

Sacred Heart Catholic Primary School

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Term 2 Week 7 - 13 June 2018

Term 1 Core Value:CompassionSchool Rule:We show compassion for our self, others and the environment when we...Expectation of Behaviour:Remind yourself when we are doing OK

Dear Parents

The disco was a marvellous success last Friday evening and concluded a wonderful day of celebration for the Feast of Sacred Heart. Thank you to Fr George, parents, teachers and students who assisted with the organisation of the Mass, Year 6 stalls and disco.

And from one celebration to the next! Grandparents Day-Week 10

Grandparents of students at Sacred Heart are invited to our school on Wednesday 4 July 2018. We will begin the day with Mass at 9.15am in our parish church and after Mass grandparents may wander up to the hall for morning tea or visit the classrooms. Morning tea will be served in the school hall and there will be some entertainment from our Training and Concert Bands as well as a performance by our school choir.



At the end of this term, I am excited to have the opportunity to be taking Long Service Leave from Monday 25 June to Monday 6 August. I will be walking part of the Via Francigena an ancient road to Rome, Italy and also visiting family in New York, USA.

It will be a time for me to renew the body, mind and spirit. Whilst on Long Service Leave, Mrs Rosemary Vella from the Catholic School's Office will be Acting Principal of Sacred Heart.

Kind regards Mrs Suellen Garey PRINCIPAL

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Religious News

First Communion

This weekend our students in Year 3 will be making their First Communion. Thank you to the group leaders and parents for your involvement and sharing this journey with your children.

A Prayer for First Holy Communion

Lord Jesus, Bless the children coming forward to receive Holy Communion for the first time on Sunday. May it be an initial step into a life-long love of the Eucharist. Give them a hunger for this sacred food so that they turn to you for comfort, guidance, and wisdom as they grow into full discipleship. Thank you for their innocence and goodness. May their hands, extended in anticipation of your Body and Blood, inspire all of us to cherish this sacred sacrament. Amen.



Congratulations to the following students on making their First Holy Communion

Isabelle Anderson	Kai Aungle	Lexi Beuzeville	
Anna Biok	Jack Bridges	Abigail Capell	
Sienna Caruso	Emily Cheeseman	Georgia Clark	
Charlotte Clarke-Bruce	Lachlan Coates	Erin Colver	
Elena Cook	Axel Coria Bates	William Cunningham	
Ruby Davies	Abby Driscoll	Claire Driscoll	
Olivia Fabbro	Isla Fentie	Matisse Franks	
Joshua Godwin	Patrick Harris	Emma Hayman	
Lucas Hudy	Larna Huxley	Samuel Jacobsen	
Samantha Kinnaird	Charlie Lee-Hang	Anderson Lesko	
Matilda Lloyd	Archie Lucas	Claire Mahon	
Joshua Mahon	Olive Mockford	Samuel Morgan	
Rory Morris	Indiana Peachey	Claire Power	
Oliver Pricken	Lucas Rey	Jacinta Roberts	
Kayla Roberts	Jack Robertson	Rocco Rulli	
InThi Kim Schellens	Charli Seaglove	Elise Shanahan	
Charlie Simon	Isaac Smith	Jack Smith	
Zac Smith	Jordan Stefanatos	Paige Sullivan-Bunt	
Xavier Van Kilian	Ava Wearne	Tobias Woolnough	
Angelina Zofrea			

St Vincent De Paul Can Drive

Thank you to the many families who supported St Vincent De Paul in the "Tinnies for Vinnies Can Drive" led by Year 2. The Tinned food will be delivered to the St Vincent De Paul Depot at Brookvale who will organise for the distribution of food to families in need.

East Timor Day Celebrations



Congratulations to the Mini Vinnies Team for organising another successful East Timor Celebration Day. Pittwater Parish and Sacred heart School have been supporting East Timor through Friends of Pittwater for a number of years. Tamara Harding visited each grade to share with the students how as a community we have been able to make a difference to the lives of others.

A very big thankyou for your support.

Dates to Remember

16-17 June First Communion at Sacred Heart Church Wednesday 20 June 9:15am - Year 4 Class Mass at Sacred Heart Church Wednesday 27 June at 9.15am - Year 3 Class Mass at Sacred Heart Church Sunday 1 July at 6.00pm - Year 5 Soul Mass at Sacred Heart Church Wednesday 4 July at 9.15am - Grandparents Mass at Sacred Heart Church

Prayers

Please keep in your prayers Mick P, Paul C (parents) and their families. Both are undergoing specialist medical care.

If you have any Good News or if you need our prayers, please see me at school, contact me by phone.

PARISH WEEKLY BULLETIN can be found <u>here</u> *Chris McBryde - Religious Education Coordinator*

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PARENT / TEACHER INTERVIEWS

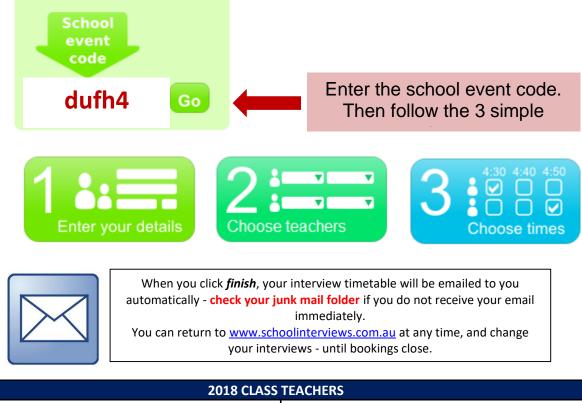
Parent Teacher Interviews – Week 9, 25-29 June 2018

Parent/Teacher interviews will be held from Monday 25 June to Friday 29 June 2018.

The interviews will be 15 minutes each. Bookings open at 3pm Friday 15 June.

Please go to <u>www.schoolinterviews.com.au</u> and follow these simple instructions.

BOOKINGS CLOSE FRIDAY 22 JUNE 2018 at 3pm



КQ	Miss Kaitlin Quinlan	3m	Mrs Megan Mitford
КТ	Mrs Alison Thornton	4B	Mr Stephen Behan
1N	Mrs Sue Neasmith	4D	Mrs Suzy Driscoll
1R	Mrs Sarah Russell/Mrs Lisa Firman	5P	Miss Brooke Perry
2D	Mrs Louise De Bressac	5W	Mrs Liz Williams/Mrs Martha Butler
2M	Mrs Chris McBryde/ Mrs Janelle Pitcher	6F	Mr Daniel Felsman
3L	Mrs Jessica Laxale	6N	Mrs Skye Nolan-Brown

Student Voice

The Mathematics Challenge for Young Australians (MCYA) is a challenging program for talented students. MCYA is targeted in Year 6 to the top 20% of students who are being extended for maths . The MYCA provides materials and resources to assist teachers in enabling talented students to reach their full potential.

The aims of the MYCA include:

- Identifying talented young Australians, recognising their achievements nationally and providing support that will enable them to reach their own levels of excellence.
- Encouraging and fostering:
 - a greater interest in and awareness of the power of mathematics
 - a desire to succeed in solving interesting mathematical problems
 - the discovery of the joy of solving problems in mathematics.

The Challenge began in Week 5 and it runs over a three-week consecutive period. Students are given a booklet which contains four complex multi-layered problems. These problems can be discussed in groups of two or three, before individual students submit their solutions. Students can research to find suggested ways of working out a solution and teachers can teach different strategies but it is left to the students to work out how to solve the problems.

The booklets are assessed and the students are given marks for completing parts of the challenge. The results are sent to the MCYA and students who are the top scorers are acknowledged, with all participating students receiving a certificate recognising their efforts.

We thank Mr. Felsman for supporting our Sacred Heart mathematicians and students from Maria Regina and St. Josephs. We look forward to acknowledging our four Year 6 students and four Year 5 students shortly.

Here are some thoughts from students who attended:

The maths challenge is a cooperation based challenge that makes you think about different math questions as a group. We were challenged by the questions, so we cooperated with the other students from different schools to figure out the harder questions and to share ideas and new ways to solve the mystery of the question. I enjoyed the communication between us and our new friends as well as the challenge of the questions. We made friends with Josh, Luke, Will and Sam from schools such as Maria Regina Avalon, St Joseph's Narrabeen and St Rose at Collaroy. It was nice to have year 10's help with the challenge at Marter Maria, as they were there to help us. It was good having the challenge in a dynamic way, because we were able to chat and work with others.

Joe C, Harry C and Ella M - Year 6

Below is a sample problem for you to explore.

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- a Draw a diagram to show how Tia could cover the smallest square possible using only ${\cal B}$ tiles.
- b Tia uses at least one each of the A, B, C tiles to cover a rectangle whose area is 18 grid squares. Draw a diagram to show how she could do this.
- c Tia covers two rectangles that both have perimeter 16 but have different dimensions. She uses at least one each of the A, B, C tiles for each rectangle. Draw a diagram to show how she could do this. Explain why no other rectangle of perimeter 16 is possible.

Caitlin Remeeus – Acting Assistant Principal

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Happy Birt birthday th	hday from all at Sa is week:	cred Heart to the	following studen	ts who are celeb	prating their	
Tara F,	Lucas R,	Lucas W,	Joel H,	Jay C,	Liam T	

Kiss & Drop Morning Volunteers

The morning Kiss and Drop Zone ensures that students arrive to school safely. We could not do this without our wonderful volunteers. If you would like to be added to the Kiss and Drop Roster please email Rebecca Molinaro at <u>becmolinaro@outlook.com</u>

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		13 June	14 June	15 June
		Tatiana N	Jasmine R	Kellie C
18 June	19 June	20 June	21 June	22 June
Rebecca M	Karissa M	Tatiana N	Melinda B	Georgina D
25 June	26 June	27 June	28 June	29 June
Rebecca M	Leonie S	Tatiana N	Amber L	Eloise C

Band and Choir News



Both Training and Concert Bands and Choir will be working towards a performance on Grandparents Day to be held Wed Week 10. I will be on leave from next Tuesday, 19 June and will be replaced by Miss Molly McCoy, Music Teacher and Ensemble Director for the duration of this term.

Clare McFadden – Band Director

Lunch Club – Term 3

Wool Donations

Thank you for the wool donations being sent to the office. The more we receive the more Pom Poms the children can make, so if you have any wool lying around the house or know someone who might, please bring it to the office so we have plenty of wool for the beginning of Term 3. The pom poms that the children make will then contribute to decorating the friendship tree at the end of the year.



All donations will be appreciated - please leave them with Karen in the office.

Qkr! App Update

Mastercard have advised that as of 6 June 2018, some of the older version of the Qkr app will no longer work. Most people have auto update enabled on their phone settings so this will happen seamlessly for you. If you are having trouble with your Qkr App, simply download the current version from the app store. If you are unable to update on, say, on older phone please use the Qkr website at <u>http://qkr.mastercard.com/store/</u>

Canteen

CANTEEN ROSTER (start 9.30am - finish 1.45pm)	
Mon 18 June	Michelle F, Yvonne S
Thu 21 June	Lydia N, Anita K
Fri 22 June	Yvette C, Bec D

URGENT HELP NEEDED THIS WEEK: Thursday 14 June due to unforeseen circumstances, we have NO Volunteers tomorrow, so if you can help please contact Marie urgently.

HELP NEEDED on the following days:

Friday 22 June - please contact Marie

Thursday 5 July – at this stage there are **NO volunteers** rostered on which means the canteen may have to close) - please contact Kay

Kay & Marie – Canteen Coordinators

Please feel free to contact us via email at: sshmv.canteen@dbb.catholic.edu.au



Air Conditioning

As many of the school community would know, we surveyed parents in 2017 asking what improvements they would like to see in the school. The majority of respondents said classroom cooling was a priority.

We have been working with Suellen to bring about reverse cycle air conditioning to all classrooms. We are pleased to announce that we now have confirmation from the Catholic Schools Office to bring this project to fruition. Our goal is to have the majority, if not all of the classrooms air conditioned by the start of term 4.

Thank you for your ongoing support. We will keep you informed of our progress.

Chocolate Drive

We still have a number of boxes of Freddos and Caramello Koala's to sell, so if you are able to sell a second (or even third, fourth...) box we would be most grateful. Remember to return your money as soon as possible.



A reminder that you can pay for your chocolate box electronically via the Qkr app (\$48 per box) or by cash.

Grandparents Day

If you are able to volunteer to help organising, prepare or serve at Grandparents Day on 4 July, please contact the Hub. We would be grateful for any help you may be able to give.

Entertainment books

We are now selling the 2018/19 Entertainment books. If you would like to purchase a digital copy or hard copy please follow the link below: https://www.entertainmentbook.com.au/orderbooks/2061e80

Amanda Lewis / Grant Howard (Co-Presidents) Email: <u>sacredhearthub@gmail.com</u> Website: <u>www.shmvparents.com</u>

Australian Girls Choir – June Open Classes

Look no further than the Australian Girls Choir (AGC) because we encourage, challenge and inspire girls as they learn to sing, dance and perform. School aged girls are invited to try our fun and inclusive classes and learn more about being part of the AGC! Contact us if you would like to attend a free trial class in June.

Ph 9922 6733 or email sydney@aspagroup.com.au



A very good place to start.

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JUNE OPEN CLASSES

Come along to your local venue and try a free class

Annandale, Beecroft, Caringbah, Dee Why, Kellyville, Mosman, North Parramatta, North Ryde, St Ives, Strathfield and Waverley.



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