

# St James Updates

Term 1 Week 5

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

Dear Families,

Lent commences this week and we celebrate this as a whole school with our Ash Wednesday Mass here at St James at 12 noon. All families and parishioners are welcome to attend and give thanks with us.

Today was our first Open Day of the year. Please ensure that you spread the word to any neighbours and friends who are looking at Prep enrolments for 2021. Please also collect an enrolment form from the office if you have a child you wish to enrol for Prep next year and hand it in before the end of term. We want to ensure all our current families have a place.

Please note that the Working Bee, planned for this Friday, 28 February has been postponed until **FRIDAY 13 MARCH (4:30-6:30)**

The new sports tops have arrived – please text Nicole on 0407 332 901 if you would like to place an order.

Here's a few important dates to note:

**Wednesday 26 February** Ash Wednesday – Mass 12noon @ St James

Parent Helpers' Course 9am OR 7pm

**Monday 2 March** 2020 Prep Parents Welcome Dinner 7pm – 9pm (Please remember to BYO Drinks and glass)

**Thurs 5 March** *Save Our Sons MD Walk* and assembly approx 9.45am

**Friday 6 March** School Closure Day

**Monday 9 March** Labour Day Holiday

**Tuesday 10 March** Year 6 Camp commences

**Friday 13 March** Campers Return

Working Bee

**Friday 20 March** Cinema Night

**Tuesday 24 March** Learning Conferences 3.20pm – 5.00pm

**Wednesday 25 March** Learning Conferences 2.30pm – 8pm

Optional school finish at 2.30pm

**Friday 27 March** Last day of Term 3.20pm finish

**Tuesday 14 April** Term 2 begins

P & F Morning Tea 9am

**Saturday 18 April** First Eucharist Medal Presentation and Mass 6pm @ SJM

**Sunday 19 April** First Eucharist Medal Presentation and Mass 11.15am @ SJM

## **OTHER NEWS**

The Entertainment Book fundraiser has started. Only digital memberships available. "Early Bird" offers if you buy before 29th February.

- Up to 4 months extra membership

- Bonus offers from Endota, Rebel, The Iconic

New Multi City and Multi Plus Memberships available. Get a \$20 WISH eGift Card with Promo Code: BUYMULTI

20% of your sale comes directly to St James P&F.

Sign up now! <https://www.entertainment.com.au/orderbooks/186265m>

Once again, our P & F are creating a **family directory**. The directory, which lists family contact details, can only be accessed by those people who are in the directory.

If you would like to be a part of this valuable directory, click on the link below...

<https://forms.gle/kzpifYSXaBrq4mnH6>

Please fill in the Google form as soon as possible. The link will only be available for 4 weeks.

# St James Primary School

51 Centre Rd, Vermont

## Open Days

Tours at 9am and 10am on the following days:

- Monday 24th February
- Wednesday 4th March
- Thursday 19th March
- Tuesday 24th March
- Friday 1st May

### Open Evening

Tuesday 21st April

7.30pm – 8.30pm

(Please register for this evening)



## All Welcome!

Prep 2021 Enrolments Now Open

*'Every Day is Open Day at St James'*

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