

9 June 2025

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

We are delighted to invite our students to one of the most special days on the College calendar, Corpus Christi Day, taking place on Friday 20 June 2025 (Week 8). This year's theme, 'Spirit of Hope,' celebrates our vibrant, faith-filled community and encourages students to grow in Courage, Commitment, and Compassion.

Corpus Christi Day is a student-only event designed to build school spirit, celebrate our shared values, and create joyful memories for everyone involved.

Event Overview

Corpus Christi Day will be held on **Friday 20 June 2025**, with this year's theme, Spirit of Hope, setting the tone for a joyful and meaningful day.

There will be no change to drop-off or pick-up routines and as this is a student-only event, we kindly ask that parents do not enter the Senior Campus during the day. Please ensure students arrive and are picked up on time, and notify the College of any absences as you normally would.

All activities will be supervised by our dedicated staff, with First Aid stations and toilet facilities clearly marked. To help avoid lost items, please make sure everything is labelled.

We encourage students to uphold our College values and adhere to College procedures throughout the day.

If the weather isn't favourable, we will move activities indoors where possible. Students are welcome to bring a raincoat in the event of wet weather. Those with dietary needs are encouraged to bring their own meals and check ingredients if buying food on the day.

Pre-Primary to Year 5 Student

Students will begin their day at **8.35am** by entering their usual classrooms. At 8.45am, they will walk to the Senior Campus under staff supervision. The day concludes at **3.05pm**.

Students should:

- Wear their Physical Education uniform
- Bring their school bag, water bottle, and hat
- Bring a raincoat if the weather is wet

Recess must be brought from home. For lunch, students may either:

- Bring their own lunch
- Or pre-order via Flexischools by 2.00pm on Thursday 19 June.

Year 6 to Year 12

Students in Year 6 will start their day at 8.35am while those in Years 7-10 will start their day at 8.40am, with the day concluding as normal.

Students should:

- Year 6: wear their Physical Education uniform with their Leaders' Shirt
- Years 7 to 12: wear their House Uniform

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Activities will take place across the College Gym, Football Oval, and surrounding classrooms.

Recess:

• Bring from home or purchase from a limited cafeteria menu

Lunch:

- A variety of food stalls and trucks will be available
- Students are encouraged to bring up to \$20 if purchasing food and drinks

Silent Auction – Handcrafted Glass Platter by Gaby Fabris

To support Project Compassion, we're holding a silent auction featuring a stunning glass platter titled *Shifting Perspectives*, handcrafted by long-time Visual Arts educator Gaby Fabris.

Inspired by her Venetian heritage, the 29cm square piece features soft pink tones, shimmering flecks, and bold black accents — symbolising hope, transformation, and new perspectives.

All proceeds go to Project Compassion. The highest bid will be announced on Corpus Christi Day. <u>Explore more and place your bid</u> <u>here.</u>

We look forward to a day filled with joy, unity, and celebration. Thank you for your continued support in making Corpus Christi Day a meaningful and memorable occasion for all students.

Warm regards,

Naomi Larsen Deputy Principal of Community



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