



NEWSLETTER



Our P.B.S. Values are:

Respect for Ourselves
 Respect for Others
 Respect for our Learning
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**Kinder Enrolments
 for 2020
 Due by May 31st**

**Prep - Grade 2
 House Cross Country
 Tomorrow
 17th May at Royal Park**

Prep 1:00pm (1km)
 Grade 1 1:25pm (1km)
 Grade 2 1:50pm (1.5km)

**School Photo Days
 June 4 & 5**

From the Principal:

Healthy Communities

"The fruit of love is service, which is compassion in action"
 (Mother Teresa)

Each and every week there are countless examples of people within our community doing things for others. That's what healthy communities do, they look for ways they can help others, they look for ways they can improve the lives of others, they recognise goodness and celebrate these actions, they put others first and themselves last and they don't seek recognition for what they do. As a school community we actively promote these behaviours amongst the children of Sacred Heart.

I wondered why? Why do we seek to support children to become humble, positive and giving people? What do want the children of SHS to grow up to be?

I reflected on my own childhood and remembered the times I had made good and bad choices. I know that whatever the choice I made, good or bad, I had my Mum and Dad and school working with me to assist me with future actions. I am eternally grateful for people who have respectfully challenged me in the past and into the future.

Last week I was looking for positives in our school. As always, I didn't need to look too far. Three immediately come to mind.

Mother's Day.... Standing at the back of the Presentation Hall I could not help but be enormously proud of our community. Each and every child from Kinder - Grade 6 participated in a celebration of poetry and song, 455 children performing, each child benefiting from the chance to share their talents, develop their confidence to perform in public and to work as a team. We know parents supported the children with encouragement and practise. Behind the scenes were our dedicated teachers who spent considerable time working with the children to prepare them..... In summary a team effort.

Gala Day....On Friday 120 children from Sacred Heart gathered with Catholic and independent schools. Each and every child participated in organised sports or physical exercise. The feedback I've had, and noticed, was our children were a credit to our school by the way they participated and presented. Some parents assisted with coaching and umpiring, some parents led activities and some came to support from the sidelines. Once again our staff were in the background ensuring the day could take place... booking buses, organising risk assessments, picking teams, coaching, umpiring, preparing teams and ultimately making sure the children of SHS were able to participate.

Kinder 2020 Information Evening

Last week our Grade 6 Captains shared at our Kinder 2020 Information Evening. They were asked to talk with prospective parents about "Why they were proud to attend SHS?" Listening to four senior students share their passion about our school, the things they were grateful for and the things they had learnt was priceless. I'm confident all the prospective parents would have walked away feeling positive about our school.

Why share these stories?

One of our roles as educators and parents is to model to children what we want for our future society. Support children when they make poor choices, acknowledge when they make good ones and ensure that we continue to look for the good in one another.

One of the greatest celebrations for me as Principal is seeing so many people working in our community to develop the young minds and hearts of the future generations by modelling the behaviours of Jesus Christ.

"Be the change you want to see in the world." (Mahatma Ghandi)



**Brent Wilson
PRINCIPAL**

Playground update

Late last term the new playground was opened for all of our children to enjoy. The final parts of the playspace are almost complete. We are waiting on the fence between the playground and the church to be installed before we can re open the entrance to our school. Thanks for your patience.

NAPLAN

This week and next Grades 3 and 5 children at Sacred Heart, along with children across Australia will participate in NAPLAN testing. NAPLAN is a one off series of tests mandated by the Federal Government that provides schools and parents with information about their child.

We should all remember these are one off tests, that are important, that provide one chapter of the understanding of a child and their ability. Our teachers are constantly collecting data about your child that provides a comprehensive overview of a child's learning.

Prep - Grade 2 Cross Country

The Prep – Grade 2 House Cross Country will be held on Friday 17th May at Royal Park.

Our school asks parents to stay till the end of the carnival to support all of the competitors. We look forward to a 'dry' day filled with children trying their best and encouraging everyone.

School Families - Kinder 2020

All school families who have a child who is 4 years of age as of the 1st January 2020, 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 31st May 2019

Sacred Heart B-4 2019**Tuesday**

Come along to enjoy a variety of play based, indoor/outdoor experiences and explore the age/stage appropriate activities such as music/movement, fine/gross motor play, creative, dramatic, literacy and sensory activities



Morning session- 9.00am-11.00am

Afternoon session-12.30-2.30pm

Bring along a hat, water bottle and a piece of fruit to share for

Morning/afternoon tea.



Please email Rebecca.millwood@catholic.tas.edu.au for more information.

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Grade 2	1:50pm (1.5km)



Grade 3 - 6
House Cross Country
Next Thursday
23rd May at Royal Park

12.10	Grade 6 Girls
12.30	Grade 6 Boys
12.50	Grade 3 Girls
1.05	Grade 3 Boys
1.20	Grade 4 Girls
1.35	Grade 4 Boys
1.50	Grade 5 Girls
2.10	Grade 5 Boys



May 2019						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				16th 10am Band Program 11.30am Strings Program Naplan Testing	17th 9:00am Assembly Naplan Testing Prep-2 Cross Country	18th
19th	20th Naplan Testing Cross Country Training	21st Naplan Testing 3pm Art Club 6.30pm Board Room	22nd Naplan Testing Cross Country Last Training Sacrament of Reconciliation Sacred Heart NEWSTEAD 7pm	23rd 10am Band Program 11.30am Strings Program Naplan Testing Gr 3-6 Cross Country	24th Naplan Testing 2pm Assembly	25th
26th	27th	28th 3pm Art Club	29th Pen Down Day	30th 10am Band Program 11.30am Strings Program	31st 2pm Assembly Kinder Applications 2020 last day.	1st June
June 2019						
2nd	3rd	4th School Photos Information Evening Confirmation & First Eucharist 7-8pm 3pm Art Club	5th School Photos	6th 10am Band Program 11.30am Strings Program Strings Soiree 5-6pm at STM	7th 2pm Assembly Kinder School Preferences last day	8th

2019 Carnivals

Friday 17th May
SHS Prep - 2 Cross Country

Thursday 23rd May
SHS Gr 3-6 Cross Country

Monday 9th September
SHS Gr 3-6 Athletics

Thursday 14th November
SHS Prep-2 Athletics

TERM 2 GR 3-6 CROSS COUNTRY TRAINING

Each Monday and Wednesday (last training Wednesday 22nd May) is Cross Country training for any students in Grade 3-6 who would like to do some early morning training for our upcoming School Cross Country. At 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.

2019 Term Dates Catholic Schools

Term 2 Monday 29.4.19 to Friday 5.7.19

Term 3 Tuesday 23.7.19 to Friday 27.9.19

Term 4 Monday 14.10.19 to Tues 17.12.19

22nd July 2018 - Pupil Free Day

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S.H.S. Parents and Friends email

shsl.pnf@catholic.tas.edu.au

S.H.S. Clothing Pool email

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Launceston Competitions Results 2019

Group Speaking

Infant Section

First Place: Grade 2 Crawford

Second Place: Grade 1 Underlin

Highly Commended: Grade 1 Foster

Highest Aggregate Score Overall – Infant Section

Sacred Heart Primary School

Grades 3/4

First Place: Grade 4 Davie and Grade 4 van Ryn

Second Place: Grade 3 Symons/Crombie

Highly Commended: Grade 3 Wood

Highest Aggregate Score Award Overall – Primary Section

Sacred Heart Primary School

Highest Class Score Award

Grade 2 Crawford

Grade 4 van Ryn

Grade 4 Davie

Poetry Recital - Grade 3

Highly Commended – Hamish Williams

Prepared Speech Primary Section One

First: Frankie Page

Third: Jasmine Hartley

Highly Commended: Hannah Madden, Ben Berlese, Amelie Millar

Prepared Speech Primary Section Two

First: Payton Heyward

Second: William Brewer

Third: Macy Watts

Highly Commended: Keira Jephcott, Molly Dick, Ruby Powell

Outstanding Talent in Speech & Drama - Highest individual score in Primary Section

Payton Heyward

Character Duo or Trio - Grade 5

Highly Commended – Cooper Kedey and Emmett Gale

Highly Commended – Chloe Axman-Friend, Isabella Perry and Orla Kelly

Highly Commended – Sienna Walker and Emily McMullen and Molly Harvey

Creative Writing Grades 3/4

Xavier Davie - first place

Daisy Johnston - second

Molly Dick - equal third

Ruby Jones - equal third

Ivy McCullagh - highly commended

Creative Writing Grades 5/6

Sebastian Johnston- third

What a fantastic achievement from so many talented entertainers. This year's Launceston Competitions was a huge success for so many children. The variety was amazing. From whole class recitals, to duos and trios acting, prepared speeches and solo performers. We had over 300 students represent our school. As the adjudicator said, "You're all winners!" The following email from a parent typifies your efforts..

I'm sure you've heard from the teachers already but the grade 1/2's and 3/4's that represented Sacred Heart today were such a pleasure to watch. Their behaviour was beautiful, their poems were well practiced and slick and they looked very smart in their formal uniforms. They really shone on stage, each individual within each group was focused and every one of them tried their best and gave it a go and that was so lovely to see! We even commented on the groups we saw walking back to school and how well they represented the school! You should be proud! Well done to all involved! The hard work really paid off!

Many thanks to so many teachers who prepared their students so well. – John Hood



YOUR SCHOOL NEEDS YOUR

HELP

ORDERING YOUR
SCHOOL'S PHOTOS

ONLINE



ORDERING YOUR SCHOOL PHOTOS ONLINE:

- ☒ REDUCES TRAFFIC AT THE SCHOOL OFFICE
- ☒ REDUCES LOST/MISPLACED MONEY
- ☒ TRACKING ORDERS IS MADE EASIER
- ☒ SECURE PAYMENT
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1. IT'S EASY ☒
2. IT'S CONVENIENT ☒
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SCHOOL PHOTO HELP STATION



HELPFUL PHOTO DAY INFORMATION:

1. If you are placing an order please ensure each child has their own envelope.
2. Do **not** place another child's envelope inside their siblings envelope.
3. Please collect a family envelope from the school office if you wish to have a family photo taken.
4. All children are photographed regardless if you are paying or not. This is for the schools records.
5. When the photos are returned to school, those who did not place an order on the day will be given a second chance to order via a new form distributed when photos are returned to school.
You won't miss out!
6. The school does not give change nor do the photographers.
PLEASE ensure the correct money is enclosed.
7. If you lose your envelope the photographers and the school carry spares.
8. Only parents who are paying on the day and requesting it will have a family photo taken.
9. Ordering online is the only way you can pay with credit cards.
10. We do not have control over the way your child's name appears in the photo - any changes or requests are strictly handled by the school.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

DIRECT PHONE: (03) 6228 9966

NEED HELP?



At CatholicCare Tasmania

we offer these services

for the whole school community



Statewide

Family and Relationship Counselling

A counselling service to help with issues such as relationships, separation, trauma, family violence, grief, children's behaviour, and parenting, as well as difficulties encountered during major life events. We work with individuals, couples, children and adolescents, as well as families and groups.

Family Law Counselling

This service assists people with issues around separation, and can support people with interpersonal issues in relation to marriage, separation and divorce, as well as those who might be affected, including children.

SafeChoices 1800 806 189

This non-crisis service provides practical support for anyone experiencing family violence. It provides early intervention, safety and exit planning, information and referrals.

Housing Connect—CatholicCare Housing and Tenancy Support

This service provides tenancy and homelessness support. Tenancy Support is provided to people in private rental, social or public housing, focused on preventing eviction and stabilising the tenancy. Homelessness support is for people who are homeless or at risk of becoming homeless. It promotes independence, links clients to mainstream supports and works to prevent return to housing crisis.

In the South

Pathway Home

Pathway Home provides reunification, family preservation and parenting education group work.

Parenting Education delivers accredited group programs including Bringing Up Great Kids and Triple P, to support parents who are engaged with community family support programs or Child Safety Services.

Specialised Family Violence Service

A service for families where family violence has been identified as an issue. This includes individual counselling and the opportunity to participate in group programs for men, women and children.

In the North

Integrated Family Support Services 1800 000 123

The Integrated Family Support Service works with families referred through the Strong Families, Safe Kids advice and referral service. It works to strengthen skills around issues including parenting capacity, challenging behaviours, family conflict or breakdown, mental health, disability, substance abuse, access to social networks and provision of nurturing environments.

Community Mental Health: Early Intervention for Children

This service provides early intervention support to assist families with children and young people who are at risk of, or who are affected by, mental illness. The service works in the family home and at various outreach sites such as schools and Child and Family centres. They work with clients individually and in small therapeutic groups.

Home and Housed

Home and Housed is for older people aged 65 years and older to support those with issues and challenges around staying in their home, or finding a new home. It is for people that are homeless or at risk of homelessness for any reason.



Gala Day Jooty





Power of Possibilities

Power of Possibilities is a 4 week women's group which explores individuals emotions through expressive therapies. The group aims to help women look at underlying feelings from anger, anxiety and sadness and engage with a range of approaches to help process these feelings so there can be awareness for possibilities of change.

Wednesdays 10:00a.m. to 12:00p.m.

No cost involved

Week 1: 8th May The power of the self

Week 2: 15th May The power of anger

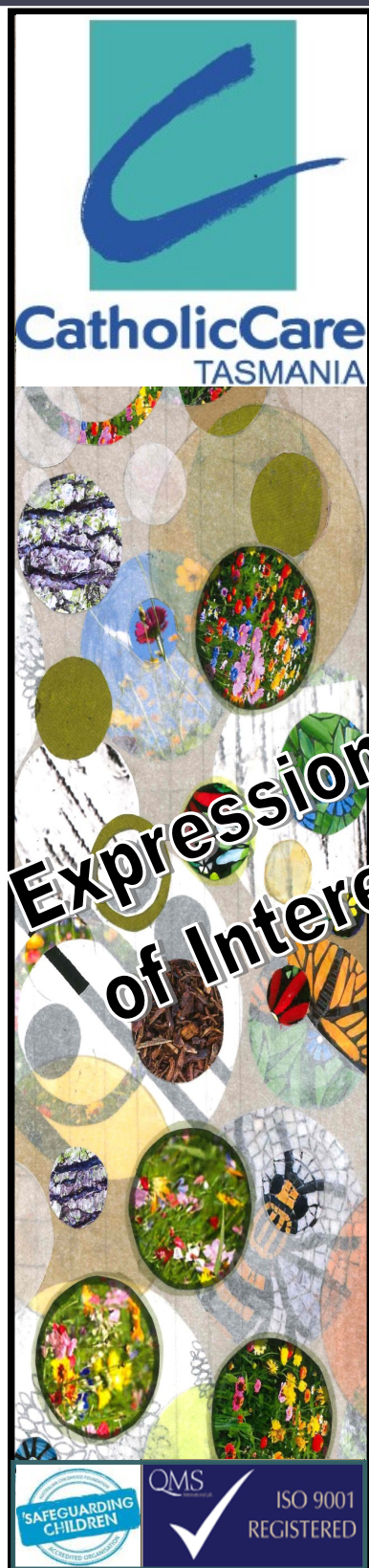
Week 3: 22nd May The power of anxiety

Week 4: 29th May The power of sadness

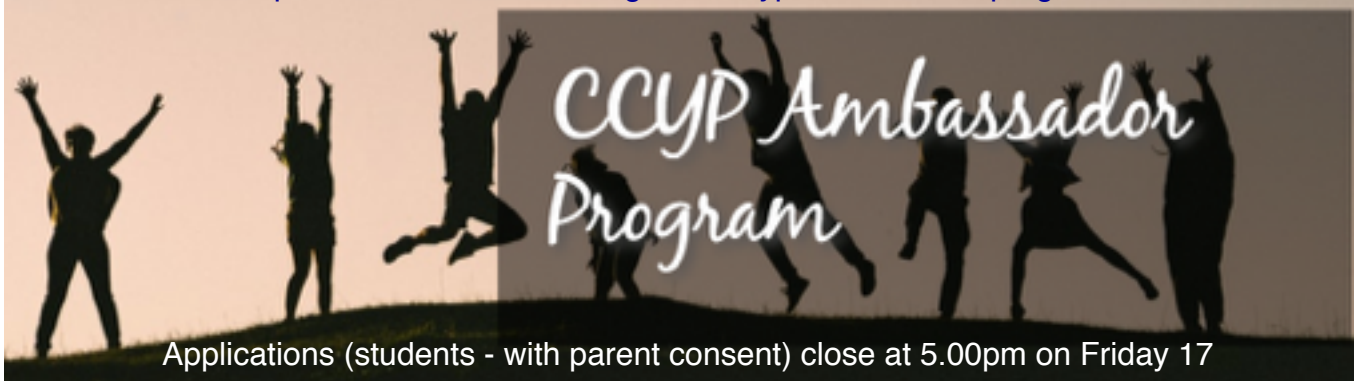
**VENUE: CATHOLICARE
201 YORK STREET, LAUNCESTON**

PLEASE CALL 6332 0600 TO REGISTER

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<https://www.childcomm.tas.gov.au/ccyp-ambassador-program/>



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
- advise their teacher

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.

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.
- 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.

WORKING WITH VULNERABLE PEOPLE 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.

Fire Alarm

A reminder that if in the instance a fire alarm is sounded whilst parents are on the school site, you are required to assemble on the oval. Students remain with teachers as part of the process is for the staff to ensure all students are accounted for. If parked on York when the fire engine arrives it is vital that you vacate the area to allow the fire engine access.





St Patrick's College
LAUNCESTON

**STRENGTH
THROUGH
FAITH AND
KNOWLEDGE.**

AUSTRALIA'S #1 MOST REQUESTED SPEAKER JONNY SHANNON

St Patrick's College Chapel
Wednesday 5 June, 7pm

All welcome to attend this FREE EVENT



ON PARENTS' NIGHT

Jonny hosts a fun and interactive discussion, focusing on what he has spoken to your young people about.

- UNDERSTANDING THIS GENERATION
- APPS TO LOOK OUT FOR
- MOBILE PHONE CONTRACTS
- KEYS TO CYBER SAFETY
- SAFE INTERNET
- SOCIAL MEDIA SAFETY
- BULLYING/CYBER BULLYING
- DIGITAL FOOTPRINT & ONLINE REPUTATION
- PHONE AND ONLINE ADDICTION
- FAMILY RULES AND HOW TO MAKE THEM WORK
- ANSWERS TO THE TOP 10 FAQs

Further information can be found at:
www.jonnyshannon.com

RSVP by Monday 3 June, 2019 at:
<http://bit.ly/2WvMtCy>



www.stpatricks.tas.edu.au



Seasons for Growth Grief Program

Learning to live with change and loss



Our school has over recent years offered Rainbows as a program to support children dealing with Grief and Loss in their lives. For the last two years we have been working with CatholicCare and are able to offer a similar program called Seasons for Growth, where young people may benefit from learning how to manage these changes effectively. This program is facilitated in small groups and is based on research which highlights the importance of social support and the need to practise new skills to cope effectively with change and loss. The program focuses on issues such as self-esteem, managing feelings, problem-solving, decision-making, effective communication and support networks.

We are pleased to be able to offer this important program and we are confident that it will be a valuable learning experience for those who attend.

The Seasons for Growth Program runs for eight weeks and each weekly session is 40 – 50 minutes. The program concludes with a 'Celebration' session. Later in the year each group will have the opportunity to meet for two further session to build on their learning.

We are offering sessions for all age groups and the different levels will be offered throughout the year beginning soon.

If interested for your child, please contact me so I can pass on the CatholicCare forms to you for you to complete or pick up from office. Once received, I forward these forms directly to the CatholicCare facilitator Chloe Bayly.

If you require any further information please do not hesitate to contact me.

Kind regards, Helen Halley

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