



SATURDAY 16<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER 2019

~\*~16 weeks until Fete Day~\*~

## “SAVE THE DATES”

Hi...and welcome to the first issue of **FETE NEWS** for 2019.

The Fete Committee have been working hard behind the scenes all year. We will soon be ready to start communicating some new and exciting initiatives to this year's Fete. Keep a look out for **FETE NEWS** in the next coming weeks at school and around the Parish. In the meantime here's a few dates to save and add into your diary early so you can avoid a clash of commitments!!

Remember, our annual fete continues to be a wonderful opportunity to come together and celebrate with our great community.

### It's better to donate than to accumulate

If you have good quality things in your home that *“no longer spark joy”* you can drop them off for Bric-a-Brac, Pre-Loved Clothes and Pre-Loved Toys. We have earlier and more drop off times this year, with the first one being this Sunday – **28<sup>th</sup> July!** Drop off at the Parish Garage between 9am and 12pm

### Save these Dates

- 25<sup>th</sup> August
- 20<sup>th</sup> October
- 3<sup>rd</sup> November
- 22<sup>nd</sup> September
- 27<sup>th</sup> October
- 10<sup>th</sup> November

### TIDBIT!

Did you know that pre-loved clothes receive just under 8,000 bits of clothing each year.....thank you for your generosity.....but did you know that in 2018 only **3,361** items were suitable for selling?

Please donate clothes in good condition – cleaned, ironed and preferably on a hanger.

### Calling for volunteers – Save the Dates

Volunteer links will be finalised with our stall holder coordinators in the next couple of weeks. These will then be publicised for volunteering your time on a stall or to help during set-up and pack-up. The Fete wouldn't be what it is without the generosity of volunteers. Please consider offering to assist either in the week leading up, on fete day, or during pack up. In recent years the volunteer numbers have sadly been reducing. Just a couple of hours will help us to spread what is a huge load. More to come a little later on specific dates and tasks but ***please consider offering a couple of hours to assist.***



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- 28<sup>th</sup> July: Pre-Loved Drop Off
- 25<sup>th</sup> August: Pre-Loved Drop Off
- 22<sup>nd</sup> September: Pre-Loved Drop Off
- 7<sup>th</sup> October: Raffle tickets sent home
- 20<sup>th</sup> October: Pre-Loved Drop Off
- **22<sup>nd</sup> October: Stall Holders Meeting**
- 27<sup>th</sup> October: Pre-Loved Drop Off
- 2<sup>nd</sup> November: Raffle tickets due back
- 3<sup>rd</sup> November: Pre-Loved Drop Off
- 10<sup>th</sup> November: Pre-Loved Drop Off
- **15<sup>th</sup> November: CAKE DROP OFF at Cake Stall (1pm – 3pm)**
- **16<sup>th</sup> November: FETE DAY**
- **16<sup>th</sup> November: Bump Out; 5pm – 7.30pm.**
- **17<sup>th</sup> November: Working Bee; 9am – 1pm. BBQ lunch provided**
- **27<sup>th</sup> November: Post Fete Review; 7.30pm**



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