WEDNESDAY 17 FEBRUARY 2021 WEEK 4, TERM 1

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Weekly Newsletter Telephone (08) 8725 5455 Email: news@tenison.catholic.edu.au **TENISON WOODS** www.tenison.catholic.edu.au COLLEGE Cricos Provider Code: 01751G ABN 25 508 850 572 Beginning of Year Mass

On Thursday morning 11 February, at the picturesque Marist Park, the Tenison Woods College community came together for the Beginning of Year Mass. This was a significant event for the College as it was the first time in 12 months we have been able to gather as a whole school community to celebrate the Eucharist. Continuing a cherished tradition, the Reception students were escorted into their very first Mass at the College by their Year 12 buddies. Symbolising the beginning and the end of the students' educational journeys, each of them special and significant in their own individual way. Fr Dean challenged all members of the Mass to make the ordinary moments extraordinary, aligning with the College's call to action this year. The newly elected Year 6, Year 9 and Year 12 leaders were also blessed and commissioned as they begin their leadership roles in the school community.

Chloe Shanahan | Religious Education Coordinator



From The Principal

Opening Whole School Mass - Making the Ordinary Extraordinary in 2021

As detailed above, the Beginning of Year Mass on Thursday assisted us to reflect on the College theme for 2021, where we will endeavour to make the ordinary extraordinary! Mary MacKillop encouraged her sisters to see the sacred in the ordinariness of our lives, whereas Mother Teresa asked her sisters "Do ordinary things with extraordinary love." This reflection by Mother Teresa has become our altar banner for 2021. Father Dean in his homily encouraged us to look for and acknowledge the presence of God in our life. This year we look forward to a year of the extraordinary, inspired by our faith in God.

Swimming Success

I extend an immense congratulations to our Interschool Swimming team who came away with their 7th consecutive Interschool win and two broken records on Friday 12 February in Bordertown. I am proud of the students on their outstanding achievement in the pool, as well as their outstanding representation outside of the pool.

Working Bee - Thank You!

A big thank you to the 55 students, parents and staff who attended the College's first Working Bee for 2021, which was held on Saturday 13 February. The volunteers helped to bark the school's play areas and oval garden beds, as well as paint the Early Learning & Community Centre external woodwork and seating near the library.

Making the ordinary extraordinary at Tenison Woods College

From The Principal continued...

60 cubic metres of playground bark, 30 cubic metres of landscape bark, 10 cubic metres of sand and 3 cubic metres of mulch was placed on the play areas and garden beds.

I am always heartened to see families in our community contribute their time and talents and demonstrate their school pride - making the ordinary extraordinary! It was also wonderful to see the number of parents who brought their children with the intent of teaching them what it means to be part of a community and doing their bit to make things happen in a community.

This is a very significant life lesson and I am glad that the working bee was a vehicle to model and teach this to our young. Thank you - your efforts have made a great start to the year!

Lenten Season and Project Compassion - Be More

On Tuesday 16 February we celebrated Shrove Tuesday with our pancake fundraising day. Today, Wednesday 17 February, we engage in Ash Wednesday liturgies, marking the start of Lent; the season in which we prepare for Easter.

Students are being encouraged in class to develop a communal action during the Lenten season to bring about change in our world. Fundraising throughout the six weeks of Lent will contribute to Caritas Australia's Project Compassion Campaign. Once again, this Lent Caritas Australia calls us to support Project Compassion under the theme of Be More. Supporting Project Compassion is a way we can proclaim the faith that is in our hearts and help our brothers and sisters in need. During Lent, we are invited to take up the call to fast, pray and give alms - in solidarity as a global community.

Put simply, our commitment to marginalised people is a direct response to the Christian call to 'act justly, love mercifully, and walk humbly with our God.'

Junior School Morning Play

Junior School Morning Play has been a wonderful success. I remind families of the following approach to be used:

8:20am - Tenison Woods College Junior School Staff and Support Staff commence morning duty as per the yard duty roster. Students arrive at the College from 8:20am and may play on the playground.

8:35am - The first bell/music sounds. Staff on yard duty begin to support students in the yard to leave play equipment, to get organised for class which includes going to the toilet and washing hands, ready to start the school day with their class teacher.

8:40am - The second bell/music sounds and the students are in classrooms ready to commence learning.

We ask parents to note the following to assist with the safety of all community members:

- All year levels play in their allocated playground zone
- All ball games are to be played in areas allocated for ball games
- Walkways are to be kept clear

• Non-school aged siblings are supervised by parents/carers on playgrounds that are suitable and safe for their age.

We will review the approach as we 'live' the experience of morning play, so we look forward to your feedback and suggestions as we proceed this term.

Ensuring our school is a safe place for all

As the school year commences I want to assure all parents and carers of our absolute commitment to ensuring that Tenison Woods College is a safe place for all. I say to students as I visit classes that my most important job as Principal is to keep all our students, staff and parents safe. As such:

- Our staff are committed and trained to protect the children and young people in our care.
- All staff and regular volunteers have current police checks.
- We teach our children age-appropriate strategies to keep themselves safe through South Australia's Keeping Safe Child Protection Curriculum.
- Staff complete certification and undertake regular updated training in Responding to Abuse and Neglect in Education and Care Settings.
- We also promote strategies to minimise bullying and help students stay safe online.

You can read more about our commitment to the wellbeing of your child on our website http://www.tenison.catholic.edu.au/enrolment/policies

Additional information about the broader protection policies of Catholic Education SA can be found on their website. <u>https://www.cesa.catholic.edu.au/our-schools/safe-environments-for-all</u>

The website also includes links to online resources for parents and students on a range of topics including anxiety, depression, bullying and how to support your child.

If you have any questions or concerns about child safety please contact Tania Sigley, Director of Wellbeing.

Need a tutor? Studiosity is our free online tutoring service

I remind families that students of Tenison Woods College in Years 7-12 have access to a free online tutoring service. Students are able to connect to expert tutors for live, one-to-one conversations about homework, assignments and exam preparation from 3:00pm – 10:00pm Monday to Friday. Give it a try – I know you will appreciate the service offered by Studiosity!

God Bless,

David Mezinec | Princpal

From the Deputy Principal



There is a wonderful feel as I move around the College with students settled into classes and participating in some great learning experiences. Highlights for me this week have been watching the continuous stream of students purchasing and eating pancakes on Shrove Tuesday and attending many of the liturgies on Ash Wednesday to mark the start of Lent.

Just a couple of reminders regarding signing in and out of the College:

Signing in and out Process

Please remember that if your child arrives at school after 8.45am they will need to produce a note explaining their absence and they will need to sign in at one of the two sign in spots which are the Front Office or the PRC Office. These are the ONLY sign in places in the school. Students cannot go straight to classrooms as rolls are done at 8:40am. We understand this can be challenging for parents who are running late, but it is a duty of care that needs to be followed. The same applies for families leaving the school early. Students need a note and must sign out at the Front Office or the PRC.

QR Codes

Parents and Carers of the College are reminded that we currently have two sign-in procedures in operation for visitors onsite. The usual Tenison Woods College sign in is our record of visitors on our site. In addition to this, SA Health has rolled out the COVID Safe Check-in system in all schools across the state. You will notice the QR code check-in system at various locations around the school – particularly in areas of parent traffic, i.e. Junior School classrooms, PRC admin, Main Office Admin and Staff Workrooms.

- All adults (including staff and parents) entering the site must check-in by scanning the QR code or completing the paper recording log template located in each admin area. Only one check-in per day is necessary.
- Children and students (including adult students) do not need to check-in. Their attendance is recorded in normal record keeping procedures at the school and can be easily made available to SA Health for contact tracing purposes if required.

I thank you for your cooperation and commitment to following these protocols.

Michelle Coote | Deputy Principal

CIM Team News

Shrove Tuesday and Ash Wednesday mark the beginning of Lent



As we prepare for the season of Lent which begins today, Ash Wednesday, we first celebrate Shrove Tuesday or Pancake Day as it is commonly known. On Tuesday 16 February, approximately 1000 pancakes were cooked and served with the money raised being donated to Project Compassion.

Traditionally, people have used Shrove Tuesday to consume all of the luxury food items in their house in readiness to fast and to live simply during Lent. A special thanks goes to the team at the Sugarloaf Cafe for preparing the pancake mix (a recipe handed down to Jenny Vanikiotis from her father), the CIM Team, volunteer Denise Richardson, Mr Edwards, Miss Asimakopoulos and the Year 9, 10 and 11 students for cooking the pancakes. Thank you also to the Year 9 and 12 student leaders for assisting in serving the R-7 classes and the College community at recess time.

Today we marked the beginning of Lent, with Ash Wednesday liturgies for all students from Early Learning to Year 12. All staff and students were marked with ash as an outward sign of the inward changes we try to make as we journey towards Easter. We acknowledge that we all have things we can do during Lent to grow closer to God through the Lenten themes of prayer, giving to others and going without things we may not need.

Project Compassion

During Lent, students will be involved in fundraising for 'Project Compassion', which is run by Caritas Australia. Each week during Lent there will be themes and stories of people who have had their lives changed by the money that has been raised through this Lenten fundraiser in previous years. Each family will receive a Project Compassion box and we encourage everyone to make donations into the box during Lent and then return it to the College by the end of the term. For families who may not receive a Project Compassion box and would like one, please collect them from either the Front Office, the PRC Office or through your child's class teacher.

Youth Mass, Staff / Board Commissioning Mass & Ritual of Remembrance

This weekend, the Tenison Woods College Staff and School Board will be commissioned at both the 6.00pm Saturday 20 February Mass and the 11.00am Sunday 21 February Mass. The young people of our Parish will lead the music and the readings at the Saturday Mass, as they will on the third Saturday of each month, followed by Youth Group. The young people preparing to receive the sacraments will also participate in the Ritual of Remembrance at both masses this weekend.

Sacramental Preparation Program

A reminder that families involved in the program must attend the first session tomorrow, Thursday 18 February, at either 4:30pm-5:45pm OR 6:45pm-8:00pm at St Paul's Hall.

Family Mass

Family Masses are held on the 4th Sunday of the month at 11:00am at St Paul's Church, Penola Road. The next Family Mass will be held on Sunday 28 February. Please contact either myself or Cisca Teodoro at mgpsacraments@bigpond.com if you would like to be involved in this.

Term 1 Masses at the College Chapel

A Mass is held each Thursday of the term and is led by a different class or year level each week. Mass is held at 9:15am in the College Chapel. Until further notice, due to current restrictions, only staff members and students of the College are permitted to attend.

The Roster for Term 1 Masses:

Week 4	Thursday 18 February – Year 11
Week 5	Thursday 25 February – Year 4/5
Week 6	Thursday 4 March – Year 10
Week 7	Thursday 11 March – Year 8
Week 8	Thursday 18 March – Year 9
Week 9	Thursday 25 March – Year 6
Week 10	Holy Thursday – no Mass
Week 11	Thursday 8 April – Year 7

Chloe Shanahan | Religious Education Coordinator



2022 Year 7 & 8 Information Evening - Millicent

The College invites prospective parents and students in the Millicent area to join us on Wednesday 10 March for the Tenison Woods College 2022 Year 7 and 8 Information evening at 7:15pm in the St Francis Building at St Anthony's Catholic Primary School.

We look forward to sharing with you the exciting things happening at Tenison Woods College in our Middle school.

If you would like further information, please contact me, Tracey Davey, at <u>davet@tenison.catholic.edu.au</u> or 8725 5455.

Tracey Davey | Enrolment Registrar/Office Manager







Year 7-12 Athletics Carnival POSTPONED

Due to the hot weather forecast for this week, all athletics events scheduled for Tuesday and Thursday lunchtimes and the 7-12 Athletics Carnival on Friday have been postponed until next week.

The revised program is;

Monday 22 February: 1500m at lunchtime Wednesday 24 February: Hurdles at lunchtime Thursday 25 February: 800m at lunchtime

Friday 26 February: Athletics Carnival - Marist Park all day

A full Athletics Carnival program with all times, events and locations will be placed on the Tenison Woods College website later this week.

lan Ross | 7-12 Health and Physical Education Coordinator / 7-12 Sports Coordinator / Physical Education / Outdoor Education teacher



Sports Uniform Updates

In 2021, Tenison Woods College will be participating in a broad range of local, regional and state-wide sports competitions and carnivals. Last year in the secondary level (Years 8-12), a total of 427 individual representations were made across all SESSSA affiliated sports representing 45 individual sports teams spread over 13 different sports.

Students are provided opportunities to represent the College and wear their sports uniforms proudly. Pictured below are the uniforms students will be wearing when representing the College. These uniforms are supplied by the Sports Department at each event.

Specifically in Term 1 the sports include Athletics, Swimming, Cricket, Tennis and Netball. Term 2 and 3 will witness Football, Soccer, Futsal Soccer, Basketball, Netball, Hockey, Touch, Volleyball and Golf. Term 4 rounds off the year with more Basketball, Netball, Cricket, Tennis and Golf. Students can obtain information on registrations in the daily bulletins.

Ian Ross | 7-12 Health and Physical Education Coordinator / 7-12 Sports Coordinator / Physical Education / Outdoor Education teacher





7th Consecutive Win For Interschool Swimming Team

On Friday 12 February, the College's Interschool Swimming team travelled to Bordertown to compete against Mount Gambier High School, Grant High School, St Martins Lutheran College and Bordertown High School. The day started off well, with Tenison placing 1st in the first event of the tournament. As the day progressed, the team continued to swim well, with a final tally of 34 first places, 18 second places and 7 third places. The team returned to school with their 7th consecutive Interschool Swimming win, finishing 104 points above second place! Our students were also awarded with all four age group trophies in U/14, U/15, U/16 and U/20.

Our Open Girls Kiah Connolly, Emma O'Callaghan, Ashleigh Spicer and Hayley Pearson broke two records in the U/20 Freestyle Relay and the U/20 Medley Relay. The previous record for the Freestyle Relay was 2:15.60, set by Grant High School in 1988. Our girls beat this record with a time of 2:12.78. The old record for the Medley Relay was set by Tenison in 2017 with a time of 2:29.22. The U/20 girls smashed this record with a time of 2:23.90. Congratulations girls on your determination!

Emily Dawe | Sports Administration Trainee



Kyle Maney Secures Carpentry Apprenticeship

Congratulations to 2021 Year 12 student Kyle Maney on securing a carpentry apprenticeship with McManus Builders. Kyle was offered the apprenticeship after leaving an impression during a two week trial this month. Kyle has completed a TAFE course, Certificate II in Construction Pathways as part of Year 11. In addition to this, at the start of 2020 he obtained a school-based retail traineeship working at BOC Gas, which also involved completing Certificate III in retail, while also doing his research project for Year 12 via the Flexible Learning Program (FLP) at the College. Kyle is hoping to complete a business and drafting course in the future.

The College congratulates Kyle on all his achievements, the College wishes him all the best for his bright future. Kyle would like to sincerely thank all the teachers involved for all their help along the way.

AMEB Music Exam Success

Last year in late November, five of the College's music students sat an Australian Music Examination Board exam. Recently these students received their results and their outstanding scores are as follows:

Zoe Aberle - Grade 6 Rockschool Vocal Exam - Distinction

Jake Parker - Grade 1 Rockschool Vocal Exam – Merit Gabriel Strachan - Grade 5 AMEB Piano Exam - Honours

Lily Tucker - Grade 4 AMEB Piano Exam - Credit

Maixence Williams - Grade 7 Rockschool Vocal Exam - Distinction

The College and families alike are extremely proud of the students' efforts and congratulate them on their amazing achievements.



Tenison Claims the Howard Mutton Trophy Once Again

Howard Mutton has been involved with participation in Physical Education and sport for over 20 years. During his time as the Head of the Physical Education branch, Superintendent of Health and Physical Education, and the President of the SA Secondary Schools Sport Association, Mr Mutton has influenced many people to participate and enjoy Physical Education and sport.

The Howard Mutton awards are presented to schools in South Australia that have outstanding participation within the School Sport SA Secondary Programs. For 2020, the Country School Winner of the Howard Mutton Perpetual Shield was Tenison Woods College. This is the sixth consecutive year that the College has received the award, and the eighth time overall.

Pictured above: 2021 Sports Leaders Lucy Denton and Kiah Connolly with the Howard Mutton Trophy

Emily Dawe |Sports Administration Trainee



Young Cricketers Have a Blast

Blast Cricket has officially commenced for 2021 at Tenison Woods College. The Reception and Year One students are having a wonderful time learning and brushing up on their cricket skills in the afterschool Blast Cricket Program. The students are playing mini games, learning how to bowl, catch, field and bat and be part of a team. A big thank you goes to the Year 9 students who have helped set up the activities each week – Sam Domaschenz, Rajat Pandey, Jared Kuhl, Jayden Prior and Year 7 student Harry Bell. It has been great to see older students connect with younger students of the school and share their skills.

Tina Opperman | Year 5 Teacher / R-6 Sports Coordinator



See the Community Noticeboard for posters and notices of upcoming events within our College, and wider community. Please click <u>here</u> to view this page.





College Families Among 50 New Australian Citizens in the Region

It was a proud day for five Tenison Woods College families who received their Australian citizenship last month. Students and their families were presented with their Australian citizenship at the Sir Robert Helpmann Theatre on Australia Day. For some it has been years of uncertainty, but all have had an abundance of determination and resilience during the journey of applying and receiving their citizenship.

While many of us take our citizenship for granted, it was a privilege to witness the happiness and joy of our most recent Australians as they received their certificate. The stability this offers as well as the possibility now of travelling back to visit families (when COVID safe) is undeniably precious for the families. We congratulate them all and pray that they always find peace, safety and hope in the land they have chosen to call home.

Congratulations to the following families for becoming Australian citizens:

- Esther Mbuyu (Year 3), Marie Onema (Year 5), Therese Pajanga (Year 6) and Desire Kinyamba (Year 7)
- Edel Dunne (ELC Educator) and Connor Dunne, parents to Sophie Dunne (Reception)
- David Kulimushi (Year 2), Eddy Kahorao (Year 5), Esaie Kulimushi (Year 6), Nadia Munguakwokwa (Year 12), Lidya Mungu-Ashuze (ELC Educator and 2020 Year 12 graduate)
- Mboyo Ndjeke (FLP), Astride Ndjeka (Year 12), Asunga Ndjeka (employed as a cleaner at the College)
- Lauren Jones (Year 5)

Suzanne Pepe | EAL/D Teacher, Snr School Pathways Coordinator/EAL/D, Mainstream EAL/D support

Photos courtesy of Mount Gambier City Council





Astride Ndjeke Year 12







David, Eddy, Esaie, Nadia, Lidva







Esther, Marie, Therese, Desire with fathe



8/9 T20 Cricket

The Tenison Woods College 8/9 Cricket team ventured to Grant High School on Tuesday 16 February to take on the hosts after they defeated St Martin's earlier in the day in the Knockout Twenty20 competition. Captain Jayden Prior won the toss and elected to bat. Ashton Lindner and Robbie Case opened for the College and got the scoring to 21 before Ashton was run out. Jayden Prior then came in and managed to make 26 with Jed Sims following to make 16. Jared Kuhl brought his power hitting to the game and both him and Robbie Case put on a 72 run partnership to steer the team to a total of 159 runs. Robbie batted through to finish on 61 not out and Jared finished on 40. The team followed up their batting with an impressive bowling display across the 20 overs with Grant finishing on 6/66. Wickets were spread right across the bowlers with Zac Zema and Ollie Fitzgerald taking their first wickets for the College.

Brad Maney | HPE Teacher & Year 9 Wellbeing Coordinator



There's a Lot To Love

The Year 12 cohort was greeted with a delightful arrangement of balloons and sweets upon entering their Common Room on Monday, marking the celebration of Valentine's Day organised by College Leaders Sarah McKinnon and Austin Rossi. Coinciding with best wishes for those students celebrating a January birthday, in combined home group Wellbeing leader Sophie Skeer presented the cohort with heart cut-outs upon which to write 'anything [they] love about the College.' The icing on top of this joyous morning came at recess time, when students helped themselves to Valentine's Day cup cakes made especially for them by Year 12 home group teacher Jen McCourt, who also enlisted the help and creativity of her mother, Helen, who was a very talented cake decorator in her hey-day. The individually crafted designs certainly brought smiles to many young faces as friends shared in the goodies that were 'too pretty to eat.' Our deep gratitude to the bakers, the student leaders and the support of Ciaran Buckley.

Marilena Wilson | CIM (10-12), Year 12 Wellbeing Coordinator, LAC English



School Fees

School fees for Semester 1 have now been charged out. Statement/invoices will be sent out to families by the end of this week.

A reminder to families about our early payment discount offer of 5% off the Tuition Fee. This offer is available to all full fee paying families who pay their full years fees by 28 February 2021. If you would like to take advantage of this offer, please contact our Finance Team on 8725 5455 or email <u>accounts@tenison.</u> <u>catholic.edu.au</u> to advise your intentions and confirm the payment amount. To be eligible for the 5% discount, no other discounts will apply (excluding sibling discounts) and full payment must be received by the school by 28 February 2021.

If you haven't already contacted us regarding a payment plan for your fees, please email <u>accounts@tenison.catholic.edu.au</u> and one of our Finance Team will be in contact with you. We offer payment plans monthly, fortnightly or weekly through Direct Debit or you can set a payment up through your internet banking. Payment plans are calculated to ensure your school fees are paid off by the end of the current year.

Now is the time to be applying for School Card if you are eligible. Please contact a member of our Finance team by emailing <u>accounts@tenison.catholic.edu.au</u> to obtain an application form, or alternatively you can now apply online at <u>https://online.forms.sa.edu.au/content/forms/af/public/application-for-schoolcard.html</u>. Please be sure to select "Tenison Woods College" as your school.

Neal Turley | Business Manager



Project Recology

Tenison Woods College is excited to announce that the Project Recology space is completely up and running for 2021. With Ecology and Sustainability Education Support Staff Member Callum Unger at the helm, anything is possible! The College has already seen some creative projects produced, including beautiful decorative pieces made especially for Valentine's Day. Additionally, the Junior Poplars in their Sustainability and Community Engagement lesson worked on the final touches of their soap holders. What great examples of what can be produced from recycled plastic!



Knockout Tennis

In very hot conditions the College's Open Girls and Boys participated in Knockout Tennis at Olympic Park against St Martins College, Grant High School and Millicent High School. All students were competitive against their opposition, with the Girls winning all three matches and progressing through to play in the next round in Adelaide.

Congratulations to all students for their terrific attitude all day. There were no complaints about the conditions and impressive sportsmanship was shown. The Girls team comprised Jess Stutley, Emily Jolley, Tess Kenseley, Aleisha Pearson and Jorja Mitchell. The Boys team comprised Noah Gazzard, Reuben Van Eyk, Jonty Collins and Finn Kenseley.

Chris Lloyd | Teacher / CIM 7 9 Leader

Upcoming Events:

Thursday 18 February

 Sacrament Family Session, 3:45pm - 5:45pm or 6:45pm - 8:00pm, St Paul's Hall

Friday 19 February

- SAPSASA District Swimming Day, Penola
- Junior School Assembly, Tenison Woods College Barrie Holmes Stadium, Year 3 - 6: 2:05pm to 2:35pm, Rec - Year 2: 2:40pm to 3:10pm

Saturday 20 February

Youth Mass - Liturgy of the Word for Children and Staff Commissioning, 6:00pm, St Paul's Church

Sunday 21 February

 Parish Mass - Liturgy of the Word for Children and Staff Commissioning, 11:00am, St Paul's Church

Monday 22 February

- Year 10 Personal Learning Plan Session 2, 12:00pm 3:20pm
- Open Boys Cricket, Marist Park
- Athletics Carnival 1500m Sprint, lunchtime

Tuesday 23 February

- Catholic Co-Ed Swimming Carnival, 6:00pm 9:00pm, Adelaide
- LBI Parent Information Session: The Challenges and Adventures, 7:00pm, Staffroom

Wednesday 24 February

- College Board Meeting, 7:00pm, Tenison Woods College Boardroom
- Year 10 Outdoor Surf Camp to Robe
- Athletics Carnival Hurdles, lunchtime

Friday 26 February

• Year 7 - Year 12 Athletics Carnival, Marist Park *NEW DATE*

Uniform Shop Opening Hours

If you are needing new uniform items for the 2021 school year, visit the Uniform Shop during the trading hours below:

Tuesdays 8:00AM - 12:00PM Thursdays 1:00PM - 5:00PM

The uniform shop will be closed on Tuesday 9 March as this is a student free day.

To view the Uniform Policy click here https://bit.ly/3iQLPJZ To place an order for uniform items, visit the link here https://bit.ly/3lBouxF

Please note:

Due to COVID, there may be stock level issues for some items. Thank you for your patience.

QKR! App Important Reminders

When using the QKR! App for canteen orders, please be reminded of the following points. The Canteen have noticed an increase of errors, so please take care when ordering. User accuracy is extremely important when using the QKR! App. Please be vigilant with student name, and class. If you have made a mistake, you can click profile on the QKR home page, and edit the student's profile.

- Only 1 Order Per Child (please don't order for siblings using 1 child's name, each child needs their own unique profile)
- If child goes home sick, please let the Front Office know that they had a canteen order for that day (or phone the canteen directly on 8724 4607 to notify). Any children who are sick, without the canteen being notified prior to recess time will forfeit their order.
- Once orders are placed on the App, no changes can be made to the order.

Leanne Sandow | Canteen Manager

Shrove Tuesday

































Beginning of Year Mass

































Working Bee































PARENT CONNECTION OPPORTUNITIES

AT TENISON WOODS COLLEGE

TERM 1



LBI - The Challenges and Adventures of Primary School: A Parent's Guide Tuesday 23 February, 7:00pm @ Staffroom

Families are welcome to join us at the College for an LBI Parent Connection night in the Staffroom. Alternatively, you can choose to watch the webinar in the comfort of your home. For more information including the Zoom meeting link and password, click the link here: <u>https://bit.ly/3tYITC7</u>



Wellbeing And Success From The Start Of Secondary School: What Parents and Caregivers Can Do Tuesday 2 March, 7:00pm @ Staffroom

Families are welcome to join us at the College for an LBI Parent Connection night in the Staffroom. Alternatively, you can choose to watch the webinar in the comfort of your home. For more information including the Zoom meeting link and password, click the link here: https://bit.ly/3pf4MJG



Reception Reading Session Tuesday 16 March, 7:00pm @ MacKillop Reception Building

Come along and learn how to assist your child with their reading. Supported by Hayley Morgan.



LBI - Children and Young People Who Shut Down And Avoid Talking: What Parents and Caregivers Can Do Tuesday 23 March, 7:00pm @ Staffroom

Families are welcome to join us at the College for an LBI Parent Connection night in the Staffroom. Alternatively, you can choose to watch the webinar in the comfort of your home. For more information including the Zoom meeting link and password, click the link here: https://bit.ly/3jSDYOg



Parent Teacher Interviews Tuesday 30 March, Time/s and Locations T.B.A.