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Our P.B.S. Values are:

Respect for Ourselves
Respect for Others
Respect for our Learning

Parent/Student/Teacher
Meetings
Tonight

Can Drive
Ends Tomorrow

Last Day of Term 2
Friday July 7th

Student Free Day
Monday July 24th

Kinder PST Meetings
Tue-Wed July 25-26

Return of the Fair
2024
March 15th

Term 2

"What counts in life is not the mere fact that we have lived. It is the difference we have made to the lives of others that will determine the significance of the life we lead." (Nelson Mandela)

Tomorrow marks the end of Term 2. Eleven weeks have passed by very quickly. Our school community has much to be proud of in the past term. Our achievements include:

- 150th Year Celebrations
- Sacred Heart Feast Day Mass
- Sacred Heart Feast Day Activities and SHS's Got Talent
- Parish Mass to celebrate 150 Years
- Class Masses and Liturgies
- ANZAC Day
- Mother's Day
- Launceston Competitions
- Cross Country Carnivals - Early Childhood, Primary, NIJSSA, All-Schools
- Kindergarten 2024 Interviews
- Class Excursions
- Cross Country Training
- Strings and Band Soirees
- Strings and Band Workshop
- Marty Ogle Values Education - Grades 5 and 6
- Dance Fit
- Mid Year Reports
- Parent/Student/Teacher Interviews
- School Photos
- Orange Day
- Building works continue
- First Nations - Artist in residence (Prep - Grade 6)
- One Day a Week School
- Eleven weeks of Teaching and Learning

We will continue to thrive and grow the better we work together, with the same approaches and understandings about the important elements of helping our children grow into functional and healthy young men and women.

For now it is time to stop, give thanks to all of our community for your contributions to the school community. Every event requires a contribution by many. When you have a moment these holidays acknowledge and give thanks with your children 'how lucky they are to be a part of Sacred Catholic Primary School'. For a moment reflect with them if they had been born in one of the less fortunate places in our world as opposed to living within our community. And when the time is right, prepare your child for what lies ahead in Term 3 and 4 by challenging them to set new learning and behavioural goals.

To each and every member of our community enjoy your break and in particular enjoy the time you have with your children.

'Small acts, when multiplied by millions of people, can transform the world.' (Anonymous)

'In the tapestry of childhood, what stands out is not the splashy blow-out trips to Disneyland but the common threads that run throughout and repeat: the family dinners, nature walks, reading together at bedtime, Saturday morning pancakes.' (Kim John Payne)

Final Day of Term tomorrow

Friday 7th July is the final day for Term 2.

- Children are able to wear free clothes on this day. Don't forget sensible footwear.
- Children are asked to bring a non-perishable food item for charity - (eg a can of fruit, pasta)

Pupil Free Day

Families are reminded that our Teaching and Support Staff will be engaged in a Professional Learning Day on Monday 24th July. **As previously advertised this means that Monday 24th July is a Pupil Free Day.**

Our teachers will be focussing on our system initiative, Insight, that supports our staff to consider research into the Science of Learning.

Children will commence Term 3 on Tuesday 25th July.

NAIDOC Week

National NAIDOC Week celebrations are held across Australia in the first week of July each year (Sunday to Sunday), to celebrate and recognise the history, culture and achievements of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. NAIDOC Week is an opportunity for all Australians to learn about First Nations cultures and histories and participate in celebrations of the oldest, continuous living cultures on earth.

Sacred Heart will be holding a NAIDOC Week Assembly at 2pm Friday to celebrate our First Nations culture. Parents are welcome to join us.

Building Works Update (See photos page 11)

Our builders, Tas City Builders, are still on track to complete the building works which includes a new playspace by the end of Term 3. Last week they commenced work on the landscaping for the new play equipment. Included below are photos of the slide being 'dropped off at school' and the landscaping of the playground.

Term Dates 2024

Catholic Education Tasmania have released updated Term dates for 2024.

Term 1

Wednesday 7th February - Thursday 11th April 2024

Easter Break

Friday 29th March - Tuesday 2nd April (inclusive)

Term 2

Monday 29th April - Friday 5th July

Term 3

Tuesday 23rd July - Friday 27th September

Term 4

Tuesday 15th October - Tuesday 17th December

2024 School Fair

Sacred Heart is excited to announce our world famous fair is returning for 2024. After a 4 year hiatus we have claimed Friday 15th March 2024 as our night for the fair. Please put this date in your calendar.



Brent Wilson
Principal

July 2023

Sun	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat
2nd	3rd Dance Fit K-2	4th	5th Parent/Student/ Teacher Meetings	6th Instrumental Band 8:30am-9:30am Instrumental Strings 11:30am-1pm Parent/Student/ Teacher Meetings	7th Assembly 2:00pm Last Day of Term 2	8th
9th	10th	11th	12th	13th	14th	15th
School Holidays						
16th	17th	18th	19th	20th	21st	22nd
School Holidays						
23rd	24th Student Free Day	25th First Day of Term 3 Kinder PST Meetings 3:20pm - 5:30pm	26th Kinder PST Meetings 1:30pm - 4:00pm	27th Instrumental Band 8:30am-9:30am Instrumental Strings 11:30am-1pm	28th Assembly 2:00pm	29th
August 2023						
30th	31st Dance Fit Gr3-6	1st	2nd	3rd Instrumental Band 8:30am-9:30am Instrumental Strings 11:30am-1pm Red Day	4th Assembly 2:00pm	5th

2023 Dates**June**

Gala Day
Friday 23rd
All Schools Cross Country
Tuesday 27th
Orange Day
Wednesday 28th

July

Last Day Term 2
Friday 7th
First Day Term 3
Tuesday 25th

August

Photo Catch Up Day
Tuesday 1st
Red Day
Thursday 3rd
P&F Meeting
Tuesday 8th 7:30-9:00pm
P&F Disco
Friday 11th 4:30-8:00pm

2023 Term Dates**Term Two:**

26 April - 7 July

Term Three:

25 July - 29 September

Term Four:

17 October - 13 December

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Term Three:

Tue 23 July - Fri 27 September

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Tue 15 October - Tue 17 December

Wellbeing Lessons



FRIENDOLOGY

This week in Wellbeing, we have been talking about the excitement of the upcoming school holidays. We all agreed that sometimes it is tricky to know what to do when you feel bored and that we need to balance our screentime with being active.

Our Grade 3 Bailey students worked hard to create this list of their top 10 tips to beat boredom in the school holidays!

1. Make up a Secret Friendship Handshake with a sibling or friend
2. Play some Card Games or Board Games
3. Go outside and play
4. Shoot some hoops or kick a ball
5. Practise handstands and cartwheels
6. Go for a family walk
7. Have a family picnic
8. Go for a bike ride
9. Read a book
10. Draw or colour

Here you can see some examples of our Friendship Handshakes that students have created in our Friendology Drama Lessons.

It is important to remember that experiencing boredom can be a positive thing! It is a chance to be creative, invent, problem solve, rest, build tolerance and also relax. School holidays can be a great opportunity to slow down and experience a change of pace, ready for a new term.

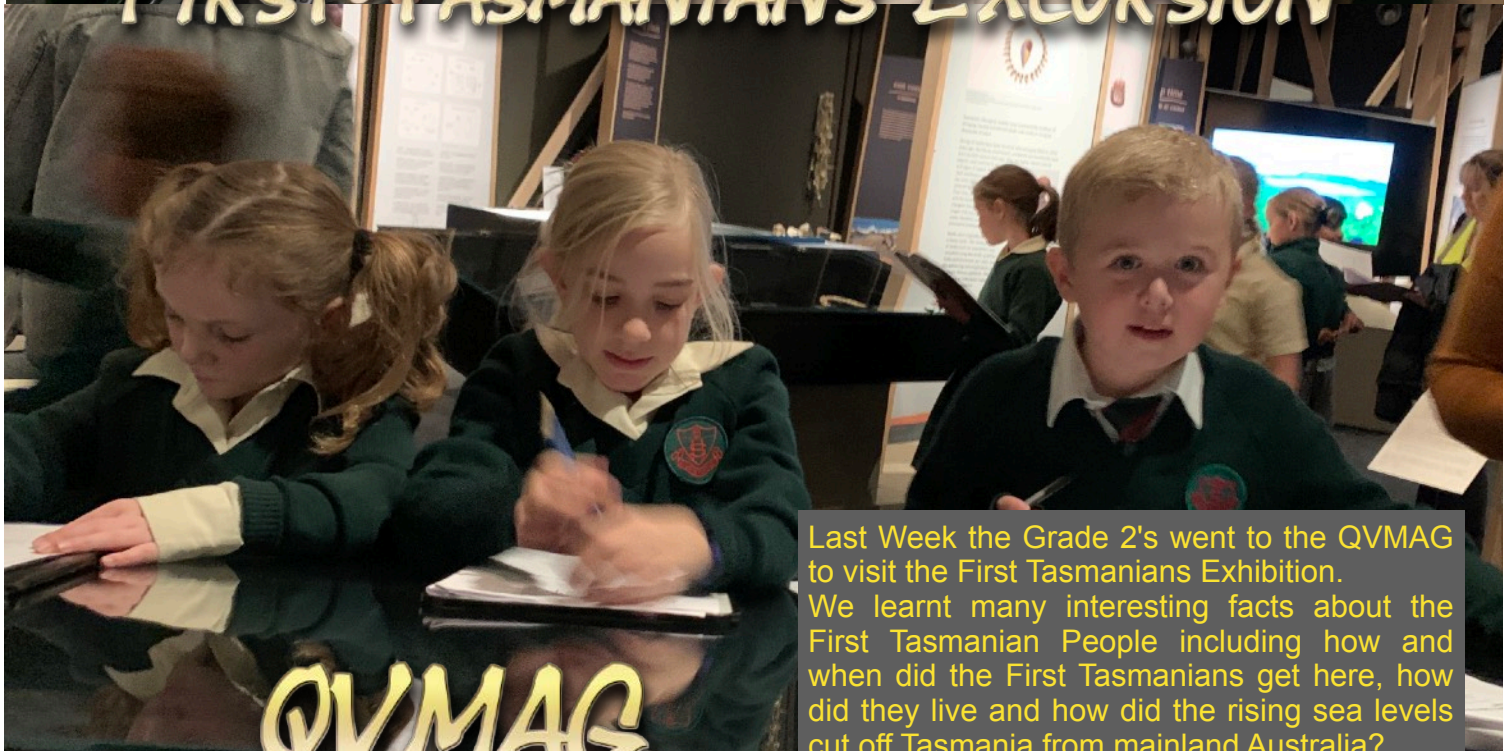
Stay safe and enjoy!

Suze Chapple
Pastoral Care



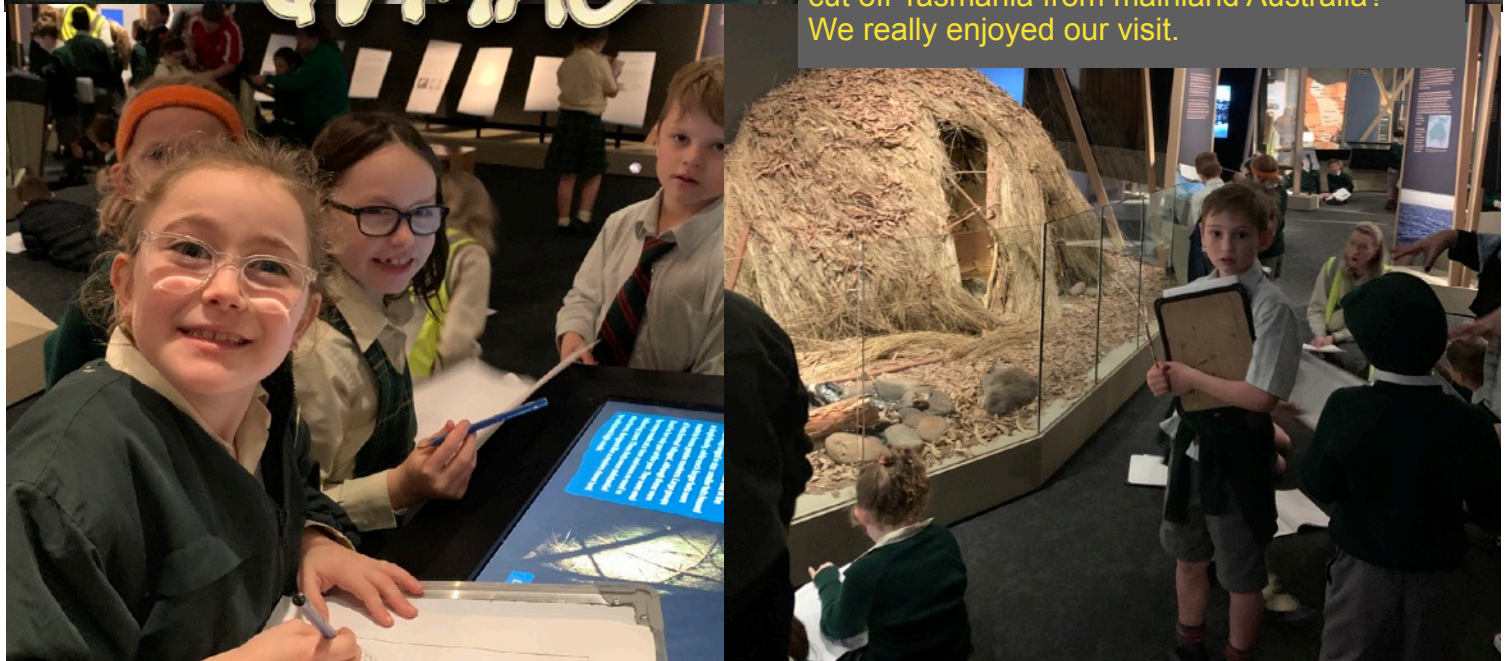


FIRST TASMANIANS EXCURSION



QVMAG

Last Week the Grade 2's went to the QVMAG to visit the First Tasmanians Exhibition. We learnt many interesting facts about the First Tasmanian People including how and when did the First Tasmanians get here, how did they live and how did the rising sea levels cut off Tasmania from mainland Australia? We really enjoyed our visit.





Jacob Blyth participated in the 2023 ArtStart program, which shared this year's NAIDOC theme "For our Elders". His acrylic painting "On Country lessons" is displayed at the QVMAG ArtStart Exhibition.



THE DREAM RUN



The Smith Family

Learn today, change tomorrow.



IN THE MONTH OF JUNE I PARTICIPATED IN A FUNDRAISER CALLED THE DREAM RUN FOR THE SMITH FAMILY. I SET MYSELF A GOAL OF RAISING \$400 AND WALKING 500KM. I WALKED TO AND FROM SCHOOL MOST DAYS AND DID LOTS OF WALKING DURING THE WEEK LIKE WALKING TO SWIMMING LESSONS AND HOME FROM SOCCER ON THE WEEKENDS. I SMASHED MY FUNDRAISING TARGET WITH A TOTAL OF \$1100 RAISED AND I BEAT MY TARGET WALKING 514KM IN TOTAL. THE MONEY I RAISED WILL PROVIDE 30 BOOK PACKS TO HELP KIDS IN POVERTY DEVELOP THEIR READING SKILLS, AND 11 PRIMARY SCHOOL PACKS.

SAWYER HART, GRADE 5

SACRAMENTAL DATES for CONFIRMATION And FIRST EUCHARIST

Welcome Rites

All mass centres

Saturday 3rd and Sunday 4th June

FAITH SHARING @ Church of Apostles

Session 1

WHEN: 5th or 6th June 3.30pm - 7pm

Session 2

WHEN: 3rd or 4th July 3.30pm - 7pm

Session 3

WHEN: 7th or 8th August 3.30pm - 7pm

Session 4

WHEN: 11th and 12th September 3.30pm - 7pm



**** Presentation Creed***

(all Masses - 1st and 2nd July)

**** Rite Strength / Healing***

(all Masses - 5th / 6th August)

**** Reconciliation in Preparation for Confirmation***

(Church of Apostles - 17th August)

**** Celebration of Confirmation***

(Church of Apostles - 24th August)

**** Faith and Fun Day***

(St Hilbe's Hall - 5th August)

**** Warm up Reflection***

(Pastoral Centre - 7.30pm 5th September)

**** Presentation of the Lord's Prayer***

(All Masses 9th and 10th September)

**** Sacrament of the First Eucharist***

(all Masses - 23rd and 24th September)

Sacred Heart will be supplying a morning tea celebration for our First Eucharist recipients after the 10.30am Mass on the 24th of September, in the Presentation Gym.

*****Please could all our candidates receiving their First Eucharist provide a plate - and deliver to the Presentation Gym prior to Mass*****



PHOTO CATCH UP DAY!

1st August - time TBA

We have organised a photo catch up day for any students who missed theirs. This day will also include any missed family photos that were already booked. Please note this day on your calendar!

If you didn't originally book a family photo, but would now like one:

- The office is compiling a list of names. Please let the office know as soon as possible prior to catch up day.
- Additional family photos will be taken on catch up day.
- A bookmark will be sent to school about two weeks after catch up day. This will have the sibling photo and individual Access Key printed on it.
- Once your child brings home the bookmark, families can then place orders.
- These orders will incur a postage charge and be sent straight to your preferred mailing address.

Last week 33 Sacred Heart students travelled down to Symmons Plains for the annual **All Schools Cross Country Carnival**. Conditions were perfect for running with no rain and lots of sunshine. All of our participating students are to be congratulated for the wonderful effort displayed. Congratulations in particular to Grace Mathews (1st place & Tasmanian state champion 12yo girls) and Carter Medwin (3rd place 9yo boys). Congratulations to the following students who finished in the top 50:

9yo boys
3rd - Carter Medwin

10yo girls
18th - Hunter Howard

11yo boys
11th - Stewart Innes
22nd - Rupert Williams

12yo girls
1st - Grace Matthews

12yo boys
40th - Cameron Franks



The Spirit of Jesus is Alive in:

Prep Green	Addy Knight - For fantastic sentence writing in response to a story	Emma Aras - For always trying her hardest and listening politely to others
Grade 1 Red	Niall Marshall : For a great effort completing your graph work in Maths this week.	Skyla Zeeman : For always trying her best and working quietly and independently.
Grade 1 Green	Adam Williams : for making good progress with writing good sentences Eden Brennan : for being a helpful class member	Oscar Wheeler for being a go Kart and finishing tasks without being asked.
Grade 2 Red	Savio Joseph - for being a kind and helpful friend.	Hudson Price - for extra effort with his reading.
Grade 2 Green	Harvey Foley - For fantastic focus in all literacy tasks	Isabelle van Donselaar - For being an amazing spelling wizz.
Grade 3 Red	Phoebe Heathorn - for her compassion and care towards others in the playground.	Cruz Robinson - for showing the Spirit of Jesus towards others! Keep up the good work Cruz!
Grade 3 Green	Miller Pendrey - His positive and enthusiastic approach to learning in Mathematics. Well done, Miller!	Avneet Sandhu - Being resilient and giving her best to learning activities. Well done, Avneet!
Grade 4 Red	Travis Liddell - for being a very capable student who achieves well when he is motivated and focused on a task.	Grace Polley - for demonstrating an increasing confidence in new and unfamiliar situations and facing most challenges with a positive attitude.
Grade 4 Green	Thomas Bishop - for showing incredible determination during writing.	Raphaella Rossilli-Morrison - for always being ready for learning, and leading the way for others.
Grade 5 Red	Lexi Johnston - for demonstrating leadership and taking responsibility in the classroom.	Jonathan Radin - for being consistently respectful and mature in the classroom.
Grade 6 Green	Grace Matthews - amazing sportsmanship, determination and dedication on display at all the school cross country carnivals - achieving first place at the Tasmanian All Schools Championship.	William Cackett - Excellent focus and attention to process in our Maths fraction unit. Harry Oliver - consistent effort and drive across all areas of the curriculum
Grade 6 Red	Milla Burrows - For her fantastic attitude to learning and completing work she is proud of.	All of 6 Red - For your outstanding contributions and excellent participation in our Asian Food Fest. What a fantastic effort!



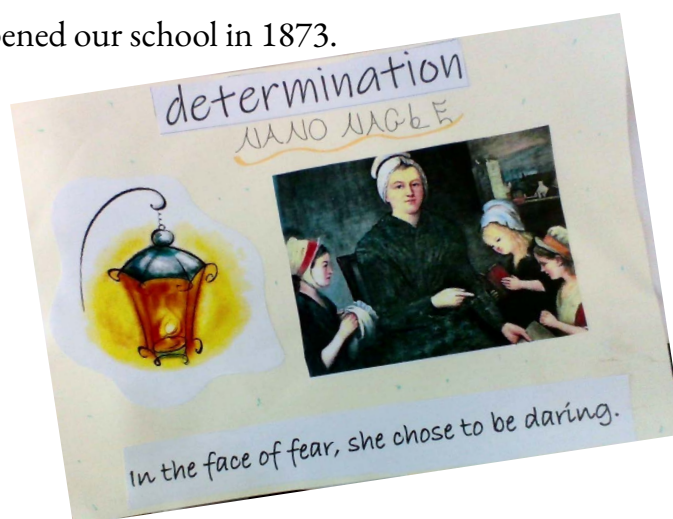
Landscaping
and slide
installation.



Nano Nagle Corner



Nano Nagle is an Irish Sister who formed the presentation sisters. Nano Nagle lived in Cork, Ireland and walked around the streets at night starting Schools to teach the poor catholic children who couldn't go. After this the presentation sisters travelled to Launceston and opened our school in 1873.



We caught the bus to Star of the Sea in GeorgeTown, where we gathered with Year 6 students at this school and St Finn Barr's. Before we started to learn about Nano Nagle, we played games with everyone to remember their names. Shortly after, we watched a documentary about Nano and as we filled out a sheet of what we learned it became clear that Nano was a faith-filled person, doing Jesus' work on earth.. Everyone had a great time and left with a wealth of knowledge about the Presentation Sisters, who started all of these schools.

Poppy Gale and Georgiana Hagen

RED DAY

3rd August 2023

Celebrating our Co-founder Edmund Rice



Why are we celebrating RED DAY?

We are celebrating RED Day to raise awareness of, to give thanks for Edmund Rice and our school. To raise funds for those less fortunate.

How will we celebrate RED DAY?

*We will have a liturgy at Founders Corner at 9.15am.

*We will raise funds with a **WEAR A RED** piece of clothing on this day – sports uniform works!

*We will hold a **ZOOPER DOOPER** stall. \$1 a zooper dopper. They will be delivered to your classes at approx 1.15pm.

*You may like to have lunch with your buddies too!





Setup for Success is Catholic Education Tasmania's early years program promoting learning for life for both young children (Birth -5) and their families.

Our program at Sacred Heart is named 'Happy Hearts'. Children aged Birth - 5 years old, including Kindergarten children, are welcome to join us in the Kinder Green room.

We have a choice of two sessions each Thursday:

10:00 - 11:30 or 12:30 - 2:00

Bring along a hat, water bottle and own individual fruit.

Weekly updates can be found at our

['2023 Happy Hearts SETUP for Success @ Sacred Heart Launceston'](#) Facebook group. It is a great way to stay connected to 'Happy Hearts' and with each other.

Please feel free to email us too beth.rickerby@catholic.tas.edu.au

We look forward to seeing you at Happy Hearts!
Beth & Rebecca



Last Day of Term Subway Orders

On our last day of Term, Friday July 7, we will be having a whole school lunch picnic at first lunch.

Students are able to either bring their own lunch or they can order Subway.

A few important details:

All orders need to be completed online - the website address is app.canteenhub.com.au

Please make sure you **update your child's class for 2023** if you have not already done this.

The process is quite easy, just follow the attached instructions.

Online orders can be completed up until **11pm on Thursday July 6**

If you have any trouble ordering, please email emma@canteenhub.com or contact@subsforu.com

for assistance.

Please do not contact our school office staff with Subway issues and enquiries.

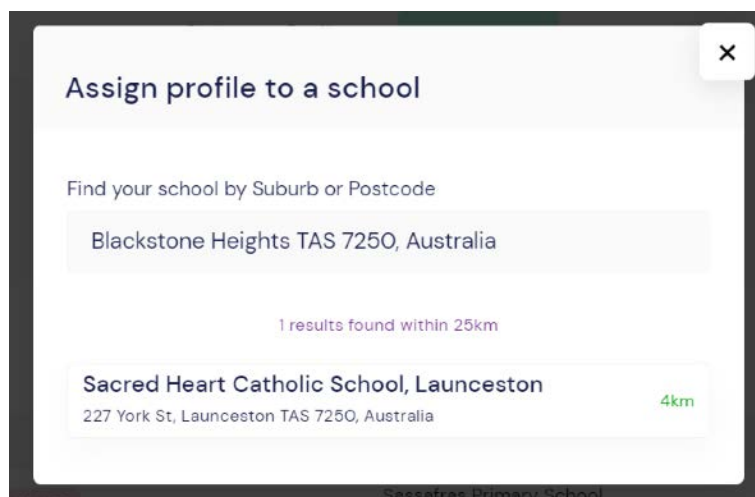
HOW TO ORDER:

Go to: app.canteenhub.com.au and create a new account or login to your existing account.

To order you will need to create a profile for each child and assign the profile to our school as per below:

You will need to search by postcode - 7250 - rather than 'Launceston' for Sacred Heart to show up.

Click on Blackstone Heights then Sacred Heart will show up as a nearby school.



Select a classroom

Grade 1 Green (Reid)	CLASSROOM
Prep Red (Prosser)	CLASSROOM
Prep Green (Wells)	CLASSROOM
Grade 1 Red (Underlin)	CLASSROOM
Grade 2 Green (Romein)	CLASSROOM
Grade 2 Red (Luttrell/Gregg)	CLASSROOM
Grade 5 Green (Williams)	CLASSROOM
Grade 3 Green (Bailey)	CLASSROOM
Grade 4 Green (Roberts)	CLASSROOM
Grade 6 Green (Davie)	CLASSROOM
Grade 6 Red (Munro)	CLASSROOM
Grade 4 Red (Mason)	CLASSROOM
Staff	CLASSROOM
Grade 3 Red (Reid)	CLASSROOM
Grade 5 Red (Cramer)	CLASSROOM
Kinder	CLASSROOM
Kinder Red (McHarg)	CLASSROOM
Kinder Green (Rickerby)	CLASSROOM

PROTECTING YOURSELF AND OTHERS FROM CORONAVIRUS

COVID-19 testing for all Tasmanian residents

Do you have any cold or flu-like symptoms?

This includes fever, runny nose, cough, sore/itchy throat or shortness of breath.

Call your GP or the Public Health Hotline 1800 671 738 to request a COVID-19 test



You must have a referral to be tested.

If there is no testing clinic in your local area, you can travel outside your municipality to have a test.

After being tested, you must self-isolate at home until you receive your results.

For more information visit www.coronavirus.tas.gov.au

Tasmanian Government

Coronavirus (COVID-19)

KEEPING YOUR DISTANCE.

Help stop the spread of coronavirus by keeping your distance. Remember, don't shake hands or exchange physical greetings. Wherever possible stay 1.5 metres apart and practise good hand hygiene, especially after being in public places.

TOGETHER WE CAN HELP STOP THE SPREAD AND STAY HEALTHY.

Advice regarding **Coronavirus (COVID-19)** will change regularly. Keep up to date. Visit health.gov.au

HELP STOP THE SPREAD AND STAY HEALTHY



Australian Government

Clothing Pool Info

Orders can be emailed to

shs.clothingpool@catholic.tas.edu.au

and will be left at the school office for collection.

A reminder of School Uniform for 2023

Kinder, Prep and Grade 1 wear sports uniform all year

Grade 2 to Grade 6 wear full school uniform - Summer and Winter

Absentees

Please use the Compass App to notify the school if your child will be absent.

If your child is arriving to school late they must report to the office when they arrive at school.

Please note: only the York St gate is unlocked after 9am

Uniform shop open Thursdays 2-4pm

Orders can be emailed to shs.clothingpool@catholic.tas.edu.au , and then collected from the school office once you are notified your order has been completed.

For enquiries please contact

Kelly Cox (0400 128 200) and Rebecca Millwood(0418 721 952)

Sports Days

Kinder, Prep Grade 1 - Sports Uniform All Year

Grade 2 and 3 (Sports Uniform Thur and Fri)

Grades 4 (Sports Uniform Tuesday and Friday)

Grades 5 (Sports Uniform Wednesday and Friday)

Grades 6 (Sports Uniform Tuesday and Friday)

School Times

8.55am Classes commence

11.00am First Lunch Break

11.30am Classes recommence

1.30pm Second Lunch Break

2.00pm Classes recommence

2.55pm Classes dismissed

Canteen

Lunch orders are available Tuesdays & Thursdays.

Order through the Flexischools app.

If you have used the Flexischools app before you will need to update your child's grade.

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www.sacredheartl.tas.edu.au

Facebook:

www.facebook.com/sacredheartl

Pinterest:

www.pinterest.com.au/sacredheartl/

S.H.S. Parents and Friends email

shsl.pnf@catholic.tas.edu.au

2023 Term Dates

Term 2 Wednesday 26.4.23 to Friday 7.7.23

Term 3 Tuesday 25.7.23 to Friday 29.9.23

Term 4 Tuesday 17.10.23 to Wed 13.12.23

2024 Term Dates

Term 1 Wednesday 7.2.24 to Thursday 11.4.24

Easter - Fri 29th March - Tue 2nd April

Term 2 Monday 29.4.24 to Friday 5.7.24

Term 3 Tuesday 23.7.24 to Friday 27.9.24

Term 4 Tuesday 15.10.24 to Tuesday 17.12.24

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.