 8 - St Andrews 2



MARYMOUNT ART SHOW 2016

Students in 1R are busy creating their artworks for this year's Art Show. The Art Show will be held on Friday July 29 with a Gala Opening followed by exhibition on Saturday July 20 and Sunday July 31.

See attachment for further details.



Book Club orders due **Monday 6 June**.
Parents can order online, log-in to www.scholastic.com.au/LOOP or download app for iPhone and iPad from the App Store. Thank you!

DISCO

Rock/Pop Star Theme

Wednesday the 15th June

5.00 to 6.00pm for Prep to 3
6.30 to 8.00pm for Years 4 to 6

Entry \$3 per student,
\$1 drinks and chips.

Social Justice Crew sausage sizzle fundraiser - \$2.50

Suitable clothing and footwear to be worn.

Students must be dropped off and picked up on time by a responsible adult.

The disco is for students of Marymount Primary School only.



BURLEIGH HEADS CATHOLIC PARISH

Parish Office Hours 9.00am to 5.00pm Shop 5 Executive Place, Executive Drive, Burleigh Waters (Postal PO Box 73, Burleigh Heads) Phone: 5576 6466
Parish Business & Finance Manager: Mr Jim Littlefield Parish Pastoral Team EMAIL: burleigh@bne.catholic.net.au
Parish Pastor: Fr Ken Howell Associate Pastors: Fr Stephen Camiolo & Fr Dantus Thottathil MCBS



GALA OPENING & ANNOUNCEMENT OF WINNERS 7PM FRIDAY 29 JULY
 EXHIBITION SATURDAY 30 JULY 10AM-4PM & SUNDAY 31 JULY 10AM-3PM

ART SHOW JUDGE ANNOUNCED



Marymount welcomes Tracy Cooper-Lavery, Director of the Arts Centre Gold Coast Gallery as this year's guest art show judge.

Tracy Cooper-Lavery has worked in the regional art museum sector for more than twenty years. She was appointed President of the Regional Galleries Association of Queensland in 2014 and was selected as a Board Member for Museums & Galleries Queensland. She has curated numerous exhibitions on Australian and international art. Tracy holds a Masters in Creative Arts from James Cook University as well as a post-graduate degree in Museum Studies and a Bachelor of Visual Arts.

MARYMOUNT ART SHOW CONTINUES TO GROW

Now in its thirteenth year, the Marymount Art Show has grown to be one of the Gold Coasts largest displays of artwork available for purchase. In 2016, organisers expect over 3,000 people to attend to view more than 400 artworks, valued at over a quarter of a million dollars. The Marymount Art Show has become an important event for both our students and local artists and collectors. Over the years, many of our entrants and winners have gone on to become professional artists and they still continue to enter their works in our exhibition.

Gala tickets are available for purchase at \$30 per person and include entry, entertainment and canapés. Art submissions for the show are now open, closing Friday 15th July.

SPONSORS AND OFFERS OF SUPPORT

Thank you to Caltex Reedy Creek South Truckstop, for their continuing support of Marymount College. Michael Corvino is both a Marymount parent and past student.

Surebridge IT (suppliers to Marymount), have offered to support our fundraising in the form of goods to be raffled. Their support is very appreciated.

Thank you to Programmed Maintenance (supplier) for their offer of support for our event.

There are various sponsorship packages, to suit all budgets and in return, we'll offer you some great exposure and acknowledgment. Our Art Show is one of our key fundraising initiatives and the money raised goes back to our tremendous schools and students.

If you or your business can help, we'd love to hear from you. For more details please contact our Art Show Sponsorship Coordinators Jen Gyles on 0418 458 906 jengyles@gmail.com or Melissa Hickling on 0405 258 160 melissawestine123@yahoo.com



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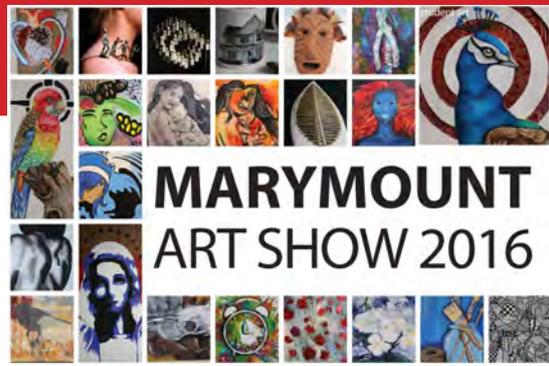
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MARYMOUNT ART SHOW 2016

FRIDAY 29- SUNDAY 31 JULY 2016

FEATURE ARTIST: BARBARA ZARLETTI

Barbara Zarletti is an artist based in Northern Rivers NSW. Barbara was born in Italy and trained in Painting Restoration Techniques, before completing a Diploma of Fine Art, followed by a Bachelor of Art in Italy.

Since 1994 she has held five solo/duo exhibitions and been involved in over 19 selected group exhibitions, in Italy, France and Australia.

Barbara's painterly style is gesturing and immediate. She paints beautiful compositions of food and kitchenware. For more on Barbara Zarletti visit <http://www.barebonesartspace.com.au/artist/barbara-zarletti>



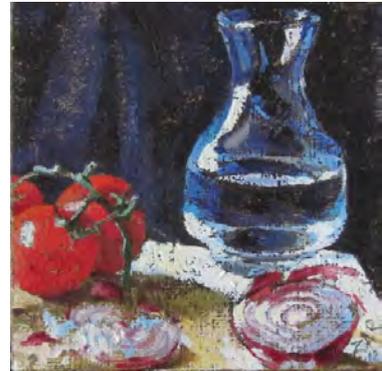
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Elementi primari Italiani



I melograni



I pomodori dei farmers



Uova e caffettiera



Il piatto per il Taylors fish



La luce blu nel bicchiere



La mia graziosa tazza da tea



La minestra



La sfida con il pesce



Le mele di biancaneve



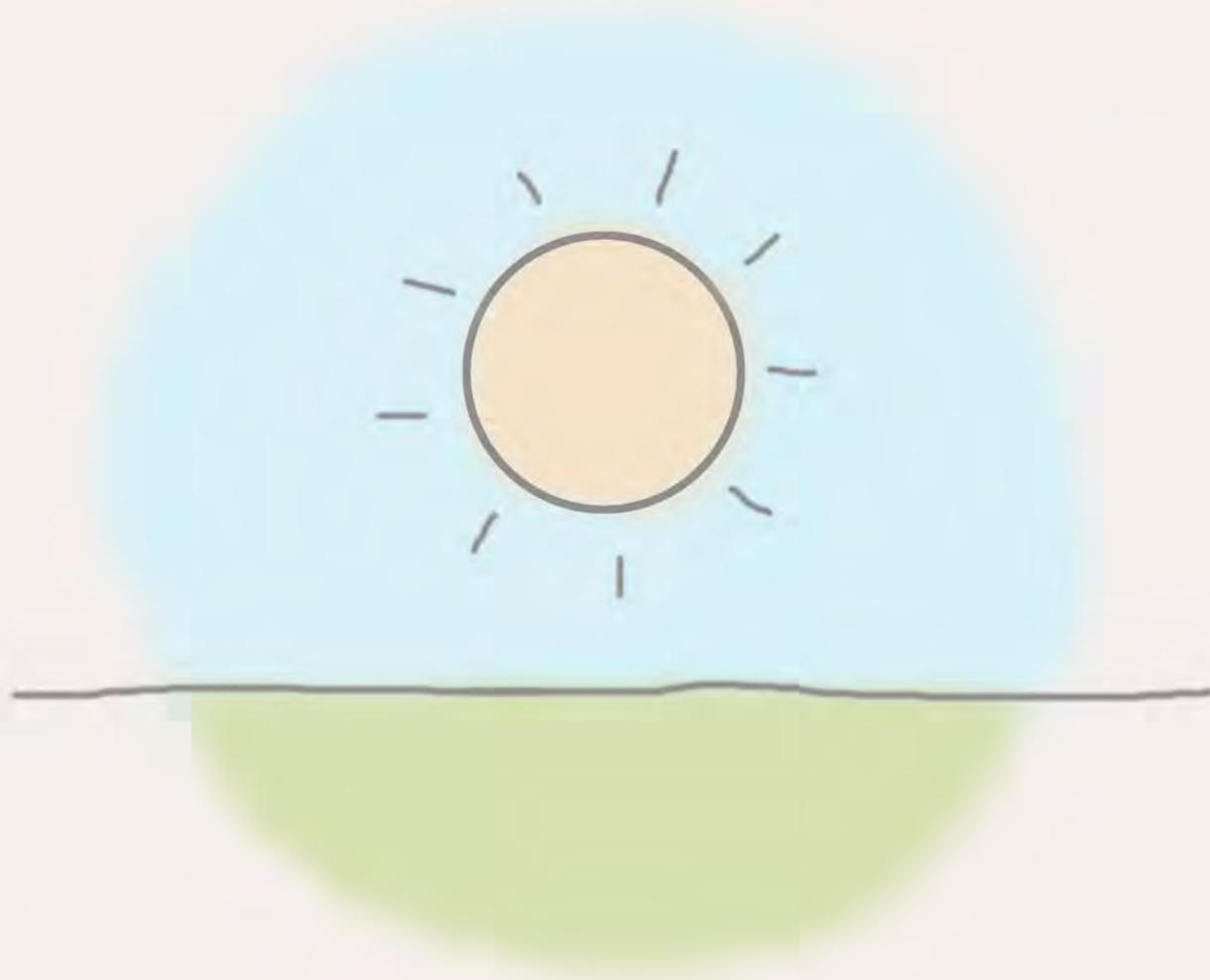
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Una fettina di pera



A WAKENING



YOUTH MASS

JUNE 5

5:30PM

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