

NEWSLETTER – Term 01 – Week 01

Thursday 1st February, 2024

OUR LADY OF LOURDES SCHOOL

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OUT OF SCHOOL HOURS CARE:

T: 9729 3411 Hours: 7.30am - 9am (by appointment) & 3.20pm - 6.15pm



'We acknowledge that we are on the land of the Wurundjeri and Bunurong people of the Kulin Nation'.

Reminders . . .

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| • Friday 9th February | Beginning of Year Mass |
| • Sunday 11th February | Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes |
| • Tuesday 13th February | Shrove Tuesday |
| • Wednesday 14th February | Ash Wednesday Mass- 9:00am |

Dear Families and Friends,

Welcome back!! There were so many eager students returning to school last Tuesday that we had to open the doors early!! Our newest school leaders looked great in their Year Six Hoodies- they have so much pride in their new uniform item that they wanted to wear it in the heat of the day!

We have many new families joining our school community this year. In 2024 we welcome the following students:

Ayara	Isaac	Muang Muang
Daniel	Isaac	T.P. Khai
Duchess	Jayden	Tung No
Georgia	Kim Kim	
Hananya	Matthew	

We also welcome new staff to our excellent team in 2024. Welcome to Ms Clare O'Halloran and Mrs Karen Nichol. Clare will be teaching in Year 4/5OM, while Karen will be supporting students in their learning across all areas of the school. Welcome!!

New start of School Supervision time- 8:40am

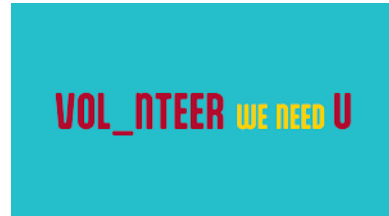
As announced last year, we have moved our school day forward by five minutes. This means that students will be supervised from 8:40am every morning. Please do not leave students unsupervised before this time. The rest of the school day remains the same, finishing at 3:20pm.

Monday morning Assembly- School Captain Badges presentation

This Monday morning at our weekly assembly we will be presenting the School Captain badges to our 2024 School Captains, Huaipi and Zack. Visitors are welcome to join our weekly assemblies each Monday morning, as well as the fortnightly Friday afternoon Awards Assembly, which commence at 2:50pm.

Classroom Helpers- We need you!!

We are hoping to re-vitalise our Classroom Helpers' program in 2024. All volunteers are required to have a valid Working With Children's Check (WWCC) to assist at our school. If you have a WWCC card, please visit the office and Pamela will copy your details into our admin system. Watch out in future newsletters for more information on Classroom Helper training sessions.



Opening of the School Year Mass- Friday 9th February at 9:00am

Next Friday we will have a 'Double Celebration' of the Opening of the School Year and Our Lady of Lourdes Feast Day Mass at 9:00am. Families are invited to join with the school and parish community to celebrate on Friday.

Our Lady of Lourdes Feast Day- Sunday 11th February

The Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes occurs on Sunday 11th February. You are warmly invited to join with our parish community to celebrate this special occasion. We hope to see you there!

Shrove Tuesday (13th February) & Ash Wednesday (14th February)

Please keep these dates free- we will be seeking classroom helpers (WWCC required) to help with our Shrove Tuesday celebrations. On Wednesday 14th February we will join with the Parish Community in Mass to mark the beginning of the Lenten Season. More information will follow.

School Uniform Expectations

Please note that students can wear their P.E. uniforms to school on Tuesdays and Fridays each week. Correct school uniform is expected to be worn on all other days, including the correct school shoes. Our uniform policy states that the appropriate footwear to accompany the regular uniform are **Black Shoes**. Appropriate school shoes are completely black with black laces, with no coloured logos or advertising. Both formal school shoes and running shoes that meet these criteria are acceptable.

Use of the Kiss 'n Drop facility each morning

At the beginning of each year I remind families that the Kiss 'n Drop process is available for all families to use, *from 8:40am onwards*. Drivers are reminded that, with parents and children walking through the car park at this time, **vehicles must travel at walking pace through this area (approximately 5kph)**. Please also note that there should be **no vehicle overtaking** while moving through this space.

School Fees and Payment Plans

All families are expected to have an up-to-date payment plan in place by Monday 19th February. Following this date, families without a current payment plan will be asked to meet with the Principal.

All families that have access to a Health Care Card (HCC) can make an appointment to meet with the Principal to discuss financial support options.

We are incredibly proud of the service that we provide to families in our community, and need to ensure that fee collections are maintained to ensure our ongoing support to all families. Thank you for your understanding in this matter.

Classroom Cuisine (Lunch Orders) Start on Monday

Please note that the updated Classroom Cuisine Menu follows at the end of this newsletter. Our first day for lunch orders will be next Monday, 5th February.

Out of School Hours Care Update

Finally...OSHC have finalised their move into the new, purposely designed space within our school building. The new space allows easy access to the outdoor play areas, as well as all the games and activities that take place inside. A reminder that places need to be booked for before school care at least 48 hours in advance.

Kind regards,

Ross Williams

Principal

OLOL Vision Statement

Shaped by our Catholic identity,
we at Our Lady of Lourdes
Bayswater, respect the sacredness
of each person.

In partnership with our community,
we seek to nurture the development
of young minds, empowering them
to enrich the world with meaning
and hope.



Servicing Our Lady of Lourdes Bayswater on a **MONDAY & FRIDAY!**
Order **ONLINE** until 8.30am on the **DAY LUNCH IS REQUIRED**
INGREDIENTS, ALLERGEN INFO ETC ARE ON 'OUR MENU' PAGE OF WEBSITE

LUNCH ITEM ONE

SALADS

- Greek Style Salad with Feta and Olives (V, GF)
- Pic(k)nic Box – Vegetarian (V, GF)
- Pic(k)nic Box with Ham (GF)
- Pic(k)nic Box with a Whole Egg (GF)
- Steamed Veg: Corn wheels, Broccoli & Carrot
- Mexican Inspired Salad (V, GF)
- Tuna Mix with Brown Rice & Quinoa Cakes (V, GF)
- Main course of Fresh Fruit Salad (V,GF)

SUSHI

- Teriyaki Chicken Hand Rolls (2)
- Cooked Tuna Hand Rolls (2)
- Avocado Hand Rolls (2)
- Cucumber Hand Rolls (2)
- Vegetarian Hand Rolls (2)
- Tofu Hand Rolls (2)

BAKERY

- Cheese and Bacon Roll
- Cheese and Vegemite Scroll (w/m)
- SCROLL with Ham & Cheese
- Semi Dried Tomato and Olive ROLL
- Topped with Only Cheese Roll
- GOZLEME - Lamb & Beef (H)
- GOZLEME – Mushroom & Spinach (NO CHEESE) (Vegan)
- GOZLEME - Spinach and Cheese (V, H)

BAKED FRESH PIZZAS

(PLEASE NOTE: Baked this morning -Served at room temp)

- Margherita Pita Pizza
- Ham and Pineapple Pizza Slice

SANDWICHES, ROLLS & WRAPS

- Turkey, Cranberry, Lettuce and Cheese Sandwich
- Gluten Free Ham & Cheese Sandwich (GF)
- Simple Salad Roll (V)
- Cucumber & Ham Sandwich (GF)
- Vegemite Sandwich (2)
- Mild Salami and Salad Roll
- Plain Cheese Sandwich (2)
- Roast Beef, Fruit Chutney, Cheese and Lettuce Roll
- Cheese and Salad Roll
- Wholegrain ROLL with Cheese and Tomato
- WRAP (GF, DF) Ham and Salad
- Wholegrain Ham and Cheese Sandwich
- Chicken MAYO and Lettuce Roll (H)
- Garden Salad Wrap (GF,DF,V)

LUNCH ITEM TWO/THREE

FRESH FRUIT & VEG

- Freshly chopped Strawberries with Grapes
- Fresh Fruit Combo
- Celery & Carrot Sticks with Sultanas
- Chopped Carrot, Cucumber, Red & Yellow Capsicum
- Apple pieces with Lemon Juice, Cinnamon & Brown Sugar
- Sugar Snap Peas, Beans & Cherry Tomatoes
- Cantaloupe & Honeydew pieces
- Freshly chopped Watermelon Pieces
- Edamame (Lightly Salted)
- Cherry Tomatoes with Tasty Cheese & Rice Crackers
- Freshly chopped Orange Segments
- Whole Fruit – Banana

YOGHURT/BOWLS

- Dairy Farmers - Strawberry Yoghurt
- Dairy Farmers – Classic Vanilla Yoghurt
- Chia Bowl with Banana, Coconut & Strawberries
- Stewed Rhubarb & Apple with Custard (V)

BAKED GOODS

- Choc Chip Cookie
- Cornflake Cookie
- Finger Bun with Sprinkles
- Hedgehog Slice
- Choc Cup Cake (GF,DF)
- Blueberry Muffin
- Hot X Bun
- Jam Drop Biscuit (GF, NF, H)

DIPS & CRACKERS

- Tzatziki Dip with Rice Crackers
- Avocado Dip with Rice Crackers
- Spring Onion Dip with Rice Crackers
- Spicy Capsicum Dip with Rice Crackers

POPCORN/SNACKS

- Dried Fruit Medley with Yoghurt Sultanas
- Popcorn - Lightly Salted
- Popcorn - Slightly Sweet, Lightly Salted
- Roasted Chick Peas.
- Lime & Black Pepper Chick Peas
- Balsamic & Sea Salt Fav'va Beans

DRINKS

- Nippy's Chocolate Milk
- Full Cream Milk
- Apple Juice
- Orange Juice
- Strawberry (Lactose Free) Milk
- So Good Soy Milk

Healthy, Interesting & Affordable Lunches Delivered to School!

More information about Our Offering including
Pricing, Ingredients and Portion Size is available on the Our Menu Page at

www.classroomcuisine.com.au