This term the year 6 students have been exploring the relationship between consumers and businesses. Students have been investigating how the concept of opportunity cost involves choices about the alternative use of resources and the need to consider trade-offs; the effect that consumer and financial decisions can have on the individual, the broader community and the environment; and the reasons businesses exist and the different ways they provide goods and services.

Over the coming 3 weeks students will be running their own businesses to raise money for St Vincent de Paul. Funds raised will be given to the St Vincent de Paul Society at our Giving Liturgy. The businesses being run are listed below, and we ask that you all please get behind our Year 6 students as they try and raise important funds.

- 15 November - Ice Cream Spiders - $2
- 20 November - Lolly bags & Toys - $1
- 21 November - Movie in the Classroom with Ice Cream Sundaes and Popcorn ($1 - $2)
- 22 November - Thong Throwing (50c - $1)
- 26 November - Christmas Bake Stall & Lolly Bags (50c - $2); Treats & Sweets (50c - $2.50)
- 27 November - Biscuit Decorating (50c - $1) & Slime ($1 - $1.50)
SPIRIT OF ST ANNE AWARDS  | At the end of this year, at our concert, The Spirit of St Anne Award will be awarded to students from each class based on the following criteria.

Rationale
The Spirit of St Anne Award is an all round award, chosen by the teachers, in the spirit of St Anne - love, service and dedication. It is not an academic award but recognises a student who consistently does his/her best, displays initiative and leadership with peers and shows pride in themselves and our school. This award is to be given to someone from each class every year. This award will not be given to students who struggle to uphold our values.

Criteria
- Shows respect for self and others
- Participates in liturgies and in the prayer life of the school
- Shows pride in uniform
- Works to the best of his/her ability
- Shows pride in our school
- Displays initiative and leadership with peers
- Is responsible
- Is polite and is a good ambassador for the school
- Is helpful to all in our community
- Is of service to others

STAFFING 2019  | It is with much sadness that I announce the following new staff changes taking effect at the end of this year.

Next year Mrs Helen Patroni will be teaching at Mercy College and has resigned from her position as APRE. Helen has been educator here for 21 years.

Mrs Rita Mactaggart has resigned from her position as Learning Support Teacher and will be working in Mackay. Rita has taught at St Anne’s for 20 years.

Mrs Betty Doyle won’t be with us next year as she was on a one year contract - Betty has been with us for approximately 3 years.

Ms Nicola O’Connor will continue to be working locally and has been with us for 1 year.

Ms Diana Kelly has resigned from her position of administration secretary to journey in a different direction and has been with St Anne’s for 16 years this year.

At this stage this is simply an announcement around staffing, we will farewell these staff at our end of year concert.

STUDENTS IN PREP TO YEAR FIVE NOT RETURNING TO ST ANNE’S FOR 2019  | Any parent of a child from Prep to Year 5 who is aware that their child is not returning to St. Anne’s in 2019, please let the office know as soon as possible.

We need to know student numbers to be able to work out budgeting and resources for 2019, so your earliest notification is needed and appreciated.
SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION | Congratulations to Renae, Nathan, Brianna, Zane and Matthew who recently made their Sacrament of Reconciliation at St Michael’s Catholic Church. These students will be continuing on in 2019 with the Sacrament of Confirmation and the Sacrament of First Holy Communion. I thank their family for helping prepare them so well for this sacrament.

Baptism | As previously mentioned On Sunday the 21st of October, Georgia-Grace and her sister Savannah Rayner were baptised at St Michael’s church. We now have a beautiful photo to share with you all.

PLEASE MARK IN YOUR DIARY | Upcoming events this term include the end of year Year 6 Blessing which is Wednesday 5 December 2018 at 9:00am and our Annual Giving Liturgy on Thursday 6 December 2018. Please keep sending in your generous donations for our Giving Liturgy. I know you will help make Christmas special for the seafarers and people in our own community through your own selflessness. I sincerely thank you on their behalf.
Swimming Carnival  |  On Monday we held our annual Swimming Carnival. Luckily the weather managed to stay relatively fine and it wasn’t as hot as the last few weeks. We had a great turn out of parents coming to cheer on their children in their races. This is greatly appreciated as it means a lot to the students to have their families there watching and makes for a wonderful atmosphere. The final results announcement of the winning house, awarding of age champion trophies and place ribbons will be held on Wednesday 21st November at 8:35am in the Hall. All are welcome.

Volunteers Morning Tea  |  Everyone who has volunteered at St Anne’s in 2018, in any capacity such as helping in the Tuckshop or classroom, attending working bees or helping with various fundraising activities, is invited to our Volunteers Morning Tea. This is being held at 9am on Monday 26th November at Third Ground Coffee House. Please RSVP, for Catering purposes, to the school office by Friday 23rd November.

Swimming Carnival  |  Thank you to all the people that helped with the P & F food stall at the swimming carnival. Thank-you to the Johns Family, Sands Family, Jody Corbett, Saye Family, Sandra Vasallo, Mark Whittaker, George Sammut, the families that took the equipment to the swimming carnival and the overwhelming response of people offering to help on the day!! Just know that you are so amazing and I thank you each and everyone for your effort.
Jill Cotter
P&F President
CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR STUDENT OF THE WEEK RECIPIENTS | Damon Allwood, Lucas Borg, Ellani Krueger, Evie Saye, Fallon Kipling-Wise, Wyatt Huddleston, Montana Williams, Allira Honess, Summer Keioskie, Zoe Palmer, Saxon Walker, Georgia-Grace Rayner, Khai Triffett, Denver Dobie, Gus Goodman, Odessa Marshman, Lucas Cox, Zane Saye, Kaiden Wallis, Xanthyia Maikler, Cheyenne Rayner, Tyler Cameron, Digby Sands, Dylan Grundy, Katelyn Vassallo, Jackson Roelofs, Keira Higgs, Owen Franettovich, Ashley Bannan, Clayton McRae, Chlo Montgomery

**Library News**

**End of Year Library Procedures** | Borrowing of books has finished for the year. All books must now be returned to the library for our end of year audit. Please return all books regardless of their condition. If books are not returned you will be invoiced for the cost of their replacement.
**Term 4 Fees** | Term 4 fees are now overdue. We would like to thank those families who have paid their account. However, if you have not paid your account, it would be appreciated if you could do so immediately. If you are experiencing any difficulties, please contact the finance office.

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### General NEWS

**ADVERTISEMENT**

*(FOR INSERTION IN SCHOOL NEWSLETTER)*

**CASUAL POSITION VACANT**

A casual position exists for a School Crossing Supervisor at St Anne’s Catholic Primary School (Sarina).

The School Crossing Supervisor may be required to work five days per week on a busy crossing in all weather conditions. The hours of work for School Crossing Supervisors are 1 hour a day and usually comprise of 40 minutes in the morning and 20 minutes in the afternoon. Commencement date to be advised a Pay Rate of $30.34 per hour.

The successful applicants will be dependent on:

- The suitable outcome of a health assessment carried out by a GP of your choice according to the guidelines in the “Notes for Medical Practitioner” on the School Crossing Supervisor Scheme – Health Assessment Form, (this is paid by the Department)
- A Positive Blue Card Notice (This is also paid by the Department and means you do not need to have a blue card to apply for the position).

If you are interested in the position please collect an application form from the School administration or contact Karen Canton (Road Safety officer) on 49 518331.

The School Crossing Supervisors Application is to be returned to School for the principal’s recommendation.

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**Uniform Shop**  
Our Uniform shop is open in the Hall every Friday morning, in Term time, from approximately 8:20 to 9am. Our lovely parent volunteers will also be opening the uniform shop on the following two Saturdays over the Christmas holidays:

- **Saturday 15th December 9am-10am**
- **Saturday 12th January 9am-10.30am**

If you cannot make it into the shop on a Friday morning but know what you wish to order, you can place and pay for the order at the school office. The order will be filled by the ladies on the next Friday and brought back to the office to wait your collection.
Community News

Mackay Gymnastics

SCHOOL HOLIDAY FUN DAYS

INSIDE FUN, OUT OF THE SUN

2 - 4 YEAR OLDS
for younger boys & girls
6.00am - 9.45am

$1.00

5 - 12 YEAR OLDS
primary school aged
toys and girls
9.00am - 10.30am

$20.00

WHERE:
Our facilities
5 Snow Wright St, lots 1-3 Morganfield Rd

WHEN:
Mon 17th Dec 2018
Wed 19th Dec 2018
Fri 21st Dec 2018
Mon 7th Jan 2019
Wed 9th Jan 2019
Fri 11th Jan 2019
Mon 14th Jan 2019
Wed 16th Jan 2019
Fri 18th Jan 2019
Mon 21st Jan 2019
Wed 23rd Jan 2019
Fri 25th Jan 2019

BOOKINGS REQUIRED
Phone: 4942 2012
Or Email
admin@mackaygymnastics.org.au

Come and Have Fun in the Gym

Summer Camp
Bookings essential

Prep - 13 yrs
9am - 3pm
Weekends and School Holidays
Mon & Wed only
Weeks: 20 of 2019
13 - 14 December
8 - 11 January
18 - 21 January
25 - 28 January
13 - 14 February
20 - 21 February

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Jane Blundell
Retrospective Exhibition

Opening Night
5th December 6pm Wine and Nibbles
Serina Art Gallery
Field of Dreams Parklands

Featuring Artists:
Sharon Anderson,
Carole Duncan,
Roni Boyle,
Jo Mitchell,
Jodie Terna,
Donna Phillips,
Brikkie Zimmermann,
Julie Neil,
Katherine Mair,
Traci Lietke,
Sharon Rahle,
Helen Evans,
Mary-Therese Watson,
Sharon Drew,
Margorie Anderson.

Exhibition Hours 10am-5pm
8th to 14th December

Carols by Candlelight

Hosted by Triple M's Jay Shipston

Sarina Beach
Sat 22 December
from 5.30pm
Twilight Markets

Sponsored by the following:

Sarina Surf Life Saving Club
Sarina Community Bank® Branch
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Sarina Arts Council

A big thank you to Bondolet Bank for their support.
For the Love of Dance 2018

BOB WOOD CULTURAL HALL, 65 BROAD STREET, SARINA

TICKET PRICES: ADULT $25.00 | STUDENT $15.00 | AGED PENSIONER $15.00 | CHILDREN UNDER 5 $10.00

TICKETS AVAILABLE NOW AT TRYBOOKING.COM ‘CREATIVE EDGE DANCE STUDIO’

Limited tickets available at the door on the day.

Cobie Buchholz
0400 830 851 | creativeedge-dancestudio@hotmail.com

Sarina Dance School presents
7th and 8th Dec 2018
Electric Dance
Celebrating Miss Jade’s 30 years of dance

VenuE: Bob Wood Hall
Door Opens 6pm, Start Time 6.30pm
Tickets: Adult $25, School Students $18, Pensioners $12, Children Under Free
50% theme... Emma Wiggle theme... plus more