

St James Updates

Term 1 Week 9
Monday 25 March 2019

'St James School Community is committed to the Victorian Child Safe Standards.'

School Finishes at 2.25pm next Wednesday 3 April

Dear Families,

I would usually keep a write up like this for our actual fortnightly newsletter but given what I witnessed on Friday evening I feel compelled to share this today.

Initially, there was the enormous workload and effort put in by our Year Five Champions, led by Kylie, Sandra and Sarah and supported by the P & F and parents from other levels. Thank you to all who helped with the preparations!

The aspect I wanted to comment on was when the actual storm hit. Despite getting soaking wet and cold, many parents just did what had to be done to ensure the night went ahead in some form. Whether it was relocating the food stalls, preventing shade sails from blowing away, packing up equipment, packing up chairs or jumping in to assist with the modified food stalls. It was so pleasing to see the entire community supporting one another.

The bonus was that the movie was still shown and we managed to raise money to go towards the Parents and Friends fundraising efforts for our new front fence.

Reminder:

Please do not upload any photo of a St James' student or staff member without their permission (or parents' permission) on any social media platform – in keeping with Privacy Laws. Thanks!

Learning Conferences

Student/Parent/Teacher Learning Conferences are being held next week. Information was sent home in last week's newsletter. Please remember to book your child in. Specialist teachers will be available on these nights, so if you would like to speak to them, don't forget to book a time with them online - <https://www.schoolinterviews.com.au/code?code=2cetd>

'Prep Celebration of Learning'

We look forward to welcoming Parents and/or Grandparents to our Prep Rooms on **Monday 1st April at 2.30 pm** to share our successes in Prep this term. We have invited all Kinder teachers to come along however we understand some will be teaching and unable to attend.

The children are looking forward to our special visitors and to share their learning with you. We hope you can make it.

Tess and Andy

HELP!!

We've just had a delivery of mulch – Can you spare any time to start spreading it?? Ring the office! Mega Thanks!!

NEXT WEEK:

Mon 1 Prep Celebration of Learning 2.30pm
Tues 2 Learning Conferences 3.40pm – 6pm
Wed 3 Open Day
Ride2school Day
Learning Conferences 2.30pm- 8pm (SCHOOL FINISHES AT 2.25PM)
Fri 5 Last day of Term 3.20pm finish