



# NEWSLETTER

SACRED HEART  
CATHOLIC PRIMARY  
SCHOOL



## Our P.B.S. Values are:

Respect for Ourselves  
Respect for Others  
Respect for our Learning

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## Basketball Tournament Tryouts

**Monday 6th August**

Students participating to  
wear sports uniform

Grade 3-6 children who have registered for the Primary Schools Basketball Tournament in October are reminded to wear their Sports Uniform on Monday 6th August. We will be using this day to provide trials for all of the children who have expressed an interest in playing.

Children are also advised to bring an extra bottle of water.

## From the Principal:

### “Jumping for Joy”

*“My heart leaps up when I behold a rainbow in the sky” (Wordsworth)*

What fills your heart with joy? Smiling faces, bubbles, a rainbow, a happy tune, hot air balloons, daffodils, children playing?

What gives us that wonderful feeling that makes us smile and laugh and jump up and down? Jumping for joy is actually a scientific fact! Wanting to jump up and down is one of the ways that scientists measure joy. It's different from happiness, which measures how good we feel most of the time. Joy is about feeling good in one special moment, right now. We say we are bursting with joy.

Why do we feel joy when we see a stream of bubbles or a display of ice creams, especially the ones with the sprinkles? It's because our hearts are lifted by bright colours, lots of things together like balloons, things up in the air above us, round colourful things like sprinkles and M&M's. They give everyone joy. We all stop and look up to the sky when we see the multi-coloured arc of a rainbow. These things aren't joyful for just a few people; they're joyful for nearly everyone. They're universally joyful.

It sometimes seems our differences are so vast we can never find agreement. And yet there's a part of each of us that finds joy in the same things. They might be passing pleasures but we all share them. Inside all of us is the same joy germ!

Little moments of joy are all around us.

And we can make more of them. Students in brightly coloured schools learn better; people working in colourful offices are more confident and friendlier. Colour gives us joy because it is a sign of life, a sign of energy. And we love the feeling of abundance, like a shower of colourful confetti or a big bowl of lollies.

Each moment of joy is small, but over time, they add up and bring us great happiness. Look out for moments of joy. We all have the drive to seek out joy in our surroundings. The drive toward joy is the drive toward life.

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## Jumping for Joy...continued

Take a moment this week to consider ...

- What gives your children joy?
- What gives you joy?
- Reflect on the last 6 months at Sacred Heart and ponder what is it about our school that makes you joyful?
- How are we spreading joy amongst others?

*"May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit." (Romans 15:13)*



**Brent Wilson**  
**PRINCIPAL**

## Playground Update

Stage 1 of our Playground is making steady progress. In the holiday period we ordered two large pieces of play equipment. These are both coming from the USA. Our Playground Master Planner is currently refining the documentation and completing approvals from relevant statutory authorities. We are still working towards commencing works in the Term 3 holidays, with the hope to enable children to utilise the play spaces in Term 4.

## Confirmation

The Launceston Parish is celebrating the Sacrament of Confirmation on Thursday 9th August at 7pm. Twenty Three Sacred Heart children are preparing for the sacrament and will be confirmed in the Church of the Apostles. Friends and family are welcome to join us as we mark this very significant time in the lives of our students. Please keep the following children in your prayers...

*Henri Bergamin, Ella Cowan, Ethan Ercole, Sam Dick, Maggie Dick, Molly Dick, Alice Fox, Molly Harvey, Lachlan Jenkins, Ruby Powell, Hugh Rickerby, Emily McMullen, James Humphreys, Emily Johns, Sebastian Page, Francesca Page, Thomas Page, Isabella Perry, Will Saltmarsh, Aria Spencer, Alex Woolley, Daniel Wojcik, Hannah Zegveld*

**Reconciliation in preparation for Confirmation followed by rehearsal for confirmation:**  
Thursday 2nd August 7pm at the Church of the Apostles

**Sacrament of Confirmation**  
Thursday 9th August 7pm at the Church of the Apostles



## **GREAT NEWS!!!**

### ***Entertainment Books Fundraiser is Raising Funds for the Gr 5/6 Book Club***

The Entertainment book/digital membership fundraiser has already raised \$\$\$ thanks to the many school families and friends who have already purchased their membership.

I'm pleased to report that at the May P&F meeting it was approved that the funds raised from this fundraiser will go to the Gr 5/6 Book Club to purchase new novel sets for this group.

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

Memberships are still available at \$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.

Your support is fantastic and much appreciated.

To order a Book or your Digital Membership online visit:

**[www.entbook.com.au/24037x7](http://www.entbook.com.au/24037x7)**

For any enquires please email Rebecca on [rebecca.millwood@catholic.tas.edu.au](mailto:rebecca.millwood@catholic.tas.edu.au)



#### **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 Thurs 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 Tues 17.12.19**

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

## July 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
29th	30th	31st	1st August	2nd August	3rd August	4th
	3.30pm Faith Sharing Session @ Church of Apostles	3.10pm Gr 5/6 Art Club 3.15pm Gr 5/6 Book Club 3.30pm Faith Sharing Session @ Church of Apostles B - 4 program commences for Term 3	School Banking	8.30am Band Program 11.30am Strings Program 7pm Sacrament of Reconciliation @ Church of Apostles	2.10pm Assembly	

## August 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th
	Basketball Tournament tryouts	3.10pm Gr 5/6 Art Club	School Banking	8.30am Band Program 11.30am Strings Program 7pm Sacrament of Confirmation @ Church of Apostles	2.10pm Assembly	
12th	13th	14th	15th	16th	17th	18th
	Gr 6 Excursion to Trevallyn Power Station	3.10pm Gr 5/6 Art Club 6.30pm Board Meeting	School Banking	8.30am Band Program 11.30am Strings Program	2.10pm Assembly	
19th	20th	21st	22nd	23rd	24th	25th
		3.10pm Gr 5/6 Art Club	School Banking 9.15am Book Week Parade 	8.30am Band Program 11.30am Strings Program	2.10pm Assembly	
26th	27th	28th	29th	30th	31st	1st Sep
		3.10pm Gr 5/6 Art Club 3.15pm Gr 5/6 Book Club 7.30pm P & F General Meeting	<b>Fathers day Celebration</b> 		2.10pm Assembly <b>Rock'n'Roll Night @ St Ailbes</b> 	

## 2018 Carnivals

**Monday 10th September**  
Gr 3-6 Athletics Carnival

**Thursday 8th November**  
Prep - Gr.2 Athletics Carnival

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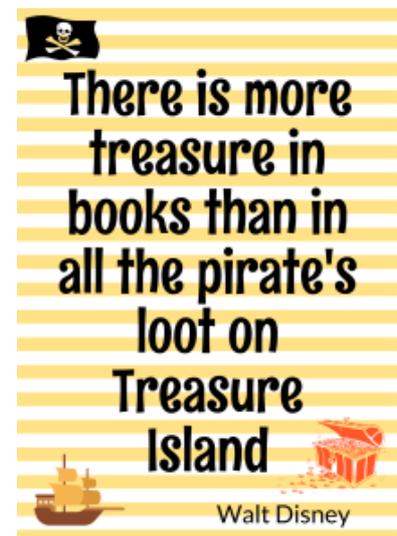
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**S.H.S. Parents and Friends email**

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**S.H.S. Clothing Pool email**

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## Book Week at Sacred Heart Catholic School 2018

The Theme for Book Week this year is Find Your Treasure.

We will have a Book Week Parade on Wednesday August 22nd at 9:15am.

Students are encouraged to dress up for our parade. During Wednesday we will also have a buddy reading activity 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.

Prior to book week in the week beginning Monday the 13th of August we will be asking all students to bring along a book that is in good condition that they would be willing to swap with another student from the same year level on Wednesday, August 22nd. They will also be asked to bring a gold coin donation which will be donated to the Indigenous Literacy Foundation.

Thanks in advance for your support.

## The Spirit of Jesus is Alive in:

Prep Hills	<b>Eily Madden</b> For making an excellent start to Term 3	<b>Harry Durkin</b> For showing persistence in completing a 150 piece puzzle
Prep Best	<b>James Lynch</b> For amazing work with his writing about his Holidays	<b>Molly Jordan</b> For consistently recognising her sight words in her reading
Grade 1 Foster	<b>Maddie Mayne</b> For always trying her hardest during writing activities	<b>Imogen Lee</b> For always bringing a positive attitude to our classroom
Grade 1 Gleadow	<b>George Durkin</b> For using many efficient strategies to solve maths problems. <b>Tamara Lewis</b> For always caring and looking out for others	<b>Cameron Franks</b> For amazing reading during our Buddy Mass this week and his growing confidence in himself
Grade 2 Crawford	<b>Jackson Quill</b> For making a positive start to term 3 <b>Phoebe Shea</b> For an outstanding start to term 3.	<b>Ebony Harper</b> For showing her creativity this week a
Grade 2 Reid	<b>Maddison Fogarty</b> For a great start to Term 3	<b>Charlie Williams</b> For a great start to Term 3
Grade 3 Underlin	<b>Amelia Lowe</b> For her contributions to a positive classroom <b>Tahj Jones</b> For his brilliant work in English	<b>Emily Davern</b> For her awesome work in all learning areas <b>Maggie Bailey-Walford</b> For her awesome work in Maths
Grade 3 Symons	<b>Grace Martin</b> For being a go cart	<b>Kade Norman</b> For being resilient
Grade 4 Wood	<b>Cooper van Emmerick</b> For his engaging questions during our art lesson	<b>Elaria Acquarola</b> For being a kind and considerate member of our class
Grade 4 van Ryn	<b>Cooper Kedey</b> For giving a sincere and articulate thank you speech to Daniel the Soccer Coach	<b>Heidi Brewer</b> For always being kind, honest and joyful
Grade 5 Hood	<b>Charlie Snare</b> For being a welcoming, enthusiastic member of SH	<b>Olivia Worley</b> For thoughtful contributions to our goal setting task
Grade 5 Viney/Liston	<b>Mason Clark</b> For his focus and great approach to his learning so far this term	<b>Erin Hughes</b> For the effort she has put in to completing and handing in tasks this week
Grade 6 Davie	<b>Mackenzie Bowman</b> For her dedicated attitude towards her schoolwork	<b>Will Saunders</b> For his caring and happy nature. A WEST person.
Grade 6 Steven	<b>Kate Rigby</b> For outstanding attention to detail and the humble and determined way you strive for success	<b>Sienna Drew</b> For her ready to go hard working attitude to her work

## Congratulations Anya Bonner - Former SHS students

Anya Bonner, a former SHS student has recently represented Tasmania and now Australia in the world inline Hockey Championships. She attended Sacred Heart from Kinder, 2005 - Grade 6, 2012. She is about to complete year 12 at St Patricks college at the end of this year.

Anya has represented Tasmania three times in the junior women's national tournaments and was most recently scouted to represent Australia for the inline hockey world championships in Italy this July, 2018. In her first game against India, she was awarded Most Valuable Player with a strong win 9 - 2. Games currently continue!

*Congratulations Anya and go Australia!*

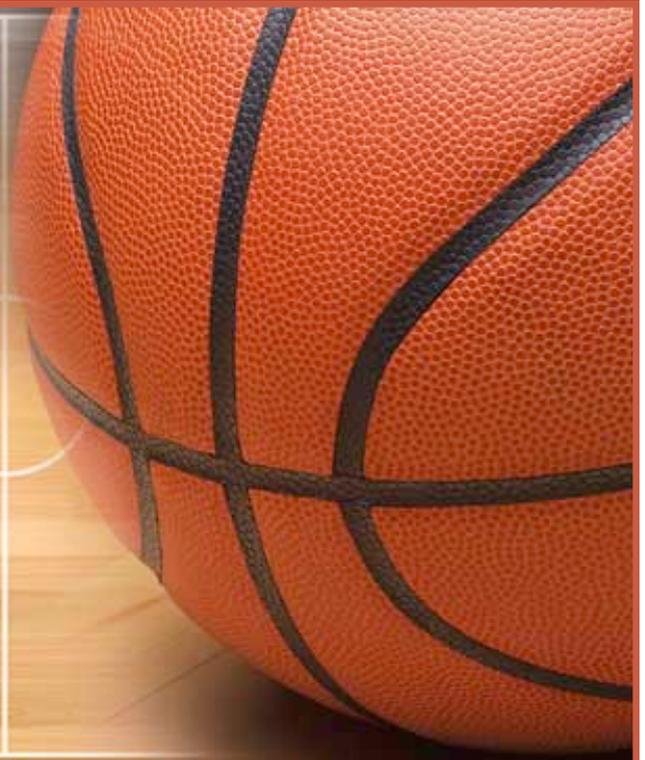


### Basketball Tournament Tryouts

Monday 6th August students in Gr 3 - 6 who have entered to play in the Primary Schools Basketball Tournament in October will be having tryouts - students participating to wear their Sports Uniform for the day.

Timetable for the day is as follows:

9 - 10am	Grade 3 & 4 girls
10 - 11am	Grade 3 & 4 boys
11:30am - 12:30pm	Grade 5 & 6 girls
12:30-1:30pm	Grade 5 & 6 boys



Boys School Ties and  
Girls Tights are in stock  
in the Uniform Shop

Email:

shs.clothingpool@catholic.tas.edu.au

Uniform Shop open:  
Thursday's 2 - 4pm

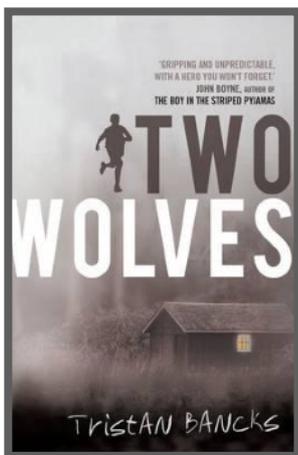
*Family Mass*  
Sunday 9am  
St Patrick's College Chapel  
All welcome!

- 18<sup>th</sup> March
- 15<sup>th</sup> April
- 20<sup>th</sup> May
- 17<sup>th</sup> June
- 15<sup>th</sup> July
- 19<sup>th</sup> August
- 16<sup>th</sup> September
- 21<sup>st</sup> October
- 18<sup>th</sup> November

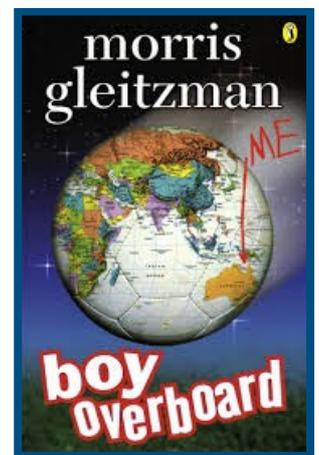
Gr 5/6

Tuesday Book Club  
2018

TWO WOLVES  
Tristan Bancks



BOY  
OVERBOARD  
Morris Gleitzman



The next meeting is  
Tuesday 31st July  
Tuesday 28th August  
3:00pm - 4:00pm.

## Reminder on procedures for Student absences, late arrivals and signing out

### 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](mailto:shsl@catholic.tas.edu.au)
- use the Skoolbag app, fill out an eForm
- advise their teacher



**It is a legal requirement that parents are expected to advise the school as to why their child is absent.**

### Signing students out during the day

-You must sign your child out if you need to pick them up from school for an appointment or for your child to leave early.



CHILDREN MUST BE  
SIGNED IN & OUT BY  
AUTHORIZED PERSONS

-Please pre-arrange this with your child's class teacher and the teacher will send your child to the office at the required time so you can collect them from the office and sign them out.

**It is important that all parents follow these procedures so that we can account for the whereabouts of all students while they are in the care of Sacred Heart School.**

#### Bourke/Margaret street gates:

- opened by 8:00am
- locked at 9.00am (approximately)
- unlocked at 3:00 pm by duty teacher
- locked at approximately 3:30 pm by duty teacher

#### York St gate:

- unlocked prior to 8:00 am
- **only access point during the day**

#### Arriving late to school

**If you arrive at school after 9am your child must be walked into the office via the York Street gate and report to the school office to update our records and avoid unnecessary absentee text messages.**

GOOD ATTENDANCE FOR SUCCESS

**Every Minute  
in School Counts**



# Meningococcal W vaccine now **FREE** to all young people under 21



The State Government is extending its vaccination program due to a localised outbreak of the W strain.

The extended program will cover those most at risk of contracting and transmitting the disease and will be rolled out statewide.

## Want more information?

Talk to your GP

Visit

[www.health.tas.gov.au](http://www.health.tas.gov.au)

or call the Public Health Hotline on

**1800 671 738**

All Tasmanians aged  
from six weeks to 20  
years will now be able to  
get vaccinated for **FREE**  
against meningococcal W  
(for those born after 1 August 1997).



## An evening for Parents and Teachers

With

# Lynne Maher

President, Tasmanian Association for the Gifted

## **Matching the pace of learning to the child's needs**

**What are the different types of accelerated  
learning?**

**How can they be implemented in Tasmanian  
classrooms?**

*Lynne has been actively involved in TAG for many years, including six years as president. She is Tasmanian Director and treasurer for the National Association, AAEGT. A qualified and experienced teacher with experience teaching, training and facilitating learning with all ages, Lynne's knowledge of gifted education expanded as she advocated for her gifted son. She has conducted local information sessions for educators and parents, professional development for teachers, and presentations at state, national and world conferences.*

At

7.00 pm, Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> August 2018

Venue: Larmenier Catholic School (38 Station Road, St Leonards)

All welcome; light supper provided

Current financial members - Free

Non-members - \$5

Book your place at <https://www.trybooking.com/WTDH>

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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 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](http://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.

**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.