St Therese PS encourages respect and compassion

St Therese Catholic Primary School Torquay has served the learning needs of Surf Coast families for over 30 years.

Founded on the principles of gratitude, compassion and respect, St Therese School provides a comprehensive foundation to year six curriculum that is differentiated and made accessible to pupils of all learning abilities.

Well-resourced, the school grounds consist of spacious classrooms, outside sporting surfaces and an indoor multipurpose centre, along with specialist art, music and technology spaces.

The school's ties to the Nazareth Catholic Parish provide its pupils and families with unique opportunities to participate in local events, charity work and social justice within the community.

With an enrolment of close to 300 pupils, St Therese provides a diverse range of learning experiences including art shows, performing arts demonstrations, sporting carnivals, camps and excursions.

The school celebrates the gifts of each child and recognises the importance of supporting social emotional development. To this end, the school employs wellbeing specialists including psychologists and therapists to ensure that students feel a sense of belonging, safety and inclusion.

St Therese School is currently accepting enrolments for the 2023 school year.

It welcomes prospective families to contact the office for more information about the exciting opportunities a Catholic education at St Therese can provide for your child on their learning journey.

St Therese provides students with a comprehensive and compassionate Catholic education. (Supplied)

St Therese Catholic School Torquay is located at 50 Grossmans Road, Torquay. For more information, phone (03) 5261 4246 or visit www.sttorquay.catholic.edu.au

Learning to swim is a vital life skill that can be taught at all ages. (Supplied)

Swimming is a skill for life

Learn to swim and swim well is the opportunity that Geelong Swimming Club Learn to Swim (GSCLearn to Swim) provides the local community.

Sport, and in particular swimming, are a cornerstone of Australian culture – especially with so many beaches on our doorstep. Learning to swim is a vital life skill and the Geelong Swimming Club (GSC) has been fostering a love of swimming across the Geelong region for 140 years.

GSC Learn to Swim offers an engaging and competency-based program catering for all abilities from the age of four years, under the governance of the Royal Life Saving Swim and Survive program. Many of the swim teachers are former competitive swimmers and aspiring educators,with a passion for young people and most importantly a passion for fostering a love of swimming.

"The sport of swimming builds confidence and encourages a healthy and active lifestyle for young people across the region," GSC president Glenn Benson says.

"We deliver a program of excellence."

GSC and GSC Learn to Swim prides itself on the family friendly atmosphere and strives to empower young people to achieve their potential in their chosen aquatic sport. Learning to swim well is only part of the program – GSC Learn to Swim also offers pathways into the numerous aquatic sports across the region, including competitive club-based swimming, cross training for surf lifesaving, water polo and open water swimming.

The recent pandemic and lockdowns have created a demand for swim lessons within the region and has illustrated the barriers for many children to develop their swimming ability. GSC Learn to Swim is expanding its operations to include lessons at Geelong Grammar Hanbury Centre for Wellbeing commencing term three, in addition to the established program at Christian College Geelong.

For more information, visit www.geelongsclts.org.au

ENROLMENTS OPEN FOR 2023

St Therese
CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL
TORQUAY

2022 ST THERESE OPEN DAYS

GROUP TOURS BETWEEN 9:30am - 10:30am
1st June | 8th June | 15th June

*Bookings essential

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Geelong Swimming Club is proud to offer high quality swimming and survival lessons with the region's finest accredited swim teachers, many of whom are former competitive swimmers themselves and are passionate about teaching children to swim.

Based at Christian College Geelong Sports & Aquatic Centre we are expanding to include operations at Geelong Grammar School Hanbury Centre for Wellbeing; **we are now taking enrolments for term 3.**

Geelong SC Learn to Swim provide students from 5 years of age the opportunity to learn to swim and swim well. We promote water safety, correct stroke implementation and provide various pathways into the aquatic activities available within our region, including competitive swimming, open water swimming and surf lifesaving.

For further information or to enrol contact – info@geelongsclts.org.au www.geelongsclts.org.au

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Learn to Swim

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