



Sacred Heart Catholic Primary School

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Term 1 Week 4 - 20 February 2019

Term 1 Core Value:	Respect
School Rule:	Respect yourself, others and the environment
Expectation of Behaviour:	Have safe and caring hands and feet

Dear Parents

*God of Compassion
You created a world for us
To know your love and peace
Yet amidst the beauty of creation
We encounter pain and hurt
And forces beyond our control
At times like this our hearts are shaken and ache with sorrow
At the destruction of our lives, homes and livelihoods
Hear our prayers for those affected by the floods
And for all those working
To bring relief and fresh hope
Amen*

On Tuesday morning many of our class parents gathered in the school hall to discuss their ideas for the year. The Class Parent Handbook was distributed and items such as the role and responsibilities of the class parent were discussed. The Class parent role is one of developing and supporting a partnership between teachers/school and parents. Class parents provide a welcoming environment for all parents, support the Hub team and school staff and share Council of Catholic School Parent (CCSP) information with parents.

Last night the Meet the Teacher evening was well attended and afterwards parents were introduced to the complete teaching staff in the library. Refreshments were served at their first Hub general meeting for Term 1 and the School Improvement Plans (SIP) were presented. The school looks forward to working with our parents to ensure the best learning outcomes for all students.

Sip for Mission:

To educate and enable students to be active contemporary disciples of Jesus

By the end of 2019, the RE work samples of Stage 1 students will show improvement in learning and agency as measured by the co-created grade success criteria.

SIP for Learning & Teaching:

To increase student agency through high quality learning experiences

By the end of 2019, targeted Stage 2 students (targeted students who achieved a grade 'C' in the semester 2 2018 reports in Maths) will show improvement in learning as measured by PAT-M, MAI and class assessments. These students will also show improvement in agency (grit, time on task, task perseverance) in their learning as measured by the digipubs character progression.

SIP for Pastoral Care:

To strengthen students' wellbeing by focussing on social, emotional and learning competencies By the end of 2019, students identified as vulnerable in wellbeing (Tier 2 and Tier 3 students) will show an improvement in engagement in their learning as measured by PBL data and other school data respective to their individual need.

Sporting achievements

Congratulations to Olivia J and Jade H who were selected in the Many Warringah Basketball Representative team. Also congratulations to Lacey C who was selected for the Manly under 12's State Representative Netball Team and will now compete at State Age in June, also named Captain for her Touch Football Representative team and competed at the State Cup in Coffs Harbour.

Don't forget two big events coming up

- Swimming Carnival at Manly Andrew "Boy" Charlton Pool on Friday 22 February,
- Welcome BBQ and Bushdance on Friday 1 March in the school grounds. The "Ducks" will be leading a fun evening of bushdancing for parents and children commencing at 5.30pm. Register numbers attending for catering purposes.

Mrs Suellen Garey

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Religious Education



Dates to Remember

Wednesday 27 February at 9:15 Year 5 and Year 1 Class Mass, Sacred Heart Church

Wednesday 6 March at 11:30 - Ash Wednesday, Whole School Mass, Sacred Heart Church

Saturday 9 March at 5pm - Year 3 Family Mass, Sacred Heart Church

Friday 15 March at 9:15 – St Patrick's Day Liturgy, led by Year 2, in the Hall

Prayers

Please keep in your prayers Mick P (parent) and Paul C 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](#)

From the Office

T'is the season.....for headlice. We have had a couple of reported cases, so it may be timely to give your child a headlice treatment for prevention.



Also a reminder to please, please, please be aware of where you park to collect your child from school. Yesterday, there was a reported "near miss" when a small vehicle pulled into the bus area, with the bus right behind it, to pick up their child quickly - leaving the bus stranded across the pedestrian crossing. **For all our of children's safety, please park safely and do not pull over the near the crossing or park in the staff car park.** If this continues, number plates may be taken by our crossing supervisor and reported. We know you are sometimes running late or in a hurry, but at the end of the day it is illegal to stop or park in these restricted areas. Please observe the parking signs.

Wellbeing

Have you ever wondered what your child does during play time?

Sacred Heart has many initiatives in place to help your child create a sense of belonging and wellbeing during play time. Some of these initiatives are:



The Buddy System: The Buddy system is for children in Kindergarten who are buddied with a Year 6 child. This helps the Kindergarten child with the transition to school and develops the Year 6 child's leadership and awareness of self and others. The Year 6 student's in the last few weeks have been helping their Kindergarten buddy settle in and have positive relationships.

The Toy Shed: Students in Year 4 do a wonderful job of managing and allocate play equipment that children can play with on the School oval at lunchtime. The equipment is kept in the Shed near the oval and students are rostered to help organise and run the toy shed. The toy shed has many fun play equipment which encourages cooperation, team work and opportunities for children to make connection through play. This has been generously supported by the P&F Hub over the years.

The Sand Pit, Shops and Wonder world- these play environments cater to children who love to explore and build. They are located at different parts of the playground. Students in Year 4 also manage the Sand Pit and you will often see children digging and chatting. These play environments help to develop your child's social skills, language and communication.

The Oval, Play equipment and Basketball areas- these areas see many games according to the Season and what children are playing outside of school. There are different days for different classes and children can be playing soccer, touch football, chasing games and basketball. The children love playing games that develop their physical skills.

Lunch Clubs- there are a variety of Lunch Clubs available for your child. This term there is Library Club on Tuesday and Wednesday as well as Mrs Browne also runs a games club on Tuesday.

Waste Free Wednesday

Waste Free Wednesday has started this year, the senior SRC Leaders have been promoting the need to have Waste Free Wednesday. By doing this challenge on a Wednesday the aim is for children to understand the benefits of a waste free lunch and how much of our food comes in packaging. So some ideas to help for this day is to pack your child's lunch with reusable food containers, reusable forks and spoons.

Skye Nolan-Brown, Coordinator



Live Life Well @ School
PLASTIC FREE HEALTHY LUNCHBOX

Be plastic free
Use a lunch box with a variety of sections or a few smaller containers.
Paper bags come in handy.
Avoid plastic wrap, foil, zip lock bags, packaged foods.

Healthy plastic free tips

- Freeze healthy muffins and use each day.
- Cut your own cheese slices and place them with crackers in a small container.
- Pack a handful of dried cereal or snack mix with dried fruit (e.g. apples, sultanas, banana), pepitas and sunflower seeds in a small reusable container.
- Make a smoothie at home and store it in a cold thermos that holds the temperature until recess or lunch time.
- Pop your own popcorn and pack it in a

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Sports News

School Swimming Carnival

This Friday 22 February at the Manly Andrew "Boy" Charlton Aquatic Centre. A reminder there is a spectator entry fee.

If you have not entered a race, please see Mrs Munro on the morning of the carnival – it's not too late.

The emphasis of this carnival is about fun, participation and Sacred Heart Spirit.

Yours in Sport,

Steph Munro – PE Teacher



Birthdays

Happy Birthday from all at Sacred Heart to the following students who have had their birthday during January and this week:



Indiana L

Zara W

Sara A

Catalina P

Leila S

Piper W

Canteen News

New! Avocado sushi baby box now available Friday's via QKR on line lunch orders-\$3.50

The canteen will be open this Friday 22nd Feb for both Kindy and Year 1 students not attending the school swimming carnival. All counter service and on line lunch orders will be available.



CANTEEN ROSTER (start 9.30am - finish 1.45pm)	
Mon 25 Feb	Lily C, Meegan H
Thurs 28 Feb	Michelle C, Michelle N
Fri 01 Mar	Emma M, Vanessa F, Heidi B

Term 1 2019 Roster

Kay Neale – Canteen Co-ordinator

Kiss & Drop Morning Volunteers

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

If you would like to volunteer for the Kiss and Drop Roster please contact Rebecca Molinaro at becmolinaro@outlook.com. Volunteers are always needed.

STUDENT
DROP-OFF
AND
PICK-UP
AREA

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
11 February	12 February	13 February	14 February	15 February
Karissa M	Georgina D	Tatiana N	Rebecca M	Julie F
18 February	19 February	20 February	21 February	22 February
Amber L	Leonie S	Tatiana N	Melinda B	Karissa M
25 February	26 February	27 February	28 February	1 March
Amber L	Georgina D	Tatiana N	Melinda B	Eloise C

The Hub

Uniform Shop

If you are able to volunteer in the Uniform Shop for 15-20 mins on any morning or afternoon that suits you, we would be most grateful. Please contact Amanda and/or Grant via email: sacredhearhub@gmail.com.

*The
Hub*

A reminder that the second hand uniform shop is open on Monday's (am) and Tuesdays (am and pm). **Everything is \$3 so pop in and grab a spare dress or shirt.** Thank you very much for all the donations.

Amanda Lewis / Grant Howard
(Co-Presidents)

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 **Stella Maris**
 COLLEGE MANLY
OPEN EVENING
 Wednesday 13 March
 4.00pm - 7.30pm
 Principal's address
 Student-led hands-on activities
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