



DATES:

**Monday November 18th –
to Friday November 22nd**
– STOMP Dancing

Thursday November 21st.
Family STOMP dance
night

Friday November 22nd -
2020 Foundation students
Transition Program. 9am –
1pm

Monday November 25th –
Speech Therapist visit

**Monday November 25th –
Friday December 13th –**
Swimming Program

Friday November 29th –
Last 2020 Foundation
students Transition Day

SWIMMING PROGRAM:

The swimming program will be held from
Monday November 25th – Friday December 13th.

The swimming program will be taken by Mrs Rachael
Smyth with the help of class teachers.

*Students are required to bring their swimming gear
every day for the 3 weeks.*

**Students will require the following for swimming
each day:**



- Bathers
- Swim Top
- Towel
- Thongs/Sandals

(to walk to & from the pool,
if available)

*Sunscreen will be provided by the school, but if you
have a preferred brand, you may send this with your
child/ren.*

Vision Statement:

*St. Mary's community,
with Jesus as our
inspiration, aims to
educate and nurture the
development of the
whole child.*

Mission Statement:

Well-being:

Ensure a child-safe,
respectful and inclusive
environment that
celebrates achievement,
promotes dignity and
resiliency.

STOMP DANCING:

This week students
have been participating
in Stomp Dance
sessions with Sian.
Each day students have
learnt a new dance.



*Tonight, Thursday
November 21st, to
showcase the students
dancing and hard work
they have put in over the
week, there is a Family
Stomp Dance night
beginning at 7.00pm in
the Multi-Purpose Room. All are welcome to attend.*

(more photos available on the website)

FOUNDATION STUDENT 2020 TRANSITION PROGRAM:

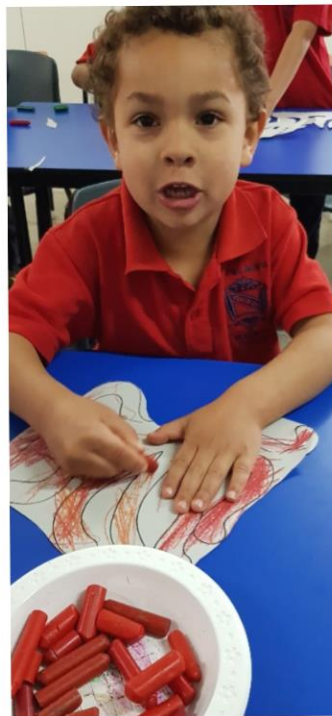
Last Friday, our 2020 Foundation Transition Students enjoyed creating their own unique octopus with Mrs. Cumming in the Art Room. The students have settled in very well to school life.

INVITE:

Tomorrow, Friday November 22nd, we would like to invite our 2020 students to stay with us until 1pm to join in with the Junior Class in our STOMP Dance Program. This is a fun and energetic dance program designed to develop movement and coordination skills.

As Friday November 29th is our last transition day for the year, we would also like to ask students to stay with us until the end of recess (11.30am) on that day. Students should bring their own recess food for this day.

If you would like any further information on our program, please contact the office on 54971116.

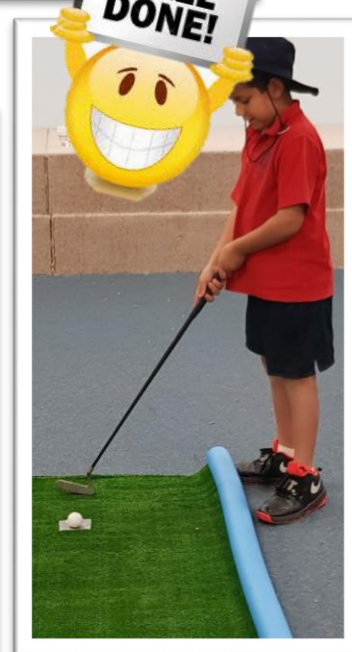


**The MORE that you READ,
the more THINGS you will KNOW.
The MORE that you LEARN,
the more PLACES you'll GO!
- Dr. Seuss**

GRADE 5 & 6 FETE ACTIVITIES DAY:

Last Friday students had the opportunity to take part in the activities the Grade 5 & 6 class had organized for the Fete.

The afternoon started with a delicious BBQ cooked by the P & F. Students were then able to take part in donut eating races, Pringle ping pong, guess the lollies in the jar, mini-golf and an obstacle course. There were a few treats available also! Well Done to the Grade 5/6 class on the fantastic effort you put in to your activities. Thank you also to the parents that helped with construction and delivery of items and to Kate & Jessica for cooking the BBQ.



WHOLE SCHOOL EXCURSION:

On Tuesday December 17th, the whole school will be heading to Halls Gap, including the Halls Gap Zoo, for our whole school excursion. A paper permission form will be sent home to families in the coming weeks.

If you would like to complete the permission form now, it is available, in electronic form, on the Skoolbag App.

If you would like any help accessing the App, please contact Maree in the office, who will guide you through downloading and using the facility.



GRADE SIX HIGH SCHOOL INDUCTION & ORIENTATION:

On **Monday December 2nd**, the Grade Six students will attend Donald High School for an Induction Day and again on **Tuesday December 10th** where they will attend an Orientation Day. On both these days students will spend the whole day at the High School. The students are to go directly to the High School and are dismissed from there. Trust they have enjoyable days.

PRINCIPAL'S AWARD:

This week's Principal Award recipient was: Max.



MERIT AWARDS:

Congratulations Kailie, Zachariah and Larou, who were all acknowledged at assembly Monday morning.



Term 4 Dates:

Thursday November 21st – Family STOMP Dance Night
Friday November 22nd – 2020 Foundation Transition Day 9.00am – 1.00pm
Monday November 25th – Friday December 13th – Swimming Program
Friday November 29th – 2020 Foundation Transition Day 9.00am – 11.30am
Monday December 2nd – Grade 6 Induction Day at Donald High School
Tuesday December 10th – Grade 6 Orientation Day at Donald High School
Thursday December 12th – Sacrament of Reconciliation
Tuesday December 17th – Whole School Excursion to Halls Gap
Wednesday December 18th – LAST DAY OF TERM 4 for students