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From the Principal

Dear Parents

A warm welcome to Week 5.

Last Wednesday (17 February) marked the start of the Lenten period. Lent is the Christian season of preparation before Easter. In Western Christianity, Ash Wednesday marks the first day, or the start of the season of Lent, which begins 40 days prior to Easter (Sundays are not included in the count). Lent is a time when many Christians prepare for Easter by observing a period of fasting, repentance, moderation and spiritual discipline. The purpose is to set aside time for reflection on Jesus Christ – his suffering and his sacrifice, his life, death, burial and resurrection.

I appreciate that our community is composed of many different cultures and beliefs and celebrate all that this diversity and tolerance brings to our relationships. It is worth remembering at this time how *blessed* we are, not only through the sacrifice that Jesus made thousands of years ago, but also the amazing blessing of being born into the 3% of the world's population that wants for little. During this time of Lent, it is appropriate that we should acknowledge this privilege we enjoy and look to the needs of others less fortunate than us.

Ecumenical Service

Yesterday on Tuesday 23 February, our College Chaplain, student representatives and I, were privileged to attend an annual Ecumenical Service. Many in our community would be unaware that seventeen schools across the wider Sunshine Coast region comprise an association, with the common thread being an overt Christian mission and ethos. Fellow member schools are Caloundra Christian College, Coolool Beach Christian College, Glasshouse Christian College, Good Samaritan Catholic College, Good Shepherd Lutheran College, Matthew Flinders Anglican College, Nambour Christian College, Noosa Christian College, Pacific Lutheran College, St Andrew's Anglican College, Siena Catholic College, St John's College, Suncoast Christian College, Sunshine Coast Grammar School, St Teresa's Catholic College and Unity College.

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The Principals of these schools meet each term and discuss a wide range of issues at a local, state and national level. Some may suppose that there is a degree of 'rivalry' between member schools (and their Principals) and, while there may from time to time be some 'playful banter', the camaraderie is strong, with a focus on Christ-centred education and the service we offer our communities.



Join us for Coffee

Parents are invited to join members of the Executive staff and I for coffee or tea and a chat following morning drop off on Thursday 25 February on the College Green. We'll be there from 8.00am to 9.00am and would love to see you.



Family Day at Mt Binga

On Saturday 27 February, our first group of Year 10 students will conclude their residential program at Mt Binga with a special Family Day. No doubt there will be many interesting stories exchanged as Year 10 students update their families on the activities they have undertaken and challenges they have overcome in the last few weeks.

Group 2 will depart for Mt Binga on Monday 1 March and we wish them every blessing for their adventure.

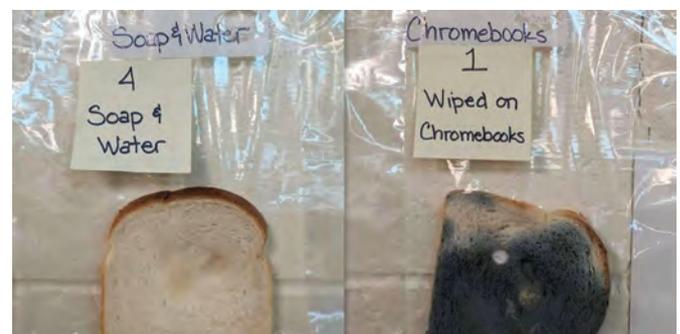
A Hands-On Experiment

Teachers in a school were tired of nagging their students to wash their hands. Surely the number of sick days people took were a direct result of the germs being spread around the classroom. The teachers decided to make it into a science project. They put five different pieces of white bread in zip lock bags after having each one handled in a different way:

- Touched by students with unwashed hands.
- Touched by students whose hands were cleaned by a hand sanitiser.
- Touched by students' hands just rubbed on a classroom Chromebook.
- Touched by students' hands just washed with soap and warm water.
- Touched by a teacher's gloved hands.

The zip lock bags were sealed (so classroom air wouldn't get in) and tacked to a bulletin board. A month later, the results were dramatic.

- The Chromebook-touched bread was almost completely black with mould and disintegrating.
- The bread touched by dirty hands was almost as bad.
- The bread touched by hand-sanitised hands wasn't much better.
- The bread touched by washed hands was white.
- So was the one touched by gloved hands.



Students' reactions: Ewwwww, gross! Hand washing improved dramatically, and students and their families realised that hand sanitisers weren't an effective alternative.

One of the teachers posted a description of the experiment on Facebook, and it's been shared more than 60,000 times. You can read it for yourself. Wash your hands!

Acknowledgement: "Gross! School Experiment Shows Students the Effects of Not Washing Their Hands" by Scott Stump in Today, December 17, 2019

The take-out message of this article is the continued importance of hand washing, and not only in a pandemic!

Every blessing for the coming fortnight.

Colin Minke
Principal

Chaplaincy Chat



Gayla Mathews – Chaplain

College Counsellor

A friend of mine is having a very difficult time. She recently received a lengthy text message from someone in her social circle listing the ways in which 'the group' had noticed that she hadn't been herself lately. The message called her out on a number of fronts and stated that a recent family tragedy did not provide adequate reasons for her changes in behaviour. Needless to say, my friend was devastated. She felt a range of emotions from anger to shame. She has felt unable to respond to the texter and has withdrawn from the social group. It is possible that the texter's intentions were good but the timing, the tone and her reading of the situation were all way off.

Another friend also received feedback this week – this time in email form and from her employer. The email noticed that she had not been herself and enquired as to whether she required support or a listening ear, along with being specific about what had been observed. This friend was concerned but willing to talk with her employer about circumstances in her life which were creating impact.

Two forms of feedback, both difficult to receive. One however, by generating shame, closed a door to the possibility of change and the other, seeking understanding, allowed a door to open.

Most of us would never consider texting a friend with our unsolicited opinions on their performance as a human being. As parents, we are, however, required (almost daily) to give feedback on the performance of our children. Correction is an art form – we are seeking that tricky balance between seeking to understand and encourage, while providing specific feedback and boundaries. The articles below provide some food for thought as we consider how we can provide correction to our offspring as they make their way in the world.

<https://www.parentingscience.com/correcting-behavior.html>
<https://www.peacefulparent.com/tread-gently-correcting-child/>

Tarnya Mitchell – College Counsellor
www.immanuel.qld.edu.au

GIG is Back!

GIG (Get-Into-God) is a free Christian youth group for Immanuel students in Years 4, 5 and 6. GIG will begin on Friday 5 March. It is held every Friday afternoon during term, except the first and last Friday of term. GIG starts at 3.10pm at Immanuel Church and students meet parents out the front of the Church at 4.30pm.

GIG begins with an afternoon tea provided by the Immanuel Church congregation. (Gluten free and other dietary needs are catered for). Bible stories are read, discussions take place and questions are answered in small groups. We then pray for each other. Finally, a large group game will occur to end GIG each week.

Enquiries to E: woodwardv@immanuel.qld.edu.au

Prep 2022 Families

Urgent Notice

If you're a parent who has a child starting Prep in 2022 but haven't been scheduled for an enrolment interview in the Primary School, please contact Enrolments Registrar Irene Dabinet on T: 5477 3441 or E: dabineti@immanuel.qld.edu.au as soon as possible. Prep 2022 is nearing capacity and even though preference is given to current families, we urge you to contact us as soon as possible so that we can do our best to accommodate your family. Thank you.

Irene Dabinet – Enrolments Registrar



Primary School



Over the past few weeks, I have had the pleasure of spending significant time in classrooms working with students as we nurture them on their learning journey. It is an amazing privilege to spend time with our future leaders and innovators every day at Immanuel; their care for each other, enthusiasm for learning and sense of social justice means our future society is in safe hands.

Leadership Day

SCIPHA (Sunshine Coast Independent Primary Heads Association) sponsored the annual Year 6 Leadership Day on Monday at the Maroochy Waterfront Conference Centre. Led by Character Builders, our current Primary School student leaders, along with over 100 students from across the independent sector, participated in a variety of activities designed to grow resilience, character, empathy, respect and communication skills as they undertake this important work in our College. It is an outstanding opportunity for our youngest leaders and I thank Mr Forrest and Mrs Whitaker for accompanying them on the day.

2021 9-12 Years District Swimming Carnival

On Friday 19 February, the Immanuel Primary Swimming Team travelled to St Andrew's to compete in the 2021 District Swimming Championships.

With the exception of our 12 years boys and girls, most of our swimmers are very new to this level of competitive swimming. Stanley Jarrott was our stand-out swimmer placing either first or second in all his events. Stanley went on to break a longstanding record in the 50m Backstroke. He was also awarded the 12 years Boys Age Champion.

Immanuel won the 2021 District Percentage Shield for Swimming and placed fourth by just 20 points in the overall standings.

Immanuel Swimming has much to look forward to and can only get better if our swimmers continue their training and commitment to competitions and recording personal best times. We have some great all-round swimming prospects like Elina Krauchi, Lyla Finch and Noah Bamford in the 9-year age group, Lola Richardson, Ella Middleton and William Odgers in the 10-year age group and Ava Webb, Amaali Parfitt and Lincon Finch in the 11-year age group.

Well done to all of Immanuel's swimmers who swam with such determination and for competing with such gusto throughout the day. Thank you also to Mr Mahon, Ms Castles and Mrs Turner for their wonderful help as officials and assistants on the day. *Michael Johnson – Sports Coordinator P-6*

Carparks

I write to remind drivers of the need to maintain a very low speed in our College carparks at all times and to exercise vigilance around pedestrians. We share a joint responsibility to ensure the safety of our students. Parents are reminded that staff are on duty until 3.30pm at all College pick-up zones so you may choose to time your arrival slightly later to avoid the end-of-day congestion. I ask that drivers ensure they park only in marked bays and do not block resident's driveways on Rim Road.

2021 Karneval

Fun was the order of the day and was evident on students' faces as they paraded in costume and participated in a range of German-related games and activities. Gummi Bear races were run, masks were decorated and donuts were eaten! Students also enjoyed listening to stories of Karneval and its rich history dating back 600 years. A favourite is how the scary masks worn in some cities were thought to scare away the winter!





Primary School Assembly

Primary School Assembly schedule for Term One is listed below. For families new to the College, these are held in the Primary School Hall at 2.20pm on Mondays.

- Years Prep -2 - Weeks 6 and 8
- Years 3-6 – Week 7 and 9

SEQTA Engage

Primary School parents will be able to access their child's curriculum outlines by logging on to SEQTA Engage. This portal also allows parents of students in Years 3 to 6 to view assessment feedback and track their child's learning journey from home. It is likely first academic results will be posted by teachers by the start of next week.

OSHC (Outside School Hours Care)

OSHC is available from 3.00pm to 6.00pm each day and 8.00am to 6.00pm during holiday periods. All students in Years Prep to 6 are to attend After School Care if they cannot be collected by 3.30pm and are not eligible to be cared for by an older sibling. If you would like further information, or you need to enrol your child, please contact OSHC on T: 5477 3418.

School Absences

If your child is absent from school, please phone the Primary School absentee line on T: 5477 3459. Please note that this is not the Primary School Administration number.

2022 Prep Enrolments

Our Enrolments Registrar Irene Dabinet has advised that Prep 2022 is almost at capacity. Should you wish to enrol your child in Prep at the College in 2022, please complete an enrolment application from the College website. Irene can be contacted via email on E: enrolments@immanuel.qld.edu.au.

Parents are reminded that there is no automatic entry into the College from Immanuel ELC and all new and existing families are required to submit an application for entry to the College.

Clean Up Schools Day 2021

Sunday 7 March is the official Clean Up Australia Day. Our focus for Clean Up Schools Day will be on the continued development of staff and student understanding about sustainable practices using our waste management system, including ensuring all students are involved in our recycling program across the year.

Thank you for the continued support of your child's learning journey at Immanuel.

Scott Moore – Head of Primary School

Secondary School



Mt Binga

Group 1 Family Day (27 February)

We are looking forward to seeing our students currently at Mt Binga for Family Day this Saturday 27 February. As Family Day commences at 10.00am, it is advisable to leave the Sunshine Coast no later than 8.00am.

For information on directions to Mt Binga, please visit: <https://www.mtbinga.com.au/contact>. To assist with the logistics of the day, all are asked to park on the oval and to arrive no earlier than 9.00am please. Families are also asked to bring a picnic lunch to share with their child.

Mt Binga Group 2 Departure (1 March)

Students who are attending Mt Binga in the second group are asked to be at the LifePointe Baptist Church carpark by 8.15am on Monday 1 March. Information on what to bring, what to expect etc. can also be located via the Mt Binga website or the 2021 Mt Binga Information Handbook.

Year 12 Parent Information Evening (2 March)

Our Year 12 Parent Information evening will take place on Tuesday 2 March at 7.00pm in the Ken Thamm Lecture Theatre to outline the academic process for Year 12. So that we may adhere to our COVID Safety Management Plan, it is asked that only one parent/direct guardian (as listed on SEQTA) per Year 12 child attend this event please (i.e. other family members/friends etc. will be unable to attend on this occasion). If you are feeling unwell on this day, please stay home. Should you be unable to join us for the evening, and have a query or a concern, please contact the Secondary School Office.

Be Brave and Shave (5 March)

Over the past few weeks Year 12 students have been busy fundraising for the World's Greatest Shave challenge. Currently they have received approximately \$5,300.00 in donations and are well on the way to achieving their \$7,000.00 goal.

On Friday 5 March the College will be holding a Be Brave and Shave event that will see Year 12 student Felicity Yeates shave her head, along with several of her peers. For Felicity, this will not only be in support of the Leukaemia Foundation, but will also honour her grandmother who passed away with leukaemia and pancreatic cancer last year.

If you are in a position to make a donation to the ILC team, please visit their fundraising page at: [2021 ILC Be Brave and Shave](#). You can donate anonymously or publicly, and even leave a message of

support. Donations may also be forwarded to the Secondary School Office. All money raised will support families facing blood cancer, as well as the vital research required.

Year 12 - Preschool/Year 1 Photo Required

A reminder to Year 12 students to forward a photo of themselves from when they were around the age of five to Miss Karageorge prior to the end of the term. This will be used for our 2021 Valedictory celebrations, which are already in the making! Photos need to be clear and not too distant. For example, a Preschool or Year 1 portrait photo would be ideal!

Cocurricular Opportunities

I encourage all students to participate in at least one (if not a few) of the cocurricular activities offered at the College. There are plenty to choose from and are inclusive of sporting, cultural and community service options. Cocurricular activities are designed to inspire students, value their strengths and differences, and encourage them to develop a spirit of service both to each other and the wider community. For further information on training/rehearsal times, venues, competitions etc., please visit: [Cocurricular Handbook](#).



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2021 Cocurricular Handbook

Nick Cheyne – Head of Secondary School

40 Immanuel Arts Festival

Plans for the Immanuel Arts Festival are in full swing and in a little under three months, we look forward to sharing this event with you. This year we will celebrate the 40th year of the Festival. Our logo has undergone a refresh to recognise this significant and wonderful achievement. Over the years, the event has been run by parent volunteers and the Immanuel P&F Community which is worth celebrating.

This year's event will be held from 20 to 23 May in the A. J. Jericho Stadium and I encourage you to put the dates in your calendar as it is a great community event to get involved in. There are several ways that ILC families can get involved:

- Come along and view the artwork on display from a wide range of local artists on the Sunshine Coast between Friday 21 to Sunday 23 May. Entry is \$5.00 and students are free.
- Attend the Gala Opening on Thursday 20 May from 7.00pm. Tickets are \$35 and will go on sale soon. It is a great event to catch up with friends and meet new families (this evening is not suitable for children to attend).
- Volunteer a couple of hours of your time to assist with gallery set-up in the A. J. Jericho Stadium in the week prior to the event, be a gallery host at the Festival or help in the café. Many hands are needed to coordinate this great event.
- Encourage your child/ren to enter a piece in the Festival. It is free for ILC students to enter and there are many different categories including a jewellery competition, film, wearable art and painting/drawing. ILC student entries open on Tuesday 9 March and close on Friday 30 April.
- Consider sponsoring one of the many prizes at the Immanuel Arts Festival. Sponsorship opportunities start from \$100.

I thank and acknowledge our major sponsors - My Weekly Preview / Sunshine Coast News, 92.7 MIX FM, The Inkspot Printers, Medicine on Second, To Hold and To Have Jewellers and local graphic designer and ILC parent, Catherine Dinkelman from kindsign.com who has very generously donated her time to refresh our brand and create a fresh look and feel for the Festival. As a community, we encourage you to support these local businesses as they have done so for the Immanuel Arts Festival.

If you have any questions or would like to support the Festival, please contact Mrs Lauren Nielsen, Community Relations and Event Coordinator via E: artsfestival@immanuel.qld.edu.au or T: 5477 3419. We look forward to your support of another great event.

Immanuel Arts Festival Committee

Secondary School Sport

Independent District Swimming Carnival

Last Thursday, a team of forty swimmers travelled to St Andrew's to compete in the Independent District Swimming Carnival. The standard of racing is always of a very high standard and our students represented the College proudly. Various ILC swimmers recorded personal bests in their events. A number of students could not attend as they were at Mt Binga. However, this provided opportunities for other swimmers to gain valuable experience. Thank you to each member of the team for their effort and participation. ILC finished in fifth place overall with thirteen swimmers qualifying to represent the Independent District at the Regional Swimming Trials to be staged at the Burpengary Regional Aquatic Leisure Centre on Wednesday 3 March. Congratulations to:

Bill Atkinson, Sam Atkinson, Jayden Dunlop, Stanley Jarrott, Lily Johannessen, Poppy Johannessen, Jay O'Pray, Elle Richardson, Kiara Rychvalsky, Luke Rychvalsky, Jordan Turner, Aliza Walsh, Ruby Williams.

SCISSA

Soccer

Our senior soccer teams both played home games last week. Senior Girls had a very good win over Suncoast 2: 0. Senior Boys had a very narrow loss of 0:1 to PLC.

This Wednesday, games are both at away venues. Good luck to both teams.

- Senior Girls v MFAC at MFAC at 4.00pm
- Senior Boys v MFAC at Meridan Playing Fields at 4.45pm



Senior Girls Soccer team



Volleyball

Our four volleyball teams completed the second round of the competition last Wednesday with three of the teams recording good wins.

The Junior Girls and Intermediate A Girls won all their matches. Intermediate Boys won their second game of the season. Intermediate B girls team had a very close loss.

Games for this week are as follows. Good luck to all teams.

Junior A Girls: Play at Sunshine Coast Grammar School. Two games:

- v PLC at 4.00pm
- v NCC at 4.45pm.

Students are to meet Mr Bradforde at 3.40pm at Grammar in their playing gear. Students to find their own private transport to and from this fixture.

Intermediate A Girls v PLC at Matthew Flinders Anglican College at 4.00pm. Students are to meet Coach Sarah at MFAC stadium at 3.40pm in playing gear. Students to find their own private transport to and from this fixture.

Intermediate B Girls v SCGS 2 at 4.00pm. Students are to meet Mr Cleary at the stadium at 3.30pm in their playing gear.

Intermediate B Boys v GCC 2 at Glasshouse Christian College at 4.45pm. Students are to meet at the bus stop to depart at 3.45pm with Mr Sobey. Students will arrive back at the College at approximately 6.15pm with parents to collect students from the bus turnaround area.

Monday Night Netball

We have five very excited teams representing Immanuel at the Monday Night Netball Competition this year with the first match being played this coming Monday 1 March at Fishermans Road. The girls would love to have you come and cheer them on.

Time	Court			
18.30hrs	5	ILC 1	Suncoast Senior Blue	Senior
16.50hrs	19	ILC 2	Meridan Purple	Senior
17.40hrs	3	ILC 3	Siena Wolf Cubs	Intermediate
16.00hrs	19	ILC 4	Unity Inter B	Intermediate
16.00hrs	11	ILC 5	MSHS Gold	Junior

Secondary Running Club

Secondary Running Club starts again this Friday 26 February at 7.00am on Main Oval. Come along and improve your fitness in preparation for the coming cross-country season. Mrs Minke

District and Regional Trials

As listed in all previous newsletters, Term One is a very busy time for students wishing to attend District and Regional Trials. It is essential that students pay careful attention to closing dates of nominations and see either myself or Mr Bradforde for the information required to complete the nomination process. Upcoming trials are listed below:

District Sports Trials – 4.00pm to 5.30pm

			Location/Time	Nominations Close
Thursday 25 February	Australian Rules Football	Boys 10 - 12 Years	ILC	Closed
	Soccer	Girls 13 - 15 Years	St Andrews	
		Boys 13 - 15 Years	Suncoast C.C.	
Thursday 4 March	Volleyball	Boys 12 - 15 Years	MFAC	25 February
		Girls 12 - 15 Years	NCC	
		Boys 16 - 19 Years	SCGS	
		Girls 16 - 19 Years	NCC	
Monday 8 March	Soccer	Girls 10 - 12 Years	St Andrews	1 March
Tuesday 9 March	Soccer	Boys 10 - 12 Years	Suncoast C.C.	1 March
	Rugby Union	Boys 11 - 12 Years	Good Shepherd Lutheran College	
Tuesday 9 and Wednesday 10 March	Netball	Girls 11/12 Years	PLC	2 March

Regional Sports Trials

			Time	Location	Nominations Close
Friday 5 March	AFL	Girls 13 – 15 Years	9.30am – 2.00pm	Maroochydore Multi Sports Complex	26 February
Tuesday 16 March	Hockey	Girls 13 – 19 Years	8.30am – 2.00pm		9 March
Wednesday 17 March	Hockey	Boys 13 – 19 Years	9.00am – 12noon	Sunshine Coast Hockey Centre	10 March
Wednesday 17 March	Rugby 7s	Girls 15 / 16 Years	9.30am – 2.00pm	Caloundra Rugby Club	10 March

Cocurricular Music

Immanuel Loud is Next Week!

We can't wait to bring you Immanuel Loud on Wednesday 3 March at 6.00pm*. All bands associated with the Rock Band Mentoring Program will be performing and we would like to hear from any students who wish to perform a solo. To register your interest and to be considered for a solo, please email me no later than Thursday of Week 5 (that's tomorrow).

Friends of Music will be selling refreshments for performers. You can purchase a snack from 3.15pm if you are hungry after school. Parents are welcome to attend however we do ask you to RSVP for this event as we have to keep audience numbers to a maximum of 50, due to the size of the Drama Theatre. Please register your attendance for Immanuel Loud [here](#). All audience members will be asked to socially distance and support staff to ensure we are working within a COVID-Safe environment.

**For Immanuel Loud, all performers are required from 4.00pm in the Drama Theatre for a sound check.*

Music Exam Results

We are proud to share these achievements with you. Cocurricular Music students are receiving outstanding feedback. All that practise really does pay off!

- Maggie Ford - A (Honours) Grade 2 Singing for Leisure AMEB
- Aabid Hassen - B+ Grade 5 Piano AMEB
- Nathan Linnett - A (Honours) Grade 6 Piano AMEB
- Tamsin Linnett - A (Honours) Grade 5 Piano AMEB

Don't forget to email your music exam results to me so we can celebrate your achievements.

Scholarship and Bursary Students Concert

All Music Scholarship and Music Bursary students are required to perform at a concert for College Executive on Tuesday 9 March from 5.30pm to 7.30pm in the KLT.

Family of Cocurricular Music are also invited to this event. All performers must wear full formal College uniform. Students who require accompaniment should have seen Mr Brown by today to organise a rehearsal time and to also provide copies of the piano accompaniment. All audience members will be asked to socially distance and support staff to ensure we are working within a COVID-Safe environment.

Beginner String Ensemble and Beginner Band Rock!

We captured some beautiful images to share with our families at our first Beginner String Ensemble rehearsal for 2021 last week. First rehearsals are the best! Both the Beginner String Ensemble and Beginner Band were amazing in their first rehearsals.



Apply for Lessons Now!

There are vacancies available for lessons in Cocurricular Music for 2021. Please apply via SEQTA.

To apply, please complete one SEQTA application for each child. Music Bursaries are available, which provide free tuition and instrument hire of a College instrument (if required). Many parents do not know whether it is worthwhile for their child to learn a musical instrument or which instrument to learn. To assist parents in this regard, a Music Aptitude Test is available through the College. If you wish to take advantage of this opportunity, please phone the College Office on T: 5477 3444 and ask to speak to the Cocurricular Music Coordinator.

Lesson Attendance and Absenteeism

Students who absent themselves from lessons will be charged the normal fee. If your child becomes ill, please call the music tutor or Cocurricular Music Coordinator prior to the lesson. Two days' notice is required for a change in lesson time.

Please note: If the required notice time is not given either by phone call or email, a catch-up lesson will not be available.

Cocurricular Music Stock

Need new reeds? We can help.

**NEED A REED?
LOST YOUR CORK
GREASE?**

PURCHASE ON CAMPUS!

Cocurricular Music is proud to announce that we have the following in stock at the Business Office for purchase every school day, anytime.

- CLARINET REEDS - \$5 EACH
- ALTO SAXOPHONE REEDS - \$8 EACH
- TENOR SAXOPHONE REEDS - \$10 EACH
- BARITONE SAXOPHONE REEDS - \$10 EACH
- SILK CLEANING CLOTHS - \$13 EACH
- CLARINET PULL THROUGH - \$11 EACH
- VALVE OIL / SLIDE OIL - \$12 EACH
- CORK GREASE - \$7 EACH
- VIOLIN / VIOLA ROSIN - \$7 EACH
- CELLO ROSIN - \$7 EACH

Performances and Events

We have so much to celebrate at Immanuel! Thank you to Sara Bader, Eden Henrick, Laci Williams and the Year 12 Rock Band who recently performed on Primary School Assembly and Secondary School Assembly.

Emily Bonar - Cocurricular Music Coordinator
E: bonare@immanuel.qld.edu.au

Stay up to date with Cocurricular Music at Immanuel via the closed Facebook group 'Immanuel Lutheran College Music'. We invite you to look us up on Facebook and request to join the closed group. By joining this group, you will be able to view photos from performances, receive updates regarding music events and concerts, and read stories about what our students are achieving during their musical journey at Immanuel.

B2B@Immanuel
Online Business Directory

The B2B@Immanuel Online Business Directory is designed to connect families and Old Scholars, and encourage people to support local businesses within our community. If you are a current Immanuel family or Old Scholar, promote your business for free.

Discover. Achieve. Belong.

For more information, please contact Lauren Nielsen
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business.immanuel.qld.edu.au

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B2B@Immanuel Online Business Directory

Last year when things were uncertain for many of us, we looked for ways to support our community, particularly those who own local businesses. As a result, we launched the B2B@Immanuel Online Business Directory.

The Online Business Directory is a free initiative for ILC families and Old Scholars to list their business on our website and we had an overwhelming response, with well over 100 businesses signing up. The Business Directory is live on the ILC website and regularly updated.

We encourage you to make use of this directory if you're in need of a service or retail outlet, and support those in our wider College community. The businesses in our directory are listed under the following categories:

- Automotive
- Construction, Handyman and Trade
- Educational
- Fitness and Recreation
- Health and Medical
- Food and Dining
- Hair and Beauty
- Legal and Financial Services
- Manufacturing
- Professional Services
- Real Estate and Property
- Retail
- Travel and Transportation
- Venues and Events

If you're a local business owner and would like to join the Online Business Directory, please fill out the application form [here](#) or contact Lauren Nielsen, Community Relations and Event Coordinator on T: 5477 3419 or E: nielsenl@immanuel.qld.edu.au.

Stay tuned for more details about the B2B@Immanuel Networking Events that will resume this year.

Lauren Nielsen, Community Relations and Event Coordinator
T: 5477 3419 or E: nielsenl@immanuel.qld.edu.au.



Voices on the Coast 2021 is going online for the week of Monday 1 March to Friday 5 March with three sessions daily; 9.00am, 11.30am and 1.30pm. We are grateful that we can continue to bring the best of Australia's children / Young Adult authors to students and schools.



Our list of presenters for the week include Peter Carnavas, Chris Collin, Brian Falkner, George Ivanoff, Amie Kaufman, Lynette Noni, Dr Sarah Pye, Dr Wong Siew Te, Nova Weetman and Deano Yipadee.

We are excited to host an international event on Tuesday 2 March at 11.30am featuring Dr Sarah Pye from the Sunshine Coast and Dr Wong Siew Te, who will be streaming in from Malaysia. We will be celebrating the launch of Dr Pye's Wildlife Wong series. Each book follows the interactions of Malaysian biologist and Tropical Ecologist Dr Wong Siew Te with different rainforest species and systems. The first three books will be released during the first half of 2021 and are aimed at upper primary school children.

Let's not forget our signature event featuring Voices favourite, Lynette Noni. She will host a spoilerific session, spilling all the details about her Medoran Chronicles series. We are hoping she might also give us the gossip on her new series, The Prison Healer,

which is to be published soon. Audience members can ask any questions and Lynette will answer them all, spoiler or not! Audience members should only listen or watch if they have read all of the books.

Lynette Noni: Spoiler Alert! All of your The Medoran Chronicles questions answered!

Tuesday 2 March 6.00pm – 6.45pm, \$5.00 per link.

Visit www.voicesonthecoast.com.au for further information and ticket sales. Or call the Voices on the Coast office on T: 5477 3437.

Lions Youth of the Year

On Saturday, College Captain Chloe Robinson, represented Immanuel in the Lions Youth of the Year competition at Maroochy North Shore Lions Club. Chloe was successful in winning both the Public Speaking Award and the overall competition. Chloe will now go on to represent Immanuel, and Maroochy North Shore Lions, at the zone final in March.



Interact



Rotary (Interact's parent body) is hosting a Program of Enrichment for students who are interested in leadership training. This is open to students aged 14 to 17 years and is to be held at Coolum on the weekend of 14 to 16 May. If you apply through Interact, the cost (\$340.00) will be generously covered through Rotary Mooloolaba.

For more details, see: <https://rotary9600.org/page/rypen> or contact E: zweckk@immanuel.qld.edu.au.

Applications close 9 April.

Kirsten Zweck – Coordinator, Immanuel Interact

Commercial Operations

College Shop

- Winter Jumpers and Tracksuit tops
- Please check your child's jumpers and tracksuit tops to see if they still fit. It's best not to wait until the cold weather begins before you come in as we may run out of stock.
- Formal and sports socks need to be specially milled for us and we are currently looking at a 6-8 week delivery time.
- Orders can be made via Flexischools which are delivered to your child's class or Home Group teachers.

Tuckshops

Interested in volunteering in the tuckshops?

We are looking for volunteers, especially in the Secondary School Tuckshop. No experience is necessary as tuckshop staff are more than willing to show you the ropes. We welcome any time you can give, whether it is once a week, fortnight, term or month, even if only for a few hours.

In both the Primary and Secondary Schools we require assistance from 8.30am to 1.30pm. We provide you with a cuppa and some lunch. Why not bring a friend! Volunteering is a great way to meet other parents and become part of our College community; your children would love having you at school and you are assured of a very warm welcome.

Please see the attached roster. If you can help on any of the days highlighted in yellow, please contact me via email at E: patersond@immanuel.qld.edu.au.

Tuckshop orders

Orders should be made via the Flexischools website or app by 9.00am each day in the Secondary School tuckshop and Monday, Wednesday or Friday in the Primary School Tuckshop. Students can collect their order that have been placed on Flexischools at the end window in the Secondary School Tuckshop. Secondary School students can link their ID card to their Flexischools account and simply swipe their card when purchasing. We do offer EFTPOS. The Primary School Tuckshop offers a special that changes each week and Secondary School Tuckshop specials change daily so check Flexischools for the specials.

Birthday Cakes

You can purchase cupcakes for your child's birthday from the College – priced at only \$1.50 each with a minimum order of 20 cupcakes. Cakes are delivered directly to your child's classroom in the Primary School. In the Secondary School, the order can be collected from the Secondary School Tuckshop. Please place your order via Flexischools – at least five days' notice is required.



Get Started with Flexischools

- You can set up an account online – it only takes a minute.
- Register for Flexischools by visiting www.flexischools.com.au. Register your name and school.
- Top-up your account via Visa, mastercard, PayPal or direct deposit.
- Order by selecting from the range of options available and proceed to make payment for the order listed in your order pad.
- Review orders by logging back into your Flexischools account. You can set recurring orders, view transaction history or cancel orders via your Flexischools login.
- Set up cashless card using the Immanuel Student ID card
- Register for Flexischools by visiting www.flexischools.com.au. Register your name and school.
- Top-up your account via Visa, mastercard, PayPal or direct deposit. If using the cashless card system, we recommend using auto top-ups to ensure you're never short on funds. Simply add this when completing your next top-up.
- Add your ID card when adding your name or by selecting 'set-up card number' under your name. Enter the number from your ID card, the BARCODE and click 'save'.
- Set a daily spending limit via cashless card. Funds are debited from your Flexischools account balance.

College Shop Hours Term Time

Monday 7.30am–9.30am

Tuesday and Thursday we are closed

Wednesday 7.30am–9.30am and 2.00pm–4.00pm

Friday 7.30am–9.30am

Alternatively, items can be ordered online via www.flexischools.com.au and delivered to your child's teacher.

Diane Paterson – Commercial Operations Manager
T: 5477 3457 E: patersond@immanuel.qld.edu.au

Volunteer needed on yellow highlighted days – thank you.

Secondary Tuckshop				Primary Tuckshop (operates M/W/F)		
January 2021						
Week 1	Monday	25	Student Free Day			
	Tuesday	26	Australia Day Holiday			
	Wednesday	27	Winnie Liu		Deb Massey	
	Thursday	28				
	Friday	29	Mellisa Cridland			
February 2021						
Week 2	Monday	1	Swimming Carnival			
	Tuesday	2				
	Wednesday	3	Winnie Liu		Dorothy Zhang	
	Thursday	4	Corin Kelly (until 11am)			
	Friday	5	Esther Wong	Terrii Lanham	Bianca Gasson	
Week 3	Monday	8	Winnie Liu		Heather Turner	
	Tuesday	9				
	Wednesday	10	Melissa Holzberger		Joyclyn Turner	
	Thursday	11	Janice Becker			
	Friday	12	Adele Snyman		Danni Frazer	Christine Frazer
Week 4	Monday	15	Winnie Liu			
	Tuesday	16				
	Wednesday	17	Melissa Holzberger		Megan Jantke	
	Thursday	18	Janice Becker			
	Friday	19	Esther Wong	Terrii Lanham	Bianca Gasson	Kerri Barr
Week 5	Monday	22	Winnie Liu		Belinda Lovatt	
	Tuesday	23	Kim Dworjanyn			
	Wednesday	24	Melissa Holzberger		Dorothy Zhang	
	Thursday	25	Janice Becker	Jo Boutchard (11 – 2)		
	Friday	26	Claire Lunny	Mellisa Cridland	Tess Bamford	Lauren Ramsay
March 2021						
Week 6	Monday	1	Winnie Liu		Melanie Harvey	
	Tuesday	2	Corin Kelly (until 11am)			
	Wednesday	3	Melissa Holzberger		Deb Massey	
	Thursday	4	Janice Becker	Cheryl McLean		
	Friday	5	Esther Wong	Terrii Lanham	Danni Frazer	Christine Frazer
Week 7	Monday	8	Winnie Liu			
	Tuesday	9	Arie Wilson			
	Wednesday	10	Melissa Holzberger	Megan Jantke	Joycelyn Turner	Shona McDonald
	Thursday	11	Janice Becker			
	Friday	12	Adele Snyman	Belinda Lovatt	Clare Bond	Dana Langden
Week 8	Monday	15	Winnie Liu		Melanie Harvey	
	Tuesday	16	Arie Wilson			
	Wednesday	17	Melissa Holzberger	Deb Massey	Joycelyn Turner	Dorothy Zhang
	Thursday	18	Janice Becker			
	Friday	19	Esther Wong	Terrii Lanham	Bianca Gasson	Kerri Barr
Week 9	Monday	22	Winnie Liu		Heather Turner	
	Tuesday	23	Kim Dworjanyn			
	Wednesday	24	Melissa Holzberger		Deb Massey	
	Thursday	25	Janice Becker	Cheryl McLean		
	Friday	26	Adele Snyman	Mellisa Cridland	Claire Lunny	Brooke Peebles
	Monday	29	Winnie Liu		Belinda Lovatt	
	Tuesday	30	Aleesha Darlison			
	Wednesday	31	Melissa Holzberger		Danni Frazer	Christine Frazer
	Thursday	1	Janice Becker	Corin Kelly (until 11am)		
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