

Sacred Heart School Newsletter



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From the Principal:

Our P.B.S. Values are:

Respect for Ourselves

Respect for Others

Respect for our Learning

<http://MyTerncity.com.au>

Rock and Roll Night

Next Friday the 5th of August

Doors open at 6pm

Last dance - 8pm

Cost \$10.00 for family

BYO Food & Drinks

Lucky door prize/raffle on the night

\$2 a ticket

**Kinder to grade 6, you know the dances
come along for a great night.**

**Rock and Roll Night is organized by Mr Nas and the SHS P&F,
it is an outside of school event.**

All Students will need a parent or guardian with them to attend for their safety.



Rock'n'Roll Night

Friday the 5th August we have our annual Rock 'n' Roll Night. For established families who have attended the evening you know exactly what you have in store! For the uninitiated you need to be prepared. You need to be prepared for

- Many, many children dancing to Mr.Nas and co across the evening.
- Having lots of people in a smaller space having fun!
- Singing and dancing - it is loud but fun
- Parents will need to dance at some stage!

I look forward to seeing everyone there, having fun with their children, other families and friends.

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Updates

In the newsletter this week I am writing to update the community on what we are working on strategically and letting you know that progress is still being made:

Playground/ Facilities Master Plan

We are close to finalising some of the key needs and wants for our playground, facilities and site in general. The 'big ticket' items that over the next period of years will support more students to be engaged during the school day.

The plan is to then employ someone qualified who can collate all of this and create a master plan for our site. This Master Plan will then take 3-4 years to complete. The benefit then will be knowing what we are aspiring too and then each year focusing on one stage of that plan to complete. We think 3-4 years is achievable with the level of funds the school can provide from each year's budget along with any support from the P & F across this time.

It also means we can maximise the best outcomes by responding to a clear master plan rather than responding to individual projects in isolation. We will look to share the draft plan for further consultation with parents as soon as possible.

Stage 2 Building Program

The building program is continuing to meet key timelines to begin work in November. The proposed staged works will be as follows:

- Library works begin in November to convert the library to Grade 5 classrooms. Grade 5 move into this space permanently (ie they will stay there for duration of the works and when completed will continue to be in this space)
- Grade 6 as a result move into the current Grade 5 classrooms, where they will remain permanently from that point on, including beyond the completion of the works.
- This enables three of our four Grade 3/4 classes to move down to the current Grade 6 building for the duration of the building program on the 3 /4 building.
- Works on the 3 /4 building will not begin until the middle of January. Only the Library will be worked on this year.
- The scope of works also includes the demolition of the toilet block beside the giant Cork Tree. The current toilets opposite the prep building will be renovated completely and individual cubicles provided for all students. This work has been on the radar of the school for a number of years and it is great that it is finally being addressed.

Oval and Cork tree

We will hopefully be in a position to share with the community a plan to 'fix' our Oval and get our children back on the oval on a consistent basis. We cannot continue to have this oval be completely inactive. Our students deserve better than this and it places further strain on a restricted playground for our students when the oval is not used.

We have had confirmation that the Cork Tree is not heritage listed even though it has been around for a long, long time. The Arborist report has confirmed that it needs to be cut down and removed. We are currently working with the Launceston Council to go about this process meeting all the safety and compliance requirements needed.

We are also starting to think about the best time to do this work, in light of the need to demolish the toilets, which will not happen until 2017. We are also starting to think about how we can have permanent recognition and reminder of the Cork Tree in our school, using some of the tree to achieve this.

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Interschool Cross Country

Our runners again represented themselves and our school with real energy, effort and commitment. Our school is lucky to have so many capable individual runners while at the same time the collective talent across each grade is also impressive.

- For the fourth year in a row our school won the Interschool Cross Country in convincing fashion. Congratulations to Averyl Quinn, Isabella Johnson, Max Roney and Isabella Davie who came first overall in their grades.
- Sam Cowley, Mia Goody, Alex Zegveld, Connor Leeftang who came second.
- Abbey Berlese, Fletcher Harper who came third.
- Liam Jones and James Leake who came fourth.

Our Grade 6 boys team dominated their race with all 6 runners finishing in the top 11 places. Our Grade 5 Boys doing even better than this.

Thanks Mr. Anderson who this year has in essence organised and coordinated three of these Carnivals - with the first two being cancelled. Phil for helping with setting up, Mrs. Illingworth as starter, Mr. Russell coordinating the scoring and all parents and helpers involved.

Staffing Updates : LSL

There are several staff taking a period of long service leave during this term.

- Mrs Jane Hills will be taking long service leave for the last three weeks of this term, from Friday 2nd September until Friday 23rd September. Miss Jess Gleadow will be the relief teacher in Prep Hills during this time. Mrs Beth Rickerby will be co-teacher on Wednesdays.
- Mr Phill van Ryn will be taking long service leave for the last week of this term, from Monday 19th September until Friday 23rd September. Miss Lauren Thompson will be the relief teacher in Gr 2 van Ryn during this time.
- Mr Barry Nas will be taking long service leave for the last five weeks of this term, from Monday 22 August until Thursday 22nd September. Mrs Sandra Rein will be the relief teacher for Music lessons during this time. Sandra has previously worked at S.H.C.S.

We are fortunate to have very capable teachers able to work on these classes during this period of time who know the students, understand their needs and will continue to programs and practices already in place in these classrooms.

Planning and programs already in place will continue as per normal If you have any concerns or queries please do not hesitate to contact me.

Friday 29th July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gr. 6 Hydro visit • 2:10 Assembly
Mon 1st August	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Marty Ogle here for MJR with Grade 6
Tues 2nd August	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Marty Ogle here for MJR with Grade 6 • Matt Lton Principal meeting
Thurs 4th August	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr. Davie MJR @SHCS

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Book Week at Sacred Heart Catholic School 2016

The Theme for Book Week this year is **Australia! Story Country**

We will have a Book Week Parade on Wednesday August 24th at 9:15.

Students are encouraged to dress up around the book week theme for our parade.

During Wednesday we will also have a buddy reading session and shared stories.

We are really looking forward to our Book week Parade and encourage families to find things at home they can use to dress up in.

Virtual Reality


Do you have an old phone sitting in a drawer at home, not getting used?

We are trying to create a set of virtual reality headsets and could really use those old phones here at school.

If you have an old phones lying around and you could donate it to the school, we would really appreciate it.

We can wipe the data for you, and if they aren't suitable for VR we could ensure they get recycled.

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~ August 2016						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
31st	1st 3.30pm Faith Sharing Session @ Church of Apostles	2nd 3.15 Art Club 3.30pm Faith Sharing Session @ Church of Apostles	3rd	4th 11.30am Strings Program 12.45pm Band Program	5th 2.15 Assembly Gr 6 Excursion to Riverside Power Station 6pm Rock'n'Roll Night @ St Ailbes 	6th
7th	8th	9th 6.30pm Board Meeting	10th	11th 11.30am Strings Program 12.45pm Band Program	12th 2.15 Assembly	13th
14th	15th Catholic Education Week	16th 3.15 Art Club 7pm Mytern Parent Session	17th	18th 11.30am Strings Program 12.45pm Band Program	19th 2.15 Assembly	20th

COMING UP

Tuesday 23rd August

7.30pm P & F Meeting

Thursday 25th August

Bravehearts Presentation to students K-3

Wednesday 24th August

9.15am Book Week Parade

Monday 5th September

Gr 3-6 Athletics Carnival
5pm Band Soiree @SHS

Tuesday 13th September

6.30pm Board Meeting
5pm Strings Soiree

Thursday 15th September

7pm Confirmation @ Church of Apostles

Monday 19th September

Transition to Summer uniform

Friday 23rd September

End of Term 3, BBQ & Plain Clothes Day

Please note: 2:15 ASSEMBLY - for remainder of the year as we no longer have Friday sport in the afternoons for our Grade 5/6 students.

Uniform Shop News

Open every Thursday 2pm-4pm

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REMINDER - BEFORE SCHOOL EXPECTATIONS

Even though it is a parent responsibility to make arrangements for the supervision of your children before 8:30 a.m., S.H.S. offer an arrangement for families who need their children to be arriving at school earlier.

- ❖ Mrs. Deb Scott will be at school from 8:00am each school day to supervise any students.
- ❖ If a student is here before 8:30 a.m. they need to go to the Gym.
- ❖ If arriving before 8.20am the cost will be \$2 per child per day, which needs to be paid as the student arrives at the Presentation Gym.
- ❖ The child's name will also be recorded on an attendance sheet on a daily basis.

Grade 2 van Ryn Literacy

In character as King Pig or the King's jester from the story King Pig by Nick Bland. We then played 'hot seat' and had to interview the characters as reporters and ask the hard questions.



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WORKING WITH VULNERABLE PEOPLE REGISTRATION

Government legislation now requires all people working or volunteering with vulnerable people to be registered. It is an expectation placed on our schools that any person who is on an excursion, helping in the classroom, helping out with students getting changed after swimming, attending camps etc must have this registration.

If parents do not have registration or registration is pending you may not be able to volunteer and attend the excursion or school event. This is something that we do not want to have to do but as legislation and system policy we need to adhere to.

How to apply for a WWVP and Number

1. Complete the online application form www.justice.tas.gov.au/working_with_children
2. Print the "Application Receipt" which is generated when the application has been completed in full
3. Take the "Application Receipt" to a Service Tasmania shop, pay the fee (\$17.60) and have your 100 point check to confirm identity

Once your registration has been approved and you receive your WWVP card, please bring it to the school office so your name, registration number and expiry date can be recorded and verified.

Entertainment Book Membership Fundraiser

Thank you to the many school families and friends who have purchased an Entertainment Membership for 2016/17. This means Parents and Friends have been able to raise valuable funds for our school to assist with projects and resources for the children.

The Books memberships have nearly sold out and this will be the last opportunity to make a purchase. Digital Memberships can continue to be made online throughout the year.

Limited copies are still available at the office or contact Rebecca on 0418 721 952 for further information.

Term Dates Catholic Schools

2016

Term 1 Thursday 4.2.16 to Friday 8.4.16

Term 2 Tuesday 26.4.16 to Friday 1.7.16

Term 3 Monday 18.7.16 to Friday 23.9.16

Term 4 Monday 10.10.16 to Thursday 15.12.16

Friday 20th May 2016 Student Free day

2017

Term 1 Thursday 9.2.17 to Thursday 13.4.17

Term 2 Monday 1.5.17 to Friday 7.7.17

Term 3 Monday 24.7.17 to Friday 29.9.17

Term 4 Monday 16.10.17 to Thursday 21.12.17

2018

Term 1 Thursday 8.2.18 to Friday 13.4.18

Term 2 Monday 30.4.18 to Friday 6.7.18

Term 3 Monday 23.7.18 to Friday 28.9.18

Term 4 Monday 15.10.18 to Thursday 20.12.18



Please join us for our

Family Mass

6pm Saturday
Newstead Church

19th March
14th May
18th June
20th August
17th September
22nd October
12th November

If you or your child/ren would like to help with the Mass please contact Jacque Wood 6344 5714 or jacque.wood@catholic.tas.edu.au

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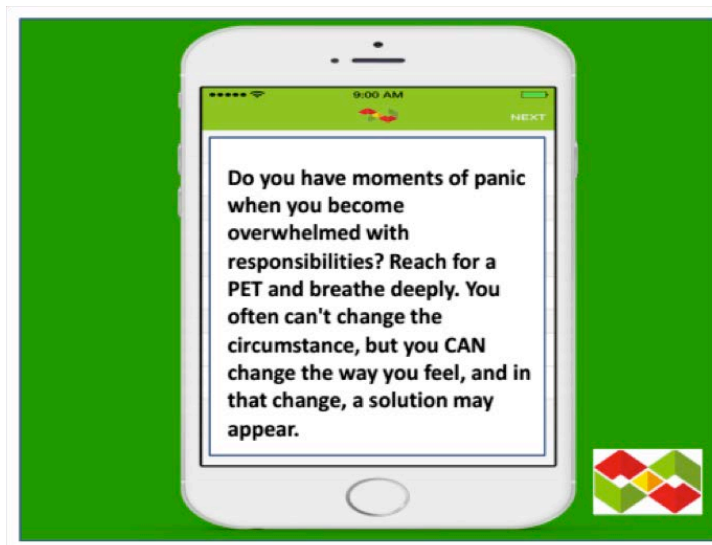
MINI VINNIE'S WOULD LIKE TO CREATE A SCHOOL COOKBOOK TO RAISE FUNDS FOR THE NEEDY.

The cookbook will be a collection of all our favourite recipes from families and teachers around the school. We will also have a competitions for the name of the cookbook. Please think about your old favourite recipes that you would like to share and see in the book. Email your recipe to minnivinniesrecipebook@gmail.com including your name, grade, and you may also may like to include a photo of you making your recipe. So please help to make our cookbook a huge success by adding your favourite recipes.

All the best from the Vinnie's team.



Unpacking the daily MYTERN Message: Taking control of your steering wheel



We often blame circumstances for how we feel, forgetting that we have the power to choose how we respond to every situation. Talk about moments during the past few weeks where each member of the family has felt that they have lost control of their wheel. How did they handle it? Could they have used a PET to help them to regain control and react in a more positive way?

Family Activity: Discuss PETS that each of you could access in the future during those moments of feeling out of control on a bumpy road.

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The Spirit of Jesus is Alive in:

Prep Best	Chace Weber For showing some great thinking in Maths	Angus Brock For showing some great planning and thinking in circle time
Prep Hills	Sienna Austin For great improvement with writing	Emerson Bramich For great work in writing the sounds in words
Grade 1 Murphy	Macy Watts For improvements in work habits	Joan Thomas For contributing to class discussions
Grade 1 Crawford	Maggie Bailey-Walford For writing a great recount about her holiday	Ruby Jones For fantastic work on Sacraments
Grade 2 van Ryn	Alice Fox For making mature choices in the playground	Luwanna Beeten For a great attitude to learning
Grade 2 Reid	Lucas Mineall For taking care and working neatly with all tasks this week	Ada Beveridge For an excellent beginning to Term 3
Grade 3 Hood	Eva O'Shea For a well written "autobiography" of Nano Nagle	Abbie Kingston For a well produced story of the life of Nano Nagle
Grade 3 Symons	Leo Bailey For his cheerful attitude to school	Layla Brown For her dedicated approach to learning
Grade 4 Hegarty	Max Roney For showing an excellent ability to ad-lib during drama performances	Ruby Dawkins For showing excellent planning skills and providing great structure to her information report
Grade 4 Wood	Anaya Madden For your beautiful generosity and care for others	Brodie Dobson For an excellent job on your Soundwaves work
Grade 5 McLeod	Senay Todd For making significant improvement in the presentation of his written work	Alex Brown For clearly showing his excellent understanding of fractions
Grade 5 Viney/Steven	Fletcher Tyson For a great start to Term 3 in his attitude and effort	Tito Brown For approaching all tasks with enthusiasm and a willingness to do his best
Grade 6 Claessens	Lucie Slevac For her hard work and excellent story writing ability	Ewen Cooper For being focused in class and working hard to complete tasks
Grade 6 Davie	Abbey Brewer For always applying herself and striving to improve. Fabulous attitude!	Jacob Woolley For the dedication and effort he displays towards his work

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Congratulations to Amelia Lewis grade 6 Davie

Amelia leaves Saturday to go to Cairns to represent Tasmania for hockey in the School Sports Australia National Championships.



MYTERN REFRESHER PARENT WORKSHOP

We are offering a refresher for MYTERN in our school via a Parent Workshop to all interested parents.

Nibbles and drinks on arrival

When: Tuesday, 16th August
Time: 7.00 for 7.30 start (finishing around 8.30)
Where: School staffroom
Presenters: Matt Jones and Helen Halley (Well-being)

What we will be covering:

General overview of My Tern at SHS

Red and Green roads

Emotionally tuning in

Having control of your own steering wheel

Choices

PETs and adding to toolbox

Play based problem solving

Please RSVP via school office by Friday, 12th August

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2016 NIJSSA Cross Country Carnival

On Tuesday 48 students from Sacred Heart represented our school at the NIJSSA Cross Country Carnival. All of our team did an amazing job on the very wet and soggy Windsor Park track. Here are some of the highlights from a memorable day:

*For the fourth year in a row Sacred Heart won the carnival.

*The Grade 3 Girls, Grade 4 Girls, Grade 4 Boys, Grade 5 Boys, Grade 6 Girls and Grade 6 Boys all won the team events.

*SHS had 17 students finish in the top five.

Thank you to ALL of our school community for helping Sacred Heart achieve these fantastic results. We are very blessed to have so many active children and families who value physical activity.

Top 20 finishers

(All races had approximately 50 students competing)

Grade 3 Girls

1st Averyl Quinn
3rd Abbey Berlese
9th Breeanna Harper
15th Meg Rickerby
16th Georgia Millwood

Grade 3 Boys

12th Oliver Viney
13th Oliver Wright
15th Zane Headland

Grade 4 Girls

2nd Mia Goody
4th Annaliese Leeftang
5th Ruby Dawkins
11th Zoe Gillow

Grade 4 Boys

1st Max Roney
2nd Alex Zegveld
15th Spencer Drew

Grade 5 Girls

1st Isabella Davie
12th Liliana Ercole
19th Emilee Faulkner

Grade 5 Boys

2nd Sam Cowley
3rd Fletcher Harper
4th James Leake
5th Max Marsden

Grade 6 Girls

1st Isabella Johnston
3rd Sophie Illingworth
6th Haylie Lehner
11th Jaimie Duffy
13th Ella Digney
20th Kalani Ciantar

Grade 6 Boys

2nd Connor Leeftang
4th Liam Jones
5th Hamish McKenzie
6th Mitchell Nicholas
9th Will Fox
12th Josh Gillow

SHS Team Event

Results

(Nine schools competing)

Grade 3 Girls- 1st place
Grade 3 Boys- 4th place
Grade 4 Girls- 1st place
Grade 4 Boys- 1st place
Grade 5 Girls- 3rd place
Grade 5 Boys- 1st place
Grade 6 Girls- 1st place
Grade 6 Boys- 1st place

