



NEWSLETTER



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Respect for Others
Respect for our Learning
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DANCE FEVER

Prep - Grade 6

A 10 week block of Dancing
with Dance Fever (Term 2).

School Photos
26th & 27 June



From the Principal

Forgiveness – “A universal value....”

“Forgiveness does not change the past, but it does enlarge the future.” (Paul Boese)

“Are you perfect? ”.....“Do you ever make a mistake?”

As a member of the human race we all know that we all make mistakes from time to time. At Sacred Heart Catholic Primary School we challenge our community to be better people by learning from our mistakes. Does that mean we will never make a mistake again? Of course not, some people may continue to make the same mistake over and over again. In fact there is research that suggests that some of Einstein's greatest theories were not conceived until after thousands of attempts.

We are challenged by the words Jesus used when he spoke in the Gospel of Matthew of the importance of forgiveness. He reminds us that we need to forgive people not 7 times but 77 times 7. In other words it is up to all of us to continue to forgive people who make mistakes. We are reminded that all of us start each day afresh and should not continue to “hold a grudge” against another person because of some past misdemeanour.

We too as parents need to continue to look for the good in all children and adults. We must challenge ourselves to use the guiding words of the Gospel as our “words of wisdom” when faced with the child that comes home with a story that “he/ she has been unkind to me again”. This can be hard and indeed challenging but in my experiences children are very ready to forgive and happy to start each day anew. The important role that we play is to model the behaviours for our children.

Forgiveness – “A universal value.....” continued

This week our children will be faced with a “tricky situation”, that is after all what living in a community is all about, good times and tough times. The real worth of a person can be judged on how they respond to the “tricky situation”. Do I look for the good in every human being?

Ask your child and yourself this week

- Do I treat all people the same?
- Am I as quick to forgive others, as I am to condemn?
- Do I start each day afresh with all members of the community?
- How do I model with my child the gospel values of the forgiver?

Thirty One of our children received the sacrament of Reconciliation last week. Sacraments are “guide posts” that point us in the direction of Christ. Reconciliation is an opportunity for all of us to be reconciled with our God. As a universal value forgiveness can happen without any of us needing to attend and celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

Look around our school community this week and notice the truly unique creations that exist within our school community, children, parents and staff. Each and every member of our school community deserves to be loved and respected, each one of us is imperfect and each one of us is on a journey, a journey that none of us could possibly understand without living in their shoes. The rich tapestry of the Sacred Heart community only exists because we are all very different.

At different times in all of our lives things don’t “happen” as we would hope, ultimately the way we respond to them defines us as people. We are the co-creators of the future society, what will the imitators (our children) be mimicking?

“Life is an echo. What you send out, comes back. What you sow you reap. What you give, you get. What you see in others exists in you. Remember, life is an echo. It always gets back to you. So give goodness.” (Anonymous)

“What counts in life is not the mere fact that we have lived. It is what difference we have made to the lives of others that will determine the significance of the life we lead.” (Anonymous)



Brent Wilson
PRINCIPAL

After School Pick Up (Urgent and Very Important)

On Tuesday afternoon Metro buses rang us for the third time in a week. The Metro bus is unable to pass through York Street in a timely manner. Why?

- A small number of parent and/or grandparents are disobeying road rules and common courtesy.
- A small number of parents/grandparents are parking illegally.

A reminder regarding our rules

- If there is no space in the Pick up zone then the rule is simple, please drive around the block.
- Don't park your car in the pick up zone and then walk into school to find your child.

We have made the following actions

- Contacted the Launceston City Council and Police and informed them that we have tried all reasonable measures. They may now choose to fine people who disobey the law.
- Asked staff to "direct people around the block", if there is no parking in the pick up zone. Please respect our staff are only trying to be fair. They have a duty to do and ultimately it is to provide a safe environment for our children.

We all know our school has parking challenges. A few thoughts

- Have you considered the Margaret Street Pick up. It is currently a much quicker pick up zone.
- Parents who come at 3.15pm to pick up children find the pick up zone much easier to access.

Staffing and Counselling

This week Australia celebrates Reconciliation Week. As a nation we have taken along time to acknowledge our past, to accept that we haven't always treated everyone equally. Consider this week, and into the future, celebrating our indigenous heritage. Give thanks for all that we are and look forward to all that we can become.

We are blessed to have one of the oldest cultures in humanity as the foundation of Australia. As a nation we are only beginning to discover how fortunate we are that our indigenous culture has much to teach us and indeed much we can learn from.

Our school this week will be spending time discovering more about our rich heritage.

Reports and Parent/Student/Teacher Nights

Teachers are continuing to collect data/information about your child. They will be using this information along with the other information they collect each day to inform the reports that will be issued later this term.

This year we will be conducting our Parent/Student/Teacher conversations in the last week of Term. We see these conversations are a further means of supporting your child up for the second half of 2018.

More details will be provided in the next few weeks.

Before School Care

- Our school provides Before School Care for families that need to drop children off prior to 8.30am.
- Families are reminded that **ALL** children are expected to pay \$2 to Deb Scott every time they access this service.
- Before School Care commences at 8am. Parents **MUST** speak to Mr Wilson if they need support prior to 8am.



Program of Events NIJSSA Cross Country **Wednesday 13th June**

11.30am	Schools arrive and set up
11.50am	Course Walk through Gr3-6
12.30pm	Event 1 Grade 3 Girls
12.40pm	Event 2 Grade 3 Boys
12.50pm	Event 3 Grade 4 Girls
1.00pm	Event 4 Grade 4 Boys
1.15pm	Event 5 Grade 5 Girls
1.30pm	Event 6 Grade 5 Boys
1.45pm	Event 7 Grade 6 Girls
2.05pm	Event 8 Grade 6 Boys
2.25pm	Final announcements and clean up
2.35pm	Schools Depart

NIJSSA CROSS COUNTRY TEAM

Congratulations to our NIJSSA Cross Country team who have been selected for the upcoming carnival.

Grade 3 Girls

Ruby Jones
Amelie Millar
Jasmine Hartley
Payton Heyward
Lily Matthews
Amelia Lowe
Charlize Spencer
(reserve)

Grade 3 Boys

Xavier Davie
Ben Berlese
Daniel Wojcik
Thomas Tanton
Tahj Jones
Harrison Millwood
Caleb McKenzie
(reserve)

Grade 4 Girls

Stella Freeman
Jasmine Graham
Maya Chapple
Alice Fox
Annabelle Pyke
Emily McMullen
Ruby Martin (reserve)

Grade 4 Boys

Oscar Marsden
Max Matthews
Alex Woolley
Cooper van Emmerik
Samuel Lindsay
Hamish Anderson
Ethan Ercole (reserve)

Grade 5 Girls

Abbey Berlese
Breeanna Harper
Abbie Kingston
Meg Rickerby
Georgia Millwood
Sarah Kley
Millie Geale (reserve)

Grade 5 Boys

Oliver Viney
Oliver Wright
Zane Headland
Leo Bailey
James Hogarth
Matthew Williams
Jack Lehner
(reserve)

Grade 6 Girls

Annaliese Leeftang
Mia Goody
Ruby Dawkins
Piper van Emmerik
Phoebe Martin
Sienna Drew
Zoe Gillow (reserve)

Grade 6 Boys

Oliver Baldock
Owen Millar
Alex Zegveld
Max Roney
Spencer Drew
Will Saunders
Sam Dick (reserve)



Sacred Heart Gr 3-6 Cross Country

Last Thursday our students did a wonderful job running for their house at the Sacred Heart Cross Country Carnival. The day reminded me that there is so much to be grateful for as a member of the Sacred Heart community. I'm extremely grateful that:

- *We have students who strive to do their personal best and persist when faced with challenges.

- *Our students are inclusive, encourage each other and genuinely want their peers to succeed.

- *The staff at Sacred Heart are positive, caring and always want the best for our kids.

- *The families within the school support our children in so many ways. It was great to see lots of spectators and volunteers helping to make the carnival run smoothly. Thank you in particular to Barb Humphreys, Sarah Berlese, Lisa Jones, Belinda Gardner, Lynelle Freeman, Matt Zegveld and Darren Harvey.

- *Our families clearly value the health benefits of regular exercise. Some of our training sessions at Brickfields this term has seen over 100 children running before school.

- *We run at such a picturesque and spectator friendly venue. Royal Park would be up there with the best primary school running venues in Australia.

Congratulations to Rice House for winning the carnival in 2018. We now look forward to the NIJSSA Cross Country Carnival on Wednesday 13th June and the All Schools Cross Country on Tuesday 26th June.

John Anderson
Health & Physical Education Teacher



G3-6 Cross Country



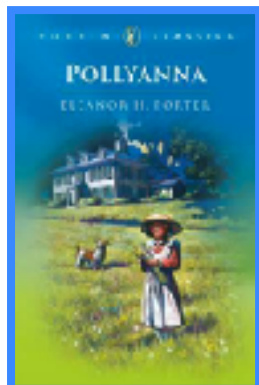
G3-6 Cross Country





G3-6 Cross Country

POLLYANNA
Eleanor H Porter



Gr 5/6
Tuesday Book Club
2018

The next meeting is
Tuesday 26th June
3:00pm - 4:00pm.

THE SECRET GARDEN

Frances Hodgson Burnett



School Families - Kinder 2019

All school families who have a child who is 4 years of age as of the 1st January 2018, please complete an enrolment form from our school office ASAP. I would also encourage you to make contact with families and friends who you know are looking at enrolling their children at S.H.S. to also make contact with the school as soon as possible.

Enrolments close on Friday 1st June 2018 (TOMORROW)

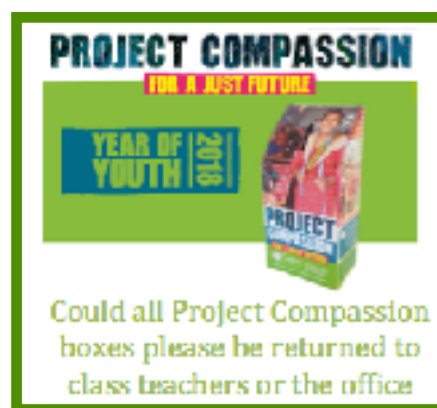
2018 Term Dates Catholic Schools

Term 1 Thursday 8.2.18 to Friday 13.4.18
Term 2 Monday 30.4.18 to Thursday 5.7.18
Term 3 Tuesday 24.7.18 to Friday 28.9.18
Term 4 Tuesday 16.10.18 to Thursday 20.12.18

6th July 2018 - Pupil Free Day

23rd July 2018 - Pupil Free Day

15 October 2018 - Pupil Free Day



2019 Term Dates Catholic Schools

Term 1 Thursday 7.2.19 to Friday 12.4.19
Term 2 Monday 29.4.19 to Friday 5.7.19
Term 3 Monday 22.7.19 to Friday 27.9.19
Term 4 Monday 14.10.19 to Tuesday 17.12.19

Pupil free days will be communicated as soon as they are confirmed

Please return your Payment Plans to the office ASAP

May 2018						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
27th	28th	29th	30th	31st	1st June	2nd
		3pm Gr 5/6 Book Club 3.10pm Gr 3/4 Art Club 7.30pm P & F Meeting	School Banking	8.30am Band Program 11.30am Strings Program Dance Fever	2.10pm Assembly Kinder 2019 Enrolments Close	

June 2018						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th
	5pm Band Soiree @ SHS	3.10pm Gr 3/4 Art Club 7.30pm Information Evening Confirmation & First Eucharist @ Parish Centre, Margaret St	School Banking	8.30am Band Program 11.30am Strings Program Dance Fever 5pm Strings Soiree	SHS Feast day	
10th	11th	12th	13th	14th	15th	16th
	PUBLIC HOLIDAY	3.10pm Gr 3/4 Art Club 6.30pm Board Meeting	School Banking NIJSSA Cross Country	8.30am Band Program 11.30am Strings Program	2.10pm Assembly	
17th	18th	19th	20th	21st	22nd	23rd
	3.30pm Faith Sharing Session @ Church of Apostles	3.10pm Gr 3/4 Art Club 3.30pm Faith Sharing Session @ Church of Apostles	School Banking	8.30am Band Program 11.30am Strings Program	2.10pm Assembly	

GR 3-6 NIJSSA CROSS COUNTRY TRAINING

NIJSSA Cross Country Training will be each Monday and Wednesday for any students in Grade 3-6 who would like to do some early morning training for our upcoming NIJSSA School Cross Country. Each Monday and Wednesday morning from 8am students can gather at Brickfields for a 20 minute training session with Mr. Anderson and other staff.

Students can wear their sports uniform on these days if training for Cross Country.

2018 Carnivals

Monday 10th September
Gr 3-6 Athletics Carnival

Thursday 8th November
Prep - Gr.2 Athletics Carnival

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S.H.S. Clothing Pool email

shs.clothingpool@catholic.tas.edu.au

Grade 6 Guests of the Tornadoes

Last Saturday night grade six got the chance to watch our student teacher, Lauren Nicholson, to play for the Tornadoes at Elphin sports centre. Both classes were invited to watch the Tornadoes home game against the Ballarat Rush. It was a close and thrilling game, the crowd was roaring and stomping their feet. We hoped that our cheering helped to get them over the line. The volunteers at the Tornadoes had set aside a special area for us and provided us with snacks.

Lauren was a great helping hand in grade 6 Davie throughout her 20 days at our school. We all loved having her around as she always brought a happy and calm attitude to the room. We hoped that by cheering her game we showed her the support that she showed us during her time at Sacred Heart. She is a great team player.

We wish Lauren Nicholson all the best for her future studies to become a teacher. Thankyou,
Annaliese Leeftang and Jett Hill.



Entertainment Books Fundraiser for 2018

The Entertainment book/digital membership fundraiser is well under way and thank you to the many school families and friends who have already purchased their membership. Your support is fantastic and much appreciated.

By purchasing the Entertainment book/digital membership you'll receive valuable money saving items and services and in return raise funds for classroom resources. The Entertainment book/digital membership has many new additions of restaurants, attractions and services.

The memberships are \$65.00 each and the school receives \$13.00 from each membership sold in book or digital form. Once you have purchased your membership online please ensure you collect your book from the school office. Cash sales can be made at the office.

To order a Book or your Digital Membership online visit:

www.entbook.com.au/24037x7

For any enquires please email Rebecca on rebecca.millwood@catholic.tas.edu.au



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STATE BMX TITLES



The following Sacred Heart students competed in the BMX state titles in Hobart last weekend. Byron Digney, Jackson Quill, Wilfred McKibben, Stuart and Tim Innes. Jackson Quill came 2nd overall for Tasmania in his age group.

All Schools Cross Country:

This event is on Tuesday 26th June @ Symmons Plains. If your child is interested in participating please email: john.anderson@catholic.tas.edu.au

The school will organise the on-line registrations and cover the cost of the \$15 entry fee.

Your child must be born in 2006, 2007, 2008 or 2009 to enter.



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 will 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.

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 for any students.
- ❖ **Students are not to arrive before 8am**
- ❖ If a student is here before 8:30 a.m. they need to go to the Gym. **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.

Student absences

If your child will be absent from school please remember to either:

- call the School office on 63311011
- email shsl@catholic.tas.edu.au
- use the Skoolbag app, fill out an eForm

Please note that children arriving late to school need to enter the school via the York St entrance and report to the school office to update our records and avoid unnecessary absentee text messages.

Reminder that dogs are not permitted on the school grounds without prior permission from the Principal

TOILET ACCESS AFTER HOURS

Student toilets are locked daily at approximately 3:15pm-3:30pm. There is a toilet located in the administration building, which is opened until 4:00pm daily.

Family Mass

Sunday 9am

St Patrick's College Chapel

All welcome!

18th March

15th April

20th May

17th June

15th July

19th August

16th September

21st October

18th November

Tapestry Dance Studio

RAINBOW DISCO!

Saturday 2nd June 6pm - 8pm

7 Button Street, Mowbray

\$10 per child - includes supper

Wear your brightest rainbow
colours!

Everyone welcome, bring your friends!



**Annual Procession of the Blessed Sacrament for
the Feast of The Body & Blood of Christ.
SUNDAY 3 JUNE 2018.**

From: St Joseph's Church, 65 Harrington Street, Hobart (1.15pm) via Harrington St. to St Mary's Cathedral, concluding with Benediction at 3.00pm. Talk to your parish priest about your parish's Book of Prayers and Petitions that will be carried to the Cathedral. Bring banners and flags representing your parish or school.



For more details go to: www.hobart.catholic.org.au
or contact Deacon Nick MacFarlane on 0418 242 010



**Archdiocese
of Hobart**

Participants who are unable to walk in the Procession are invited to come to the Cathedral at 2.00pm to take part in the Adoration and concluding Benediction. Long term parking near the Cathedral is available at the Hobart City Council's Hobart Central Carpark in Melville Street. The Carpark closes at 4.30pm. In the event of bad weather, call 0418 242 010 for details.