

Calendar

2017

TERM 3

Week 3:

Tuesday-Friday 8th-11th August: Canberra Excursion Y5&6

Week 5:

Book Week

Wednesday 23rd August: Mr Bull at Persuasive Writing Workshop

Week 6:

Monday-Wednesday 28-31st August: Mrs Wagstaffe at Child Protection Training

Week 9:

Wednesday 20th September: Life Education Van

Friday 22nd September: Last day of Term 3

We encourage all students to place their hats back on their bag/hat hook and would prefer this for all of them as hats seem to go astray quite easily. However, if you want your child to take their hat home can you check they have it as they leave for school.



Newsletter Term 3—Week 2 Friday 4th August 2017

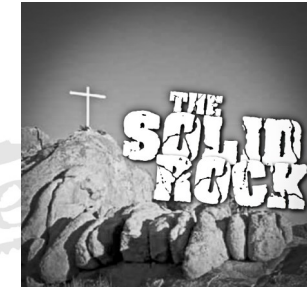
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In the last holiday break I was travelling away in our Caravan. Mrs Parris and I called in at Lightning Ridge and enjoyed the very hot mineral springs.

When we arrived in Queensland I received a call to say my Uncle Ted, who lived in Alice Springs had died. My family asked if I could help by taking his funeral. It was lovely to be together as a wider family and friends and to celebrate the good life that my uncle had lived. I met men who my uncle Ted had trained with excellence in Engineering skills. These men spoke very highly of him.

Just before my Uncle Ted died I shared with him the words of my favourite hymn 'My Hope is built on nothing less', which was written long ago in the Early 1800s. I encourage you also to use the words of this hymn as your prayer to God. I pray this will be a blessing to you and your wider family.

*"My hope is built on nothing less
Than Jesus' blood and righteousness;
I dare not trust the sweetest frame,
But wholly lean on Jesus' name.
On Christ, the solid Rock, I stand;
All other ground is sinking sand."*



The words 'I dare not trust the sweetest frame' are old words that most likely mean: where we think of all those fragile, temporal and earthly things that we put our hope and trust in. Perhaps it's finance? Perhaps it's family? Our own righteousness? Our own success?

Chaplain Michael

BURRABADINE CORNERSTONE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

ART:

ART: Mrs Clark has requested Milk Cartons and Plastic Bottles up to 1 litre.

Drama Club Dubbo Age: 5-21 www.dramaclubdubbo.com.au
Phone: Jo Gibb 0429 878 333, Email: info@dramaclubdubbo.com.au
(Talk to Miss Wonderley, she has lots more information)

BOOK WEEK: Monday 21-25 August

Thursday: Dress Up Day
Come dressed as a Hero or Fairytale Character

SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Please remember:

Our newsletter now goes out to you in various ways so that if you don't have access to one of them you can access another. The newsletter and the School Stream App are our main ways of communication.

Newsletter is done as: paper copy, email, school stream app, and website.

Pastoral Care: the Discipling Leader

August 11-13

Bendigo, VIC

When: Commencing 7.30-9.30pm Friday August 11 and conclude with afternoon tea Sunday August 13. Sessions start at 9am Saturday and Sunday mornings. Numbers will be limited.

Where: The Feast Space, The Old Church On The Hill, 36 Russel St, Quarry Hill, Bendigo

Cost: \$180 for full intensive or \$100 per day.

Please organise your own accommodation.

Cost includes: daily lunches, dinners and light refreshments.

More info: sandy.w@cornerstone.edu.au 0429 323750

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Values Topic Term 3:

Resilience

Resolving Conflicts

Resolving conflict means fixing up a relationship that has been damaged or broken by a fight or someone being mean or hurtful. The way to fix it is by people who have done wrong being quick to own up to the wrong they have done and saying sorry and people who have been hurt being quick to forgive. Resolving a conflict uses our listening skills, our problem solving skills and it involves being willing to explain how we feel using "I messages". If it's possible, the best way to resolve a conflict is using win-win - finding a solution that everyone feels happy with.

Part of being sorry is deciding to change and do better next time. If you are really sorry you will show by your words and actions that you want to change. Part of forgiving is being willing to let it go and start the relationship fresh. If you have forgiven you won't keep bringing up the problem after it is sorted out. If you have hurt another person it might take some time to earn their trust again. We also need to be reconciled to God. This can happen when we tell him we're sorry for trying to be the boss of our own lives and ask Him to take away our sin and let us be His children.

Ephesians 4:32 'Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you.'



Don't forget to collect your Earn and Learn Stickers from Woollies.

Being such a small school we need all the help we can get.