Dear Families

Breakfast Club - Every Tuesday commencing @ 8.10am
Why not come to school a little bit earlier on Tuesdays and join us for Breakfast Club. It starts at 8.10am upstairs in the kitchen. There’s toast, cereal, fruit, juice and lots of conversation and friendship.

School Photos - Tomorrow Wednesday June 8th
School Photos are scheduled to take place tomorrow Wednesday June 8th. If you haven’t already done so please return your photo envelope with money enclosed if you wish to purchase your child’s photo, or you can pay online. If you don’t have the correct money the photographers will have change.

All children are required to wear their full winter uniform.
Year 3, 4, 5 & 6 children who have sport may bring a pair of runners in their bag to change into for their Physical Education lesson.

Storytime with the Principal - This Thursday
The next Storytime with the Principal is scheduled for this Thursday June 9th at 8.50am and then at 3.25pm (as part of Learning Circles). Looking forward to seeing many of you then.

Zone Cross Country Championships
Congratulations to Jamie, Moses, Aljack, Victoria D, Ashleigh, Jennifer, Juan, Emma, Arech and Angelo D for all successfully qualifying at the District Cross Country Championships held last Friday at Tattersons Park. A special congratulations to Jennifer for finishing 3rd, Juan 4th and Aljack 5th. These 3 children will compete at the Regional Finals later this term.

2017 Prep Enrolments
Enrolments for Prep 2017 school year have now opened. If you or a friend has a child who turns 5 years old by April 30th, 2017, they are eligible to enrol their child. Enrolment forms are available at the Office.

School Sores (Impetigo)
There has been a case of school sores at St Mary’s. School sores is an infection of the skin caused by bacteria and it spreads easily. If you think your child could have school sores please take them to the doctor.

Have a good week.

Greg White, Principal
Learning Conversations
THIS WEEK!!
Come along to our Learning Conversations and help us plan our learning for Term 3!

Prep - **Wednesday** 8th June 3.30 - 4.00pm
5/6 Level - **Thursday** 9th June 3.30 - 4.00pm
3/4 Level - **Friday** 10th June 3.30 - 4.00pm

1/2 Level held their Learning Conversation last Friday!
Many families came along to help plan learning for Term 3!
3/4 Nevins in the Kitchen!

During Term 1 and 2 we have been having a wonderful time in the kitchen with Mrs Gostimir.

We have been learning how to measure using different cup and spoon sizes.

We have been learning how to cut up food in different ways.

Miss Nevins: “Today we will have cooking in the Kitchen with Mrs Gostimir”

3/4 Nevins: “Yay!!”
“I love kitchen!”
“What are we making today?”
“Partnerships for Powerful Learning Conference” in Adelaide
We thought we might send you some information about what we have done at the Thought Gathering Conference so far in Adelaide. It has been a wonderful opportunity to listen to student voices and to work collaboratively with the children in identifying ways in which we can do things better at St Mary's. We've worked with Professor Pete Goss from the Grattan Institute and have also done some focus work with Tom and Hamish from No Tosh, who specialise in Design Thinking. We look forward to the rest of our time at the Adelaide Zoo and can't wait to see what the day holds.

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Uniform Shop: The Uniform Shop is open each Thursday 8.30am -10.00am.

The second hand uniform shop will be open next on:
Monday 20th June @ 9am.

Fees
Term 2 fees are due by the 17th June 2016. If unable to pay by the due date please contact Greg White immediately.

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