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Term 3 Week 1 - 2 August 2018

Term 1 Core Value: Justice

School Rule: We show justice towards our self, others and the environment when we...

Expectation of Behaviour: Tell the truth

Dear Parents

"Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world" - Nelson Mandela.

The educational focus in classrooms (aka 'places of discovery') in recent times has been on the acquisition of 21st century learning skills. These Skills (how we use what we know) encompass dispositions such as collaboration, critical thinking, creativity and communication and augur well with the <u>Broken Bay Learning Principles</u>. Charles Fadel's <u>4 dimensional model of 21st century learning</u>, positions these skills within the broader Meta-learning context (how we reflect and adapt). Both Knowledge (what we know and understand) and Character (how we behave and engage in the world) complete Fadel's 4D model. Perhaps the focus on 21st century meta-learning incorporating the intersection between skills, knowledge and character will provide a framework, or in Mandela's words "a powerful weapon", with which we can change the world.

As you may be aware, I'm leaving my post as acting principal this Friday 3 August after 4 weeks (6 including the holidays) of engagement with and connection to the Sacred Heart community. I've been blessed with the joy of laughter and wonderings from students, the dedication and commitment from staff and the privilege of reconnecting with a past student from my early teaching days at St Vincent's College Potts Point. I leave with fond memories of my short time here and wish each and every one of you a thousand blessings and good wishes.

Kind regards

Rosemary Vellar Acting Principal

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Religious Education News



During Wednesday and Thursday of last week Mrs Nolan-Brown and myself were privileged to be able to present at the "Sweeter than Honey" Scripture Conference. The conference was a professional learning initiative for teachers of Religious Education in the Diocese of Broken Bay to support them in engaging their students in a more critical, creative and prayerful encounter with the Word of God.

Mrs Nolan-Brown and I presented a workshop on a teaching strategy called "Three Worlds of the Text."

This strategy encourages our students to explore the context in the scripture, allowing them to have a deeper understanding of scripture passages studied. During term 2, I was co teaching with Mrs Nolan-Brown and Mr Felsman to use the strategy with Year 6 in Religious Education.

Mrs Laxale and Mrs Mitford also attended the conference. They have also used this teaching strategy in Year 3.

We look forward to sharing our knowledge and experience with staff.





Next Wednesday, 8 August, Sacred Heart is celebrating the Feast Day of Australia's first saint; St Mary of the Cross.

We will be attending mass at 9:15am. All are welcome to attend.

Confirmation

Year 2 students are very excited to have begun their preparation for Confirmation. Please keep them and their families in your prayers as they are preparing for this very special day.

The Four Rituals for Confirmation Candidates are being held on the following weekends at all mass times:

4 and 5 August 2018 11 and 12 August 2018 18 and 19 August 2018 25 and 26 August 2018



Dates to Remember for Term 3

Wednesday 8 August at 9:15am - Whole School Mass for Feast of Mary of the Cross (Mary MacKillop) at Sacred Heart Church

Wednesday 15 August at 9:15am - Whole School Mass Feast of the Assumption at Sacred Heart Church Wednesday 22 August at 9:15am - Year 3 Class 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.

Chris McBryde - Religious Education Coordinator

PARISH WEEKLY BULLETIN can be found here

Curriculum News

We would like to acknowledge and congratulate the following students in their ICAS results.

Science

Year 2 Year 3 Year 4 Year 5 Year 6 Ruby H (Distinction) Claire M (Distinction) Marik V (Credit) Ethan H (Credit) Harry C (Credit) Preston B (Credit) Joshua G (Credit) Isabella L (Merit) Joel H (Credit) Lewis C (Credit) Charlie S (Credit)

Teakauroa K (Credit)

Braeden T (Credit)

Ava W (Credit)

Kai A (Credit)

Patrick H (Merit)

Digital Technologies

Year 3 Year 5 Year 6

Claire D (Credit) Will P (Distinction) Joel H (Credit)

Xavier V (Merit) Lily W (Credit)

William C (Merit)
Patrick H (Merit)

Book Week - Save the Date!

SAVE THE DATE: SACRED HEART BOOK WEEK CELEBRATIONS

TERM 3, WEEK 4, AUGUST 13-17, 2018

Book Parade: Friday 17 August

Each year it is our tradition to wear/create a costume representing our favourite character from a book or embracing the Theme, "Find Your

Treasure".

Poster Competition: Due 14 August

Children can make a poster with the theme "Find Your Treasure", and that

encourages the love of reading.

Prizes awarded to most original, must contain words: "Find Your

Treasure", Name and Class.

Scholastic Book Fair: Monday 13 August-Friday 17 August.



Sport

Athletics Carnival

The Athletics Carnival is coming around quickly – Friday 10 August at Narrabeen Sports Academy.

Thank you to the parents who have volunteered their time. We still need volunteers, so if you can spare even an hour or two to help our carnival running smoothly, please contact the school office. We would be most appreciative.

Stephanie Munro – Sports Co-Ordinator

Bus Route Change

A reminder that Forest Coach Lines has advised us of the following change for the bus from Ingleside to school from 1 August 2018 (yesterday). (Was School 141 and will become School 131).

If you have any questions, please contact Sune Nielsen, Project Manager, Forest Coach Lines:

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Band News

A reminder of the schedule change for Band and Choir students as follows:

Thursday 9 August and Thursday 16 August Concert Band: (usual time of 7.45-8.45am)

Training Band: 8:45-9:45am

Choir 9:45-10:30am

Clare McFadden, Band Director

Road Safety - Bicycle Law Change

Northern Beaches Council have advised us that it is now legal for children to ride on the footpath until the age of 16. Adults who are supervising children under 16 are also allowed to ride on the footpath. This is good news and hopefully will promote more children to get out and ride their bikes with safety. The following links are provided from the Council for further information on this important new law change.

Centre for Road Safety: http://roadsafety.transport.nsw.gov.au/stayingsafe/bicycle-riders/laws.html

Sydney Morning Herald article:

https://www.smh.com.au/politics/nsw/law-change-gives-green-light-for-teenagers-to-ride-on-footpaths-20180720-p4zsl2.html

Bicycle Network: https://www.bicyclenetwork.com.au/newsroom/2018/07/23/footpath-riding-law-change-in-nsw/

Lunch Club – Term 3

The Pom Pom Club has got off to a very colourful start! Here are some photos of children enjoying their free time together. The Friendship Tree promises to be a real sight when the children are finished. All ages are welcome.



Happy Birthday

Happy Birthday from all at Sacred Heart to the following students who are celebrating their birthday this week:

Benjamin J, Louis A, Lila O, Lola M,

Alana R, Isabel J, Anabel R



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 beccmolinaro@outlook.com

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		1 Aug	2 Aug	3 Aug
		Tatiana N	Amber L	Rebecca M
6 Aug	7 Aug	8 Aug	9 Aug	10 Aug
Recca M	Leonie S	Tatiana N	VACANT	VACANT
13 Aug	14 Aug	15 Aug	16 Aug	17 Aug
Rebecca M	Georgina D	Tatiana N	Karissa M	Eloise C

Canteen

CANTEEN ROSTER (start 9.30am - finish 1.45pm)			
Mon 6 Aug	Jackie B, Vanessa F		
Thu 9 August	Lydia N		
Fri 10 August	ATHLETICS CARNIVAL – No Canteen		

URGENT Help Needed for Friday 3 August either 9:30am-1:45pm or 11am-1:30pm. Please contact Marie.

Kay & Marie - Canteen Coordinators

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

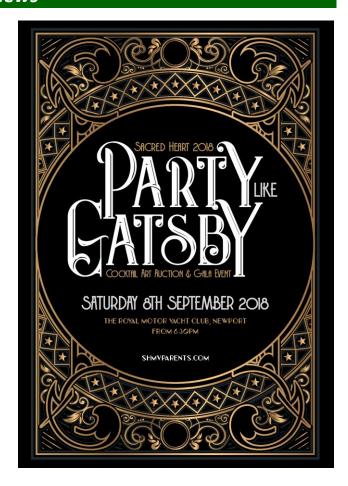
Hub News

We are already very busy preparing for our wonderful event on Saturday 8 September.

Information has been given to class parents regarding donation request. We thank the Class parents for all of their help with this.

Have you seen the office window? Doesn't it look fabulous. We are really getting our Gatsby vibes running now.





Artworks

The artworks are looking incredible. These will be on display in the office over the coming weeks. We are incredibly lucky to have such artistic helpers in our community. A very big thank you to Julie and her team.

Entertainment books

A reminder that the Hub is still selling the 2018/19 Entertainment books both in hard copy and digital forms. These are great gifts and very handy during school holidays.

If you would like to purchase please click the link below: https://www.entertainmentbook.com.au/orderbooks/2061e80

Chocolate Drive

Chocolate money is now overdue. Could you please return this as soon as possible, thank you. There are boxes still available for selling, so please let the office if you would like another.

Amanda Lewis / Grant Howard (Co-Presidents)

Email: sacredhearthub@gmail.com
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Calling all schools!

Each year the Australian Children's Music Foundation run a **free** songwriting competition that is open to all Australian children of school age. It's easy to enter - students simply need to upload an MP3 recording of their song, along with a lyric sheet, using the online entry form on our website. The songs are judged by the quality of the songwriting, not the quality of the production. An entry could be as simple as a recording on a mobile phone, with or without instruments, or as complex as a fully produced studio recording - it doesn't matter!

It's completely free to enter - the idea behind the competition is to encourage children to be creative!

Prizes are in the form of cash that must be spent on either musical instruments or tuition - hopefully encouraging a continuation of participation in music for the successful individuals.

We need your help in getting the word out. If you could forward this email on to any teachers at your school who are involved in music or creative arts, or anybody who may wish to encourage their children to try their hand at writing a song, it would be very much appreciated!

More information on the ACMF National Songwriting Competition can be found at http://acmf.com.au/national-songwriting-competition/. (If you have trouble opening the link, press CTRL+ENTER)

The 2018 ACMF National Songwriting Competition is generously supported by

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- Recognising our students needs are diverse, we constantly aim to develop courses and apply teaching strategies that accommodate different learning styles
- Offering a comprehensive range of electives in addition to mandatory studies from Year 7, leading to the award of the Higher School Certificate credential in Year 12.
- Achieved outstanding results in the Higher School Certificate. Ranked in the top 16% of the State.
- Interested in the development of the whole person, we offer numerous opportunities for students to participate in co-curricular activities. Over 30 programs including a variety of Sport, Creative Arts and special interest clubs.
- Based on a framework of positive psychology, the College's well developed Pastoral Care structure allows support for student wellbeing. With specialised staff including the Director of Student, Wellbeing and the Youth Minister who work with students on a variety of projects including faith development, social justice and wellbeing.
- The College enjoys modern facilities and state of the art technology in classrooms.
- Located in the heart of Chatswood the College is a short walk to Chatswood Interchange where there are connecting buses and trains.
- Fees starting from \$5490.10 p.a (2017) plus \$940 building levy and student elective costs for Years 9 – 12.

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ENROLLING NOW for YEAR 7 2021

If you wish to enrol your daughter at the College for Year 7 2021, the Registration Form needs to be received by the Registrar no later than Friday 21 September, 2018.

To download a Registration Form please visit our website www.stellamaris.nsw.edu.au

Interviews for Year 7, 2021 will be conducted early in Term 1, 2019

Tours of the Campus can be booked by contacting the College Registrar on 9976 1802

Limited places still available for Year 7 2020



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At Monte we believe that an innovative education, built on the foundation of choice, will equip young women for a life of significance, purpose and success. The College offers the International Baccalaureate (IB) Middle Years Programme in Years 7–10 and both the Higher School Certificate (HSC) and IB Diploma Programme (IB DP) as pathways to academic excellence in Years 11–12.

2019 BURSARIES APPLICATIONS NOW OPEN

Current students Years 7–11 and prospective students Years 7–11 in 2019 eligible, financial criteria applies. APPLICATIONS CLOSE 21 SEPTEMBER 2018

ENQUIRIES registrar@monte.nsw.edu.au or visit the website for details www.monte.nsw.edu.au 128 Miller Street, North Sydney - Phone 02 9409 6200

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