

# St Lawrence's Catholic Primary School



## Newsletter

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### Term 3 Week 1 Newsletter



**Monday 17th July 2023**

**Canberra...**  
**Cold one day, colder the next! But what a load of fun!!!**



**Students from St John's Baradine and St Lawrence's enjoyed a chilly but wonderful excursion to Canberra during the last week of Term 2. As pictured we visited Parliament House as well as the War Memorial, Questacon, The Electoral Commission, The National Exhibition Centre, Rock Climbing and Laser Tag. A bit thank you to Mrs Tym who organised the excursion and to Miss Walton, Mrs Wright, Mrs Milford and Mr McWhirter for this wonderful experience. This excursion is subsidised by PACER at the rate of \$135 per student to assist with the cost of getting our students to the National Capital to visit these important places.**

#### VISION STATEMENT

**'AD ALTA VIRTUTE' - To the Highest Virtue.** St Lawrence's Primary School is Christ-centred. Our school aims to create a safe and caring community, fostering an educational environment that promotes high levels of learning for all.

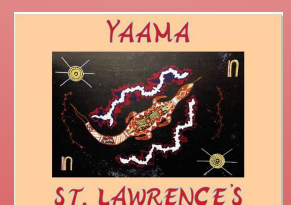
#### UPCOMING EVENTS

**20 July**  
**Kinder 2024**  
**Parent Meeting**

**24 July**  
**P & F Meeting**  
**5pm**

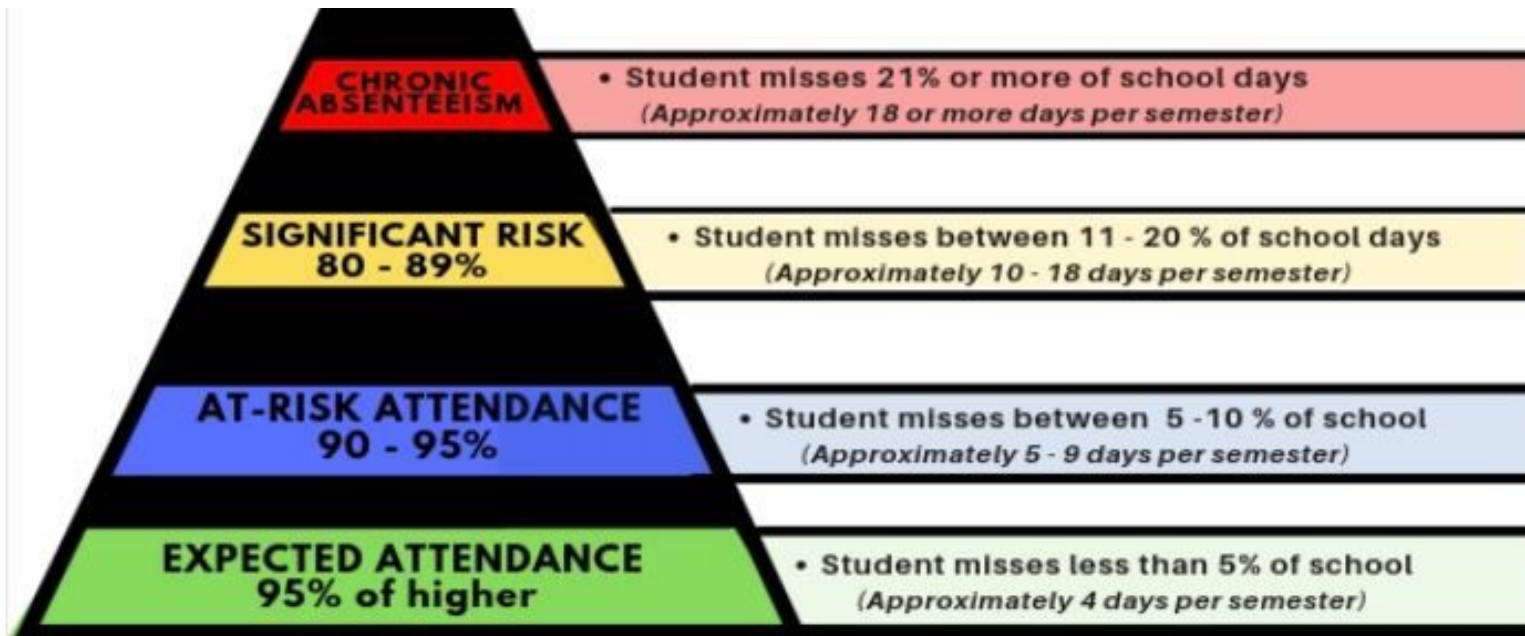
**25 July**  
**McGoldrick Cup**

**26 July**  
**Western Region**  
**Athletics**



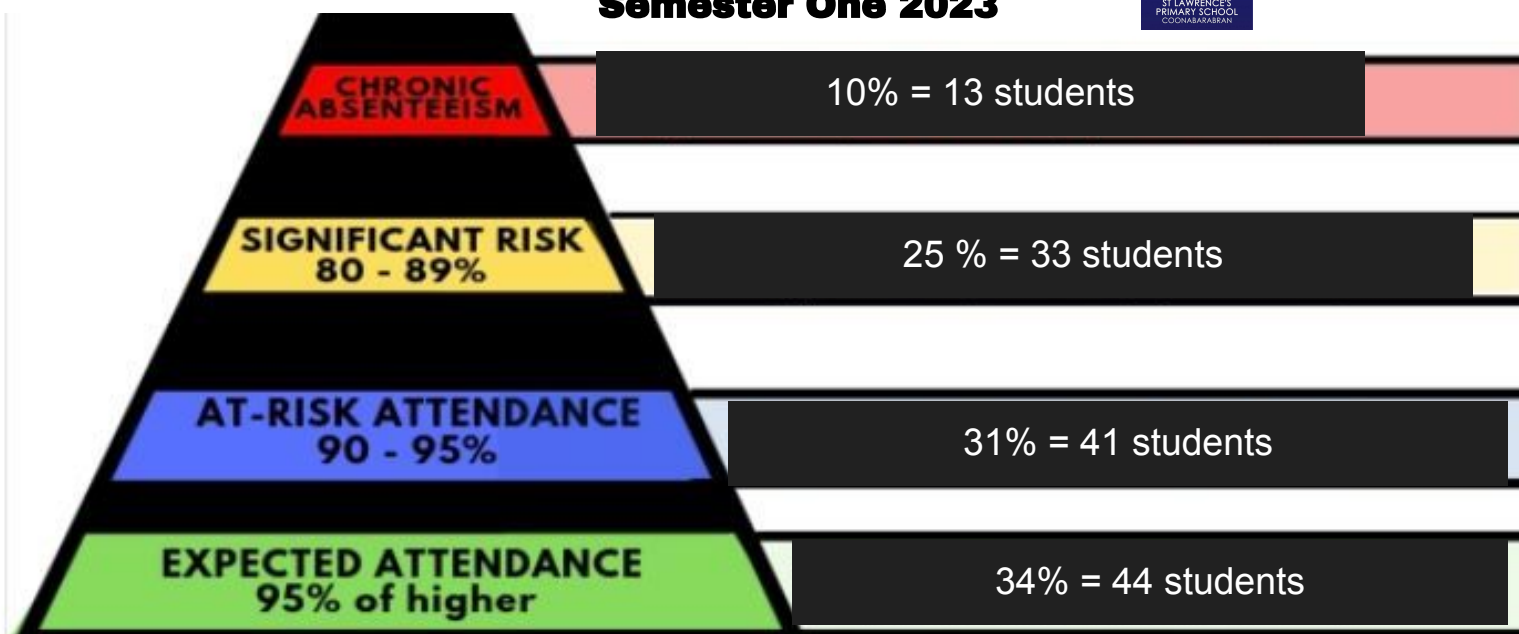
# Attendance Ladder

How close is your child to 100%?



Tabled below are the percentages of St Lawrence's student absences for Semester One. Each parent is able to identify where their child/children would sit from the absence information on the school report card that was sent home last term.

## St Lawrences Attendance Data Semester One 2023



**TERM 3 IS PUBLIC SPEAKING HOMEWORK FOR ALL GRADES ~ A NOTE WILL BE SENT HOME THIS WEEK WITH DETAILS.**



## Confirmation

30th July followed by  
Morning Tea

Confirmation Retreat  
Day 27th July ~  
details to follow

## First Holy Communion

27th August followed by  
Morning Tea

Information will follow  
this week



Happy Birthday this week to : **Ziara Swanson**



## BEEBOT Fun with Kinder and Year 1!

Last term the school was very fortunate to borrow a class set of Blubots and Beebots from the CEDB. Kinder have used them with Mrs Osmond as part of their Technology units plus Year 1 and Kinder have been using them together as a tool to enhance their learning in Literacy, Science and Numeracy.



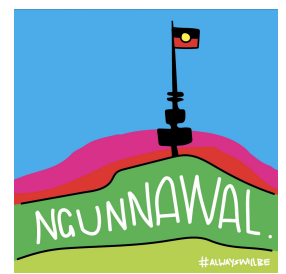
*"We acknowledge the traditional owners of this land and pay respects to the elders and deceased members of the Gamilaraay people."*







# CANBERRA









# Thank You St Pius X Chatswood Staff and Students for visiting and joining us for sport!





# Term 3 Calendar

Dates subject to change with notice

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
<b>July</b> 	<b>17</b> School Resumes	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b> Kinder 2024 Parent Meeting 2.30pm	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>
<b>July</b> 	<b>24</b> P & F Meeting 5pm	<b>25</b> Terry McGoldrick Cup	<b>26</b> Western Region Athletics	<b>27</b> Stage 1 Warrumbungle Excursion	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b> Confirmation
<b>July/Aug</b> 	<b>31</b>	<b>1</b> Kinder 2024 Transition 9-11	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b> Jeans for Genes Day	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>August</b> 	<b>7</b> Student Conferences Yr K,1,2	<b>8</b> Kinder 2024 Transition 9-11 Student Conferences Yr 5 & 6	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>
<b>August</b> 	<b>14</b> Student Conferences Yr 3 & 4 Yr 5 & 6 RE Excursion	<b>15</b> Kinder 2024 Transition 9-1.45	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b> Diocesan Athletics	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>August</b> 	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b> Kinder 2024 Transition 9-1.45 Book Week Parade	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b> First Holy Communion Year 3
<b>Aug/Sept</b> 	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b> Kinder 2024 Transition 9-3	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>1</b> Fathers day breakfast and Fathers Day Stall	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>September</b> 	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b> Kinder 2024 Parent Meetings	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b> Horse Sports 	<b>8</b> Horse Sports 	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>September</b> 	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b> Public Speaking Finals	<b>13</b> Public Speaking Finals	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b> NAIDOC Celebrations	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>
<b>September</b> 	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b> End of Term 3!	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>




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