Count your blessings, not your troubles.
You'll make it through whatever comes along.
Don't put limits on yourself,
So many dreams are waiting to be realised.

Dear Parents and Guardians,

**Tournament of Minds (TOM):** This Saturday, our TOM team participates in the State challenge in Social Sciences. The team of **David Brooke, Shannon Carr, Nikita Estrella, Jordyn Grevers, Claudia McDermott, Zoe McLean** and **Victoria Pang** have been working hard all term to produce their presentation under the supervision of Mrs Karen Young. Congratulations on all your hard work and I look forward to seeing the performance. Thank you, Karen for your work with the team.

**Introduction to the Challenge:** The Camera Lies! It is often said that the camera never lies! We like to think that photographs show us the truth of a situation, but it seems that the camera can and does lie after all. Modern technology enables us to do amazing things. With all our new found technological capabilities come dangers and responsibilities.

**The Challenge:** you are to explore the consequences of a falsified photograph being released.

**Presentation:** You must –
- Present two pictures (representing your photographs) which are at least A3 in size; one is the ‘original’ and the other has been falsified.
- Explain in what way the original picture has been falsified.
- Explain who was responsible and why it was falsified.
- Demonstrate the impact it has on at least three different individuals and/or groups.
- Explain what can be done to prevent this from occurring in the future.

The team has ten minutes to complete the presentation and strict guidelines in which to operate including the rule that four members must be within the staging area (3m x 3m) at all times.

**NOTES SENT HOME THIS WEEK**

God bless you
Eileen Climo
Principal

**VISION STATEMENT**

St Andrew’s CPS offers an education that acknowledges, respects and nurtures the uniqueness of each person.
Within a framework of Catholic values and teamwork, the students will be challenged and supported to recognise their gifts and develop their potential as they learn and contribute to their community.
DATES TO REMEMBER

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SCHOOL MATTERS

Congratulations to those children who have celebrated their birthdays recently.

Isla Kerridge, Lucy Walker Raymond Rofa, Baelleigh Robinson, Heath Brennan, Cyle Graham, Aiden Carpenter, Jazzmin McNamara

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SCHOOL PHOTOS

Envelopes have been sent home to parents for each child and are to be returned to the school on photo day. Each child must return their own personalised envelope to hand directly to the photographer.

No change can be given on the photo day so please ensure correct money is enclosed in your envelope. Payment can be made by cash, cheque, money order, direct debit or credit card for your convenience.

If you have missed out on ordering on photo day, orders can be placed directly with MSP Photography on 9342 3465, however any orders received after photo date will incur an additional $20.00 search fee.
A PUPIL FREE DAY
Please note that there is a pupil free day on Friday 26 August
Staff Professional Development

WHEN: Open Night Wednesday 31st August
2:30-6:00pm
WHERE: St Andrew’s Library

The purpose of the book fair is to encourage families to purchase a book, from the
selection in the library, to give as a donation to the school.
If your family donates a book a sticker of recognition will be put inside the book and your
child will get the opportunity to take the book home first.
The donations will boost our reading resources and will not only benefit your child but
many children for years to come.
We hope to see you there! K. Graffin - Library Teacher

PERFORMING ARTS FESTIVAL

Healthy Bodies Rock: Year 1 & 2 Dance: Congratulations to all children and
staff involved in this production which was staged at the Convention Centre last
Thursday. Great excitement all round and a most impressive performance by the
children. You can see it on Wednesday 31st August at the Arts Open Night.
Special thank yous to Dawne Peacham for her choreography and to Kate Mesiti
and Jenny Duff for the beautiful costumes they made. The adjudicators comment
included: “Wonderful costumes that really supported the choreographic idea.
Loved the boogie bones. Great use of a very large group. Fantastic energy from all
performers. Excellent work.”

JUMP OFF DAY – JUMP ROPE FOR HEART - FRIDAY 2ND SEPTEMBER
Our Jump Off Day is on Friday 2nd September. The students are allowed to wear
RED sports’ clothing for the day – in aid of the Heart Foundation. All students
will be participating in Jump Rope activities for part of the day. Please send in
your sponsor forms as soon as possible. If any parents can help on the day
please see me [morning only or part of the morning]. Thank you.
Dawne Peacham [Physical Education Teacher]

FOR SALE – SKELETON COSTUMES
We have a number of skeleton costumes for sale.
AGES: 3/4, 5/6 and 7/8. If anyone would like to purchase a costume
[Halloween is coming up!], they are $20.00 each. Please see me if you
would like to purchase one of these. Thank you.
Dawne Peacham
What is Love?

YEAR 2W

This term 2W has have been looking at Love in religion. Students were asked to describe what they think love is.

I think the world is love. Amy
I think love is greatness. Ella
I think love is caring for each other. Chelsea
I think love is caring about others. Mathiang
I think love is helping people. Jack
I think love is being nice to others. Levi
I think love is giving someone a hug. Jelyn
I think love is caring for each other. Jordan
I think love is a kiss and a cuddle. Tykera
I think love is being kind to others. Simon
I think love is caring and sharing for others. Tyler
I think love is helping each other. Sienna
I think love is giving someone a hug. Maisy
I think love is hugging someone. Alana
I think love is all about sharing and caring. Adrian
I think love is giving a big hug to my mum. Joshua
I think love is about loving other people. Lucas
I think love is caring about other people. Seth
I think love is when you care for somebody. Hannah
I think love is being helpful to others. Kyla
I think love is when you help someone. Millie
I think love is a type of feeling. Erin
I think love is hugs and kisses. Cate
I think love is happiness. Elizabeth
I think love is being thankful. Holly