



Term 4 | Week 9

Monday 3rd November 2018

## Senior School

## NEWSLETTER

### DIARY DATES

#### DECEMBER

Wed 5th: Colour Explosion Fun Run

Fri 7th: Final Day to order grade 6 jumpers.

Mon 10th: Parent Helper afternoon tea

Tues 11th: Grade 6 Transition Day

Wed 12th: Christmas Concert

Fri 14th: Sports Award Day

Mon 17th: Grade 6 Graduation

Wed 19th: Class Parties

Fri 21st: Last Day of School (1:30pm Finish)

#### COLOUR EXPLOSION DAY

This Wednesday is the Colour Explosion Day. Students will need to wear uniform on the day but bring old pants and a white t-shirt to participate. They will be sprayed with colour powder and water on the oval after lunch -a messy event, so be prepared if you're picking up your students in a car!

#### SENIOR TOPS FOR 2019—THIS FRIDAY!!!!

This Friday is the last day to place orders for next year's Grade 6 jumpers. This Thursday the uniform shop will be open for final fittings from 3:15pm in the room opposite the former parents room. **No late entries can be accepted.**

#### SENIOR POLO SHIRTS

Senior polo shirt for 2019 are available for purchase direct from Peninsula Uniforms. You can visit the uniform shop or go directly through Peninsula Uniforms factory at 1/1 Titan Drive, Carrum Downs.

#### END OF YEAR CELEBRATIONS/KRIS KRINGLE

Class parties are scheduled to happen on the last Wednesday of this term. Over the next few weeks we will be sending home a notice about type of food being brought for the day—sweet/savory/fruit. Each grade will also be running its own Kris Kringle. To participate students need to bring a gift of no more than \$10 that would be suitable for either a boy or a girl.

#### BOOK LISTS

Book lists for 2019 were sent home with the grade 5 students last week.

#### GRADUATION

Grade 6 students have been busy preparing their graduation posters and performance. There are a few changes being made this year to be aware of, if you are unsure or have any questions see Mrs Warner.

#### LEADERSHIP

Grade 5s are currently applying for 2019 leadership positions. Next year we will have 2 School Captains (elected by students and teachers), 4 Specialist Captains (Art, Music, Library and Sport) and 4 House Captains (1 for each house). It is hoped that these positions will give students a voice in the school and encourage a proactive approach to students shaping their environment.



## CATCHING UP

**BEACH DAY:** Last Tuesday we enjoyed sun, sand and flat surf at the beach in Mornington. Instructors from Mornington Lifesaving Club conducted water activities such as surf boards, water rescues and water relays. Students also participated in flag races and soccer on the beach. Thank you to Mr Schneider for cooking the sausages and an extra big thank you to Mornington Lifesaving Club for running the day and Mrs Baxter for organizing such a great event.

**LACROSSE:** Over the past 2 weeks our senior students have been fortunate enough to learn about Lacrosse thanks to Bridget from Lacrosse Australia who ran a series of drills and games.

