



SACRED HEART CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

Newsletter – 5 June 2019

Term 2 Week 6

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FRIDAY 7 June STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAY

FRIDAY 14 June @ 8.45am – Marian Hall, Kindy - Yr 2

PRINCIPAL

Staff Development Day Friday 7 June

On Friday 7 June the teachers from SHP will be joining other schools to learn more about the new PDHPE Syllabus. On this student free day, the teachers will be making plans to implement the new syllabus next year. There will be no teachers at SHP on Friday. We hope that this enables an extra long weekend for families to enjoy a winter break.



PBL

SHP has a long tradition of Positive Behaviours for Learning (PBL) which establishes strong school-wide universal systems that promote early intervention, and the teaching and acknowledging of social-emotional skills. It is a system which helps schools to develop consistent systems to encourage positive behaviour and enable high expectations of achievement while supporting wellbeing. The keys to the success of this program is a team approach, a strong partnership with parents, system support, meetings with teachers and parents twice each term, collaboration with the staff to plan and implement PBL, frequently reviewing, revising and documenting the processes, analysing data, clearly stating expectations of students and staff and developing and maintaining a common vision, language and experience to support PBL.

At school, the staff regularly revisit the structures of PBL as we look at data and trends. For parents to fully understand and appreciate the PBL system used at the school, we need to ensure that opportunities are provided for parent education around PBL. We have arranged for a team to come to SHP to run a session for parents around PBL. It will be held on Thursday 4 July at 8.45am. There will be one hour of input with time for questions the end of the presentation. Please indicate your interest in attending this event by emailing SHP.

<https://www.shpddb.catholic.edu.au/news-events/current-school-handouts>



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Sacred Heart School – “a Pot of Gold” at the end of the rainbow

Mary Hor
Principal

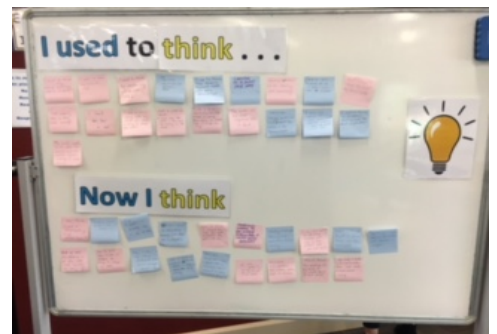
ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL

Parent Education Session on how to help your child with reading at home

Last Wednesday the K-2 teachers presented an information session for parents on how to support their child’s reading at home. The session was a wonderful reminder of the varied and valuable ways we can promote a love of reading and guide our children to use effective reading strategies.

It was great to see so many parents attend this session and we thank our amazing teachers and parents for the time given to such an event and look forward to offering another session in the future. We used a thinking routine “I used to think...now I think” as part of the evaluation and the reflections from parents have given us an insight and direction for future sessions

***I used to think** that reading with my child was all about sounding out the words...**Now I think** it is about reading in context and building meaning by talking about the story*



Tell Them From Me Survey

Each year parents and carers, students and teachers engage in the survey “Tell Them From Me (TTFM)”. The TTFM is a complete evaluation system for measuring student engagement, wellbeing and classroom climate and other factors known to affect learning outcomes. The data gathered is used to inform future strategic direction for our school community. We encourage you to take the time to fill out this short survey (it will take approximately 15 minutes). The survey will close on 21 June 2019. Please use this link to access the survey. This link will also be sent as a notification to all parents and carers.

<http://tellthemfromme.com/bmwpt>

Debating

Yesterday we went to Prouille to debate. During the car ride we were flooded with nerves and excitement. In a flash we had arrived. None of us had the presence of mind to take in the beautiful school's environment, we only had one thought on our minds. Suddenly I stepped up to a class of Year Two students all staring at us. I came back to earth and watched myself take a deep breath. Then it all went by in a flash. I could tell this was a very close debate. The adjudicator stepped up to announce the winner and to give feedback. As we walked out of the classroom grins swept over our faces. We were so happy inside and of course we set a good example. I certainly felt more confident during this debate and I can think back on last year and see how much I've improved speaking in front of others. It was a great experience and I just want to do it again! Taj N

We would like to say a special thank you to Mrs Stonestreet and Mrs Chu, who so kindly drove the teams to Wahroonga.



Parent Teacher Interviews

School interviews will take place during Week 10 this term and parents and carers will be sent a link with booking details next week.

Kelly Clouston

Assistant Principal

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION



The Sacrament of Reconciliation is where we celebrate our reconciliation with God and one another.

In preparing for receiving the Sacrament, many of our students in Stage 2 have been reflecting on how their choices affect their relationships with God and others and exploring messages of key scripture passages and their relationship to understanding the Sacrament of Penance.

We pray together a prayer for our Reconciliation candidates who are preparing to receive this Sacrament on Tuesday 18 June:

Loving God, help us to teach our children that you love us totally and unconditionally.

Help us to encourage our children to grow in love and to learn how to say sorry, knowing that you always forgive.

Give us the courage to pray with our children and to share our faith with them as we journey together.

We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Amen

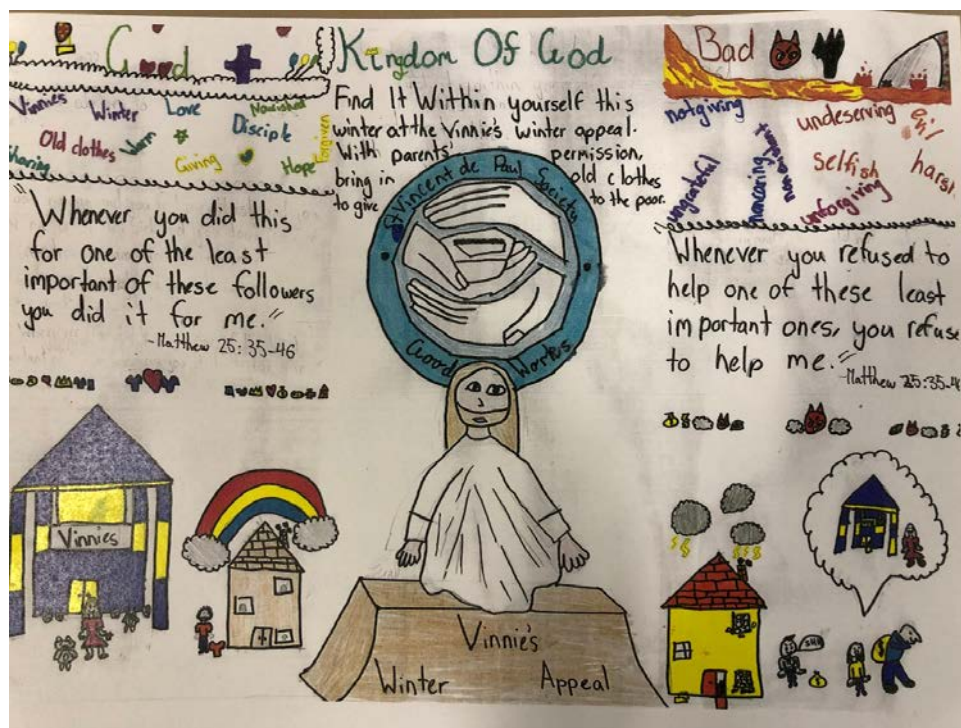
St Vincent De Paul

This winter, there are many people who don't have enough clothes to keep warm, so we are going to help St Vincent de Paul to help them. St Vincent de Paul is a Catholic association that helps people in need.

Here is how we are going to help – next week on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday we will be collecting good quality second-hand winter clothes to help Vinnies. Please take a look in your wardrobes to see if you have something spare to donate.

Thank you in advance for being a disciple of Jesus.

Maddie J. (Year 6)



To view the parish bulletin, please click here <https://www.bbcatholic.org.au/pymble/news-events/parish-bulletins>

Liana Stella

REC

When?

Week 7, Monday 10th June - Friday 14th June

Why does Sacred Heart have a wellbeing week?



Mental health across the lifespan has been identified as a national priority

Estimates suggest mental health difficulties affect **1 in 7** Australian primary school children.

KidsMatter -
National Child Mental Health Survey (Sawyer et al, 2000)

Wellbeing Week provides an opportunity for our whole school community to think about and talk about our overall wellbeing and mental health

What will be happening?

This term the students at Sacred Heart will have four days which focus heavily on recognition of feelings and management of these feelings (dependent of the situation). **On Friday all students in Sacred Heart will watch the movie Inside Out. They will be able to wear mufti clothes which focus on the colours of the Inside Out characters – see the picture below.**



Daily Activities					
WHO?	Public Holiday	Time to recognise our Feelings Tuesday	Wellbeing Wednesday	Thankful Thursday	Fun Friday
Students	SEL Focus:	<p>SEL Focus: <i>Self Awareness</i> <i>Self management</i></p> <p>Students will participate in lessons about their feelings. They will learn to not only identify feelings but also display appropriate feelings for the various situations.</p>	<p>SEL Focus: <i>Self Awareness</i> <i>Self management</i></p> <p>Students will have the opportunity to visit our new Sensory/learning garden and participate in a meditation.</p>	<p>SEL Focus: <i>Self Awareness</i> <i>Self management</i></p> <p>Students look at the concept of gratitude as a way of improve mental health.</p>	<p>SEL Focus: <i>Self Awareness</i> <i>Self management</i> <i>Responsible Decision Making</i></p> <p>All students in Sacred Heart will watch the Disney Movie "Inside Out" to further their learnings on Feelings.</p> <p>Students are also able to wear mufti clothes portraying a colour of one of the Inside Out feelings!</p>

As it is wellbeing week, there will be **no homework**. Try one of the following activities with your family instead:

1. Organise a play date with a friend.
2. Go to a park with your family for the afternoon.
3. Play a board game or card game with your family.
4. Have a special dinner (go out to a restaurant or get take away.)
5. Go for a walk/bike ride/scooter ride.
6. Have a milkshake or a special treat after school.
7. Have a movie afternoon/night.
8. Play a game of soccer/ football/tennis/netball etc. with your family.
9. Cook or bake a meal together.
10. Try and get the whole family to sit and eat dinner together.

SCHOOL ATHLETICS CARNIVAL - YEAR 6 FUNDRAISER

Year 6 will be hosting a cake stall and sausage sizzle at the school athletics carnival on the 21st June.

Cake Sale



- Morning tea and lunch time, unless sold out
- All items 50c and \$1

Lunchtime Sausage sizzle



- Sausage on a roll - \$3.50
- Sausage on a roll and an apple popper - \$5

Please pre-order on Qkr by Monday 17th June
Mums and dads don't forget to order for yourselves too.

SPORTS NEWS



Congratulations to all our Cross Country teams at the Diocesan Cross Country event on Tuesday 28 May – well done everyone!

THE OFFICE

School Photo Day – Wednesday 12 June

A reminder we have school photos next Wednesday. All students are to wear their **full winter uniform**. If your child has sport on that day please bring their runners in their bag.

Lost Property

There is a lot of lost property around the school at the moment. Parents, we kindly request that you check your child's school bag and belongings to make sure they belong to you. If your child brings home a jumper, hat etc with another child's name on it, please return to the office. Can we also ask that you label all your child's belongings with the correct name. There are many items that have ex-student's names on them - we cannot return these to the correct child. They will be sent to the uniform shop for re-sale.

Lost Umbrella

A large Black Rock umbrella was left outside the library yesterday during the before school Chess lesson. This umbrella belongs to the chess teacher. If you have this umbrella or have seen it somewhere please let the office know.

Jodie Devitt
Front Office

CANTEEN

Thank you again to all volunteers I couldn't run the canteen without you. Your help is greatly appreciated. If you can't help in Term 3 or there are some dates you cannot do, please send me an email.

Our roster for the next few shifts is as follows:

Wk 6 Wednesday 5 June		Wk 4 Friday 7 June	
Melissa G	9:30am – 1:30pm		
Triona B	10:30am – 1:30pm	STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAY	
Wk 5 Wednesday 12 June		Wk 5 Friday 14 June	
Melissa G	9:30am – 1:30pm	Diana M.	9am – 12:45pm
Jacqueline W.	9:30am – 12:30pm	Vanessa O.	9am – 12:45pm
		Angela B.	10am – 1:30pm

Kind regards
Debbie Behn
Canteen Supervisor

SACRED HEART STARS PLAY GROUP

Thank you to the families who generously donated toys for Playgroup. We are fully stocked now and children have plenty of new things to enjoy!



Playgroup runs each Monday during term times, starting after assembly. Please feel free to join us for a chat and play.

Thank you
Carley

FAMILY FUN FAIR

This year we will be holding a Family Fun Fair for all of our family, friends and the local community to come along and be a part of what promises to be a fabulous event for Sacred Heart Pymble.

The team are working hard behind the scenes to bring together what will be an amazing day filled with fun and laughter for everyone.

We have secured some awesome fun rides for the kids from [Joyland Amusements](#) including Dodgem Cars, Super Slide and a Mini Ferris Wheel.

To secure your tickets for these incredible rides you can make your purchase on the link TODAY!

Purchase your tickets early at the special price of \$25 for unlimited access to all rides.

<https://www.trybooking.com/BCTVI>

As part of the many exciting activities planned for the Family Fun Fair, we will be holding a raffle and online auction to help raise funds for the school.

This is a call out to anyone within the school community in a position to donate a prize for the raffle or auction. This could be anything from one or two nights stay at a family holiday house, the provision of a service from the company you work for or simply a gift which you are happy to donate to the cause. All contributions are greatly appreciated and will help to make the Fair a success for the school and your kids.

Please send an email to shpfundraising19@gmail.com if you would like to make a donation to the raffle or feel free to contact Mel Garling on 0404 061 150 if you have any general queries about the raffle.

The Sacred Heart Pymble Fundraising Committee has set up a separate Facebook page to keep you all up to date on what is being organised for the event.

<https://www.facebook.com/SacredHeartPymbleFamilyFunFair2019>

We ask that you please log onto Facebook and “like” the Family Fun Fair page. We will be posting information about the event, from sponsors to stall holders, their logos, what’s planned for the day, rides, events and call outs for prizes for the raffle and online auction, donations etc.

The event will be a huge success and even more so when we have the whole community behind us, liking and sharing stories we post to the Facebook page.

Thank you for your support

Michelle Key & Kate Bell



PYMBLE PARISH

PYMBLE PARISH SOCIAL JUSTICE GROUP – COLLECTION FOR GRIFFITH

The Social Justice Group would like to extend a huge thank you to everyone who so generously donated to our recent collection for the communities of Griffith. The donations from the Parish and school were transported to a depot in Chipping Norton for delivery on fruit trucks to Griffith. The donations covered 3 pallets which is a fantastic result! The support services in the community are now supporting areas as far as Ivanhoe and Broken Hill and the donations will be gratefully received by these communities. Thank you for your support and donations.

The communities have also requested donations of Lego for the schools in these areas. If you have any Lego that is no longer needed, please leave it in the donation box in the school foyer. The last donation will be collected on Tuesday 11 June. Thank you!

PYMBLE PARISH SOCIAL JUSTICE RAFFLE

The annual raffle run by the Pymble Parish Social Justice group is underway at the moment. We are again supporting the wonderful work of Baabayn Aboriginal Corporation in Mt Druitt. Raffle tickets have been distributed to all families today. The raffle tickets are \$5 each or 3 for \$10. Please contact Jocelyn Barber jocelynbarber@optusnet.com.au if you need any further information or more raffle tickets. We hope you can support the raffle again this year.

SOCIAL EVENTS

Hi Everyone

Please find an invitation for our first Year 4 family get together for this year! We have been delayed in organising, so thank you for your patience and hope this suits everyone's calendars (otherwise it will be a Term 3 event)!

Date: Sunday 16th June 2019

Location: Newport Hotel, 2 Kalinya Street, Newport

Time: midday for lunch, drinks and chats!

Please refer to this link for further information

<https://merivale.com/venues/thenewport>

Please RSVP by 7th June (via email or to 0400 916 265) as I will reserve a table and advise the location of where to meet - one of the areas/tables at the back.

We look forward to seeing you all there!

Kind Regards
Gisela and Paula

SCARED HEART SCHOOL DISCO

The disco posters are hanging up around the school and the children are already talking animatedly about this exciting event, organised by your P&F.

We rely heavily on your assistance in the running of the disco and the many other events like the Cocktail night, Camp Out, Trivia Night and the Fair, to name a few. Please volunteer your help to secure the future of many more activities like this by following link <https://signup.zone/5TxE6NHLdQWpyxbSm>

CATHOLICCARE VACATION PROGRAMME WINTER 2019

Please see our website for details of our OSHC providers Winter Vacation programme 2019

<https://www.shpdbb.catholic.edu.au/news-events/current-school-handouts>

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