

21st of August, 2020



Calendar

August

19th New academic year began!

October 12th-27th, Half Term

December

16th, end of term, School festival

January

6th Start of Term

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The opening ceremony for the new school year was held outdoors. Class 1 were welcomed by their new teacher into the school and there were many delighted faces, some familiar, some new!

Welcome Back Everyone!

And to our newest members a very warm welcome also! It is wonderful to see so many new faces.

In A Nutshell...

Is there an area of the curriculum that you'd like to understand more? Do you have general questions about this education? If so, send them here and we'll see what conversations we can get going...let's learn together

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From the Bettina of the PTFA (Parent, Teacher and Friends Association)

Starting school again was such a long awaited moment for our children and parents, after 5 months away. So much work happened over the holidays to get us to this point. Staff and parents got stuck in, supporting whatever was needed.

In July a 3 day work project had parents building an outdoor classroom and expanding the current one under Liam O' Loughlin, Majk Chamrada and Paddy Adkinson's leadership. Other parents and students cleaned the Upper School, transformed the staff room and gardened.

Last week class parents helped the teachers to move into new spaces where needed and to prepare welcoming classrooms for the students to return to.

Our final work project stint saw parents uplift the Upper School cabin, freshly painting walls in pastel colours and progressing the outdoor classroom.

I would love to name and appreciate each person, yet know that I would forget people. Please receive a personal appreciation : we couldn't have done it without each of your contributions.
with Gratitude,

Bettina Jespersen (PTFA)





Community Pages

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This week this section of the newsletter is bursting with possibilities...we look forward to hearing what you'd like to share with us...There are wonderful and inspiring **initiatives** going on amongst members of our community – let's hear about them!

Is anyone **fundraising** for a particular charity? Let's share the enthusiasm and see how we can inspire each other, and reach out further into our overlapping communities!

