

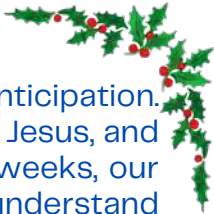


Newsletter

Term 4 | Week 7, Friday 21st November 2025

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

A MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL



As we approach the season of Advent, we enter a time of hope, waiting, and joyful anticipation. Advent calls us to pause amidst the busyness, to prepare our hearts for the coming of Jesus, and to recognise the light that shines even in the busiest of seasons. Over the next few weeks, our students will be engaging in prayer, reflection and classroom activities that help them understand the true meaning of this special time.

Although the year is drawing to a close, it is important that we maintain our routines and expectations to ensure students finish the year positively and calmly. We ask for your support in keeping regular structures in place at home and reminding children to continue wearing the correct school uniform each day. Consistency helps our students feel settled and ready for learning right through to the final week.

We are very much looking forward to our **Carols on the Green** celebration, a beautiful community event where we gather in song, joy, and togetherness. We hope to see many families join us as we share in the spirit of Christmas.

During this season of giving, we also invite families to support our **Christmas Raffle** and our **St Vincent de Paul Christmas Appeal**. Your generosity helps us reach those in our wider community who may be experiencing hardship at this time. Every donation—big or small—truly makes a difference.

As we journey through Advent together, may we find moments of peace, gratitude, and hope. Thank you for your ongoing partnership and support as we prepare for a meaningful and joy-filled end to the school year.

Take care,
Anna



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DATES TO NOTE...

Day/Date/Month

Event

Thursday 27th November

9:30–10:45am: 2026 Foundation Transition
Day – Session 2

Friday 28th November

PE Incursion: Ultimate Frisbee
3:00pm: Assembly – All invited

Monday 1st December

Teeth on Wheels onsite

Wednesday 3rd December

Yr 5/6 Market Day (more information in the
newsletter)

Thursday 4th December

6:00 –8.00pm: Carols on the Green
(All invited)

Friday 5th December

PE Incursion: Ultimate Frisbee
3:00pm: Assembly – All invited
Newsletter Published

CLASS STRUCTURE – 2026

We would like to inform you that our class structure for next year will be adjusted to reflect the number of students we have in each year level.

We understand that this means a current group of students (Yr 4) will be split across two classes in 2026 (Yr 4/5 & Yr 5/6), and we want to reassure you that this decision has been made with great care. To best support this structure, these two classes will be placed in our flexible learning spaces, where the adjoining classrooms can open into a larger shared area. This will allow for collaborative learning, group projects, and a wide range of opportunities for the senior students to work together as a connected cohort.

In 2026, the classes will be: Yr F/1, Yr 2/3, Yr 4/5 & Yr 5/6.

We are currently finalising staffing arrangements for 2026 and hope to share this information with families in our next newsletter.

ESAFETY COMMISSIONER RESOURCES RELEASE – SOCIAL MEDIA AGE RESTRICTIONS

The eSafety Commissioner has released additional resources to support educators, parents and young people to become informed and prepare for the social media age restrictions, coming into effect on **10th December 2025**.

Free Social Media Age Restriction Professional Learning Webinars for educators and parents/carers have are available and you are encouraged to register [here](#).

Webinar dates can be viewed on the [registration page](#).

SCHOOL FEES

Thank you to those families who have completed their school fee payments for 2025. Families have received a statement of remaining fees. A reminder that payment, or payment plans/arrangements, should be finalised by the end of **this** 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.

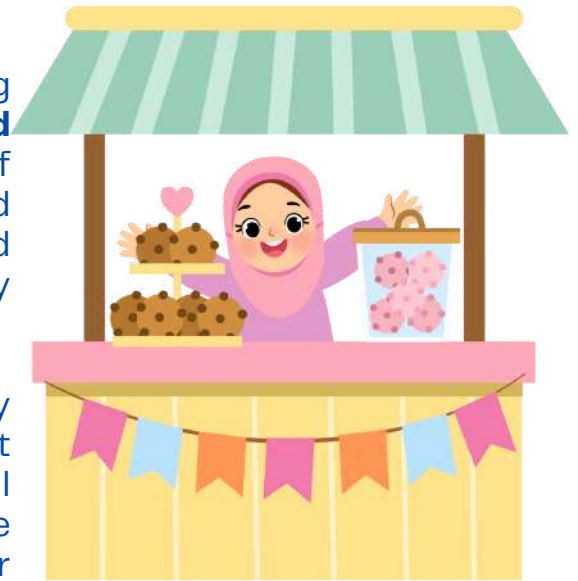
If you have any questions or need assistance, please don't hesitate to reach out. Thank you for your continued support!

Correspondence will be sent to all families next week outlining the 2026 School Fee Structure.

YEAR 5/6 MARKET DAY

Our Year 5/6 students are gearing up for an exciting **Market Day** celebration on **Wednesday 3rd December**, and all students are invited to be part of the fun! After weeks of learning about business and economics, our budding entrepreneurs have worked collaboratively to design, create, and launch their very own market stalls.

Students across the school will have the opportunity to purchase a range of **handmade goodies**, with most items just a few dollars each—perfect as thoughtful Christmas gifts or special keepsakes! From creative crafts to clever practical items, there's something for everyone.



This rich learning experience has been a wonderful way to bring multiple areas of the curriculum to life:

- ✦ **Design and Technologies:** Students have moved through the full design process—planning, creating, refining, and producing items with purpose and creativity.
- ✦ **Mathematics:** From budgeting and pricing to calculating profit and managing money, students have put their number skills to the test in real-world ways.
- ✦ **English:** Persuasive writing, advertising, collaboration, and communication have been central as students crafted promotional materials and negotiated ideas within their teams.

Most importantly, the Year 5/6 cohort has shown exceptional teamwork, resilience, and imagination as they prepare to share their hard work with our school community.

All money raised will be used to purchase Christmas gifts that will be donated to our community charities.



CAROLS ON THE GREEN

Get ready for one of the most joyful evenings on our school calendar—**Carols on the Green** is just around the corner! This special community event brings together students, families and staff to celebrate the spirit of Christmas with music, laughter and plenty of festive cheer.

Pack a **picnic dinner**, dust off your best **Christmas outfits**, and settle in on the basketball court for a wonderful night of entertainment. Our talented students have been rehearsing with excitement and can't wait to shine on stage as they share the songs and stories of Christmas.

The festivities will kick off at **6:00pm** and wrap up by **8.00pm**, but not before a **very special guest** makes a surprise appearance... someone rather jolly who loves to say "Ho, ho, ho!"

On the night, we will also draw our **Christmas Raffle**, so make sure you've purchased your tickets for the chance to win some fantastic prizes.

We look forward to celebrating the season together—it's going to be a magical night **on the Green!** 🎅🌟



VINNIES CHRISTMAS APPEAL

As the festive season approaches, we're reminded that Christmas can be a difficult time for many in our community. This year, we're supporting the St Vincent de Paul Christmas Appeal to help bring a little hope and joy to those who need it most.

If you're able, we'd love your support. Donations of presents, food items, or gift vouchers can be left at the front office.

Every contribution, no matter how small, makes a real difference — because there is always someone in greater need than ourselves. Thank you for your kindness and generosity this Christmas. ❤️



TEETH ON WHEELS

Dear Families,

Just a quick reminder that Teeth on Wheels will be visiting our school from December 1st 2025 to provide six-monthly dental check-ups and oral health education for our students.

To take part, please complete the consent form below:

[Click here to complete the consent form](#)

IMPORTANT Already submitted a form for 2025? You're all set — unless your contact information or your child's medical history has changed.

What happens after you sign up?

Once your form is submitted, the Teeth on Wheels team will contact you directly to confirm your child's appointment and let you know if you're eligible for free care under the Child Dental Benefits Schedule (CDBS).

If your child is not eligible for free care, Teeth on Wheels offers a special \$125 dental package, which includes:

- Full check-up
- Oral cancer screening
- Professional clean
- Fluoride treatment
- X-rays (if required)

This can be claimed back through most private health insurers.



PLEASE NOTE, THE CUT OFF DATE FOR COMPLETING YOUR CHILD'S FORM IS November 25th 2025.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact Teeth on Wheels directly at (03) 9338 1191.



LAST CHANCE

To complete your form

Complete your E-form today and a Teeth on Wheels team member will contact you if your child is eligible for **FREE DENTAL CARE!**

FORMS ONLY NEED TO BE COMPLETED ONCE FOR THIS CALENDAR YEAR

SCAN THE QR CODE TO COMPLETE YOUR FORM



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STUDENT OF THE WEEK AWARDS

Congratulations to all of these students pictured below.

They each received a student of the week award in **Week 5 and 6** of Term 4.

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 these students for receiving a Principal's Award. These students have demonstrated a positive attitude and have gone out of their way to support our school community.





GARDENING CLUB



Earlier this year to celebrate 100 days of school, the F/1 class planted flower seedlings to mark their '100 days brighter'. These have flourished during the early Spring and look glorious. Bursts of colour to welcome students each day at the gates.



JAPAN CULTURAL DAY

What a fun day we had on Friday 14th November, as the students celebrated **Japan Culture Day**.

Throughout the day the students were immersed in a range of Japanese cultural traditions, including cooking of onigiri and miso, creating origami crafts, and making negajo (New Year cards).

The highlight of the day was undoubtedly the Taiko Drumming workshop. The students (and teachers) had an amazing time being guided through a variety of rhythms by our guest teacher, Toshi. Each student had an opportunity to come to the front and have a bang on the different-sized Taiko drums, and worked up a sweat staying in time before unleashing a barrage of hits to finish off their session.

Huge thank you to Pippa Sensei for organising such a rich and memorable day for the students, and to the other Specialist teachers who adapted their lessons for the day to fit in with the Japanese theme.

Naina has created another beautiful video to document the day.

[Click here to view the video](#)



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5/6 SOCCER FUN DAY

On Friday 7th November, the 5/6 students travelled to Emmanuel College to take part in the annual Soccer Fun Day.

There were a number of Catholic primary schools from across the western suburbs in attendance, all ready to compete in a series of four matches against a selection of their neighbours.

Annunciation were drawn to play against St. Augustine's, Yarraville, St. Mary's, Williamstown, St. Mary of the Cross, Point Cook, and St. Martin de Porres, Laverton. These were tough schools, with lots of talented soccer players amongst them. But the Annunciation students held their own, and each game was competitive. There were last-gasp saves from Max, no-nonsense defending from Liam, strong tackles from Mariangel, and a morale-boosting goal from Valerie in the last game.

Special mention to Archer, who was chosen by the student officials on the day as the player from Annunciation who stood out in supporting his team, and showing leadership skills throughout. He was awarded with a certificate and jersey from the Liverpool Academy for his contributions to the day.

All of our students deserve great praise for the way in which they embraced the fun spirit of the day, looked out for each other, and gave each game a go no matter what what they experience they had on a soccer field.



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CLASSROOM CUISINE

Classroom Cuisine has updated their menu for Term 4. They have added a Mexican Inspired Salad with Corn Chips and Tortellini Pasta Salad to their main course selection – perfect for the warmer months. Also, the Simple Salad Roll is back due to popular demand! The subsequent courses now include a Raspberry Jelly Cup and a Bag of Grapes, to take advantage of the seasonal produce.



Healthy, Interesting and Affordable Lunch Packs, Delivered to School

ANNUNCIATION PRIMARY SCHOOL – Term 4 – 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	3 Course	Snack/Drink Menu
BAKERY All items freshly baked this morning!			FRESH FRUIT & VEGETABLES
Cheese and Vegemite Scroll (V)	\$6.45	\$8.95	Apple pieces, Lemon juice, Cinnamon & Brown Sugar
Savoury Bite 'Little Frank' Roll	\$6.45	\$8.95	Cantaloupe and Honeydew Pieces
Topped with Only Cheese Roll (V)	\$6.45	\$8.95	Fresh Fruit Combo
Cheese and Bacon Roll	\$7.45	\$9.95	Freshly Chopped Orange Segments
Scroll with Ham and Cheese	\$9.95	\$12.85	Freshly Chopped Watermelon Pieces
Frankfurt 'in a blanket' with Sauce & Cheese (2)	\$10.95	\$13.65	Whole Fruit - Apple
			Whole Fruit - Banana
			Bag of Grapes
			Carrot, Cucumber, Red & Yellow Capsicum
			Celery and Carrot Sticks with Sultanas
			Cherry Tomatoes, Tasty Cheese & Rice Crackers
			Corn Wheels & Lightly Steamed Broccoli
			Edamame (Lightly Salted)
			Sugar Snap Peas, Beans and Cherry Tomatoes
PIZZA/SAUSAGEROLLS/GOZLEME/PASTIZZI/QUESADILLA / PUFF PARCELS Served at room temperature!			BAKERY – SWEET
Ricotta & Spinach Pastizzi (2) (V)	\$7.45	\$9.95	Choc Chip Cookie
Margherita Pizza TWIST(V)	\$8.95	\$11.45	Finger Bun with Sprinkles
Sausage Roll with Sauce	\$8.95	\$11.45	Lamington
Margherita PITA Pizza (V)	\$8.95	\$11.45	"Not Cross" Bun
Quesadilla (Chicken) served with Sour Cream (H)	\$10.95	\$13.65	Cinnamon Doughnut
Tandoori Chicken Puff Parcel with Mango Chutney (H)	\$10.95	\$13.65	Cornflake Cookie
Ham & Pineapple Pizza Slice	\$10.95	\$13.65	Choc Cup Cake (GF/DF/Vg)
BBQ Chicken Pizza (H)	\$10.95	\$13.65	Blueberry Muffin
Lamb and Beef Gozleme (H)	\$13.45	\$15.45	Jam Drop Biscuit (GF)
Mushroom and Spinach Gozleme (Vg)	\$13.45	\$15.45	Carrot Cup Cake (GF/DF/Vg)
Spinach and Cheese Gozleme (V)	\$13.45	\$15.45	
			SUSHI
SUSHI HAND ROLLS (2pc) Soy Sauce (GF) Provided			1pc Tuna Sushi (GF)
Teriyaki Chicken Hand Rolls (H)	\$11.50	\$13.75	
Crispy Chicken (Schnitzel) Hand Rolls (H)	\$11.50	\$13.75	POPCORN / HARVEST SNAPS
Cooked Tuna Hand Rolls (GF)	\$11.50	\$13.75	Popcorn -Slightly Sweet, Lightly Salted
Avocado Hand Rolls (GF, Vg)	\$11.50	\$13.75	Popcorn -Lightly Salted
Cucumber Hand Rolls (GF, Vg)	\$11.50	\$13.75	Harvest Snaps (GF/DF/Vg)
Vegetarian Hand Rolls (GF, Vg)	\$11.50	\$13.75	
Tofu Hand Rolls (GF, V)	\$11.50	\$13.75	DRIED FRUIT / LEGUMES
			Lime & Black Pepper Chickpeas
RICE PAPER ROLLS (2pc) (Wednesday, Thursday, Friday)			Roasted Chickpeas
Chicken Rice Paper Rolls (GF, H)	\$13.45	\$15.45	Balsamic & Sea Salt Fava Beans
Vegetarian Rice Paper Rolls (GF, Vg)	\$13.45	\$15.45	Dried Fruit Medley with Yoghurt Sultanas
SANDWICHES / ROLLS / WRAPS / SOFT SHELL TACOS			DIPS WITH MINI RICE CAKES / CORN CHIPS
Strawberry Jam Sandwich (1.5) (Vg)	\$7.45	\$9.95	Tzatziki Dip with Mini Rice Cakes
Vegemite Sandwich (2) (Vg)	\$8.95	\$11.45	Spring Onion Dip with Mini Rice Cakes
Soft Shell Chicken Taco with Salsa, Cheese & Salad (2)	\$9.95	\$12.85	Spicy Capsicum Dip with Mini Rice Cakes
Plain Cheese Sandwich (2) (V)	\$9.95	\$12.85	Avocado Dip with Mini Rice Cakes
Simple Salad Roll (Vg)	\$9.95	\$12.85	CornChipswithSalsa (GF)
Cheese and Salad Roll (V)	\$10.95	\$13.65	
Wholegrain Ham & Cheese Sandwich (1.5)	\$10.95	\$13.65	YOGHURTS / BOWLS / CUPS
Roast Chicken and Salad Roll (H)	\$11.50	\$13.75	Raspberry Jelly Cup
Roast Beef, Chutney, Cheese & Lettuce Roll	\$11.50	\$13.75	Strawberry Yoghurt (Dairy Farmers)
Turkey, Cranberry, Lettuce & Cheese Sandwich (1.5)	\$11.50	\$13.75	Vanilla Yoghurt (Dairy Farmers)
Mild Salami and Salad Roll	\$11.50	\$13.75	Chia Bowl with Banana, Coconut & Strawberries
Wrap with Chicken, Tzatziki, Lettuce, Tomato & Cucumber(H)	\$12.75	\$14.95	Stewed Rhubarb and Apple with Custard
SALADS / PICNIC BOXES / POKE BOWLS			DRINKS
Fresh Fruit Salad -Main Course Size (GF, Vg)	\$11.50	\$13.75	Apple Juice (Nippy's)
Ham Picnic Box (GF)	\$11.50	\$13.75	Orange Juice (Nippy's)
Vegetarian Picnic Box (GF, V)	\$11.50	\$13.75	Chocolate Milk (Nippy's)
Greek Style Salad with Feta and Olives (GF, V)	\$12.75	\$14.95	Strawberry Milk (Nippy's)
Mexican Inspired Salad with Corn Chips (GF, Vg)	\$12.75	\$14.95	Full Cream Milk
Tortellini Pasta Salad (V) (Wednesday, Thursday & Friday)	\$13.75	\$15.45	
Poke Bowl with Teriyaki Chicken (H)	\$13.45	\$15.45	
GF SANDWICHES & WRAPS GF Ham			
& Cheese Sandwich (1.5) GF	\$10.95	\$13.65	
Cucumber & Ham Sandwich (1.5) GF	\$10.95	\$13.65	
Wrap -Ham and Salad	\$12.75	\$14.95	

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

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Feast Day

SUNDAY 23 NOVEMBER

MASS: 9.30AM

FELLOWSHIP: 11AM

SCHOOL TOURS: 11.30- 1PM

Caroline Chisholm Catholic College

Christ The King Primary School

ALL FAMILIES WELCOME



Outside School Hours Care Newsletter



Annunciation OSHC - Brooklyn

Term4

A message from the team

We just wanted to share some of the amazing fun we've had at OSHC over the last two weeks!

The children listened to the song *"What a Wonderful World"* and they interpreted the song through drawing.

One child said, "When I listen to the song, I think about family."

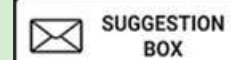
The children also painted their chosen Australian animal wooden hanger. Check out the vibrant colours of their mini masterpieces!

Vincent & Anna
Before & After-School Care Coordinators



Mark your calendars!

The last day of the term is on the 16th of December. Our after-school care program will operate as usual.



Your feedback matters!
We've set up a suggestions box near the sign-in/out iPad station. Grab a form and share your thoughts with us and let us know how we can improve our service.

Term Dates

06 Oct – 16 Dec 2025

Make a booking!

Experience the fun of MACSEYE's OSHC program at Annunciation OSHC - Brooklyn today!

Call our friendly team: 0490 222 097 or 1300 501 029

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