



NEWSLETTER

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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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**Frid 13 Dec
Grade 6 Assembly
Awards Ceremony**

**Mon 16th
Gr 6 Leaver's
Dinner and Liturgy**

**Tues 17th December
Last Day of Term
Plain Clothes Day**

REMINDERS

- Have you ordered your child's school books online for 2019? Please see instructions further down the newsletter.



- Have you returned your Payment Arrangement Form for 2019 to the school office?

From the Principal:

"Reflecting on 2019"

"Life is a beautiful collage of priceless moments and memories, which when pieced all together creates a unique treasured masterpiece." (Melanie Koulouris)

Almost 200 school days have passed. Each one of us has many memories of our school year. We would like to acknowledge and give thanks to all members of our community for their contributions to our school in 2019.

Thanks especially to The Board and Parents and Friends for your extra significant contributions to our school.

Thanks to the many parents and grandparents who help out in classrooms, on camps, on sports fields and in so many other ways around our school.

Thanks to Father Mark for providing us with spiritual support and guidance. Thanks to Father Ben and Cristiano for leading us in prayer.

Thanks to the parents of Sacred Heart for your exceptional support and love of your children and our school.

Thanks to our dedicated staff for your dedication and love of your jobs. The manner in which you are prepared to take on tasks is outstanding. You love ALL of our kids.

To the most important people in our school... our children. You are the reason we are all here. You inspire me to be a better person because of the people you are... Your love of learning, sense of fun and willingness to please is the reason I love my job. Your smiles and attitude to life make coming to work each day a pure delight.

Our school is more important than one person, our school will continue to thrive long after we have all gone. It is our role as the current custodians to leave our school in a better place than when we find it.

As a community we should continue to challenge ourselves. In particular we should set a high bar in the way we nurture and care for every child. It is our mission as a Catholic School to understand that part of the fabric of our being is enrolling students from all cultural and demographic backgrounds. As every child is unique... every child brings something that enhances our community.

We should all remember we learn more about ourselves in the way we treat other people regardless of how they treat us.

Our newsletter this week will be the last for 2019 as we have a short week next week, with students finishing on Tuesday.

We wish all members of the Sacred Heart Catholic Primary School community a happy, safe, restful and prayerful break.

"You have brains in your head and feet in your shoes. You can steer yourself in any direction you choose."

(Dr Seuss)

Final Day 2019

Prep - Grade 6 children enjoy their last day on Tuesday 17th December. Children may wear casual clothes on Tuesday. Please ensure this includes sensible footwear.

Religious Education Coordinator 2020

Carolyn Symons has been our Religious Education Coordinator at Sacred Heart for 5 years. Carolyn has decided to step down from this role. We give thanks to Carolyn for her leadership, energy and untiring commitment in the role.

We are pleased to advise that Anna Davie has been appointed as our new REC.

Grade 6 Leavers 2019

Congratulations thanks to Grade 6 children who enjoy their final day at Sacred Heart next Tuesday. We wish each and every child the best for their future endeavours

Tyler Alexander, Leo Bailey, Layla Brown, Elyse Campbell, Mason Clark, Lilia Colgrave, Charlotte Conway, Archie Cooper, Fletcher Crosswell, Connor Davis, Jordan Enright, Brodie Gardner, Eloise Heather, Jasper Jamieson, Abbie Kingston, Isobel Leake, Cain Lee, Jack Lehner, Emilia Macri, Chinalle Miller, Max Powell, Zachary Rayner, Meg Rickerby, Liam Rowlands, Isabella Spencer, Lily Tyson, Lucy Van Zetten,

Jack Adams, Charlotte Barrett, Ella Beale, Henri Bergamin, Abbey Berlese, Cassidy Bowman, Harry Costello, Jack Cramp, Lachlan Davern, Millie Geale, Breeanna Harper, Zane Headland, James Hogarth, Erin Hughes, Fletcher Howe, Eliza Johnson, Erin Jephcott, Sebastian Johnston, Sarah Kley, Maddison Leonard, Georgia Millwood, Eva O'Shea, Sebastian Page, Molly Ross, Cameron Steven, Jorja Thomas, Oliver Viney, Matthew Williams, Lennox Wood, Oliver Wright

Grade 6 Leaving Families 2019

Tomorrow a number of families conclude their formal connections with SHS. Many of these families have had very long associations with our school, some extending into a second decade. We give thanks to these families for their significant contributions to our school and wish the families the very best for the years ahead.

Farewell.....

Alexander, Barrett, Bergamin, Bowman, Brown, Campbell, Clark, Colgrave, Conway, Cooper, Costello, Cramp, Crosswell, Davis, Enright, Gardner, Geale, Headland, Heather, Howe, Hughes, Johnson, Johnston, Kingston, Lehner, Leonard, Miller, O'Shea, Rayner, Ross, Rowlands, Steven, Thomas, Williams, Wood, and Wright.

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JOY
LOVE
PEACE
BELIEVE
CHRISTMAS

**Brent Wilson
PRINCIPAL**

Reminder: Subway last day of term
(Tuesday December 17).

Envelope orders will need to be back in by
Friday 13/12.

or

Online orders can be completed up until the
night before order day. (See email sent last
week for instructions)

December 2019

Sun	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat
8th	9th	10th	11th	12th 2:15 Kinder Rickerby Nativity Play	13th 1:30pm Final Assembly and Gr6 Awards Ceremony	14th
15th	16th Gr.1 Cinema Excursion Grade 3 Aquatic Centre 6:00pm - Gr6 Liturgy and Leaver's Dinner	17th Last Day of School for students Subway & Plain Clothes Day	18th	19th	20th	21st

Celebrating Christmas 2019

2nd Rite of Reconciliation

Thursday 19th December, 7.30pm, St Finn Barr's Church,
Invermay

CHRISTMAS EVE Tuesday 24th December

6.00pm	Sacred Heart Church, Cnr Abbott and Campbell Streets. Newstead Family Mass
6.30pm	Church of the Apostles Family Mass
9.00pm	Church of the Apostles, Launceston
Midnight	Church of the Apostles, Launceston (Carols from 11.00pm)
Midnight	Carmelite Monastery, 7 Cambridge St, West Launceston

CHRISTMAS DAY Wednesday 25th December

8.30am	Carmelite Monastery, 7 Cambridge St, West Launceston
9.00am	St Patrick's College Chapel, Westbury Road, Prospect
9.00am	St Finn Barr's, 247 Invermay Road, Invermay
10.30am	Church of the Apostles, Launceston

No evening Mass on Christmas Day

NEW YEARS DAY Wednesday 1st January 2020

7.30am	Carmelite Monastery, 7 Cambridge St, West Launceston
10.00am	Church of the Apostles, Launceston

ATWTP



Lucas Chapple
Marissa Joshy
Mason Lionetti
Heidi Philpott
Isobel Zegveld
Charlie Bennett
William Schipper

James Lynch
Leah Butler
Flynn Cowan
Madeleine Mayne
Oliver Bishop
Zoe Muller
Will Allison

Fiadh McCormack
Charlie van Zetten
Ruby Powell
Tomasz Szpyrka
Ivy McCullagh
Benjamin Hiscox
Hugh Rickerby

Emily Norton
Oscar Marsden
Molly Harvey
Jack Adams
Cassidy Bowman
Meg Rickerby
Lucy van Zetten



Last weekend the grade 3&4 boys, 5&6 boys and the 5&6 girls played in the State Basketball Championship. In October this year, we played our all schools tournament and having won this it allowed us to automatically qualify for the state tournament. Everyone had a go and tried their very best in every game they played.

The competition was very tough across the age groups. We won a couple of games and all SHS teams placed in the top five.

It was a very busy weekend and we would like to thank the teachers and coaches who made this possible for us to participate. We would like to thank all the students that played in the tournament and tried their best on the weekend. A sincere thank you to parents who also volunteered their time.

Thank you!



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Important Uniform Shop News you need to know

- All December Pre Orders are now ready for collection from the school office.
- Uniform orders can still be sent via email on shs.clothingpool@catholic.tas.edu up until Friday 13th Dec.
- The uniform shop will be open for back to school items-
 - Thursday 30th January, 10am to 3pm
- Sports uniform is worn twice during the school week, every Friday and on your child's nominated PE day
- **Sports uniform is to be worn on the first two days of the new 2020 school year**
- Girls winter tunics and skirts are available by pre order ONLY. Order forms and further details will be included in the newsletter early next year. Tunic and skirt orders will be due by approximately the end of February 2020.
- There will be no changes to the current school uniform for 2020.
- School hats, swimming caps and jumper badges can be purchased from the school office.
- Please direct any uniform enquires to shs.clothingpool@catholic.tas.edu over the holiday period. Rebecca and Kelly will be available for enquires from the 29th January.
- Thank you for your custom during 2019 and we look forward to seeing you in the New Year.

An Invitation to B-4 Families

Birth - 4 Christmas Party at

Riverbend Park

Please join us for our last B-4 for 2019

Tuesday 17th December

9:30am – 11:30am

Please bring along a small plate of food to share for a picnic morning tea and celebrate what's been a fun filled year at B-4.

We will meet at the Riverbend Toddler playground, on the right hand side as you enter the park area.

If wet weather I will notify families the night before and we'll meet at school in our B-4 room. Please note there will be no afternoon B-4 session on this day.

Look forward to seeing you!



On Friday 29th November, Grade 6 had our very last MJR (Making Jesus Real) lesson at Sacred Heart with Mr Davie. We talked about what our special talents were, what we would like to be remembered for when we leave this amazing school and how our future lies in our hands.

We had the opportunity to complete an activity called the 'Walk of Trust'. The 'Walk of Trust' involved us working together as a team, jumping out of our comfort zones and trusting each other to get each of our peers across the walk. It was scary at the time but we felt great after putting ourselves out there and having a go.

On behalf of the 2019 Grade 6's, we would like to say a huge thank you to Mr Davie for leading MJR with us at SHS. We have loved every second!

Thanksgiving Mass



Important Dates

December

- Fri 13th -Gr 6 Assembly - Awards Ceremony
- Mon 16th -Gr 6 Leaver’s Dinner and Liturgy
- Tues 17th -Last Day Term 4

2020 Dates

Term One 2020

- First day - Thursday 6th February
- Last day - Thursday 9th April
- Easter 10th April to 14th April

January

Thursday 30th - Uniform shop open 10-3pm

February

- Thursday 6th - First day students - all students to wear sports uniform
- Friday 7th - all students to wear sports uniform
- Tuesday 11th - 6.30pm Board Meeting & AGM
- Wednesday 12th - Gr 3/4 Swimming Trials
- Friday 14th - Gr 5/6 Swimming Trials
- Tuesday 25th - 7.30pm P & F Meeting
- Friday 28th - Gr 3-6 Swimming Carnival

March

Thursday 12th - NIJSSA Swimming Carnival

Camps 2020

- Grade 6 2nd - 4th March
- Grade 5 2nd - 4th March
- Grade 4 10th -11th March



2020 Carnivals

- Friday 28th February - Gr 3-6 Swimming Carnival
- Friday 8th May - Prep - 2 Cross Country
- Friday 22nd May - Gr 3-6 Cross Country
- Friday 11th September - Gr 3-6 Athletics Carnival (date to be confirmed)
- Friday 13th November - Prep - 2 Athletics Carnival

PAYMENT ARRANGEMENT FORMS FOR 2020
Please return to the office by Friday 13th of December.

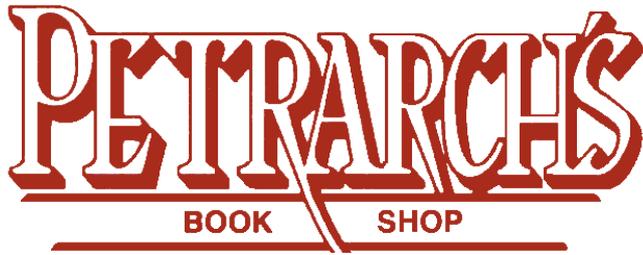
Uniform Shop
Back to School Day
Thursday 30th Jan.
2020
10am - 3pm

ANY FAMILIES INTENDING TO LEAVE SHS

Could any school families intending to leave SHS at the end of 2019 for work purposes, moving interstate or any other reason please notify the school as soon as possible.

The Spirit of Jesus is Alive in:

Prep Hills	Tillie Pendergast for an excellent learning year in Prep	Thomas Bishop for being a particularly encouraging and welcoming member of our Prep class
Prep Best	Callum Pilgrim for his engagement and his amazing and thoughtful contributions to class discussions throughout the year.	Phoebe Roberts for always showing care and compassion to all. Phoebe, you are a thoughtful and caring girl.
Grade 1 Foster	Stuart Innes for always being well organised and ready to learn	Jack Turner for fantastic reading and understanding of what you read
Grade 1 Underlin	Jacob Smith for his improvement with taking positive risks with his learning!	Lexi Johnston for an OUTSTANDING year!!!
Grade 2 Reid	Isabella Walsh for being an independent thinker and for taking risks	Grace Matthews for her excellent life cycle work on butterflies and frogs.
Grade 2 Crawford	Thomas Hartley for his fun loving nature and friendly manner towards everyone Santino Ramirez for having a positive attitude towards his learning	Chloe Kedey for working hard across all learning areas this term.
Grade 3 Symons/Crombie	Gabriella Agostini for being a ray of sunshine in our class and for always trying your hardest.	Ethan Chapple for being a fantastic role model for the other children this year.
Grade 3 Wood	Ava Maddy for your excellent expression and characterisation in scripted Drama.	Xavier Soper for your terrific work and efforts during Term 3.
Grade 4 Davie	Beau Furlonge for the effort he has put into achieving his personal goals.	Harrison Millwood for being a hardworking, cooperative & friendly member of grade 4.
Grade 4 van Ryn	Jasmine Hartley For designing and making an amazing rocket.	Ashton Mahar For designing and making an outstanding kite.
Grade 5 Hood	Jasmine Graham for always making good decisions at all times!	Alex Woolley for a thoughtful and sensitive summary of the characters in our class novel
Grade 5 Thompson Heathorn	Ada Beveridge for an impressive of social and academic growth.	Meg Kotynia-Soley for always being willing to share her knowledge with the class
Grade 6 Steven	Georgia Millwood For her dedication towards her learning.	Ella Beale For her resilience and growth over the year.
Grade 6 Viney/Izard	Fletcher Crosswell For being a superstar and always seeking ways to make someone's day brighter.	Lilia Colgrave For her consistent dedication to her learning.



BACK TO SCHOOL 2020

Petrarch's are supplying text books & stationery for **Sacred Heart School** in 2020.

Order at

www.petrarchs.com.au

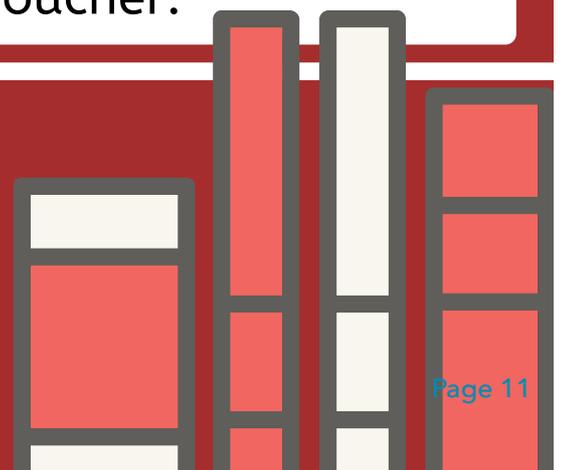
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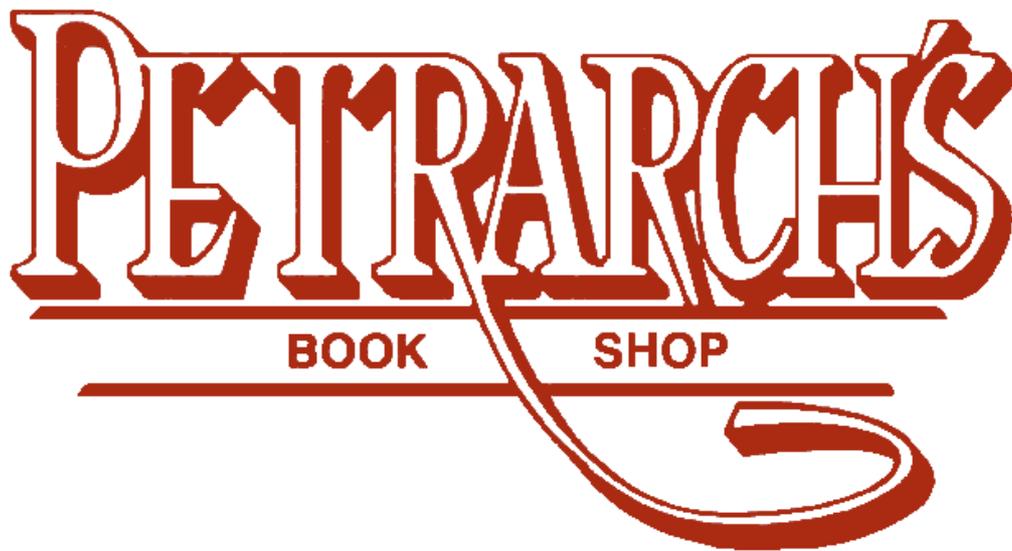
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Order collection, individual textbook & stationery sales will be available from **77 Elizabeth Street** between **20/1/2020 - 7/2/2020**

Order before **31 December** to go into the draw to **WIN \$200** Petrarch's voucher.

If you require a physical form or assistance to complete your school book order please call Petrarch's on 6331 8088 or email school@petrarchs.com.au





2020 Booklists are now available online through **Petrarch's Book Shop**

Step 1 - click on the link for
[Petrarch's Book Shop](#)

Step 2 - click on 'Back to School'

Step 3- Click on "Start Order"

Step 4 - go to "School" in the top left hand corner, from this drop-down box, choose "Sacred Heart School"

Step 5 - Choose year level

Step 6 - Place your order

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.



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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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2019 Term Dates Catholic Schools

Term 4 Monday 14.10.19 to Tues 17.12.19

2020 Term Dates Catholic Schools

Term 1 Thursday 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