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LOVE AND MERCY – WHERE TWO OR THREE GATHER IN MY NAME, THERE I AM.

29th July 2019
Dear Families,

CELEBRATING 60 YEARS OF ST. DOMINIC'S

We will be celebrating the **Feast of St Dominic on Thursday August 8th**. At 12.00pm we will be having a whole school mass in the church to celebrate St. Dominic's Day. Everyone is welcome to come along and join us in prayer.

On **Friday August 9th** we will be celebrating the life of St. Dominic here at school with some special fun activities. All students are asked to wear their sports uniforms to school as they will be part of some fun games and tabloid sports starting at 9am till 11am. Students will also be given pizza, a snack and a juice for lunch at 2nd break. Parents and family are invited to join us.

You are invited to join us on Sunday, 18th August at the 11.00a.m. Parish Mass. Children and their families are invited to come and join us for this special celebration. If your child/children is/are able to come to this mass please let Miss Gayle know. I would like the children to help with the entrance song and procession. Each year the school is invited to lead the opening song and procession, and Fr Peter is always appreciative of the children and families who support this special day. Thank you to those families who have already let me know.

Children in our school choir will also be singing after the mass
in the hall.

Come and Celebrate our St. Dominic's Feast Day. Bring along some food to share.
We will begin with mass and then go over to the hall at about 12.30p.m. for a shared lunch and multicultural celebration – singing and dancing. A great time to celebrate.



Congratulations to the following students who celebrated the Sacrament of Reconciliation last Wednesday: Zine, Tatiana, Oliver, Latisha, Zyloe, Christina, Chelsea, Jack, Nancy, Onail, Mark, Carlos, Eder, Tala, Manuel, Aya, Mattias and Hamish. A special thank you their class teachers Tania, Helen, Chris, Liz and Elise for work done in preparing the children, and to Alison as Religious Education Leader for her leadership throughout the program and preparation of the prayer service.

SCHOOL CLOSURE DAY IN FIVE WEEKS TIME – WEEK 7 OF TERM 3
There will be a whole school closure day (no students at school) on Friday August 30th as staff will be undertaking professional learning about Mathematics.



Our school photos will be taken on **Tuesday August 6th**- photo envelopes have been sent home last week. Please follow the instructions about purchasing photos-all students need to wear their full winter uniform on the day.



If you have any questions about ordering photos (certainly no pressure to buy!), please come into the office and ask.



Let's Eat Kiosk: CANTEEN

Tuesday July 30th : Shamy; Rita; Majd

Thursday August 1st : Enas; Afifa

If any parents would like to come and help with Canteen please come into the school office.



Congratulations to the following students who were **Week 2 Students of the Week**. Each student received their certificate last Friday at assembly for their achievements during the week.

Prep Red: Alicia; An Thu	5/6I: Peter; Nassaf
Prep Purple: Alisia; Levi; Bana	5/6J: Krish; Saada
1/2L: Shenith; Andi; Zavian; Marcie	5/6K: Maria V; Mary D
1/2M: Reinhart; Jaycob; Elias; Hazem	
1/2N: Nirmandeep, Stallone and Sophia	Miss Sharon's award: Salam; Elias; Tala; Faye
3/4P: Onail; Trisha	Learning Club: Aya; Levi
3/4R: Nadia; Tala; Joseph	Mrs Cromie's award:
3/4S: Danial B; Shane	Mrs Burnett's award: Brendan; Madrona

TERM 3 CALENDAR	
Some important dates for the coming weeks (more to come)	
Week 3 Term 3	
Monday July 29 th	5/6 swimming program continues until Thursday 2.30p.m. Year Parent Community Conversation 3.40p.m. Staff Professional Learning Team - ReLATE
Tuesday July 30 th	Website Professional Learning – Mimi & Alison 2.30p.m. Leadership Team Mtg
Wednesday July 31 st	8.15a.m. Breakfast Club
Thursday 1 st August	Learning Diversity Network Mtg – Katie 8.00a.m. Penola Partnership Mtg - Gayle School Nurse – Elise Swimming finishes for Years 5/6
Friday 2 nd August	8.15a.m. Breakfast Club School Census Day Simply Maths Professional Learning – Sonia, Steve, Elise, Camille, Tania 3.00p.m. Whole School Assembly – General

Week 4 Term 3	
Tuesday August 6 th	School photo day Some Year 6 students to attend Maygar Barracks Service
Wednesday August 7 th	Miss Helen at eLearning network PL
Thursday August 8 th	Solemnity of St. Mary of the Cross Mackillop St. Dominic's Day Mass-12pm
Friday August 9 th	Whole School Sports Activity Day-Kaboom Kids.
Week 7 Term 3	
Friday August 30th	NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS. STAFF MATHS PROFESSIONAL LEARNING
Week 10 Term 3	
Friday September 20th	School finishes at 1.30!

Thought for the Week: *"...someday, after mastering the winds, the waves, the tides and gravity, we shall harness for God the energies of love, and then, for a second time in the history of the world, humanity will have discovered fire."* Pierre Teilhard de Chardin

Wishing all families a great week ahead.

Gayle



ST. DOMINIC'S FAMILIES AND SCHOOL WORKING TOGETHER FOR BETTER LEARNING OUTCOMES.