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***LOVE AND MERCY – WHERE TWO OR THREE GATHER IN MY NAME, THERE I AM.***  
***Check out our updated School Website : [www.sdbroadmeadows.catholic.edu.au](http://www.sdbroadmeadows.catholic.edu.au)***  
***No more paper copies of School Newsletter. It will now only be on Website or Skoolbag Multi-Language app.***

11<sup>th</sup> November, 2019

Dear Families,



Today, at 11.00a.m. we took time to pray, reflect and remember. Remembrance Day is acknowledged around the world. It is a time to pray for peace and to acknowledge those who have given of their lives in many wars. As the guns of the Western Front fell silent 101 years after four years of continuous fighting, we pray that we can find the silence within each of us to remember and to work towards peace in our everyday lives.

Last week we welcomed back Ms Bretag, Mrs Teresa and Mrs Nicholls after their time away from us. They had many stories to tell of their travels. It was lovely to welcome them back.



**Head lice** : We have had three reported cases of headlice. Could all parents please check their child's hair.

Head lice do not transmit infectious diseases – they are transmitted by having head to head contact with someone who has head lice. You may be reassured to know that head lice are commonly found in places other than at St. Dominic's. Head lice are

common in school-aged children and are the most adaptable of creatures. They have survived living solely on humans for 10,000 years!!!!

What can you do?

Please check your child's hair and where head lice or eggs are found, start treating your child's hair.

How do I treat my child for head lice?

Treatment choices

- Non-chemical: Use conditioner and comb to remove the head lice and eggs; and repeat every two days until no live lice have been found for 10 days.

Lice can crawl and hide. The easiest and most effective way to find them is to follow these steps:

**Step 1**

Comb any type of hair conditioner on to dry, brushed (detangled) hair. This stuns the lice and makes it difficult for them to grip the hair or crawl around.

**Step 2**

Now comb sections of the hair with a fine tooth, head lice comb.

**Step 3**

Wipe the conditioner from the comb onto a paper towel or tissue.

**Step 4**

Look on the tissue and on the comb for lice and eggs.

**Step 5**

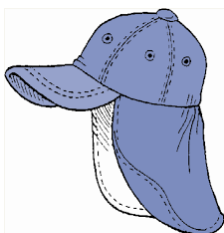
Repeat the combing for every part of the head at least 4 or 5 times

If lice or eggs are still found, the child's hair should be treated with • Chemical: (Buy from chemist) Treat and comb to remove the head lice and eggs; and repeat in seven days.

Head lice eggs are small (the size of a pinhead) and oval. A live egg will 'pop' when squashed between fingernails.

When can my child return to school?

Health regulations requires that where a child has head lice, **that child should not return to school until the day after appropriate treatment has started.** Please note, this refers only to those children who have live head lice and does not refer to head lice eggs.



**Sun smart Policy Term 4** : All students and staff must wear a hat at all times they are outside during term 4.

All students must wear the school sunhat. Hats are available at LOWES. We have some available at the school office for sale. Hats are \$15.00.

**NO SUNSMART SCHOOL HAT, NO PLAY**



**Congratulations to the following students who were Term 4 Week 4 Students of the Week. Each student received their certificate last Friday at assembly for their achievements during the week. Week 5 & 6 will be in next weeks newsletter**

<b>Prep Red: An Thu, Mario</b>	<b>5/6I: Nassef, Peter, Salam</b>
<b>Prep Purple: Veronica, Anthony</b>	<b>5/6J:</b>
<b>1/2L: Andi</b>	<b>5/6K: Shenantha, Silvester</b>
<b>1/2M: Kadeli, Sophia, Tina</b>	<b>Mrs Sharon &amp; Mrs Rawaa award:</b>
<b>1/2N: Fadi, Joy</b>	<b>Mrs Burnett's Reading award:</b>
<b>3/4P: Jack, Oliver</b>	<b>Ms Lakshmi - Learning Club: Tinna, Kai-Lee</b>
<b>3/4R: Meerna, Joseph</b>	<b>Mrs Cromie's award:</b>
<b>3/4S: Zyløe</b>	<b>Mrs Menassa Breakfast Club : Mithika, Tala</b>



**Let's Eat Kiosk: CANTEEN**

**Tuesday November 12<sup>th</sup>: Marie U; Susana**

**Thursday November, 14<sup>th</sup> : Enas; Eva**

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

<b>TERM 4 CALENDAR</b>	
<b>WEEK 6</b>	
Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> November	10.45a.m. Remembrance Day Ceremony for whole school 2.00p.m. Catholic Education Governance Mtg – Alison & Gayle
Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> November	Finance Zone Cluster Mtg – HUB – ALL DAY – Teresa 3.40p.m. Staff PLT – Literacy Moderation
Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> Nov	8.15a.m. Breakfast Club Student Wellbeing Network Mtg – Katie & Gayle
Thursday, 14 <sup>th</sup> November	New Arrivals Network Mtg – Sharon D Michelle V in
Friday, 15 <sup>th</sup> November	8.15a.m. Breakfast Club Religious Educations Leaders Network Mtg – Alison Prep-2 Arts Centre – Gay, Sharon R, Michele, Lucia, Sarah, Daniels, Mui Mui, Salma, Lakshmi, Helen N 3.00p.m. Whole school Assembly – 5/6J

<b>WEEK 7</b>	
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Preps Beach Excursion
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> November	2020 Pre Prep Orientation
<b>WEEK 9</b>	
Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> December	6.00p.m. Whole School Christmas Concert
<b>WEEK 11</b>	
Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> December	6.00p.m. Year 6 Graduation
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Year 6 End of year day out
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> December	1.30p.m. <b>SCHOOL ENDS FOR STUDENTS</b>
Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Staff Finish</b>

**Thought for the Week:**

*Peace can become a lens through which you see the world. Be it. Live it. Radiate it out. Peace is an inside job. —Wayne Dyer*

Gayle



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