

# St. Christopher's School Newsletter



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## FEES:

A reminder to all families that are paying their school fees in full for the year that payment is to be made by the end of February. All statement of fees will be sent out shortly.

## FIRST AID:

A reminder all medications must be given to First Aid with an Accompanying Medical Action Plan which has been authorised by a practising Medical Practitioner.

**Thank you**

**CANTEEN  
DAYS:  
MONDAY,  
WEDNESDAY &  
FRIDAYS ONLY**

Dear Families,

## Welcome back to 2020

I hope the holiday season was good to all of you. Like all of you I was saddened by the catastrophic fires over late December and January and I pray for those affected by them. I've also (as you would imagine) been keeping up with the Coronavirus development. Every time I get an update I will email you the latest information. The Government requirements can change quite quickly so please read each email I send you.

Over the first two days of school when there were no students, the staff undertook training and updates in the following areas:

- First Aid including Anaphylaxis and Asthma updates
- Child Safe Protocols
- Occupational Health and Safety Training
- Emergency Response Training including Evacuations and Lockdowns
- Various Policies and Procedures as outlined in our Staff Handbook
- School Rules and Behaviour Management Plan
- Camps and Excursions Policies and Procedures.

I also spoke to the staff about my passion for continuous improvement at our school and drive to make our school the best environment for our students to thrive in.

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## PREP INFORMATION SESSION & VOLUNTEER TRAINING TUESDAY FEBRUARY 18 - PREP/ONE AREA

### 1. Prep Information Session (Prep Parents Only) 6:30 - 7:15pm

Prep parents are invited to a session run by the classroom teachers to explain curriculum and procedures in the Prep classrooms. This session is vital in helping you support your children in their first year of school.

### 2. STC Volunteer Training Night 7.30 - 8.30pm (For any parent wishing to help in the school who has not already completed the training)

Due to the Child Safe legislation, St Christopher's Primary School will hold our Volunteer (Parent Helper) application and information session on **Tuesday, February 18 from 7:30pm - 8:30pm in the Prep/One area.**

**NO-ONE CAN VOLUNTEER IN ANY CAPACITY AT ST CHRISTOPHER'S WITHOUT OBTAINING AN STC VOLUNTEER CARD .**

This includes Parent helpers in the classroom, canteen helpers, excursion helpers, Parents and Friends, volunteers at any school event in school hours.

If you are thinking of volunteering at school at any point this year, this is a compulsory training and induction session. If you completed training in either 2018 or 2019 and have a Volunteer Card, you do not need to attend again.

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Here is a dot point summary of what I spoke about with all of our staff

### Vision 2020

- To continue to be a place of genuine faith that respects the dignity of all people through honest and respectful conversations
- To continue to work together with each other in flourishing teams that support us in being the best we can be
- To continue to be an organisation that meets the individual curriculum and wellbeing needs of our students no matter how varied they may be
- To continue the visible learning journey; to ensure our students are visible learners capable of knowing what they are going to learn, how they are going with their learning and what to do if they are stuck
- To continue to meet the needs of our students at risk and provide a streamlined approach to identification of needs and programs that meet those needs
- To continue to provide high quality intervention in English and Maths and ensure no child slips between the cracks
- To continue to meet the needs of students performing at, below and above their expected level of learning
- To continue the coaching journey for our staff, involving everyone in creating a culture where every member is open to constructive dialogue through the giving and receiving of effective feedback that drives improved teaching and student outcomes.

**In order to achieve this the following Professional Development will lead to full school closure days**

### PD for 2020

- Feb 21 - School Closure- Data Day—Teaching
- March 19 & 20—Two Day School Closure—Teacher Mindframes for Visible Learning—Teaching
- July 20- School Closure Day-Developing Coaching Culture—All staff
- Dec 11—School Closure—2021 Planning—Teaching

A great deal happened over the holiday period at school

- New playground
- New carpet and vinyl entry in the Year Prep/One area
- New outside door put in and painted in the Prep/One are
- Plumbing Works
- Resurfacing of the Basketball Court

It was looking perfect and then came that horrible dusty red rain but everyone is busily working to get it perfect again.

### Parent/Teacher Interviews:

At St Christopher's, we offer three parent teacher interview times throughout the year:

1. An **optional** interview at the beginning of the year on Tuesday February 11. This optional parent/teacher interview is only needed if you have something you need to discuss with the teacher regarding your child. Please see attached online booking form.
2. Due to this term being a short one, compulsory end of Term 1 interviews have been scheduled for Tuesday April 16 in Term 2
3. A compulsory end of Term 3 interview on Tuesday September 10

Two formal written reports will go out at the end of Term 2 and Term 4.

I'm looking forward to a productive and exciting 2020

Regards

**Adrian Glasby**  
Principal

***Duty of Care—A reminder to parents to advise the school of any changes to diagnosis or treatment of your child's medical conditions in writing. A letter from your child's doctor is also necessary.***



## R.E. NEWS:

Dear Parents,

Welcome back! I hope that you have had a wonderful break. It has been lovely to see the happy faces of the children coming back to school over the past week. We have a very busy term one this year, with the added scenario of a short term, so there are lots of things happening. Please ensure that if you have a child who will be receiving a Sacrament this year that you check in with this section of the newsletter each edition.

## SACRAMENTS FOR 2020:

The dates for our Sacraments were distributed at the end of last year and have been included in the newsletter for your information. Our first Sacrament this year will be Confirmation for the Year 6 students. Bishop Terry will come out to visit the children on Monday the 17<sup>th</sup> of February. We have our Parent/Child Confirmation workshop in the school hall on Wednesday the 19<sup>th</sup> of February. Please refer to the Sacramental Date note for the session times.

## PARISH AND SCHOOL CONNECTIONS:

Our classes will be attending the Thursday morning Parish masses throughout the year. Each week there will be two classes attending. Families are welcome to join in these masses.

Each Saturday night at 6pm, we will have our Family masses. This year there will be two classes allocated to each mass, which means that every class will have the opportunity to attend Family masses twice in the year. In addition to this, there will be presentation masses for the Year Four children and Rite of Acceptance masses for the Year 6 children. This information can also be found on the Sacramental Date note attached. Families are welcome at all of our masses.

## ASH WEDNESDAY:

On Wednesday the 26<sup>th</sup> of February, the Year 1-6 classes will attend a Parish/School Mass in the church at 9.15am. At this mass we will have ashes distributed to celebrate Ash Wednesday. In addition to this, our school staff will be commissioned. Our School Captains will collect some ashes to distribute with the prep children upon their return on the Thursday. The Captains from St Augustine's will collect ashes which will be provided for their school community as well. We welcome the opportunity to share this celebrations with our friends at St Augustine's.

Have a wonderful term one.

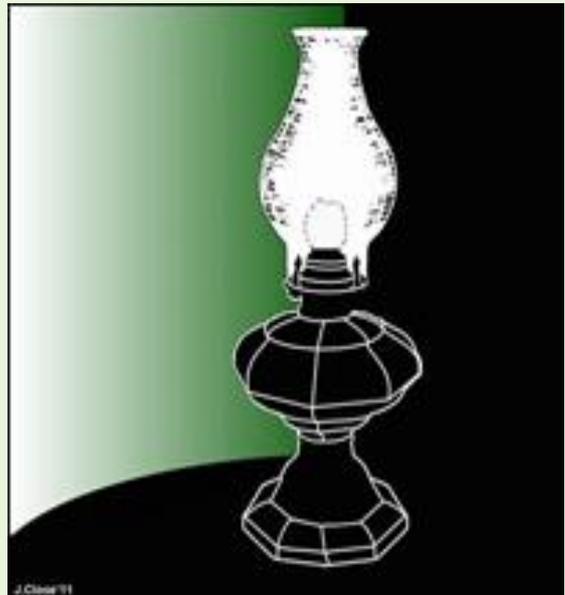
Kindest regards,

**Colleen Mahoney,**  
**Deputy Principal—Faith & Organisation.**

# Prayer

Alleluia, alleluia!  
 I am the light of the world,  
 says the Lord;  
 the man who follows me  
 will have the light of life.  
 Alleluia!

*Jn 8:12*



**READING:** Gospel reading from this Sunday  
 Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

*Mt 5:13-16*

*A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew*

*You are the light of the world.*

Jesus said to his disciples: 'You are the salt of the earth. But if salt becomes tasteless, what can make it salty again? It is good for nothing, and can only be thrown out to be trampled underfoot by men.'

'You are the light of the world. A city built on a hill-top cannot be hidden. No one lights a lamp to put it under a tub; they put it on the lamp-stand where it shines for everyone in the house. In the same way your light must shine in the sight of men, so that, seeing your good works, they may give the praise to your Father in heaven.'

*The Gospel of the Lord.*



## Sacramental Dates 2020

### Confirmation – Year 6



### Workshop Night – Parents and Children to Attend

Wednesday the 19<sup>th</sup> February in the school hall

6G and 6B – 6pm                      6M and 6W – 7.30pm

### Rite of Acceptance Masses

Please choose one of the two following masses to attend:

6pm on Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> February or 6pm on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> March

### Sacrament of Confirmation

6G and 6B at 1.30pm on Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> March

6M and 6W at 4pm on Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> March

### Reconciliation – Year 3



### Workshop Night – Parents and Children to Attend

Wednesday the 27<sup>th</sup> May in the school hall

3G and 3B – 6pm                      3M and 3W – 7.30pm

### Sacrament of Penance (Reconciliation)

Thursday the 11<sup>th</sup> of June

3G and 3B – 6pm

3M and 3W – 7.30pm

### First Eucharist – Year 4



### Workshop Night – Parents and Children to Attend

Wednesday the 15<sup>th</sup> July in the school hall

4G and 4B – 6pm                      4M and 4W – 7.30pm

### Presentation Masses

Please choose one of the two following masses to attend:

6pm on Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> July or 6pm on Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> August

### Sacrament of First Eucharist

4G – Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> August at the 6pm Parish Mass

4B – Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> August at the 6pm Parish Mass

4M – Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> August at the 6pm Parish Mass

4W – Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> September at the 6pm Parish Mass



## Parent Calendar - Term 1, 2020

### February

DATE	DAY	EVENT
7 <sup>th</sup>	Friday	ISS – Away v St John Bosco
11 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday	Optional Parent Teacher Interviews from 3.30pm – 7pm (normal full school day)
12 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday	After school swimming trials
		No preps
13 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday	Year 5 and 6 Chromebook Webinar
14 <sup>th</sup>	Friday	ISS – Away v St Peter's
17 <sup>th</sup>	Monday	Bishop Terry to visit Year 6 children and have morning tea with staff
18 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday	Prep Information night (6.30pm) and Volunteer Training night (7.30pm)
19 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday	No preps
		ISS – Home v St Therese's (change of day)
		Year 6 Confirmation Workshop: 6pm – Year 6G & 6B, 7.30pm – Year 6M & 6W
21 <sup>st</sup>	Friday	School Closure Day
24 <sup>th</sup>	Monday	District swimming competition
		6.30pm Fete meeting
		7pm PFA meeting
25 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday	Shrove Tuesday – special pancake event by PFA – more info to come
26 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday	No preps
		9.15am Parish and School Ash Wednesday mass
27 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday	School Photos
28 <sup>th</sup>	Friday	ISS – Home v St Martin
29 <sup>th</sup>	Saturday	6pm Rite of Acceptance #1 – Year 6

### March

DATE	DAY	EVENT
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Monday	ISS – Away v OLN
7 <sup>th</sup>	Saturday	Rite of Acceptance #2 – Year 6
9 <sup>th</sup>	Monday	Labour Day Public Holiday
10 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday	Open Day #1
		6.30pm Fete meeting
11 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday	Sibling Photos
12 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday	Open Day #2
13 <sup>th</sup>	Friday	ISS – Home v Keilor Heights
15 <sup>th</sup>	Sunday	Year 6 Confirmation 1.30pm and 4pm
16 <sup>th</sup>	Monday	Fete meeting
17 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday	Divisional swimming
		Crazy Hair Day/wear green for St Patrick's Day
19 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday	School Closure Day
20 <sup>th</sup>	Friday	School Closure Day
21 <sup>st</sup>	Saturday	School Fete
24 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday	PFA
27 <sup>th</sup>	Friday	End of term – 12pm finish



## “Away” Emails

These email addresses are to be used when notifying the school of any student absence, early pickups or important information. Should you experience any difficulties around using these emails, please contact the school office.

Prep Gold: [pgaway@stcapw.catholic.edu.au](mailto:pgaway@stcapw.catholic.edu.au)  
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### 2020 TERM DATES

**Term 1** Thursday 30 Jan (*Grades 1-6*)  
 Friday 31 Jan (*Preps*) – Friday 27 Mar  
**Term 2** Tuesday 14 Apr **\*\***—Friday 26 Jun  
**Term 3** Monday 13 Jul—Friday 18 Sept  
**Term 4** Monday 5 Oct—Wednesday 16 Dec

**\*\*Easter April 10-13**

### 2020 TERM 1 SCHOOL CLOSURE DAYS

**February** Friday 21  
**March** Monday 9 (**Labour Day**)  
 Thursday 19  
 Friday 20

## SCHOOL HOURS

**8:25am** School opens for arrival of students. Students to stay and play in Yard 2 and oval area until 8:40 when classes open.  
**8:40am** Classes open  
**8:50am** School commences, children are to be in class at this time  
**11.00 am to 11.40am** **RECESS**  
**1.40 pm to 2.20 pm** **LUNCH**  
**3:20pm** Bell to end school – **MONDAY TO THURSDAY ONLY**  
**3:00pm** Bell to end school – **FRIDAY ONLY**



## News from the Art & Music Rooms

Welcome back everyone. It was great to be back in the Art and Music rooms this week with the kids.

Maroon and White classes have Art and Music rotations this Semester and Gold and Blue classes 2nd Semester.

To see the art of our talented students from Prep to Grade 6, you can follow our Instagram page @stc\_artroom

We are so lucky to have such beautiful classrooms to bring out the creativity of our students. We've attached some pictures so you can see. We also want to let you know that we have an Art and Music show in November this year where the children will be able to showcase their amazing skills.

We are looking forward to a colourful and creative year.

Regards

**Ms Genevieve and Ms Elizabeth**





## 2020 FEE STRUCTURE

1 Child		2 Children		3 Children	
Family School Fees	\$2,050	Family School Fees	\$2,050	Family School Fees	\$2,050
Curriculum for 2021	\$ 460	Curriculum for 2021	\$ 920	Curriculum for 2021	\$1,380
1 ICT for 2020	\$ 70	2 ICT for 2020	\$ 140	3 ICT for 2020	\$ 210
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$2,580</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$3,110</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$3,640</b>

### Direct Debit ONLY Payment by the Term

	1 Child Fees, ICT & Curriculum	2 Children Fees, ICT & Curriculum	3 Children Fees, ICT & Curriculum	Gr 6 last child only Fees & ICT Only	Due Date
Term 1	\$ 860	\$1,040	\$1,220	\$ 710	21 <sup>st</sup> February 2020
Term 2	\$ 860	\$1,040	\$1,220	\$ 710	24 <sup>th</sup> April 2020
Term 3	\$ 860	\$1,030	\$1,200	\$ 700	12 <sup>th</sup> June 2020
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$2,580</b>	<b>\$3,110</b>	<b>\$3,640</b>	<b>\$2,120</b>	

### Direct Debit ONLY Payment by the Month

	1 Child Fees, ICT & Curriculum	2 Children Fees, ICT & Curriculum	3 Children Fees, ICT & Curriculum	Gr 6 last child only Fees & ICT Only	Due Date
February	\$ 258	\$ 311	\$ 364	\$ 265	
March	\$ 258	\$ 311	\$ 364	\$ 265	
April	\$ 258	\$ 311	\$ 364	\$ 265	Please choose any day between 1 <sup>st</sup> & 28 <sup>th</sup> of the month
May	\$ 258	\$ 311	\$ 364	\$ 265	
June	\$ 258	\$ 311	\$ 364	\$ 265	
July	\$ 258	\$ 311	\$ 364	\$ 265	
August	\$ 258	\$ 311	\$ 364	\$ 265	
September	\$ 258	\$ 311	\$ 364	\$ 265	
October	\$ 258	\$ 311	\$ 364	-	
November	\$ 258	\$ 311	\$ 364	-	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$2,580</b>	<b>\$3,110</b>	<b>\$3,640</b>	<b>\$2,120</b>	

#### Family School Fees

School fees are per FAMILY and will be invoiced in February of each year.

#### Curriculum and ICT Levies

Curriculum Levy 2021 - \$460 per child. Invoiced in October each year.

This covers your child's classroom stationery, excursion/incursions, music, Italian, sports, art, religious education, literacy & maths resources, as well as online access to Literacy Pro & ~~Mathletics~~, first aid supplies, library books, photocopying and laminating.

ICT Levy 2020 - \$70 per child (this will be invoiced in February together with fees). This levy is used to purchase and maintain iPad's (Prep-2), classroom sets of chrome books (3-4) and one-to-one chrome | books (5-6).

#### Camp

Additional camp invoices are charged in grades 4, 5 and 6. Camp invoices need to be paid separately by the due date. Payments can be made by phone (credit card), over the counter (cash/EFTPOS) or return the payment slip via the tote box.

#### Options for payment of fees and levies

There are 2 ways to pay your fees.

##### 1. Direct Debit (cheque or savings accounts) or COPS (credit card) payments.

###### **THIS IS THE SCHOOLS PREFERRED METHOD.**

Families are required to complete a direct debit/COPS form and return to the school office on or before the 1<sup>st</sup> December to commence your payments in the new year. New families must return the completed direct debit or COPS form on November 21<sup>st</sup> at orientation day.

##### 2. Annual Payment

If you do not wish to pay by regular instalments, please complete the direct debit/COPS form and tick where indicated for the one-off annual payment option. Please ensure you nominate your preferred date in February for this payment to be deducted.

***If you have any questions, please email Dianne Marks on [dmarks@stcapw.catholic.edu.au](mailto:dmarks@stcapw.catholic.edu.au)***



## CANTEEN LIST 2020

If your child is ordering lunch, the order is to be written on a brown paper bag at home and the money enclosed. Please include child's full name, grade and order on bag. Please do not sticky tape or staple bags. It is then put into a basket in their classroom and taken to the Canteen in the morning. Paper bags will be supplied if necessary at 10c each.

*During Term One and Four zoopers are available. Orders need to be written on lunch bags with choice of colour/flavour. There are no over the counter sales at any time.*

<b>Sandwiches - Rolls \$0.50 extra</b>		<b>Hot Food (continued)</b>	
Margarine	\$1.40	Pizza: Hawaiian	\$3.20
Ham	\$2.80	Pizza: Ham	\$3.20
Tuna (only during Lent)	\$2.80	Pizza: Margherita	\$3.20
Salad	\$3.50	Pasta: Ravioli	\$4.00
Vegemite	\$1.60	Pasta: Spaghetti	\$4.00
Tomato	\$2.40	Pasta: Lasagna	\$4.00
Cucumber	\$2.40	Macaroni Cheese (Terms 2 & 3 only)	\$4.20
100's & 1000's	\$1.60	Butter Chicken with Steamed Rice (Terms 2 & 3 only)	\$4.20
Salad Plate	\$4.50	<b>Snacks</b>	
Meat and Salad Plate	\$5.00	Ropes	\$0.50
Salad Extras	\$0.60	Red Rock Deli Chips - (Sea Salt, Honey Soy)	\$1.50
Meat Extras	\$1.50	JJ's - (Pizza, Chicken, Salt & Vinegar)	\$1.20
<b>Hot Food</b>		Popcorn	\$1.30
Hot Apple Pie	\$2.40	Chocolate Muffin <b>NOT AVAILABLE UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE</b>	<del>\$1.80</del>
Nuggets	\$1.00	Blueberry Muffin <b>NOT AVAILABLE UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE</b>	<del>\$1.80</del>
Party Pies/Pasties	\$1.50	Jam Doughnut	\$2.00
Meat Pies	\$4.10	<b>Drinks/Frozens</b>	
Sausage Rolls	\$2.90		
Pasties	\$4.10	Spring Water	\$2.00
Hot Dog	\$2.60	Juice 100% (orange, apple, apple & black currant)	\$1.60
Hot Dog In Bread	\$2.20	Quench - (All flavours)	\$2.00
Hot Dog Only	\$1.20	Zoopers (Terms 1 & 4 only)	\$0.50
Sauce Sachet	\$0.20		
<i>(Please specify if no sauce)</i>			

**Canteen is open Monday, Wednesday and Friday only.**

**Any queries, please call Judy 0419 562 319.**

\*Prices subject to increase

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THE EASY WAY TO BOOK  
**SCHOOL  
INTERVIEWS**

**2020 Optional Parent/Teacher Interviews (Tuesday 11 February)**

Dear Parents,

Optional Parent/Teacher Interviews will be held on **Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> February 2020**.

Appointments start at 3.30pm through to 6.50pm as the last appointment. Interviews are strictly 10 minutes and are held in the child's classroom. Book in early to avoid disappointment.

***This interview is not compulsory.*** These interviews are for parents who wish to speak about their children. Feedback on your child's performance will be given at the Parent Teacher Interviews held on Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> April.

**BOOKINGS CLOSE Friday 7<sup>th</sup> February at 9.00am**

**PLEASE NOTE: Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> February will be a FULL school day finishing at 3.20pm**

Go to [www.schoolinterviews.com.au](http://www.schoolinterviews.com.au) and follow these simple instructions.

Simply enter the code and press "Go"



Enter your details



Select the teachers you wish to see



Select the appointment times that suit your family best



When you click **FINISH**, your interview timetable will be emailed to you automatically. If you do not receive your email immediately –  
**Check your junk mail folder AND make sure you have spelled your email address correctly**

You may change your bookings, any time prior to the closing date, by re-visiting the [www.schoolinterviews.com.au](http://www.schoolinterviews.com.au) website, and using the event code. Remember to use the same name and email address, you used when you made your original booking.



# Open Days for 2021 Enrolment

## 10th & 12th March 2020

9am & 12 midday tours (90min duration)

No bookings required

CLOSING DATE FOR 2021 PREP ENROLMENT

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> February 2020 (SIBLING FAMILIES)

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March 2020 (NEW FAMILIES)



# Safety around schools

## Providing safe school zones for all children



### Keep children safe in a school zone by:

- walking or cycling to school to decrease traffic congestion
- adhering to the 40km per hour zone when travelling in an operated school zone
- checking the restrictions set by the regulations and parking signs in the area and abiding by them
- not stopping or parking illegally – these actions will be noticed and infringements will be issued by Council.

### You should:

- always let your child out on the kerb side of the road
- never call your child from across the road  
teach them to wait until you walk over to get them or to use the school crossing

- talk to your child about what they should do if you are not there on time.

### A children's crossing is a legal crossing when two flags are in place.

#### Teach your child to:

- always stand one step back from the kerb
- wait for the Crossing Supervisor to go out onto the crossing and blow their whistle (two short blasts), then cross the road
- not ride bikes, bounce a ball, fight, muck around or run across the crossing
- always stay within the lines of crossing and walk in front of the supervisor (never behind them)
- always be alert and listen to what the Crossing Supervisor says.



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## TENNIS CLUB NEWS:

Tennis coaching with Matt has recommenced at St Christopher's Tennis Club. Any new students interested in giving tennis a try are welcome to join in or have a trial lesson. Contact **Matt Todd** on **0414 628 633** or grab a tennis note from the paper rack in front of the school library.

**Regards  
Matt Todd**