Term 2 Week 9
16th June 2015

Year 5 STEM Day Friday 12/6/15

On Friday 12th of June, Year 5 went to St Mary’s College. We were set a challenge to create a bridge over Crazy Canyon for a Robot to cross. There needed to be a boom gate for the Robot to pass through and there was also a track for the Robot which involved it dodging objects. We worked in 3 groups:

1. Robotics Engineers: created a programmed robot.
2. Structural Engineers: created the bridge strong enough to hold the Robot.
3. Electronics Engineers: made an operational boom gate.

From this experience we learnt how to program robots, build a boom gate and how strong a bridge needs to be to carry weight. It was a great day and we had loads of fun.

THANK YOU to all the parents who helped to get us there and back! And to Mr O’Donnell and Mrs Burrows for being with us. By Chelbie and Larni
MESSAGES FROM MR FREEBODY

Dear Parents/Carers,
Last week was a brilliant example of all the amazing learning opportunities and community support we have at St Brigid’s Primary. The students were involved in gymnastics, aerobics and athletics activities across the school, a number of students were getting ready for music and dance performances coming up in the next two weeks and ICAS tests continued to be held. Year 5 students had a fantastic day at Casino learning about Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics with the high school and a number of boys and girls attended the All Schools Rugby League knockout in Casino on Thursday. We also applaud the many parents who were involved in the Magic 123 workshop last Wednesday and the Working Bee on Sunday to weed our gardens and trim some branches. Thank you so much. This week we are holding our parent sessions for some of our sacraments and our Kindergarten information as well as our Athletics Carnival. Have a great week.

Teaching and Learning:

LEARNING ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (LAP)
Well done to students and their community mentors who have done a terrific job over this semester. Thank you for your contributions and hard work.

MUSIC PERFORMANCE 10:15am next Tuesday
There will be a musical performance by our music tuition students on Tuesday, 23rd June at 10:15am. This is a change from 2pm to accommodate for our gymnastics program happening in the hall. All welcome.

PENTECOST COMPETITION
Well done to students who entered the ‘Proclaim Your Flame’ competition. Some amazing entries to celebrate the Holy Spirit in their lives.

CHESS CLUB
Thank you to Mrs Davy, our Student Support Worker who has started our Chess Club on Tuesdays. All students from Years 1-6 are welcome to attend at lunch in the hall.

RUGBY LEAGUE
Good luck to the students from Year 3-6 who are competing in the All Schools Knockout Carnival day this Thursday at Casino. Mr Freebody and Mr Tickle will be escorting the students. We thank Mr Kennett for his support with the Year 3/4 team.

Parents and Families:

ATHLETICS CARNIVAL
This Thursday is our annual carnival at the high school grounds. Canteen facilities will be provided on the day. A timetable of events will be sent home with a canteen list. Please let Mr Tickle, Mr Freebody or our PSF Sports team leader, Fiona Whitehead know if you are able to assist.

FRIDAY’S ASSEMBLY
This Friday the Student Representative Council (SRC) members of each class will be hosting our assembly in the hall at 10:30am. All are welcome.

MAKING JESUS REAL FOCUS
We remind ourselves this week of how we support each other in the classroom and playgrounds. Let us all stop and ask ourselves ‘How can I show the face of Jesus?’

ST BRIGID’S KYOGLE SCHOOL AND PARISH FAITH PAGE
Come and join our group on Facebook. This group is for families and parish members associated with St Brigid’s Catholic School Kyogle and Our Lady of the Sorrows Parish Kyogle. It will provide inspiring and faith based messages for its members and will include information about events like the Family School Parish Mass.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY to
Oliver R.
Callum R.
Paige L.

FRIDAY ASSEMBLY
SRC Members hosting
CLASS MASS
Fr Erick away so no mass this Thursday.

UNIFORM SHOP
Open MONDAYS
2:30pm—3:15pm (after Canteen)
All enquiries about uniforms to:
SUZIE SMITH
Phone 6632 2958
or 0422 415 520
Uniform order sheets are available from the school office at any time.
KINDER 2016 PARENT INFORMATION NIGHT
Parents of Kinders 2016, together with other interested families are invited to an information night tomorrow night, Wednesday 17th June at 6pm in the school library.

NAIDOC WEEK CELEBRATIONS
In Week 1 next term, St Brigid’s will be celebrating NAIDOC week with our community. On Wednesday 15th July, the students will be supported by our Aboriginal Education Committee, Dolphin Dreaming Education group from Byron Bay and formal NRL player Dean Widders to participate in special learning vertical groups across K-6. More information will be provided next week.

DENTAL VAN
On Tuesday 21st July (Week 2, Term 3) at 9.30am the free dental van will visit Kindergarten. The dental nurses will talk to the children about dental hygiene and good diet for healthy teeth and give children a dental check. A permission note will be sent home in Week 1 of Term 3.

CONGRATULATIONS (ICAS)
To all the students who have sat the ICAS tests this term we say congratulations on your effort and commitment to this challenge. This week the students sat the Writing Test on Monday and the Spelling Test today, Tuesday. These examinations continue next term with English and Mathematics.

STUDENT PROCLAIM MASS and JUMP FOR JESUS
You are invited to join us at a special Proclaim Mass on the last day of term, Thursday 25th June, 12 noon in the church. Fr Michael Nugent will be officiating at this whole school mass. There will be an early lunch at 10:45am. After mass, we will be hosting a special ‘Jump for Jesus’ under our weather sheds at 1pm. We welcome all to come along and celebrate with us next week.

RUGBY LEAGUE LAST WEEK
Congratulations to students on the day. The Year 3 and 4 team played against Kyogle Public in the final on the day and just got beat by one try. The Senior team made excellent improvements and although they scored some impressive tries, were not able to win their three games. Well done students and thanks to parents for helping on the day.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL
Thank you to St Vinnies for their donation of their Nativity scene items for Christmas.

CLASSIC COLOUR STUDIO
The photographers will return on Wednesday, 24th June to take photos of students who were absent on the last photo day.
SCHOOL CANTEEN
22nd June: Shonel Powell and Leanne Copeland
Please sign in at the office before going to Canteen.
If for any reason you cannot attend on your rostered day, please swap days with someone on the roster.

PARISH FAMILY MASS
4pm 28th June 2015

COMMUNITY NEWS

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KYOGLE VACATION CARE
Now taking bookings for the school holidays. Enrol now by phoning 6621 7397 or Email: kids@lnci.org.au

PARENT LIBRARY
Did you know our school has a parent library?
Each year the Parent Assembly donate books to our school library to assist our parents in developing their parenting skills and faith education as well as books, CD’s and DVD’s that focus on a range of topics relevant to kids today including: bullying, feelings & emotions, friendships, anxiety, separation and divorce, raising boys and girls, self esteem and body image, building resilience and many more. If you would like to borrow any please see Jean Newton

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