



NEWSLETTER

SACRED HEART
CATHOLIC PRIMARY
SCHOOL



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Our P.B.S. Values are:

Respect for Ourselves

Respect for Others

Respect for our Learning

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Wed 28th Aug
Father's Day Celebration
1:30pm - 3:00pm

Frid 30th Aug
Rock n Roll Night

Monday Sept 9th
Athletics Carnival

Wed 6th Nov
Grandparent's
Day

From the Principal:

"Awesome"

"Nothing is permanently perfect. But there are perfect moments and the will to choose what will bring about more perfect moments." (Mary Balogh, Simply Perfect)

It is a wonderful experience to see something that takes your breath away. It may be a beautiful night sky, the majesty of a mountain, the might of the ocean or the music of a dawn chorus. We call this emotion 'awe' and researchers have discovered that feelings of awe can actually make our bodies and minds healthier and stronger.

For our own well-being, we need moments when we are struck with wonder. For that moment, time seems to stop and we experience feelings of pleasure, amazement and excitement.

Often our deepest feelings of awe are found in simple moments of nature – the intricacy of a butterfly's wing, a perfect rose, a thunderstorm, a waterfall and a new-born baby.

We all need to find feelings of awe in the world around us. We can do this by exploring our natural world and learning more about it, getting a sense of something bigger than ourselves, opening our eyes to the wonders around us.

How can we find moments of awe? Spend time out of doors – there are marvels at every step. Visit a museum to learn about the vast world. Change your routines so you see different places and views. Watch people doing amazing things – in sports, in works of art, in dance and music. Many people do incredible things and they are around us every day.

A child gazes in wonder at the moon. Our world is full of such wonders as long as we keep our eyes open and our minds full of curiosity. Teachers and parents are fortunate, each and every day our children engage in experiences that provide us with the opportunity to witness them learning, watch them experience something for the first time, see them overcome something that may be difficult. Each one of these moments is a privilege that all of us should savour. Our children are only children once, enjoy the moments of awe that they create.

There are lots of good things in our world. There are lots of great things. There are also many things that are truly awesome. Before you use that word again, try to find something that has filled you with the inspiring feeling of awe.

"All this he saw, for one moment breathless and intense, vivid on the morning sky; and still, as he looked, he lived; and still, as he lived, he wondered." (Kenneth Grahame, The Wind in the Willows)

Principal's Meetings

Tasmanian Catholic School Principals, of which we represent 38 schools, gather 4 times a year to discuss, discern and listen to a broad range of matters that relate to our Catholic schools. Next week we will gather for the third time this year.

I will be at these meetings from lunch time Wednesday till the end of the week. If you have any compliments or challenges, in my absence, please contact our Deputy Principal, Adele Murphy.



**Brent Wilson
PRINCIPAL**

Dad's Day Out:

To Celebrate the special men in our lives (Father's Day) we are inviting all our dads to come to school on Wednesday August 28th for a Dad's Day Out!

Come at 1:30 to share lunch with your children followed by activities from 2:00-3:00.

The 3/4 team

Activities include:

Casting competition
Selfie Station
Bowls
Paper planes
Reading
Games
And much much more.

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.

Emergency Practice

Within the next 6 weeks, whilst at recess or lunch we will hold an unannounced emergency practice with staff & students, to test our response to a potential scenario that staff identify a threat warranting the school go into lockdown (opposite to evacuation).

Like for fire evacuation drills, we recognised the worth to test this process.

We have plans in place to make this practice as least disruptive as able.

If you have queries please call our Safety Officer, Simon Natoli on 0400 105 476

August 2019

Sun	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat
				15th 10am Band Program 11.30am Strings Program Tuning in to Kids 9-11am (K-1 Parents)	16th 2:10pm Assembly	17th
18th	19th Everybody Program	20th 3pm Art Club Everybody Program	21st Sushsi Day No Lunch Orders School Banking Everybody Program	22nd 10am Band Program 11.30am Strings Program Tuning in to Kids 9-11am (K-1 Parents)	23rd 2:10pm Assembly	24th
25th	26th	27th 3pm Art Club	28th Sushsi Day No Lunch Orders School Banking Father's Day Celebration	29th 10am Band Program 11.30am Strings Program Tuning in to Kids 9-11am (K-1 Parents)	30th 2:10pm Assembly Rock n Roll Night 6-8pm	31st
September 2019						
1st	2nd	3rd 3pm Art Club	4th Sushsi Day No Lunch Orders School Banking	5th 10am Band Program 11.30am Strings Program	6th 2:10pm Assembly Gala Day G5/6	7th

Important Dates**November**

- Fri 1st -NIJSSA Athletics Carnival
 Wed 6th -Grandparent's Day
 Thurs 28th -End of Year Concert Instrumental Music Program & SPC

December

- Tues 3rd -6:30pm SHS Carols
 Wed 11th -6:30pm End of Year Mass
 Fri 13th -Gr 6 Assembly - Awards Ceremony
 Mon 16th -Gr 6 Leaver's Dinner and Liturgy
 Tues 17th -Last Day Term 4



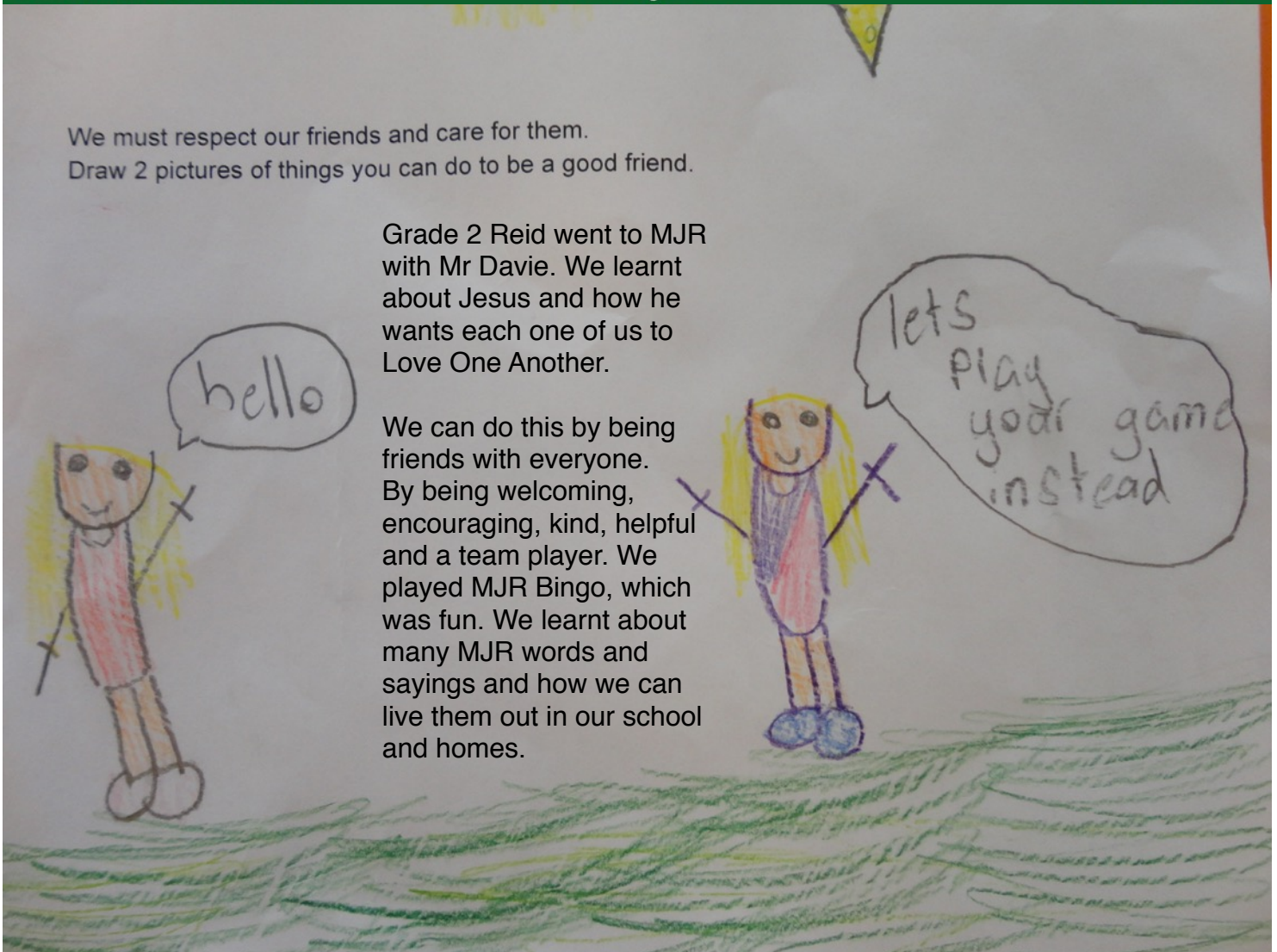
Entertainment Books Fundraiser
has now ended.

Books are now overdue.
Please return by this FRIDAY.

We must respect our friends and care for them.
Draw 2 pictures of things you can do to be a good friend.

Grade 2 Reid went to MJR with Mr Davie. We learnt about Jesus and how he wants each one of us to Love One Another.

We can do this by being friends with everyone. By being welcoming, encouraging, kind, helpful and a team player. We played MJR Bingo, which was fun. We learnt about many MJR words and sayings and how we can live them out in our school and homes.



The Spirit of Jesus is Alive in:

Prep Hills	Hunter Howard for excellent reading at our Buddy Mass	Madeleine Macri for excellent reading at our Buddy Mass
Prep Best	Eamon Fletcher for an outstanding attitude and progress with is reading	Archer Madden for sharing some interesting and exciting ideas in his story telling group
Grade 1 Underlin	Bayani Beeton for his excellent work in Drama.	Ella Davis for her outstanding improvement in Reading!
Grade 1 Foster	Freya Pearce for a terrific effort during small group reading	Ella Jones for her positive attitude towards all aspects of school
Grade 2 Reid	Ava Leake for great progress with reading	Leah Butler for kindness towards her classmates.
Grade 2 Crawford	Caleb McMahon-Keys for having a wonderful week playing with his friends Harrison Kelly for his excellent work on place value	Addison Greenwood for her amazing improvement in number
Grade 3 Symons/Crombie	Emersyn Bramich for using a growth mindset attitude in her learning. Well done for being a role model and for a great attitude in class!	Trae Walker for writing a fantastic information report. Keep up the hard work!
Grade 3 Wood	Finlay Jamieson for your excellent work in Report Writing.	Emmerson Lowry for your tremendous progress and work on Multiplication
Grade 4 Davie	Oliver Austen for sharing his talents and interests with our class	Ruby Jones for her positive attitude towards all areas of school life
Grade 4 van Ryn	Jasmine Hartley for being a ray of sunshine in our class.	Caleb McKenzie for renewed effort in application to his work.
Grade 5 Thompson/Heathorn	Molly Harvey for improved application towards presentation of work and for the positivity she brings to the classroom. Cooper Kedey for always pushing himself and having a mature attitude towards achieving learning goals.	Hollie Jones for adopting such a mature approach to achieving learning goals Ada Beveridge for showing impressive independence towards learning and life skills.
Grade 5 Hood	Lana Rice for adding a sense of fun into our classroom.	Quentin Jones for always willing to help when needed in our class.
Grade 6 Steven	Georgia Millwood for her sense of humour and studious work habits	Erin Hughes for her improved organisational skills and handing work in on time
Grade 6 Viney/Izard	Abbie Kingston for creating an engaging and effective advertisement about Fruity Chews in our advertising unit.	Isobel Leake for creating an engaging and effective advertisement about Fruity Chews in our advertising unit.



We will be holding a parent/carer information session in the Presentation Hall (Gym) on **Monday 19th August:**

- Kinder, Prep, Grade 1 and 2 - 3:00pm – 4:00pm
- Grades 3, 4, 5 and 6 - 4:15pm – 5:45pm

We encourage parents (not children for this session) to come along to meet Wendy Gregory, see and hear what is covered and what your child/ren will be learning and to ask questions.

The parent/carer and children sessions will be held in the Presentation Hall (Gym):

- Kinder/Prep - Tuesday 20th August commencing at 3:00pm (1hr)
- Gr 5 & 6 - Tuesday 20th August commencing at 4:15pm (1.5hr)
- Gr 1 & 2 - Wednesday 21st August commencing at 3:00 pm (1hr)
- Gr 3 & 4 - Wednesday 21st August commencing at 4:15pm (1.5hr)

Further information will be sent home next week



OPEN DAY

Sunday 25th August 1pm - 3pm

Sacred Heart Little Athletics Club is having an open day. Come and join in the fun and learn all about it.

Where: Sacred Heart School, 227 York St, Launceston

BBQ and Drinks available for purchase

For more information:

Peta Pyke | Club Secretary

sacredheart@slac.org.au | 0409 526 941

With Special Guest...



Jack Hale

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SACRED HEART

LITTLE ATHLETICS CLUB

Rock and Roll Night



Friday 30th August 2019, 6 to 8pm

St Albies Hall, doors open at 6pm

Entry \$10 a family

BYO food and drinks

All entry proceeds raised are used
to support the Sacred Heart School Music
Program

All children will need a parent/guardian to
supervise them for this outside of school
event



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



2019 Carnivals

Monday 9th September

SHS Gr 3-6 Athletics

Thursday 14th November

SHS Prep-2 Athletics

2019 Term Dates Catholic Schools

Term 3 Tuesday 23.7.19 to Friday 27.9.19

Term 4 Monday 14.10.19 to Tues 17.12.19

2020 Term Dates Catholic Schools

Term 1 Monday 6.2.20 to Thursday 9.4.20

Easter 10.4.20 to Tuesday 14.4.20

Term 2 Monday 27.4.20 to Friday 3.7.20

Term 3 Monday 20.7.20 to Friday 25.9.20

Term 4 Monday 12.10.20 to Thursday 17.12.20

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PARENTING TRICKY KIDS

SEPTEMBER 20 -21, 2019
LAUNCESTON CONFERENCE CENTRE

Learn
from the experts
what to do when
the normal stuff
doesn't work!



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WWW.ACND.ORG.AU/FAMILIES

Grade 5 and 6 Parent and Student Survey

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Under 16 Homelessness Taskforce

The State Government has created a Taskforce to help address homelessness for children and young people under 16 in Tasmania.

The Department of Communities Tasmania are helping the Taskforce by asking children, young people, parents, carers and services about their experiences and ideas on what might help to improve under 16 homelessness in Tasmania.

The Department of Communities Tasmania want to make sure that all children, young people, parents and carers of children that have experienced homelessness have a voice.



Everyone that takes part in these confidential surveys will have the first opportunity to see the solutions that the Taskforce develops.

The survey will take around 10 minutes to complete and can be accessed at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/32F5KGS>

The survey will be open from 22 July to 20 Sept 2019



Taskforce Timeline



If you would like more information on the Under 16 Homelessness Taskforce please email

youthatriskstrategy@communities.tas.gov.au

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/32F5KGS>