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### Important Dates

School Board Wednesday 21 June Assembly - Yr 3 Tuesday 27 June

**Principals School** Tour 9.30 am & 6pm **Tuesday 4 July** 

Mass Friday 7 July

**Premier Reading** Challenge ends Friday 7 July

Last day of Term 2 - Normal finish time Friday 7 July

Pupil Free Day Monday 24 July

CTK Quiz Night Saturday 12 August

Term 3 commences **Tuesday 25 July** 

Book Week **Character Parade** 9am Monday 21 August

School Board Wednesday 2 August

**CTK School Photos** Thursday 31 August

Pupil Free Day Monday 16 October

### Christ the King School Concert -Save the date

Wednesday 1 November

Pupil Free Day Thursday 14 December

# From the Principal

### Hello Friends,

As I write this newsletter piece, there are 15 school days remining of this semester. That's nearly 100 days of school completed. It has been fantastic to witness the learning journeys that our students have been on and the progress they have made with their studies - from our youngest Reception students to our oldest Yr 6s and everyone in between.

### **School Tours**

I am pleased to report that the school tour we held on 17 June was a great success. The feedback from attendees was excellent. We will be conducting another tour on 4 July at 9:30am and 6:00 pm. If you know of prospective families or families who are new to the area, please feel free to let them know about our school tour and direct them to the RSVP page on the school website.

### Book a Tour Today

### **Catholic Schools Music Festival**

Our Year 5 and Year 6 students are currently working with Matt Young to prepare themselves for the Catholic Schools Music Festival. Our Yr 5 and Yr 6 students will make up the 700 or so students who perform as the Catholic Schools Music Festival Choir. The Catholic Schools Music Festival runs from 26-29 September 2023. The choir, under Matt Young's guidance is sounding fantastic.

#### **Premiers Reading Challenge**

I remind parents and families that the Premier's Reading Challenge for 2023 finishes on the final day of Term 2, - 7 July. Please make sure that all reading records are complete and are returned to school by this day. We look forward to being able to award students who have completed the challenge later this year.

#### Parent Teacher Interviews cycle in 2024

We are now in the final stages of the parent teacher interviews for Semester 1, 2023. Looking ahead to 2024 for the parent teacher interview and reporting process will look as follows:

Term 1: Parent/Teacher interviews in the second half of Term 1

- Term 2: Written reports at the end of term (and semester)
- Term 3: Parent/Teacher interviews in the second half of Term 3 (optional for families)

Term 4: Written reports at the end of term (and semester)

#### Reports for Semester 1 2023

These documents will come out in the final week of this term, addressing the academic progress and learning dispositions of students. As written about in previous newsletters, we are using the CESA version of these reports via SEQTA. A point of difference regarding these reports from previous semesters is that they will come home via hardcopy rather than being emailed to families. Please be on the lookout for these reports in your child's bag during Wk 10.

# The ultimate victory in competition is derived from the inner satisfaction of knowing that you have done your best and that you have gotten the most out of what you had to give.

### Howard Cosell

Thanks and blessings

Matt Perry

### **APRIM News**

During the year we celebrate many big liturgical events and seasons. Many of us are aware of the big seasons of Lent, Advent, we

celebrate easter and Christmas. If you visit classrooms at this time you will see that the classroom's have green on their sacred spaces/prayer tables. Each season is denoted by a colour: purple, green, red, white/gold. Using the colours helps the church remember the significance or prayer life we are called to at that time. Our prayer spaces are not tied to these times and you may see the following colour: brown for Mary Mackillop, rainbow for school feast day, blue for a baptism theme etc.

Ordinary time is a little confusing because it does not mean 'ordinary' as we know the word today. It comes from the mathematical term-'ordinal- order'. It is during Ordinary time that the church counts the weeks. This week is the 11th Week in Ordinary Time. Ordinary time is when we learn about, read and discuss the teachings of Jesus. Over the coming week at mass you will hear parables, psalms, recounts and any number of the stories about Jesus that we know and love.

Advent = Jesus is Coming Christmas = Jesus is Born Time ! Jesus Teaches Ordinary Jesus will Die and Rise Three Days Jesus Dies Jesus is Cruci Ried

When visiting a classroom or the front office I encourage you to take a note of the predominate colour as they change though the year and thus learn the ebb and flow of the seasons of the church.

### **Community Mass**

We will gather as a community for mass on Friday 7th July 9am. The Yr 2s with Fr Michael will acknowledge the beginning of NAIDOC week through their prayers on the day. All members of our community are invited to join us.

### Teresa Pascoe

Assistant Principal - Religious Identity and Mission)

### Library News

### PREMIERS READING CHALLENGE

The closing date is coming closer - 7th July (Last day of Term2). All finished forms need to be returned to the classroom - PLEASE do not return to the office as this is not as secure as returning to the classroom storage tub.

Teresa Pascoe Teacher/Librarian



# Nationally Consistent Collection of Data on School Students with a Disability (NCCD)





Dear Parents, Guardians and Carers

Re: Nationally Consistent Collection of Data on School Students with Disability (NCCD)

Every year, all schools in Australia participate in the Nationally Consistent Collection of Data on School Students with Disability (NCCD). The NCCD process requires schools to identify information already available in the school about supports provided to students with disability. These relate to legislative requirements under the *Disability Discrimination Act 1992* and the Disability Standards for Education 2005, in line with the *NCCD guidelines* (2019).

Information provided about students to the Australian Government for the NCCD includes:

- year of schooling
- category of disability: physical, cognitive, sensory or social/emotional
- level of adjustment provided: support provided within quality differentiated teaching practice, supplementary, substantial or extensive.

This information assists schools to:

- formally recognise the supports and adjustments provided to students with disability in schools
- · consider how they can strengthen the support of students with disability in schools
- develop shared practices so that they can review their learning programs in order to improve educational
  outcomes for students with disability.

The NCCD provides state and federal governments with the information they need to plan more broadly for the support of students with disability.

The NCCD will have no direct impact on your child and your child will not be involved in any testing process. The school will provide data to the Australian Government in such a way that no individual student will be able to be identified – the privacy and confidentiality of all students is ensured. All information is protected by privacy laws that regulate the collection, storage and disclosure of personal information. To find out more about these matters, please refer to the <u>Australian Government's Privacy Policy</u> (<u>https://www.education.gov.au/privacy-policy</u>).

Further information about the NCCD can be found on the NCCD Portal (https://www.nccd.edu.au).

If you have any questions about the NCCD, please contact the school.

Kind regards

Matt Perry

Principal

### PE - Mr Young



We have had a wonderful start to the year in PE with games, carnivals and sports to play.

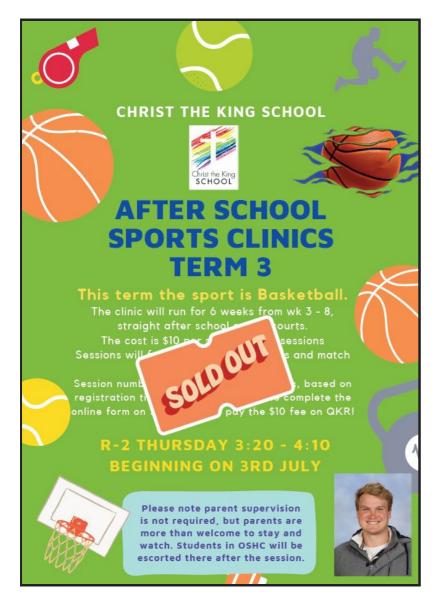
In our junior classes we have created open ended games and been rule makers and players. We also worked on developing our large

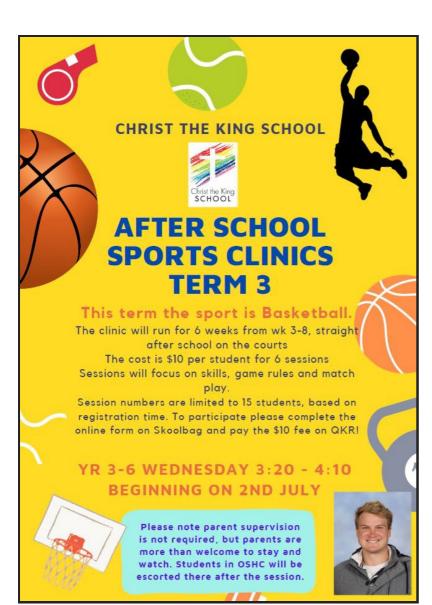
and small ball skills and explored spatial awareness through invasion games.

Our middle and senior students played Lacrosse and Netball with a focus on game play and umpiring, and we enjoyed lots of invasion tag games for the fun of running around.

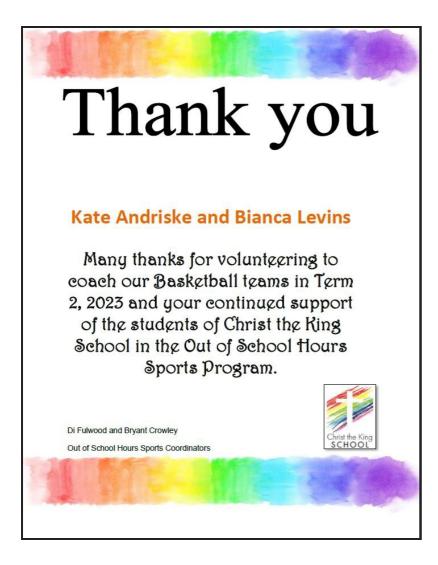
We prepared for sports day and developed new events and enjoyed some regular favourites. Our winter terms are going be great for all types of football.

# Sporting News





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## Thank you!



Thanks so much to our wonderful P and F for funding some incredible instruments, purchased through Winston Music for our music programme. We now have a full xylophone orchestra which will provide amazing learning and some lovely music. Thanks P and F!!!

### CTK Calendar



CTK School Calendar can now be accessed through the Audiri App.

Instructions on how to install Audiri





### Qkr! payment app



To assist families the following payments can be made on Qkr!

- Lunch Orders (available on Wednesday's)
- After School Sport

How to use Qkr!

Audiri - Previously SkoolBag

# Install the App in 4 easy steps!

The free Audiri school app offers parents a convenient way to stay up-to-date with the school calendar, last-minute forms, newsletters, all school communications, and even make cashless payments. With Audiri, you can get started in just a few minutes by following these simple steps:

> Open the Apple App Store or the Google Play Store and search for 'Audiri'. Install the app.

Create an account and follow the prompts. Click 'Sign up'. Enter your email address, create a password and click on 'Sign up'. A confirmation email will be sent to confirm your account. Open the confirmation email and confirm your account.

Open the app, and click 'Add/Remove'. Type your school's name and press enter.

4.

Tap the + icon to add. Now you can see your school, under My Schools & Services.



# Search Audiri in the app store





audiri.com.au

### How to install the Audiri app

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Parent Communications Page

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# SOFTBALL



# Come and Try Softball School Holiday Clinic

Friday 15 July 8.30am - 3.30pm Diamond Sports Barratt Reserve, West Beach

# **FREE CLINIC**

Lunch and equipment Included

More Info

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