



Term 4 Week 1 - 17 October 2018

Term 1 Core Value:

School Rule:

Expectation of Behaviour:

Service

We are of service to others and in the environment when we...

Offer to do someone else's job

Dear Parents

Welcome back to all our Sacred Heart school community, hopefully all healthy, rested and ready for the final term of the year. Welcome to the Afman family who have returned from Netherlands, Cowan joins Year 5P and Sara 4D. There have been some staff changes this term. Mrs Chris McBryde and Mrs Skye Nolan-Brown (6N) have taken on the leadership positions of Acting Assistant Principal and Acting Religious Education Coordinator respectively and Mrs Janelle Pitcher will be teaching year 2M full time. Miss Edwina Ovens will be teaching year 6N for 3 days a fortnight whilst Mrs Nolan-Brown fulfils her leadership role.



During the holidays there were some alterations to the playground. The sandpit cubby was recycled into a café with three other play houses, a hardware, school and hospital all located in the northern corner of the playground. Some mushroom stools and wooden stepping stones were placed in new mulch under the pepper and friendship trees. Included in a grant obtained by Catholic Care, the afterschool care room was painted and furniture replaced.

On Friday 26 October Arjen Goetti (Year 1S) will take on the role of "Principal for the Day". This exciting opportunity for Arjen was earned from an auction item at our recent Gala Dinner. After interviewing Arjen he has declared Friday Week 2 a mufti day.

On Saturday evening the Year 1 family Mass will be held at 5pm. All families are welcome.

Kind regards

Suellen Garey

Principal

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Sacred Heart Staff Development Day- NSW Art Gallery and St Mary's Cathedral

On Monday, 16 October, the staff attended the Art Gallery of NSW and St Mary's Cathedral. It was a beautiful day of reflection, prayer and Catholic formation for all staff at Sacred Heart. At the NSW Art Gallery we were guided to many famous religious pieces of art. We were informed about the stories behind the art and directed through an art appreciation of each piece and their significance. The visit to the NSW Art Gallery was fascinating and I would highly recommend taking your children to see some of the thought provoking pieces of religious art that they have available. I heard many of the staff saying that they would come back and contemplate these pieces with their loved ones again.

Below are some of the art pieces we saw:



Madonna and Child with Saints Jerome, John the Baptist, Bernardino and Bartholomew 1450-81 by Sano di Pietro

This piece was painted in Siena. It was a devotional altar piece. It has 12 solar rays which represented the 12 articles of faith proclaimed by the apostles.

Judas Kissing Christ 1952-1953
By Arthur Boyd

This piece was a sculpture which was 3D. The piece was ceramic and had been one of four sculptures created by Arthur Boyd about New Testament stories.



*Deposition 1543 or 1563
By Prospero Fontana*

This was a Renaissance altar piece. It has the images of the angels, Mary Magdalene and the cross. The image has been described as allowing the viewer to come into the physical suffering of Christ and the story of Easter.

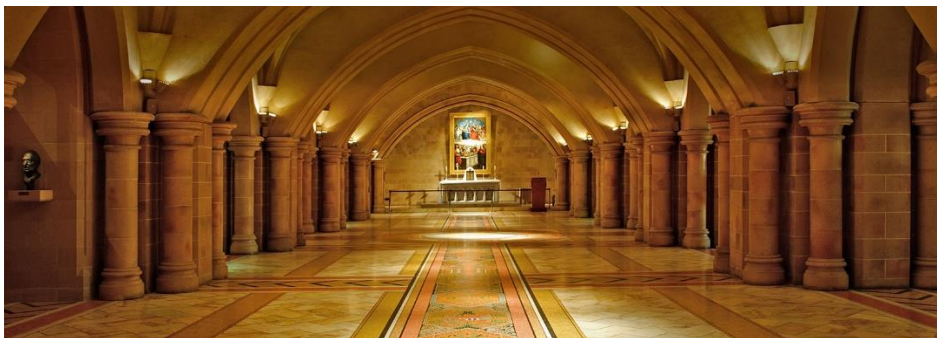
*Meditating on God 1961
By Stanislaus Rapotec*

This piece of work was very moving and caused some discussion between the staff and the guide. It was painted by Stanislaus Rapotec who migrated to Australia in 1948 after being in WW2. Rapotec was an abstract artist who was awarded the prestigious Blake Prize for Religious Art in 1961 for this piece of work.



St Mary's Cathedral

Staff did a self-guided tour of St Mary's Cathedral. The Cathedral is dedicated to Mary, Help of Christians with magnificent stone and stained glass windows. It represents the spiritual origins of the Catholic Church in Australia. It was designed by William Wilkinson Wardell, the 19th Century architect with an English-style gothic structure made from local Sydney yellow-block sandstone. The staff were very lucky to tour the wonders of the Crypt, with the crypt floor having a large Celtic cross which extends lengthwise through the Crypt from the Sanctuary to the door under the Cathedral steps. The concept of the design was to demonstrate the story of creation.



Year 1 Family Mass this Weekend

Year 1 Family Mass is this Saturday Night the 20 October. All families in Year 1 and across the school are warmly invited to celebrate the Eucharist with the Parish at 5pm Mass. There is always a yummy sausage sizzle after Mass and it would be great to see many families attend.

Dates to Remember for Term 3

Saturday 20 October at 5pm - Year 1 Family Mass, Sacred Heart Church
 Tuesday 23 October at 8am – Altar Serving Training
 Wednesday 24 October at 9:15 - Year 6 Class Mass & Class 3M Reconciliation, 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.

Skye Nolan-Brown, Religious Education Co-ordinator

PARISH WEEKLY BULLETIN can be found [here](#)

Curriculum News

Maths ICAS

Congratulations to the following students on their results in the Mathematics ICAS Competition:

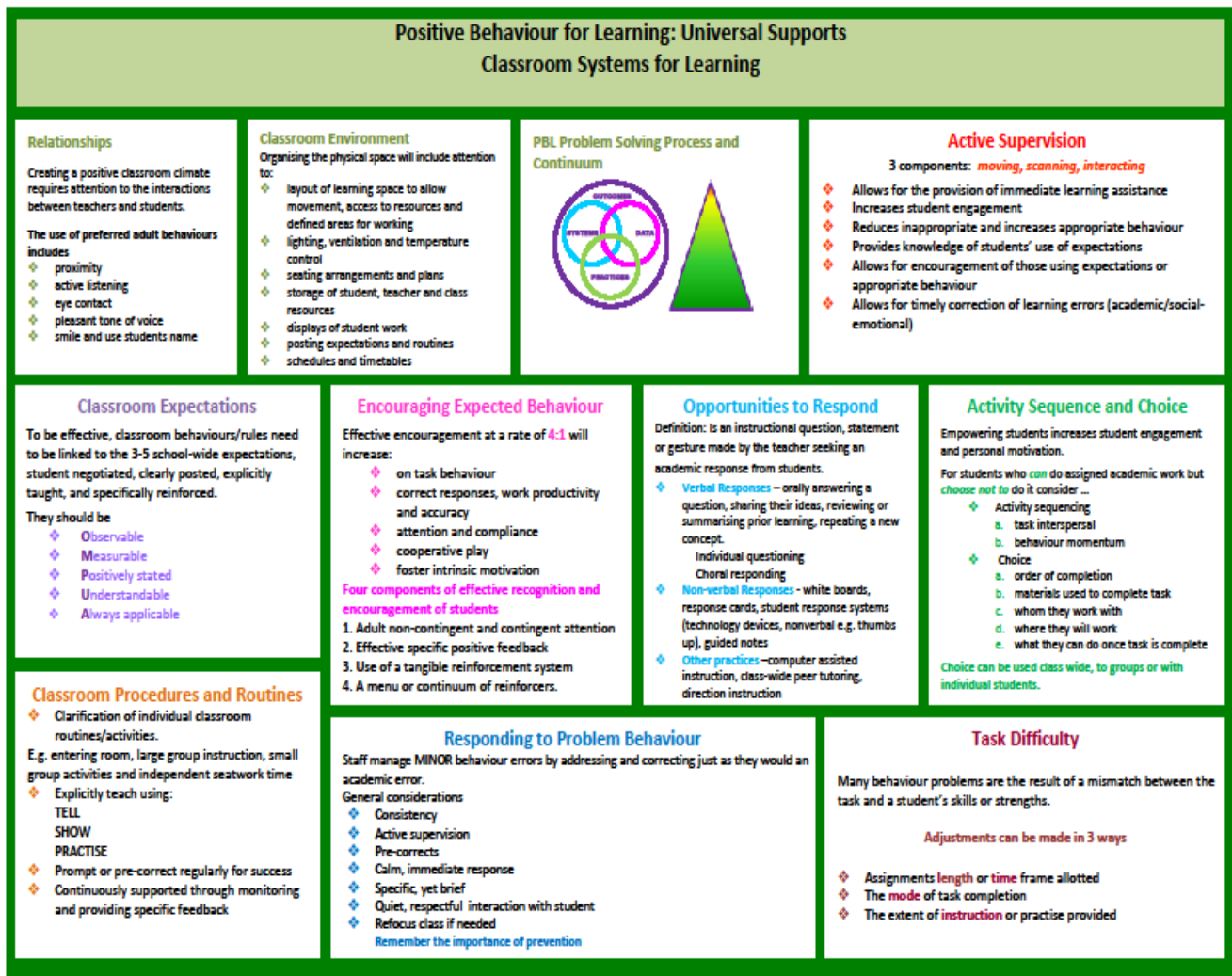
2018 ICAS TEST	YEAR	DISTINCTION	CREDIT			MERIT
Maths	2	Lewis C	Jesse H Ruby H	Te Akau K Hamish M	Braeden T Piper L	Joshua N
	3		William C Joshua M Elise S	Xavier V Ava W	Tobias W Joshua G	Charlie L
	4		Izzy A Claire B	Marik V	James C	Allegra L
	5	William P	Ethan H	Imogen P	Lily W	James M
	6		Harry C	Joel H		

Students who achieved a Distinction, Credit or Merit will receive their certificates at assembly on Friday. All other students who completed the competition will receive their certificates from their teachers.

Behaviour Management

In our Tuesday afternoon staff meeting, the teachers revisited the Sacred Heart Behaviour Management System. Positive Behaviour for Learning is the system that is in place at Sacred Heart. The system has 3 Tiers. Tier 1, Tier 2 and Tier 3. We focussed on Tier 1 and collectively reflected on the classrooms systems that are in place to create optimum learning environments for our students.

The following diagram shows the areas that we reflected upon as a staff.



Chris McBryde, Acting Assistant Principal

2019 Family Registration Form

Yellow 2019 Family Registration forms were sent home this week with your eldest child. Please return this form by **31 October**.

Please note :

- ❖ **ALL Families** at the school must complete the form. (For children leaving the school, we need to know the school they are going to).
- ❖ **No discounts** will be given unless this form is completed, signed by both parents.

School WHS

Student Absence from School

A friendly reminder to parents and carers that Full Day Absence (1-9 days) or Application for Extended Leave (10+ days) notes must be completed PRIOR to students going on leave for holidays or extended periods. These forms can be printed from our school website [here](#).

This is to comply with student attendance guidelines and WHS requirements.

School Bus News – A Message from Transport for NSW

School student Opal Card applications for 2019 open from Monday, 15 October 2018.

Students progressing to year 3 and year 7 **do not** need to re-apply **if** they:

- are continuing at the same school
- are residing at the same address
- have not been sent an expiry notification from Transport for NSW.

Where a student meets the new distance eligibility, the system will automatically update their entitlement. If they do not meet the new eligibility, they will receive an expiry notification.

Students who have an entitlement approved under a medical condition which is due to expire will receive a notification advising them to re-apply.

Term Bus Pass holders will receive a notification to re-apply.

If students need to update their information or re-apply, they should go online to <https://apps.transport.nsw.gov.au/ssts/updateDetails>

Applications need to be submitted before 31 December 2018 to ensure student entitlements are updated and their current entitlement/card is not cancelled. If their application is submitted after 31 December 2018, the system will automatically cancel a card and a new one will need to be issued.

Students in the Opal network applying for a SSTS or Term Bus Pass entitlement for the first time will receive their card at their nominated postal address. Cards will be mailed out during December 2018 and January 2019.

Students residing in Rural and Regional (R&R) areas should receive their travel pass at the commencement of the new school year from their nominated operator. **Note:** some R&R operators do not issue travel passes. Students should check with their operator for more information.

Printed school travel brochures will be available mid-Term 4 from the school office or on-line on the following link https://apps.transport.nsw.gov.au/ssts/assets/documents/OPAL022_3-New_School_Digital-WCAG.PDF
Please note as at January 2019, school travel brochures will only be available using the above link.

For further information visit <https://apps.transport.nsw.gov.au/ssts>

Regards,
Transport for NSW



Band and Choir News

A reminder that all rehearsal times have moved to **Friday 19 October** at the following times:

Group	Date/Time
Concert Band	Friday 19 October at 7:45am
Training Band	Friday 19 October at 9:00am
Choir	Friday 19 October at 10:00am

This is only for the first week of Term 4 and we will resume usual rehearsal days and times in Week 2. Thank you for your understanding.

Clare McFadden, Band Co-Ordinator

Sports News

Northern Beaches Sports

I have been experimenting with ways to share with the community sport related opportunities that are available on the Northern Beaches and beyond. I have decided to place these on an instagram account - Northern beaches sports. It will include participation, opportunities and pathways in sport. If you would like to share a sport opportunity please send details through. I hope this may be a useful tool for some families.

Active kids Rebate Voucher (Use by 31st December) - Available to all students enrolled in school

Parents, guardians and carers can apply for a voucher valued up to \$100 per calendar year for each student enrolled in school. The voucher may be used with a registered activity provider for registration, participation and membership costs for sport, fitness and active recreation activities. The voucher can be used at any time during the calendar year it was issued.

Stephanie Munro, Sports Co-Ordinator

Happy Birthday

Happy Birthday from all at Sacred Heart to the following students who celebrated their birthday during the school holidays and for those who will celebrate their birthday this week:



Lindsay P,	Hayden W,	Jack W,	Matisse F,	Joshua N,	Elle S,
Sienna C,	Lexi B,	Thomas B,	Elena C,	Lucas H,	Isaac S,
Max H,	Maxim D,	Charlotte H,	Livia H,	Kai A,	Elijah G,
Liam W,	Rocco R,	Claire P,	Annelise S,	Luke S,	Benjamin C

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

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		17 Oct	18 Oct	19 Oct
		Tatiana N	Amber L	Karissa M
22 Oct	23 Oct	24 Oct	25 Oct	26 Oct
Melinda B	Rebecca M	Tatiana N	Georgina D	Eloise C
29 Oct	30 Oct	31 Oct	1 Nov	2 Nov
Rebecca M	Leonie S	Tatiana N	VACANT	VACANT

Canteen

CANTEEN ROSTER (start 9.30am - finish 1.45pm)	
Thu 18 Oct	Anna A, Emma W
Fri 19 Oct	Danielle C
Mon 22 Oct	Christine H, Georgia G
Thu 25 Oct	Michelle C, Michelle N
Fri 26 Oct	Jenny O, Leonie S, Margaret C

Kay & Marie – Canteen Coordinators

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

Hub News

Welcome back to Term 4. We hope you had an enjoyable break.

Would you believe we still have **Chocolates For Sale**. Please call in to the office to buy a box – payable via Qkr! , Eftpos or Cash. We would really like for all boxes to be sold (as would our ladies in the office!).

2nd Hand Uniform Shop

The 2nd hand uniform shop is overflowing with winter items, so if you would like a bargain, feel free to browse and buy for next year. If you have any items in good condition that you no longer need – especially summer items, please drop them by.

Calling for volunteers to help in the 2nd hand uniform shop. If you can spare 15-20 mins, say from 8:30am or 2:30pm any day that suits you, we would be most grateful. All sales proceeds go to the P&F to help fund initiatives for our children and school. Please contact The Hub if you can assist.



Amanda Lewis / Grant Howard (Co-Presidents)

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Website: www.shmvparents.com

St Joseph's Fun Fair

St Joseph's Narrabeen are having their annual Fun Fair – 27 October 10am - 3pm:

