



Newsletter

Term 4 | Week 1, Friday 10 October 2025

Annunciation Catholic Primary School promotes the safety, wellbeing and inclusion of all students.

A MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Welcome back to school for the start of Term 4! We hope all our families enjoyed a well-deserved break and found time to rest, recharge, and enjoy moments together. This term promises to be an exciting one, filled with rich learning opportunities, special celebrations, and many memorable events as we approach the end of the school year. We look forward to the energy, enthusiasm, and sense of community that make our school such a wonderful place to be. Let's make Term 4 a positive, productive, and joy-filled finish to 2025!

Prayer for the Month of October – The Month of the Rosary

Loving God,
As we enter the month of October, we remember Mary, our Mother,
who always leads us closer to your Son, Jesus.
Through the prayer of the Rosary,
may we reflect on the life, love, and sacrifice of Jesus,
and find peace in the rhythm of each Hail Mary.

Help us to make time for prayer in our busy days,
to open our hearts to your presence,
and to follow Mary's example of faith, trust, and kindness.
May our words and actions bring light and hope to others,
and may our school community grow in love,
as we journey together in faith.

We ask this through Christ our Lord.
Amen.



Take care,

Anna



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DATES TO NOTE...

Day/Date/Month	Event
Monday 13 th October	Australian Girls Choir visiting Annunciation
Tuesday 14 th October	Whole School Dance Incursion
Wednesday 15 th October	F-2 Swimming Program
Friday 17 th October	3:00 pm – Assembly (All welcome)
Monday 20 th October	Fire Ed visit for F/1 students
Wednesday 22 nd October	F-2 Swimming Program 2:30 pm – P&F Meeting (All welcome)
Friday 24 th October	3:00 pm – Assembly (All welcome)

**Please note that there will be no school for students on:
Monday 3rd November & Tuesday 4th November**

Save the date: Monday 17th November –
'Wonder of Living' puberty information session for 5/6 students and
parents at 6.30pm (more information to come)

Save the date: Thursday 4th December –
Carols on the Green 6:00pm (more information to come)

Term 4 will conclude on: Tuesday 16th December at 3:25pm

PRINCIPAL'S LEAVE NOTICE

I wish to inform our school community that I will be taking two weeks of Long Service Leave beginning Thursday, 23rd October. During this time, Mr Seán Walshe will be stepping into the role of Acting Principal and will be available to support staff, students, and families as needed.

I look forward to returning after my break and continuing our busy and exciting Term 4 together.

SCHOOL FEES

Thank you to those families who have completed their school fee payments for 2025. A reminder that payment, or payment plans/arrangements, should be finalised by the end of the month. Payments for families who have a direct debit plan will continue as arranged and no further action is required.

Timely payment of fees ensures that we can continue providing the best possible education and resources for our students. If you have any questions or need assistance, please don't hesitate to reach out. Thank you for your continued support!

BOOK CLUB ISSUE 7- BUMPER HOLIDAY ISSUE



All students were given a Scholastic Book Club catalogue this week.

Book Club Issue 7: [ISSUE PREVIEW](#) | [Scholastic Australia](#)

All orders need to be in by Monday 27th October. Please note no cash orders will be accepted at school.

Orders need to be placed online via LOOP (linked online ordering platform) with Scholastic. Instructions are on the last page of the catalogue.

Thank you

STUDENT OF THE WEEK AWARDS

Congratulations to all of these students pictured below.

They each received a student of the week award in Week 9 of Term 3.

These students have been recognised by their classroom teachers for having a positive mindset, being kind, working hard in class and a variety of other great reasons.



PRINCIPAL'S AWARD

Congratulations to this student for receiving a Principal's Award. This student has demonstrated a positive attitude and have gone out of their way to support our school community.



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INFORM & EMPOWER

Digital Safety & Wellbeing

This term, students will continue to take part in the Inform and Empower Digital Safety and Wellbeing lessons.

The topics that the students will be learning about are as follows:

Foundation – Digital Agency

Learning this term will focus on screen time and agency. We will focus on comfortable vs uncomfortable feelings and strategies that can help us navigate uncomfortable situations online.

Years 1/2 – Digital Detectives

Learning this term will focus on developing critical thinking and digital literacy skills. We will also explore what it means to be kind online.

Years 3/4 – Being Safe and Secure

Learning this term will focus on the importance of not sharing personal information and the difference between scammers and hackers. We will also explore how to identify red flags and navigate unsafe online interactions.

Years 5/6 – Critical Thinking

Learning this term will focus on being a critical consumer of media and strategies to evaluate the credibility of online sources. We will also explore ways to protect against scams and hackers.

CLASSROOM CUISINE



Healthy, Interesting and Affordable Lunch Packs, Delivered to School

ANNUNCIATION PRIMARY SCHOOL - Term 2 - Wednesday!

Order until 8:30am on the day!

2 Course Lunch Pack from \$6.45

Choose a Main Course item, then select 1 or 2 Items from the Snack/Drink Menu to make up a 2 or 3 Course Lunch Pack

Main Course Menu	2 Course Lunch	3 Course Lunch
BAKERY All items freshly baked this morning!		
Cheese and Vegemite Scroll (M)	\$6.45	\$8.95
Savoury Bite 'Little Frank' Roll	\$6.45	\$8.95
Topped with Only Cheese Roll (M)	\$6.45	\$8.95
Cheese and Bacon Roll	\$7.45	\$9.95
Scroll with Ham and Cheese	\$9.95	\$12.85
Frankfurt 'in a blanket' with Sauce & Cheese (2)	\$10.95	\$13.65
PIZZA, SAUSAGE ROLLS, GOZ & PASTIZZI SERVED AT ROOM TEMP!		
Ricotta & Spinach Pastizzi (2) (M)	\$7.45	\$9.95
Margherita Pita Pizza (M)	\$8.95	\$11.45
Sausage Roll with Sauce	\$8.95	\$11.45
Ham & Pineapple Pizza Slice	\$10.95	\$13.65
BBQ Chicken Pizza (H)	\$10.95	\$13.65
Vegetarian Pizza (M)	\$10.95	\$13.65
Lamb and Beef Golems (H)	\$13.45	\$15.45
Mushroom and Spinach Golems (Vg)	\$13.45	\$15.45
Spinach and Cheese Golems (M)	\$13.45	\$15.45
SUSHI HAND ROLLS (2pc) Soy Sauce (GF) Provided		
Teriyaki Chicken Hand Rolls (M)	\$11.50	\$13.75
Crispy Chicken (Schnitzel) Hand Rolls (H)	\$11.50	\$13.75
Cooked Tuna Hand Rolls (GF)	\$11.50	\$13.75
Avocado Hand Rolls (GF, Vg)	\$11.50	\$13.75
Cucumber Hand Rolls (GF, Vg)	\$11.50	\$13.75
Vegetarian Hand Rolls (GF, Vg)	\$11.50	\$13.75
Tofu Hand Rolls (GF, V)	\$11.50	\$13.75
RICE PAPER ROLLS (2pc) (Wed, Thu, Fri)		
Chicken Rice Paper Rolls (GF, H)	\$13.45	\$15.45
Vegetarian Rice Paper Rolls (GF, Vg)	\$13.45	\$15.45
SANDWICHES / ROLLS / WRAPS / SOFT SHELL TACOS		
Strawberry Jam Sandwich (1.5) (Vg)	\$7.45	\$9.95
Vegemite Sandwich (2) (Vg)	\$8.95	\$11.45
Soft Shell Chicken Taco w Salsa, Cheese & Salad (2)	\$9.95	\$12.85
Plain Cheese Sandwich (2) (M)	\$9.95	\$12.85
Cheese and Salad Roll (M)	\$10.95	\$13.65
Wholegrain Ham & Cheese Sandwich (1.5)	\$10.95	\$13.65
Roast Chicken and Salad Roll (H)	\$11.50	\$13.75
Roast Beef, Chutney, Cheese & Lettuce Roll	\$11.50	\$13.75
Turkey, Cranberry, Lettuce & Cheese Sandwich (1.5)	\$11.50	\$13.75
Mild Salami and Salad Roll	\$11.50	\$13.75
Wrap w/Chicken, Tzatziki, Lettuce, Tomato Cucumber (H)	\$12.75	\$14.95
SALADS / PICNIC BOXES / FRUIT & VEG		
Fresh Fruit Salad - Main Course Size (GF, Vg)	\$11.50	\$13.75
Vegetarian Picnic Box (GF, V)	\$11.50	\$13.75
Ham Picnic Box (GF)	\$11.50	\$13.75
Greek Style Salad with Feta and Olives (GF, V)	\$12.75	\$14.95
Tortellini Pasta Salad (M)	\$12.75	\$14.95
GF SANDWICHES & WRAPS		
GF Ham & Cheese Sandwich (1.5)	\$10.95	\$13.65
GF Cucumber & Ham Sandwich (1.5)	\$10.95	\$13.65
GF Wrap - Ham and Salad	\$12.75	\$14.95

Snack/Drink Menu	
FRESH FRUIT & VEGETABLES	
Apple pieces, Lemon juice, Cinnamon & Brown Sugar	+\$1.00
Cantaloupe and Honeydew Pieces	+\$1.00
Fresh Fruit Combo	+\$1.00
Freshly Chopped Orange Segments	Included
Freshly Chopped Strawberries with Grapes	Included
Freshly Chopped Watermelon Pieces	Included
Whole Fruit - Apple	Included
Whole Fruit - Banana	Included
Whole Fruit - Mandarin	Included
Carrot, Cucumber, Red & Yellow Capsicum	Included
Celery and Carrot Sticks with Sultanas	Included
Cherry Tomatoes, Tasty Cheese & Rice Crackers	Included
Corn Wheels & Lightly Steamed Broccoli	Included
Edamame (Lightly Salted)	Included
Sugar Snap Peas, Beans and Cherry Tomatoes	+\$1.00
BAKERY - SWEET	
Choco Chip Cookie	Included
Finger Bun with Sprinkles	Included
Lamington	Included
"Not Cross" Bun	Included
Cinnamon Doughnut	Included
Cornflake Cookie	Included
Choco Cup Cake (GF/DF)	+\$1.00
Blueberry Muffin	+\$1.00
Jam Drop Biscuit (GF)	+\$1.00
Banana Slice (GF)	+\$1.00
SUSHI	
1pc Tuna Sushi (GF)	+\$1.00
POPCORN	
Slightly Sweet, Lightly Salted	Included
Lightly Salted	Included
DRIED FRUIT / LEGUMES	
Lime & Black Pepper Chickpeas	Included
Roasted Chickpeas	Included
Balsamic & Sea Salt Fava Beans	Included
Dried Fruit Medley with Yoghurt Sultanas	+\$1.00
DIPS WITH MINI RICE CAKES / CORN CHIPS	
Tzatziki Dip with Mini Rice Cakes	+\$1.00
Spring Onion Dip with Mini Rice Cakes	+\$1.00
Spicy Capsicum Dip with Mini Rice Cakes	+\$1.00
Avocado Dip with Mini Rice Cakes	+\$1.00
Corn Chips with Salsa (GF)	+\$1.00
YOGHURTS / BOWLS	
Strawberry Yoghurt (Dairy Farmers)	+\$1.00
Classic Vanilla Yoghurt (Dairy Farmers)	+\$1.00
Chia Bowl with Banana, Coconut & Strawberries	+\$1.00
Stewed Rhubarb and Apple with Custard	+\$1.00
DRINKS	
Apple Juice (Nippy's)	Included
Orange Juice (Nippy's)	Included
Chocolate Milk (Nippy's)	Included
Strawberry Milk (Nippy's)	Included
Full Cream Milk	Included



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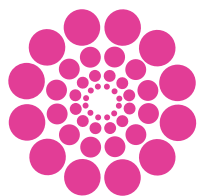
GF = Gluten Free, DF= Dairy Free, H= Halo!, V= Vegetarian, Vg= Vegan

We are a NUT FREE kitchen. Descriptions, dietary and allergen information available on our website

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Thrive, Grow and Shine

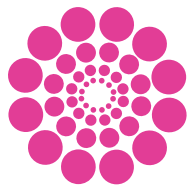
Look no further than the Australian Girls Choir because we encourage, challenge and inspire young people as they learn to sing, dance and perform.

JOIN US IN 2026



AUSTRALIAN SCHOOL OF PERFORMING ARTS





AUSTRALIAN GIRLS CHOIR

Take the Stage

Join us at our
Spring Holiday Program or
Summer Showtime
Music Theatre workshops!
aspagroup.com.au



An experience that goes far beyond the stage!

Children blossom as members of the AGC, both on and off the stage. They develop confidence and presentation skills, resilience and a genuine sense of belonging.

THE AGC WILL BE VISITING YOUR SCHOOL TO HOLD AN ASSESSMENT WORKSHOP WITH INTERESTED STUDENTS.

The group assessment workshop includes singing and movement activities

and is designed to be a fun and positive experience. Following our visit, we will post a personalised report and further information about 2026 classes to you.



REGISTER ONLINE ausgirlschoir.com.au



Music Bus lessons are recommencing at Annunciation Primary School

We are pleased to advise that the Music Bus lessons will be recommencing at school in Term 4.

Lessons are available in:

- Keyboard (Prep-Y6)
- Ukulele (Prep - Y6)
- Drums (Y1 -Y6)
- Guitar (Y2 - Y6)

Lessons :

- are 30 minute duration - once per week
- cost \$22 per week (\$24 drums) payable by the term on commencement

If you wish to register an interest to join, please complete the following online form as soon as possible.

<https://app.smartsheet.com/b/form/ee4627a5204c46158e1ab17e7c8069c6>

For more general information on the program visit www.themusicbus.com.au

Thank you for your support

Anna Yorston
Principal

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- Ukulele
- Drums
- Vocals

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**Tell us.
They'll never know.**

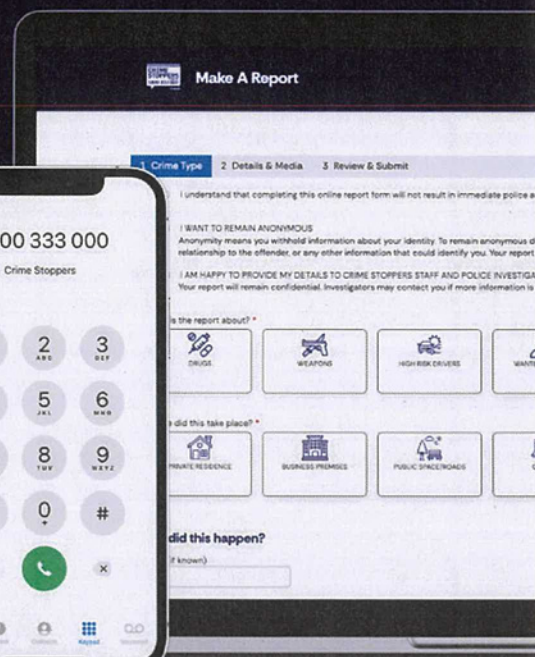
**Share what you know – in just a few minutes,
from anywhere.**

No personal data is required to submit a report. All information is kept confidential and helps to keep our community safe.

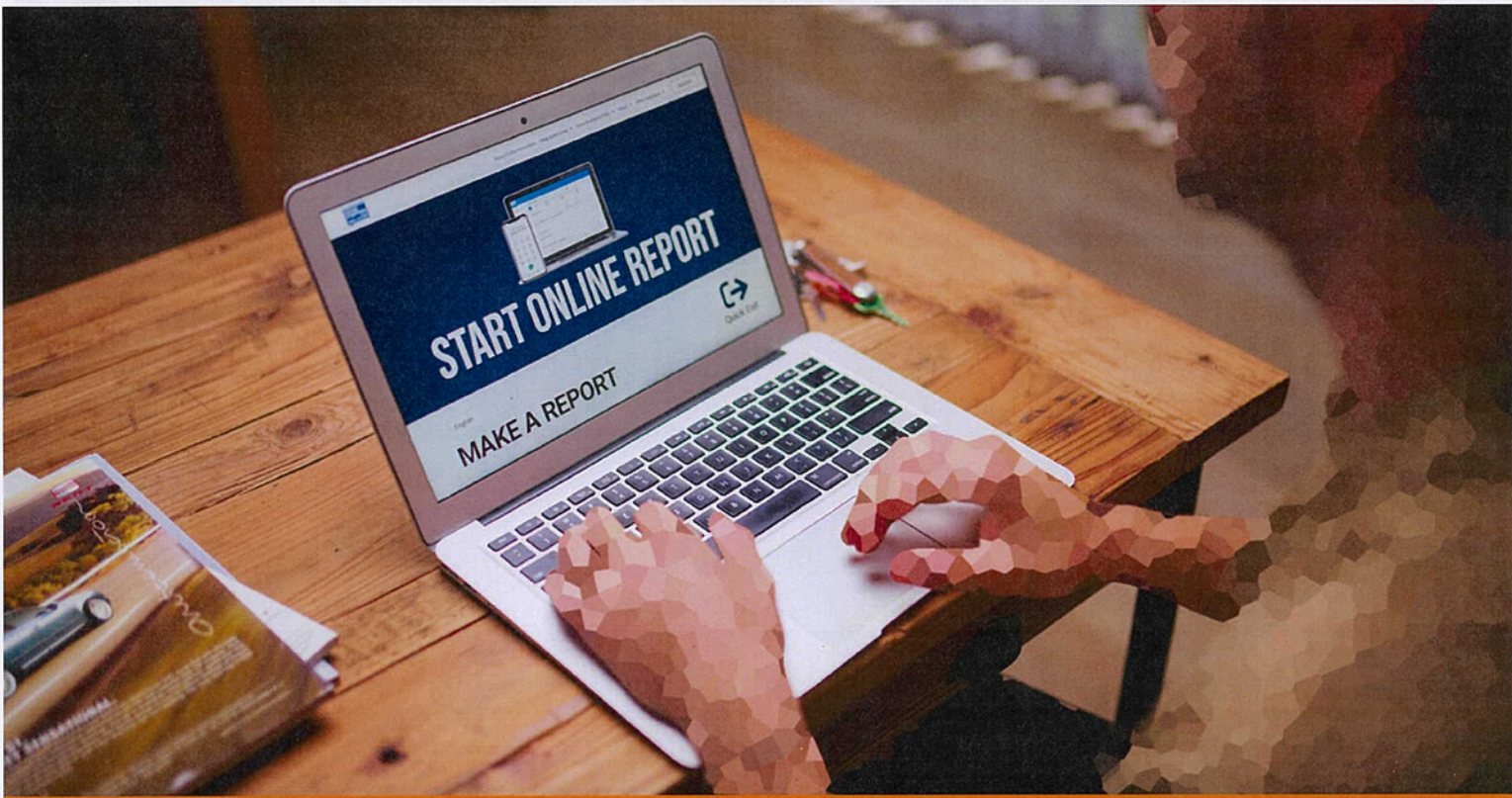
Visit **crimestoppersvic.com.au**
or call **1800 333 000**.



◀ Scan here to
learn more



This initiative received grant funding from the Australian Government.



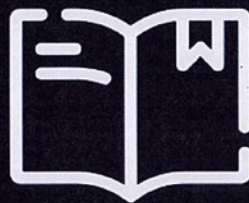
Crime Stoppers Victoria is a not-for-profit organisation that encourages people to prevent crime and anonymously share what they know about unsolved cases or suspicious activity.

Crime Reporting



We provide a platform for the public to share what they know.

Education



We deliver prevention and education campaigns.

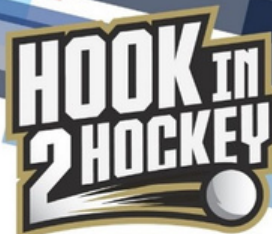
Crime Prevention



We raise awareness about crime to help break the cycle.



COME & TRY HOCKEY



Who: 4 -12 year olds NEW to the game of hockey
Where: Footscray Hockey Club, Fogarty Ave Yarraville
 (Down by the Westgate Freeway)
Time: 5.30 – 6.30
Dates: Wednesday 8 Oct & 15 Oct
Cost: FREE ! Just turn up!
Summer Season: 6 Weeks from Wed 22 Oct (\$50)
Equipment: Hockey sticks and shin guards are available
 to borrow by new players. Please arrive 10-15 minutes
 early to have a hockey stick fitted



Fun  **Friendly**  **Inclusive**  **Engaging** 

Come and Try enquiries please contact:

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Facebook: [@footscrayhockey](https://www.facebook.com/footscrayhockey)

You're invited!

Common Ground, Extraordinary People



Please join us for a **fun, family-friendly event** to recognise the Lohse/ Woods Street traders and all that they contribute to the local community.

We will be celebrating 'Common Ground, Extraordinary People' with **free food, drinks and a creative workshop!**

Time: Saturday, 11th October, 2- 4 pm

Location: Woods Street Arts Space



To register, please follow this link or scan the QR code: <https://events.humanitix.com/common-ground-extraordinary-people/tickets>

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