



St Mary's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

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IMPORTANT DATES

October

- Fri 14 Dads' Night Out, Rose Hotel 7.30pm
Year 5 Return from Camp
- Mon 17 Constable Care Incursion 11am - 1.15pm
- Tue 18 Numero Schools Challenge
Board Meeting 5.45pm
P & F Meeting 7pm
- Wed 19 Reconciliation Year 6
- Thur 20 SWSPA Athletics Years 4 - 6, Hay Park
- Fri 21 Young Writers' Workshop
BCC Year 7 Orientation Day
- Mon 24 In Term Swimming Begins (2 weeks)

Vision Statement

A welcoming faith
community

We value
relationships

We pursue excellence
in learning

We live the Gospel
message of love



It does not make things easy, it
makes them POSSIBLE.

Luke 1:37

Dear Parents, Students and Friends,

The new term has started very positively. Many of the students were keen to share their holiday stories and seemed happy to be back at school!

Thank you to the parents and grandparents who attended our Opening Mass for Term 4. The wonderful singing from the students was impressive and added to the celebration. At the end of Mass, Fr Abraham kindly blessed the singlets that the P & F purchased for St Mary's Interschool teams to wear. The twenty nine students who make up the Year 4 -6 Interschool Athletics team were presented with them in preparation for next Thursday's carnival to be held at Hay Park.

Yesterday was our first Play Café session (previously Playgroup), run under the guidance of Rose Anderson. There was a fantastic turnout (and weather) of more than twenty children who enjoyed the variety of activities that had been set up in the Kindy classroom. At this stage, Play Café is only open to parents who have children starting Kindy next year.

Today, I will be joining the Year 5 students on their overnight camp to Perth Zoo. Mrs Alberti has organised two full days of activities and it promises to be a memorable experience.

Next Tuesday 18 October at 7pm as part of the P & F meeting, Eric from Perth ICT will be running an information session for parents on the introduction of Chrome book computers into Year 4 next year. Parents are encouraged to attend.

Congratulations to Skye and Raegan Carr who were both awarded Indigenous Bursaries to Bunbury Catholic College in 2017.

Students going into Year 7 next year have the opportunity to apply for the John Walker Music Scholarship that was established for the first time last year in memory of John Walker. Many of you will remember John as he was Principal of St Mary's from 2001 to 2012. Sadly, John passed away two years ago and the Scholarship was set up by the South West Principals and is funded by the Catholic schools in the Diocese, recognising John's passion for music. More information about applying for the scholarship is contained in the newsletter.

God bless.

Paul Cronin

HOLY YEAR OF MERCY PRAYER

Lord, Jesus Christ,
You have taught us to be merciful
like the heavenly Father,
and have taught us that whoever sees you,
sees God.
Show us your face so that we may be saved.
Amen



STUDENT AWARDS WEEK 10 TERM 3

YEAR 1	Stella Dean	Emily Chapman		
YEAR 2	Finn Drage-Edwards	Taylor McNamara		
YEAR 3	Cleo Pense	Louis D'Andrea	Harry Piacentini	
YEAR 4	Chloe MacNeill	Sophia Cross	Ranee Cross	
YEAR 5	Aidan Hall	Liam Collins		
YEAR 6	Skye Carr	Sage Gilroy		
A.R. 75%	Flynn Smith	Jacob Orsi	Elena Mazza	Aidin Williams
	Grace Sarre	Aleesha Zaccagnini		
A.R. 100%	Kade Lubcke	Marcus Smargiassi	Natalia Dillon	Chloe MacNeill
	Harry Jones	James Donovan	Lorenzo Fimognari	Aidan Hall
	Daniel Norrish	Aurora Postma	Molly Turner	Elijah De Coppi
A.R. 2ND 100%	Max Di Lallo			
PHYS ED 50KM	Brady Emerson	Jedd Patterson	Koby Drage-Edwards	Max Di Lallo
OTHER	Max Sarre	Molly Turner	Ned Pemberton	Aurora Postma
	Lorenzo Fimognari			



SCHOOL NEWS

Nude Food Days

We are participating in Nude Food Day 2016! Nude Food Day, supported by Nude Food Movers and in partnership with Nutrition Australia, creates a globally recognised day in which we can all come together and show our support towards healthy eating and waste reduction. **Every Thursday** in Term 4, we are encouraging all students to bring fresh, healthy, rubbish free lunches to our school in support of Nude Food Day.

Let's try and eliminate all plastic wrapping, bags and packets for one day every week to help reduce our waste at St Mary's!!!

NUDE FOOD COMPETITION WINNERS:

Last term, Mrs Murray ran a competition for Years 2-4 to create an informative and eye catching poster to promote Nude Food Days. The posters can be seen on our Hall windows. Congratulations to the following students who have won a free lunch next week thanks to the generous donation of vouchers from the **Bunbury Farmers Market**:

Year 2: Noah, Finn

Year 3: Niamh, Rubee, Lily, Neha, Paige, Olivia, Jorja

Year 4: Nick, Ryan, Alexis



CONDOLENCES

Our deepest sympathy, our thoughts and our prayers are with Mrs Jenny Noack and her family on the death of Jenny's father during the school holidays. May they find comfort at this time of great loss.

DADS' NIGHT OUT

There will be a Dads' Night Out evening at the **Rose Hotel** tomorrow at 7.30pm

SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

The first School Board Meeting for Term 2 will be held next Tuesday evening, 18 October, at 5.45pm in the staffroom.

P & F MEETING

We look forward to your attendance at next Tuesday's P & F Meeting at 7pm in the MPR.

VACSWIM

Summer will soon be here – enrol now for swimming lessons

Enrolments for December/January lessons are now open. It is important for every child to learn vital swimming and water safety skills. VacSwim offers affordable school holiday swimming lessons run by qualified instructors at a range of locations throughout the state. For further information and online enrolments visit education.wa.edu.au/swimming

KINDERGARTEN ORIENTATION DAYS

Please note that there has been a change in the scheduled Kindergarten Orientation Days. They will now be held on Monday 24 October and Monday 31 October. Further information will be provided directly to parents of children starting Kindergarten in 2017.

UNIFORM NOTES

The Uniform Shop is open on Friday mornings from 8.30am to 9.30am for all uniform requirements. **The Uniform Shop will NOT be open on Friday 4 November.** On this day, parents of Kindergarten students who will be progressing to Pre Primary in 2017 can come to the empty room beside the Pre Primary classroom to place their uniform orders.

Pre Primary students progressing to Year 1 in 2017 can place their orders from 2pm on Wednesday 9 November at the Early Childhood Centre. It is important that orders are placed on that day so orders can then be processed. When orders are received, they will be then made up and distributed to class if they have been paid for. If they have not been paid for, they can be collected from the Uniform Shop on Friday mornings before the end of term.

BOOK CLUB

Issue 7 catalogues have been distributed and orders are due back by Thursday 20 October.

CANTEEN

Thank you to the parents who have given their time and effort volunteering at the canteen in Term 3, we look forward to your assistance again in Term 4. Volunteers for this Friday are Kim Fildes and Janelle Norrish. The Term 4 Roster is available further on in this newsletter. Copies are also available from the canteen or the school office. Please note the following regarding the Canteen Menu:

- Picnic and Meat Boxes are available with Nuggets
- Bento Boxes will be available this term, also available with hummus
- Fruit Salad is available; Large \$3, Small \$2
- Watermelon - Large \$3, Small \$2
- Only 5 cruiser pies available per order until sold out



JOHN WALKER MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION



Any instrument or voice



IMPORTANT DATES

FOR 2017 SCHOLARSHIPS

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Application forms

Due Friday 14 October 2016

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Musical Aptitude Test

Tuesday 25 October 2016
4:30pm – 5:30pm

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Interviews

Friday 28 October 2016

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Offers

11 November 2016

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Acceptance of offer

18 November 2016



JOHN WALKER MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP

Marist or Mercy Campus

YEAR 7 2017

Purpose of the Award

The John Walker Music Scholarship is in memory of the late Mr John Walker, a former School Principal in the Bunbury Diocese. To honour John and his love of music, the Bunbury Catholic primary schools would like to assist a student, to develop their own passion for music.

Students from local Catholic Primary Schools entering Year 7, 2017, at Bunbury Catholic College (Marist or Mercy) are invited to apply for the 2017 John Walker Music Scholarship. It is a merit-based Scholarship given annually. Only students who currently attend a local Catholic Primary School are eligible for this scholarship.

Scholarship

The Music Scholarship will cover full music tuition fees for one year. The recipient is expected to commit to a music ensemble and demonstrate exemplary behavior in areas of school. The recipient is subject to all of the rules and regulations of the College's Instrumental music policies including instrument hire agreements and attendance.

Criteria

The John Walker Music Scholarship is made with consideration to the following criteria:

- The student's record of experience and/or outcome of a music aptitude tests
- The student's academic record
- The potential for the applicant to contribute to a school ensemble

Obligations

Students receiving Scholarship Awards will be expected to fulfil the responsibilities of the award. These will include consistent attendance to lessons, involvement in one or more school bands or ensemble groups and demonstration of exemplary behaviour and attitude. Students are expected to commit to their tuition scholarship for the duration of the year.

How to Apply

Students should submit a completed application form before Wednesday 19th OCTOBER 2016.

There is no audition required in the application process, however, a music aptitude test will be completed by each applicant. This test will be held on Tuesday 25th October 2016 at 4.30pm at the MARIST Campus Performing Arts Centre. Students will not be considered unless an application is received and testing is completed.

Further Information

Please contact the Director of Music, Mrs Barbara Morgan, if you have any questions or are seeking information about this exciting Scholarship.

Email: morgan.barbara@cathednet.wa.edu.au Tel. (08) 9721 0070



JOHN WALKER MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION - YEAR 7 2017

Student Name: _ _

Date: / / 2016 _____

Street Address:	
City:	P/Code:
Home Phone:	Mobile Phone:
E-mail:	

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Performing Experience i.e. Voice, Violin, Piano, Shows and/or Eisteddfods:

Provide the names of your past and current private music teachers and dates of study (if any).
List the most recent first:

Name: _____ Dates: _____

Name: _____ Dates: _____

Do you play any other instruments or sing? If so, list below with number of years studied:

List any special honours or awards that you have received for music or other studies:

Please complete & return this form by Friday 14 October 2016 to:

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St Mary's Catholic Primary School Canteen Roster

TERM 4 2016

WEDNESDAY		FRIDAY	
12 OCTOBER		14 OCTOBER	
	Janine Stewart		Kim Fildes
	Susan Mainstone		Janelle Norrish
19 OCTOBER		21 OCTOBER	
	Brenda Hall		Rikki Smith
	Rosina Hynes		Carmela Spinelli
			Rena Ursino
2 NOVEMBER		4 NOVEMBER	
	Brooke Brand		Carol Kennedy
			Susan Bele
9 NOVEMBER		11 NOVEMBER	
	Trish Moore		Brenda Hall
			Medrica Di Lallo
			Annaleisha de Chanéet
16 NOVEMBER		18 NOVEMBER	
	Ale Olgiati		Cherrie Woolhead
	Jaci Brasher		Kristy Richardson
23 NOVEMBER		25 NOVEMBER	
	Peta-Marie Lord		Emma Hastie
	Jo Spinelli		
30 NOVEMBER		2 DECEMBER	
	Jenelle O'Reilly		Lee-Anne Westwood
	Beverly Barry		Carol Kennedy
7 DECEMBER		9 DECEMBER	
	Sellena Jones		Carmel Sutton
1 FEBRUARY 2017		3 FEBRUARY 2017	
2017	Susan Mainstone	2017	Alison Piacentini
8 FEBRUARY 2017		9 FEBRUARY 2017	
	Janine Stewart		Kim Fildes

If there are any queries, please contact Alison Gray on 0427 318 435

ANZ Tennis Hot Shots

NEW TIMES STARTING TERM 4, 2016

HOT SHOTS RED BALL

4-6 years - 8 x 30 minutes \$110
Tues 3.30pm, Wed 3.30pm, Sat 8.30am
6-8 years - 8 x 60 minutes \$140
Tues 4.00pm, Wed 4.00pm, Sat 9.00am

25% compression RED BALL
Smaller courts, larger balls and mini nets.
Introduces social skills, team work,
fundamental motor skills, rallying and scoring.

HOT SHOTS ORANGE BALL

8-10 years - 8 x 60 minutes \$140
Tues 4.00pm, Wed 5.00pm, Sat 9.00am

50% compression ORANGE BALL
Three-quarter length courts over the big net.
Introduces spin and more complex scoring,
rules and technique. Develops rallying and tactics.

HOT SHOTS GREEN BALL

10+ years - 8 x 60 minutes \$140
Tues 4.00pm, Wed 5.00pm, Sat 9.00am

75% compression GREEN BALL
Full length courts over the big net.
Introduces whole court use, advanced
technique and develops strategy.

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EACH THURSDAY FROM
13th October - 15th December 2016
4pm to 5pm - From Age 8 - 12 yrs
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THE RACE THAT STOPS THE NATION SHOULDN'T STOP DONATION

Even if your horse is a nag this Melbourne Cup, there's an easy way to feel like a winner. The celebrations during race week mean many regular donors won't be available, so more donors are needed to keep supplies on track. Australia needs groups and individuals like you to donate between 28 October and 6 November. Please, saddle-up and book your race week appointments by calling [13 14 95](tel:131495) or

MAKE AN APPOINTMENT

Kind regards,

The Red25 Team



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**SAT 22 & SUN 23 OCTOBER
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For more information about the festival, please check out