Term 3 Week 4 - 10 August 2016

Term 3 Core Value: JUSTICE
School Rule: Show Justice for self, others and the environment
Expectation of Behaviour: Say no if something is not right

Dear Parents

Pope Francis’ address at WYD 20 July 2016

When you begin... ‘to understand that God was asking something of you. That is when things began to change. That is the secret, dear friends, and all of us are called to share in it. God expects something of you. God wants something from you. God hopes in you. God comes to break down all fences. He opens the doors of our lives, our dreams, our ways of seeing things. God comes to break open everything that keeps you closed in. He is encouraging you to dream.’

Thank you to all the parents who attended the Hub Term 3 general meeting last Wednesday and the Sip n Sip with the Principal last Friday. Both gatherings were opportunities for parents to share their thoughts about the Vision for Learning at Sacred Heart and the Pastoral Care School Improvement Plan (SIP). We appreciated the respect shown and openness to the introduction of new ideas at Sacred Heart. The Vision for Learning and possible introduction of a piece of technology provided by home (BYODD) generated many interesting questions. These questions will be answered in the next few weeks and distributed to all parents so that there is a comprehensive flow of information about this initiative. There will be another session for parents to ask questions however parents may still send questions to the Principal via the office.

The Athletics carnival this Friday promises to be an exciting event especially in this Olympic week and I thank Mrs M Kerr and all teachers for their preparation and coordination of the day. Please note that students need to be marked off the teachers class list when leaving the ground. Some students will qualify for selection for the Northern Beaches Athletic Carnival to be held at Narrabeen on Wednesday 17 August 2016.

I am looking forward to working with the Yr 6 teachers, on Monday, to listen to Year 6 students present their speeches so we can select two students, who will represent Sacred Heart, at the Northern Beaches Cluster Public Speaking final, on Tuesday 23 August. Sacred Heart will be hosting this event and welcome competitors from surrounding schools in our school hall.

Kind regards

Mrs Suellen Garey
PRINCIPAL

Blessed are the Merciful, for they shall receive Mercy Mt 6:1

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Religious Education News

Feast Day of St Mary of the Cross
On Monday of this week kindergarten led a liturgy in the hall for to celebrate the feast day of Mary MacKillop, Australia’s first saint.

_Holy God, source of all goodness, in Mary MacKillop you show us a woman of faith, who lived by the power of the cross, and pioneered new ways of living the gospel. Help us to live in ways that respect and defend the human dignity of all in our land. We ask this through Christ who lives and reigns for ever._
_Amen_

Feast of the Assumption
Next Monday 15 August is the feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Sacred heart students will be attending mass on Monday at 11:30am. All parents are welcome.

Year 2 Family Mass
All families are welcome to join year 2 and their families at the year 2 family mass on Saturday at 5pm.

First Ritual for Confirmation
The First Ritual for children preparing for Confirmation will be held this weekend at all mass times. The children will need to bring along their Sacramental journey book and their presentation card which they can find in their workbooks.

Religious dates to Remember
Saturday 13 August  Yr 2 Family Mass, 5pm at Sacred Heart Church
Monday 15 August  Feast of the Assumption Mass at 11:30am at Sacred Heart Church
Wednesday 24 August  Year 3 class mass 9.15am at Sacred Heart Church

Grandparents Morning Tea - Thank you to all those who baked for our Grandparents Morning Tea. We still have many plates at the school office ready for collection.

Bishop’s Art Prize
The 2016 Bishop’s Religious Visual Art Prize is a Visual Arts competition open to all primary and secondary school students enrolled in Catholic schools in the Diocese of Broken Bay. Students were inspired by the theme “Our Merciful God - Celebrate the Jubilee Year of Mercy” and based their artwork from different Scripture readings or their own artistic interpretation of Mercy. Children could paint, draw and photograph their artworks.

Three finalist from Sacred Heart have been chosen to be judged by a panel at CSO.


_Chrisitine McBryde – Religious Education Coordinator_
**Sports News**

**Athletics carnival - Friday 12 August 2016**

We are all looking forward to a fun day at the Athletics carnival on Friday. Please be at school before the bell rings as the buses will be leaving ASAP. Remember to wear sports uniform with your house colour t shirt and all children must have a hat on.

Please read through the program that has been sent with this newsletter with your child and print it for your information on the day. Make sure your child know what events they have been entered in.

Looking forward to seeing you at this fun whole school event.

*Michele Kerr – Sports Coordinator*

**Library News**

**Book Week Celebrations at Sacred Heart – 2 weeks to go! 22-26 August 2016**

Children’s Book Week is an annual celebration of the best books published in Australia, and is the longest running children’s festival in our country! Full details of book week activities at Sacred Heart can be found on our school website [here](#), or in our newsletter published [20 July 2016](#).

*Melonie Harrison - Teacher Librarian*

**Diocese of Broken Bay Notices**

**Full size flyers on the 1-2-3 Magic and Literacy Workshops can be found on our school website** [here](#).


**Literacy Workshops**

*How to support your child at home*

*Free for Parents & Carers of children all ages*

In the lead up to National Literacy Week at the end of August, the Diocesan Parent Council (DPC) is presenting free workshops with Virginia Outred from the Catholic Schools Office. As Literacy Education Officer, Virginia works closely with teachers across our cluster and will share practical ideas for connecting learning between home and school.

Virginia will be presenting at *St Cecilia’s Catholic School, Balgowlah* on *Tuesday 16 August* & *Holy Family Catholic Primary, Lindfield* on *Thursday 18 August, 2016*. Both workshops start at 9.30 am, there is no cost and all parents & carers from schools across our diocese are welcome.

For further information or to RSVP go to the DPC website [www.brokenbayparentcouncil.com](http://www.brokenbayparentcouncil.com)
Happy Birthday

Happy Birthday from all at Sacred Heart to the following students who have their birthday during the coming week:

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School Awards

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Canteen News

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**On-line ordering:** When placing an online lunch order please remember to check for your order confirmation. We have had many children each canteen day coming to the window expecting a lunch order and very disappointed when we tell them their order was not processed. If you are having trouble or need assistance, please contact either Kay or Marie anytime.

**Reminder:** Due to the school Athletics carnival this Friday 12 August the canteen will NOT be open.

**Kay & Marie – Canteen Coordinators**
Please feel free to contact us via email at: sshmvcanteen@dbb.catholic.edu.au

Kiss & Drop Roster

Calling on more volunteers for this important service to the school community. We have a number of gaps in our Kiss and Drop roster. Your duty would take half an hour every three to four weeks. If you can help, please email nicholsselina@gmail.com. We’d love to hear from you.

Orange safety vests for volunteers need to be collected from the before school care room. They are located on a coat hanger just inside the door.

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Father’s Day Breakfast

Please join us for a delicious breakfast to honour our wonderful fathers, grandfathers and special men in our children’s lives

Wednesday 31 August 2016

7.00 am – 8.15 am  Breakfast (HOT items will be on the table at 7.00am. Food will stop at 8.15am)
8.15 am – 8.45am  Open classrooms
8.45 am  Assembly with prizes
9.00 am  Liturgy in playground

BREAKFAST  $8.00 per adult
$2.50 per child (aged 5-12 years)
GIFT  $6.00 each

IMPORTANT - HOW TO ORDER:
1. Order under your registered school 24 account. Please refer to registration details on our school website here if you have not yet registered.
2. Place your order under the SPECIAL EVENT ORDER SECTION on your home page for FATHERS DAY
3. Select STUDENT – place order under your eldest child only then select START ORDER
   **PLEASE DO NOT PLACE INDIVIDUAL STUDENT ORDERS**
4. Select RSVP PAYMENT on the left hand side of the page under Father’s Day Category
5. Select QUANTITY attending for ADULT TICKETS select ADD TO CART
6. Select QUANTITY attending for CHILD TICKETS select ADD TO CART
7. If purchasing a gift - Select QUANTITY of gifts and select ADD TO CART
8. Press the checkout tab, check your order, then scroll to the end and submit your order.

**NO MANUAL PAYMENTS – ONLINE ORDERING ONLY**

Volunteer helpers - We would love to have lots of mums, grandmothers or special women to help out on the day. Please fill out the volunteer note below if you are able to help and place it in the black letterbox outside the canteen.

Any enquiries please contact either Marie Nero 0410 566 777 or Kay Neale 0416 262 458
  Email: sshmv.canteen@dbb.catholic.edu.au

VOLUNTEER HELP

Name: ________________________________  Eldest Child/Class: ________________________________

Phone & Email: ________________________________

Times Available:  
- Tuesday (day before) 30 August  □ 1.00pm – 3.00pm
- Wednesday 31 August  □ 6.00am – 7.00am  □ 7.00am – 8.00am  □ 8.00am – 9.00am  □ 6.00am – 9.00am
The Hub News

Thank you to all parents, Mrs Garey, Mrs McBryde and Mrs Wheen who attended the Hub Committee Meeting last week. It was a great turn out with many discussions regarding:

- Uniform Shop
- Father’s Day Celebrations
- Gala Dinner
- Our school’s Vision for Learning & BOYDD Initiative

We will arrange for the minutes of this meeting to be finalised and uploaded to our school website ASAP.

Father’s Day Celebrations will be held on Wednesday 31 August 2016. Payment for this event is via school 24. Please note that no manual payments can be made, it will be online ordering only for both breakfast and the gift. This is a special day for families of Sacred Heart so we look forward to this upcoming event.

Friendly reminder to make note of your grade hamper item donation to be brought in for the Back to the Eighties dinner. These need to be collected no later than Friday 2 September.

Our next SIP N SIP with the Mrs Garey is Friday 9 September. Please save the date!!

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Juliana Johnston – Hub President          Kellie Carroll - Hub Secretary
If you have anything that you wish to forward to the Hub Committee please email us at sacredhearthub@gmail.com

Sacred Heart goes ... Back to the Eighties

Saturday 17 September

The Major Fundraiser is approaching. It won’t be long before Sacred Heart goes Back to the Eighties!

An email will be sent to all families in the next few days with your ticket order form. Please look out for this email. Tickets will be priced at $70 each. Tables and seats will not be held until paid for.

Tables of 10 will be available but don’t worry if haven’t got a group of 10… just book and pay for the tickets you need. We will endeavour to help put small groups together.

A reminder that we need everyone’s help to make the fundraiser a success. Please bring in any hamper items – see the list on our school website here. Also if you have items for auction or to raffle these would be much appreciated. These can be goods or services, perhaps a voucher for your business. Only new items please – no used goods.

The Major Fundraising Committee

School WHS

Administration of Medication in Schools

School staff cannot administer any medications without written advice from a doctor. Parents are welcome to attend school during the day to administer medication if doctor permission cannot be provided.

The Request to Administer Medication at School form is available on our school website on the “News & Events – Administration Forms” page here and can be easily printed from the website at the doctor’s surgery.

Parents of children who have medication stored at school (Ventolin, Epipen etc) should keep a note of the expiry date of medications and provide a new supply when expired.