



Term 3 Week 3 - 9 August 2018

Term 1 Core Value:	Justice
School Rule:	We show justice towards our self, others and the environment when we...
Expectation of Behaviour:	See a paper pick it up

Dear Parents

A Prayer for Farming Communities

*Almighty God,
whose Son, Jesus Christ is the Good Shepherd of sheep and all living things,
we pray for those who give their lives caring for their farms and families, and
those whose livelihood depend on the wellbeing of farmers and animals in their care.
At a time of crisis in our farming communities,
We remember the loss of lives and the hardships brought about by this drought.
We pray that in the providence of God
the rain will fall, grass and crops will grow and God's creatures will be fed.
We give thanks for communities and their attentiveness of
neighbour to neighbour, community to community, city to country
and their willingness to help and support our farmers in need.*

This we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord,

Amen

It is wonderful to return to work refreshed after some long service leave. Thank you to Ms R Vellar and Ms A Duncan who were overseeing the school in my absence and to all the staff who continued to do what they do so well, to care and educate the children at SHMV.

The response to supporting our drought stricken farmers in our country has been astounding and we are delighted to inform parents that we have joined with many schools and communities to support A Fiver for a Farmer on Monday 13 August. This initiative began with a young boy from St John the Baptist at Freshwater, after hearing about the drought in outback Australia, wanting to help his Aunty who was on a property in the country. It has grown and grown and we hope all children will wear their jeans and checked shirt on Monday to support this cause.

On Friday we look forward to our Annual Athletics Carnival to be held at Sydney Academy of Sport, Narrabeen on Wakehurst Parkway. All students will travel by bus to the field. Parents have been asked to advise the class teacher if their child will not be returning to school by bus. Please note dogs are not allowed at the venue. This term we again welcome Bev Babbage who is working in classrooms with teachers to transform learning using technology. An Apple educator and independent consultant Mrs Babbage will be in our school in weeks 3, 4 and 5 in years 3-6.

Kind regards

Suellen Garey
Principal

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Like and follow us at: twitter.com/SHMV16

A FIVER FOR A FARMER - FUNDRAISER



The poster features a blue background with a white cross logo for Sacred Heart Catholic Primary School Morna Vale. The text 'WE SUPPORT: A FIVER FOR A FARMER day' is prominently displayed. Below this, a photograph of a dirt road in a rural landscape is shown with the date 'MONDAY AUGUST 13TH' written in white. At the bottom, there are three circular images: a group of children in farm attire, a boy holding a five-dollar note, and a man and woman in a field. Text on the right side of the poster reads 'DRESS AS A FARMER AND DONATE YOUR FIVER!' followed by donation details: 'DONATE AT: afiverforafarmer.com.au', 'SPREAD THE WORD: #afiverforafarmer', and 'All proceeds go to Rural Aid Ltd and Drought Angels'. A vertical credit line on the far right reads 'Photography by Little Love Photography & Edwin Robertson - Graphic Design by Dana Primack'.

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Donations can be made online via A Fiver for a Farmer or children can bring cash in on Monday.

Link to Sunrise report *A Fiver for a Farmer* (St John the Baptist Freshwater student initiative)
<https://twitter.com/sunriseon7/status/1024420502473850880>

Religious Education News

Feast of St Mary of the Cross

Yesterday we celebrated the Feast Day of Mary MacKillop (St Mary of the Cross) with a whole school mass celebrated by Fr Krystian Kolba. Fr Krystian is the Spiritual Director for the Salvatorians and is visiting us whilst Fr George is overseas.

Mary MacKillop responded to God's call to seek justice for the marginalised of her society. She spent her life working tirelessly, often against prejudice and opposition from those in powerful positions, to bring about her vision of providing an education to those who were often excluded because of their life's circumstances. Mary's life perfectly reflected God's compassionate love and revealed the complete fulfilment of the human potential for goodness. Mary exemplified the fact that, living in Christ and following his message of loving one another, new meaning and dignity is given to human life.



Feast of the Assumption

Wednesday 15 August is the Feast Day of the Assumption. This special feast day for Mary is a Holy Day of Obligation in our church. Sacred Heart will be attending mass at 11:30am . Students from Mater Maria will be attending mass at 9:15am.

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



A compulsory Confirmation Reflection Day will be held on Saturday 18 August at 1:30pm to 4:30pm at Mater Maria College. The Piety Store will be set up at Mater Maria during this time for any gifts you may wish to purchase. Please note this is “CASH ONLY” as they do not have EFTPOS facilities.

Dates to Remember for Term 3

Wednesday 15 August at 11.30am - Whole School Mass Feast of the Assumption at Sacred Heart Church
Saturday 18 August at 1:30pm – 4:30pm – Compulsory Reflection Day at Mater Maria College
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

School Matters!



Attendance at school is essential for students to achieve quality life outcomes. Sacred Heart Mona Vale, in partnership with parents, are responsible for promoting the regular attendance of students. We are trying to reduce the number of students who are frequently running late to school Please refer to “The Tips for Parents – Supporting your child’s attendance at school” document for additional support which is in the following link and can also be found on our school website under the Parent Information tab. [The Tips for Parents](#)

Caitlin Remeus, Acting Assistant Principal

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.

The Athletics Programme will be emailed separately to all families.

PSSA Netball Championships

Congratulations to Lacey C who competed in the Polding Netball Team at the PSSA Netball Championships in the Hunter Valley last week. Polding were joint winners with Hunter Valley – a great achievement.



Stephanie Munro – Sports Co-Ordinator

Book Week

SACRED HEART BOOK WEEK CELEBRATIONS

Things you need to know:

Book Parade: Friday 17 August

Dress up as your favourite character from a book or embrace the Theme, **“Find Your Treasure”**.

Poster Competition: Due 14 August

Bring in your poster on **“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: Open Tuesday 14 August-Friday 17 August. Parents are welcome before and after school and the children may come during morning tea and lunch.

Purchase Books: For every book you buy, a percentage of sales is returned to the school to purchase more books for our library. There are three ways to pay – cash, EFTPOS and on-line via the following link:

<http://parentpayments.scholastic.com.au/BookFairs>

Parent volunteers: Volunteers are encouraged to assist in the Book Fair. It is very rewarding to see the children’s excitement with so many books to choose from, so if you have some time to spare to assist, we would love to see you.

Melonie Harrison – Teacher/Librarian

Band News

SCHEDULE CHANGE REMINDER

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

Happy Birthday

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



Jessica M, Lenny N, Paige S, Oliver W, Sebastian H,
Sophia 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 becmolinaro@outlook.com

Amber L Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		8 Aug	9 Aug	10 Aug
		Tatiana N	Amber L	VACANT
13 Aug	14 Aug	15 Aug	16 Aug	17 Aug
Rebecca M	VACANT	Tatiana N	Karissa M	Eloise C
20 Aug	21 Aug	22 Aug	23 Aug	24 Aug
Melinda B	Georgina D	Tatiana N	Amber L	Rebecca M

Canteen

CANTEEN ROSTER (start 9.30am - finish 1.45pm)	
Mon 13 Aug	Lynne T, Yvonne S
Thu 16 August	Mary R, Lily C
Fri 17 August	Margaret C, Helen K, Bethan G

Kay & Marie – Canteen Coordinators

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

Hub News

Next Tuesday 14th Aug is our next Family night at the Parkhouse. It is also our Term 3 Hub meeting so you might like to combine the two and have dinner before you come to the meeting.

The Parkhouse will also be giving away a \$50 lucky door prize voucher on the night if we can get a few families attending

**FUN NIGHT + GIVE BACK
TO OUR SCHOOL**

KIDS NIGHT AT

Park^{THE} House

PARK ST, MONA VALE

MONA VALE SACRED HEART

**ENJOY DINNER AT PARK HOUSE
THE SECOND TUESDAY OF EVERY MONTH**

KIDS MEAL \$10

**50% OF ALL KIDS MEALS SOLD
WILL BE DONATED BACK TO OUR SCHOOL**

2 PARK ST, MONA VALE NSW 2103 | 02 8998 3000

TERM 3 HUB MEETING

TUESDAY 14TH AUGUST

7PM IN THE LIBRARY

GENERAL BUSINESS

SACRED HEART MAJOR FUNDRAISER

Our Sacred Heart 2018 Cocktail Art Auction and Gala Event is fast approaching. Further information follows



PARTY LIKE GATSBY

SACRED HEART 2018 COCKTAIL ART AUCTION & GALA EVENT

DONATIONS NEEDED

Calling all members of the Sacred Heart Mona Vale community

The Sacred Heart major fundraising event for 2018 will be held on Saturday 8th September at Royal Motor Yacht Club, Newport. The theme for the evening will be the 'Party Like Gatsby'.

The HUB is able to clearly focus our fundraising efforts in 2018 and beyond on three key areas:

- Temperature regulation for the classrooms which will begin in term 4, 2018
- Installing furniture and fittings that support a 21st century learning environment
- Providing extra curricular activities

We are aiming to engage not only our school community in raising funds, but also our surrounding community members, including local businesses. Here are a few suggested ways you can help....

- Do you own or manage a business or know someone that does that may like to donate a service or products for the silent auction?
 - Do you or a friend know a famous sporting person or team that would be willing to donate time, product or tickets?
 - Are you, or do you know a trained professional that could donate a service? eg. a chef that could give a group cooking lesson, a stylist to give fashion advice, a fitness instructor, an interior designer?
 - Could you donate a voucher for an 'experience' - helicopter ride, a racing car drive, a barista course or day spa?
 - Could you donate a shopping voucher?
 - Do you make anything that you could donate?
 - Do you work in TV or radio? - Perhaps you are able to source tickets to a TV show/ concert or donate promotional products.
 - Do you have a holiday home that you can donate for a long weekend?
 - Could you donate a bottle of wine or champagne (min. value \$25)?
- We are also offering sponsorship and advertising opportunities this year which could be a great way to promote any business.

If you are interested or know a business that might be interested, please contact your class parents or email admin@shmvparents.com

To donate something please complete the form attached and email admin@shmvparents.com
Your support will be recognised and of course will be greatly appreciated.



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PARTY LIKE GATSBY

SACRED HEART 2018 COCKTAIL ART AUCTION & GALA EVENT

DONATION FORM

Please complete the below form and email admin@shmvparents.com
or give to the school office

First Name _____ Last Name _____

Students Name _____ Class _____

Donation Item _____

Additional Information _____

**PLEASE NOTE: Donated Items will need to be dropped into the school office
by 3pm Tuesday September 4, 2018**

Thank you for your support

Your support will be recognised and of course greatly appreciated.



PARTY LINE GATSBY

SACRED HEART 2016 COCKTAIL ART AUCTION & GALA EVENT

SPONSORSHIP AT A GLANCE

Please email admin@shmvparents.com for more information.

	PLATINUM	GOLD	SILVER	BRONZE
Cost	\$3,500	\$2,000	\$500	\$300
Number available	1	2	3	6
Event naming rights	✓	✗	✗	✗
Banner space	✓	✗	✗	✗
Option to leave brochures / cards on the tables	✓	✗	✗	✗
Tickets to the event	4 tickets	2 tickets	✗	✗
Editorial on the event website	✓	✓	✗	✗
Blurb in event guide on the night	✓	✓	✗	✗
Sponsorship of area	Guest Awards	Silent Auctions	Silver Raffle	✗
Advertisement in the school newsletter	✓	✓	✓	✗
Advertisement on the HUB facebook page	✓	✓	✓	✓
Acknowledgment of sponsorship level by the MC on the night	✓	✓	✓	✓
Recognition within the school until the end of the year	✓	✓	✓	✓
Logo & link on the event website	✓	✓	✓	✓
Logo on the screen on the night	✓	✓	✓	✓
Special event logo supplied	✓	✓	✓	✓
Logo in event guide on the night	✓	✓	✓	✓
An appreciation certificate supplied	✓	✓	✓	✓

Artworks

The artworks are now on display in the school office. We hope you all enjoy them as much as we do.

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

Website: www.shmvparents.com

SYDNEY YOUTH ORCHESTRA

Applications for SYO 2019 are now open!

If you would like more information on auditions, including a 2019 Auditions brochure and FAQs click [here](#).



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