



Ephesians 2:20 "...built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, with Christ Jesus himself as the chief cornerstone."

WHAT'S ON

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Head of Primary



I thank Christ Jesus our Lord, who has strengthened me, because He considered me faithful, putting me into service.
1 Timothy 1:12

This week, St Peters Springfield celebrated the ten year work anniversary of our

Principal, Ms Jill Lange-Mohr. It was on 18 July 2007 that Jill commenced her challenge to start a second Prep – Year 12 school under the St Peters banner.

From the beginning, Jill showed passion for her role and brought with her skills from many different pathways. Prior to the start of the 2008 year, many hours were spent employing new staff members, inspiring parents to send their children to St Peters, creating spaces for our Founding students to learn, and developing relationships with others in the greater Springfield community.

I first met Jill in August 2007, when she asked me to visit her at the Education City site. Walking into her corner office, Jill shared her vision and passion for the future of St Peters Springfield and wanted me to join the team. Who could resist such vision for the future! For each one of us who has joined the Springfield team over the past ten years, it has been due to Jill's inspiration and influence. Under her leadership, we have all shown dedication in creating an excellent Christian co-educational school in the Springfield area.



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To celebrate this milestone, our students from Prep – Year 12 joined together to share stories, memories, cards and say thank you to her for her dedication throughout the years. In talking to students, they have shared that Jill is always friendly, kind and makes them feel valued in the school community.

Thank you Ms Lange-Mohr for your faithfulness.

Debbie West-McInnes, Head of Primary



Ms Lange-Mohr receiving a 10-year memory box.

PLUSULTRA SHORT STORY COMPETITION IS BACK!

THE TIME HAS COME FOR YEARS 5-12 STUDENTS

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FOR COMPETITION GUIDELINES

**SUBMISSION DEADLINE:
9PM, FRIDAY 25 AUGUST**

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MINISTRY

Walkin' Down the Road

*O stay by my side,
Jesus, you be my guide,
Don't you know
How I trust in you.
Show me where I should call,
Pick me up when I fall,
As I'm walkin'
Down the road with you.*

One of my favourite activities is to go walking with my husband. Whether it is a strenuous hike through a national park or just a stroll around our suburb, walks are an important part of our relationship. Walking is a time when we connect and talk. We tend to have big conversations on our walks: about dreams, goals and plans; about frustrations and disappointments. The movement of walking together helps us connect.

Robin Mann's song, 'Walkin' Down the Road', imagines our lives as going on a walk with God. Life goes through its ups and downs, so having God walk beside us helps us weather the difficulties and celebrate the joys. The song reminds us that there are times we stumble; times that we don't know which path to choose. Our walk in this world isn't about seeking perfection or expecting that life will always be happy and sunny. Rather, we trust that God will walk alongside us, guiding us and supporting us through whatever happens.

God, walk alongside of us through the joys and challenges of life. Thank you for being our constant companion as we journey through life. Amen.

Kirstin Munchenberg, Indooroopilly Chaplain

SPY

St Peters Youth (Years 7–12) is going bowling!

We will meet at AMF Bowling, 407 Archerfield Road, Richlands.

Please bring \$20 to cover bowling plus some money for food.

**Friday 21 July
6–9pm**

**AMF Bowling Centre
407 Archerfield Road,
Richlands**

Please contact Pastor Matt Wilksch for more details. Come along for a fun Friday Night!



TAPESTRY UNVEILING CEREMONY



On Tuesday 18 July, Secondary students and staff attended the unveiling ceremony of the Tapestry by Mrs Judith Hill.

This work is *La Liseuse* (Young Girl Reading), a painting by Jean Honoré Fragonard.

We sincerely thank Mrs Hill for the hundreds of hours she put in to this gift, made possible by the generous donation of \$1,000 from the Hynes family.

Year 9 Me Day!

On Wednesday 12 July, Year 9 students participated in a celebration of 'me', which involved delving into personal and career development.

The morning started with messages relating to Ironbark, goal setting and special staff guest speakers who spoke about their unique and interesting career pathways!

We were fortunate to enjoy a visit from TAFE representatives to deliver their 'Discover my Future' program. These one-hour sessions are aimed at helping young people plan for their future by investigating a wide range of career opportunities and pathways, and identifying the skills and personal qualities required.

Throughout the morning, students became increasingly animated about the options available to them and were very keen to look at subjects they can choose next year to start making their goals and plans a reality.



It was a great morning and all the more rewarding hearing the external presenters comment on the sophistication and politeness of our Year 9 cohort. What a great bunch of students they are!

**Sarah Johnson
Careers and Guidance Counsellor**

Nationally Consistent Collection of Data

Schools across Australia are once again taking part in the Nationally Consistent Collection of Data on School Students with a Disability.

From 2015, it has been mandatory for this information to be collected in every school across Australia annually. The aim is to provide better information about students with a disability in school settings.

It is a requirement for all schools to contribute to this data collection in the August census and, as a school, we will provide the government with non-identifying information about students with a disability in our setting.

If you have had conversations with teachers about classroom adjustments, or you have identified your child to the school as having a disability, your child may be included in the data collection.

The term disability for the purposes of this data collection is quite varied. It includes individuals

needing assistance, including those of the following nature:

- Medical: e.g. diabetes, anaphylaxis, epilepsy, etc;
- Learning: e.g. significant speech delay, dyslexia, ADHD;
- Physical: e.g. Cerebral Palsy, Spina Bifida, Muscular Dystrophy; and
- Sensory: e.g. significant hearing and/or vision impairment.

Further information is available at:

<http://education.gov.au/nationally-consistent-collection-data-school-students-disability>

Further information on the Commonwealth Department of Education and Training privacy policy can be found at:

<https://www.education.gov.au/privacy-policy>

The 2017 information fact sheet for parents and carers can be found at:

<https://docs.education.gov.au/node/32685>

YEAR 8 PRODUCTION

Murder Mystery Mayhem



After a semester of planning, creating, writing and rehearsing, Year 8 students began Semester 2 with a week of intensive workshops to further refine their skills in readiness for their performances.

Students worked with actor, Lauren Jackson, from Queensland Theatre Company. Lauren is a motivational facilitator, and readily shared her knowledge and enthusiasm with students. Students explored dramatic conventions, furthered their knowledge of acting and stagecraft and rehearsed their songs.

On Friday, accompanied by Mr Brendan Wingett, Mr Daniel Cadman and Ms Sally Grennan, students arrived at the Indooroopilly campus for rehearsals on the Performing Arts Centre stage. As Lauren and Heidi Irvine (Producer, Queensland Theatre Company) worked with students and technical crew to blend sound, lighting and acting into a polished production, performances took on a new edge.

That evening, students took to the stage, brimming with energy and excitement, to present their original plays and songs. As the lights dimmed on the last play, it is hard to say who was prouder – the students, parents



or teachers – but we can all agree that it has been an exciting experience, followed by an invigorating week culminating with a great evening of entertainment. Congratulations Year 8 students – we are so proud of you.

Student Feedback:

"Love the positive energy" – Lucy O

"I really enjoyed all the warm-up exercises that we did. My favourite one by far is Zip, Zip, Boom" - Yash

"An absolutely amazing experience! I would definitely do it again!" – Emily C

"I would just like to say thank you so much for taking your time for us, as you have made us Hollywood quality" – Rei F

"I'm so proud of everyone. It was the best experience and definitely my favourite thing I've done at school. This may have just sparked a new passion of mine" – Abbie M

"What I liked about the Production is that we worked together and got to know everyone that we wouldn't (normally) talk to. Having Lauren here was amazing because she taught us this. The Production was amazing and fun" – Miche V



Sally Grennan, Music Teacher

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YEAR 8 PRODUCTION



MUSIC

Reformation 500 Celebration Concert



This year marks the 500th Anniversary of the Lutheran Reformation, which significantly shaped Western society, gave rise to the Lutheran Church and brought considerable changes to education that are reflected in our Lutheran schools today.

The Lutheran movement was also a singing movement and it is fitting to celebrate this anniversary in song. St Peters Springfield has been invited to participate in a combined Lutheran School Choral Concert at St Peters Indooroopilly on Saturday 29 July.

A massed rehearsal took place on Sunday at Indooroopilly with approximately 400 singers and an orchestra.

Grant Collins

Master drummer, Grant Collins, will appear in concert at St Peters Indooroopilly Performing Arts Centre on Saturday 7 October, commencing at 7:30pm. Tickets are \$15.00.

While attendance is compulsory for some Indooroopilly students, it is voluntary for Springfield students.

About Grant

As well as Grant's professional music career, he shares a dedication for the education of students through in-school programs, workshops and also through mentoring seminars. Grant's motto of "education through inspiration and innovation" rings true with every student in both private and school coaching. From the beginning student through to the seasoned professional, Grant has the insight, inspiration and information for aspiring musicians of all levels. This has been well documented throughout his international tours as a clinician and educator where he has inspired thousands around the globe.

Sally Grennan, Music Teacher

PRIMARY CHESS

Primary Chess Development Program



As St Peters Springfield has grown, we have been able to expand the extra-curricular activities available to our students.

Last week, *Chess Mates* conducted an incursion day for our Primary students. There were lots of eager chess participants, some who knew the rules of the game already.

Chess Mates will offer an after school program each Friday afternoon from 2.45 – 3.30pm at the Hub.

Registration forms must be returned by Thursday 20 July (9.00am) for classes to start on Friday 21 July.

The *Chess Mates* program, along with the opportunity to go to Chess clubs during lunch breaks, will continue to develop the skills needed for a St Peters Primary Chess program.

I will seek out other opportunities for our students to take part in local chess competitions as they arise.

For more information about the *Chess Mates* program, [click here](#)

For all other queries, please contact Debbie West-McInnes at d.west-mcinnnes@stpeters.qld.edu.au

Debbie West-McInnes, Head of Primary

ROAD SAFETY



The safe carriage of our children is paramount and the Queensland bus industry take this responsibility very seriously.

In cooperation with the Bus Association of Victoria, the Queensland Bus Industry Council (QBIC) has developed and provided the *Safe Bus Travel* video to its members for delivery within Queensland.

The video provides simple but effective ideas on how to further improve safety in and around buses: <http://brisbanebuslines.com.au/news/safe-bus-travel-video>

Safe Driving,

**Lara-Jane Mitchell & Ian Mitchell,
Directors | Brisbane Bus Lines Pty Ltd**

AIC REVIEW

The AIC management committee have commissioned a review of the current competition as well as its overall future direction. Your input is crucial in shaping the future of the AIC and the impact it can have on current and future generations of students. We kindly request that you contribute to a brief survey by [clicking here](#). The survey will close on Friday 28 July 2017.

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