

St Mary's Catholic Primary School

Newsletter

Thursday 10 May 2018

Vision Statement

A welcoming faith community We value relationships We pursue excellence in learning We live the Gospel message of love

Prayer

A Prayer For Mothers

All loving God, we give you thanks and praise for mothers young and old. We pray for young mothers, who give life and count toes and tend to our every need. May they be blessed with patience and tenderness to care for their families and themselves with great joy. We pray for our own mothers who have nurtured and cared for us. May they continue to guide us in strong and gentle ways. We remember mothers who are separated from their children because of war, poverty, or conflict. May they feel the loving embrace of our God who wipes every tear away. We pray for women who are not mothers but still love and shape us with motherly care and compassion. We remember mothers, grandmothers, and great-grandmothers who are no longer with us, but who live forever in our memory and nourish us with their love. Amen.

From the Principal

Dear Parents, Students and Friends,

On Tuesday we celebrated Mother's Day with a beautiful Mass presided over by Fr Abraham and then we had another incredibly successful Mother's Day Morning Tea. Our Pre Primary mums spent endless hours planning, organising and cooking and their hard work paid off. The sold out crowd dined on a delicious variety of sandwiches and desserts and were very keen to spend their money on raffle tickets, silent auctions and chocolate wheel spins. Special thanks to Tennille Panuccio and Hayley Williams for coordinating the event as the Pre Primary Class Representatives. The amount of businesses from Bunbury and surrounding towns that supported St Mary's with donations was staggering.

NAPLAN

Next week, students across the country in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9 will be involved in NAPLAN testing. St Mary's students will be completing their tests online, apart from the Year 3 Writing section.

First Holy Communion Commitment Mass

Our First Holy Communion candidates attended Mass last Sunday evening with their parents as part of their preparation for First Holy Communion which will take place on Sunday 17 June at 10am.

Staffing Changes Term 2

Mr and Mrs Alberti are going on Long Service Leave for the last three weeks of term. As a result, please note the following changes. Mr Alberti's teaching role will be shared by Mrs Turpin and Mrs Toia. Mrs Coulson will be teaching in Year 5 for the three weeks, and Mrs Skehan will be teaching full time in Pre Primary.

Change of Date for Cross Country

As Mr Alberti will be on Long Service Leave, the Cross Country Carnival date has been brought forward to Thursday 7 June for students from Pre Primary to Year 6.

Year 6 Camp at Camp Mornington

Congratulations to the Year 6 students on their behaviour, willingness to challenge themselves and the way they cooperated with each other during the many challenges they faced during their adventure camp at Mornington near Harvey. Ms Brown and Mrs Murray did a superb job organising camp and we had some wonderful parent helpers in Mr O'Brien, Mrs Curtis and Mr Lubcke who weren't afraid to get their hands dirty.

God bless

Paul Cronin

Year 6 Camp Highlights

Max

On the third day after breakfast our first activity was abseiling. It was really scary! We had the choice of the 'Cage' or 'Overhang'. But I chose 'Overhang' which was the wrong option. As I went over the edge I felt like I was floating in mid-air.

Bridie

One of the activities that we did was raft building with eight team members. You had to build a raft using barrels, some rope and a cargo net and take it out onto the water. We were all given a number and then we had to swap from one raft to the other. The instructor called out a number and Alex stood up and she and Jessica fell into the water and screamed!



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Mother's Day Morning Tea

The Annual Mother's Day Morning Tea was another great success. Thank you to everyone who came along or supported the fundraiser through raffle ticket sales, purchases or donations. We still have accommodation packages up for grabs along with stall items. These will be set up outside 100 Club this Friday 11 May. Two accommodation packages will be on offer in a silent auction between 8am and 8.30am. The winner will be announced at assembly. There will also be a raffle with prizes including an accommodation package -50c per ticket!! Don't miss out! ***Please note stall items will need to be cash but the silent auction will have the option of EFTPOS.*** We did not get the chance to thank the huge amount of work ALL the Pre Primary mums put into this spectacular day. We would like to take this opportunity to say a massive THANK YOU to our amazing Pre Primary group! Tennille & Hayley – Pre Primary Reps



Smith's Beach Resort The Beauty Shop The Exercise Club Waterloo Nursery

4 Lady's A & L Printers A1 Indian restaurant Adamson Riverside M/River Amaze'n Margaret River AMD Ann Briggs Nutrimetics AN7 Arlewood Estate ASB Realty Auto One B.J. Lowe Plumbing & Gas Back Beach Café Bakers Delight Bunbury Forum **Bakers Delight Centrepoint BCE Surveying** Beacon Lighting Belinda Bickley - Tupperware Benesse Café Best Western Pemberton Big W Black Velvet Beauty South West Blush Beauty Bar Bonking Frog Winery **Brain Spice** Brecken Health Brooke Fiore For Hair Brownes Dairy Brunswick Agencies Brush Hair Studio **Buckingham Meats Bunbury Catholic College** Bunbury Drive In Chemist **Bunbury Farmers Market** Bunbury Flower Place **Bunbury Forum Pharmacy Bunbury Home & Ironing Angels** BREC Bunbury Skin Cancer Clinic Bunbury Ten Pin Bowling **Bunbury Wildlife Park** Bunnings Café 140 Café Bean Cake Works Catherine De Castro Make Up Artist Cathie Rice Travel Chemmart Eaton Cherubino's Quality Produce Chinese Massage Churchview Estate Winerv **Clairault Wines** Clancy's Fish Pub

Air Charters West Smooth Synergy Your Aesthetics Wizard Pharmacy

Coffee Club Eaton Coles Parks Centre Collins Books Colonial Brewery Country Landscaping Cousins Electrics Croc's Playcentre Bunbury Cross Verwijmerer **Dale Alcock Homes** Dana's Cupcakes Dardanup Rural Supplies DBC De Castro Car Detailing Devereux Family Dog Rock Albany **Dolphin Discovery Centre** Dome Dominos Drooley's Pizza Eagle Bay Brewery Eastman & Co Elders Bunbury Ella Baché Elysia Boutique Emporium of Eshe Essence Evedon Park Winery Farmwest / Maxine Brasher Ferguson Falls Winery Fleurs of Bunbury Forrest Adventures Funkee Monkee Gabriel Chocolates Glenarty Rd / Kerfuffle Wines Goanna Gallery Café -Yallingup Good Earth Surf Shop Gracefarm Wines Gravity Green Door Wines Hackersley Winery Harrison Auto Electrical Harvey Fresh Harvey Norman HBM Studio Healthy Inspirations Heydon Estate Hot Yoga Hot Weld Fabrication House of Cards Housework Heroes HS Commercial Plumbing IGM Construction Ilacqua Cabinets Intersport

Bunbury Flying School Aravina Estate Mandalay Resort MRC Electrical

Island Brook Winery JCW Electrical Jennie Standon Cakes Jessica Seroka Jim Kidd Sports Johanna Resta Photography Just 1 Thai Restaurant **Killerby Cellar Estate** Kim Fildes - Tri Nature Kmart Koombana Seafoods L.J Hooker Lamont's Landmark Margaret River Leslie Devereaux Lime & Soda Scarf Co Liquor Barons Lisa Marie's for Hair Lorna Jane Luxe Hairdressing Maggie Dent Martina Ivey Brow Artistry Matchbox Eaton Maternal Moments Photography Melo Velo MGIB Moody Cow Brewery Natural Island Therapy Natural Temptation Café Naturaliste Skin Clinic Nexus Nicholls Machinery Nillup Rural Novus Auto Glass Ocean 205 Officeworks Palmer Winery Panuccio Autos Parks Centre Pat Shine - Summit Realty Pemberton Discovery Tours Penthouse Hairdressing Perth Bell Tower Perth Mint Phoenix Hair Studio Piacentini and Sons Priceline -Eaton Prouds lewellers Ramada Resort Dunsborough **Redgate Wines** Repco Retravision Sabotage Sala Wine Lounge & Kitcher Salon Sugar

Milestone Limousines Hog's Breath Eaton Woolworths The Plaza Kempy's Kabin Augusta

Sandalford Winery Siesta Park Holiday Resort Simmos Ice Creame Skin Plus Beauty & IPL Small's Bar & Bites Smith Electrical Services WA Smokos Lunch Bar Snippets of Colour Soho for Hair Soul Tree Beauty Salon St Aidan Winery Spudshed Studio 66 for Hair & Beauty Studio of Classical & Contemporary Dance Subway - Homemaker Centre Sunflower Animal Farm Taffy's Terry White Chemist South Bunbury The Barberia The Burlington Hotel The Happy Wife The Hockey Shed The Hollow Beach The Passionate Baker The Potted Warehouse The Pottery Boutique The Rose Hotel The Wardrobe Thinkwater TJ Depiazzi & Sons Trees Adventure Lane Poole Park Treenbrook Cottages TS for Hair Tuart Street Wines Urban Hair Design Vasse Felix Winerv Vasse Virgin Vat 2 Vivid Style Weeding Plus Westpac Whale World Albany White Elephant Thai Wild Bull Brewery Willespie Wish Hair Studio Woody Nook Wines Woolworths Bunbury Forum Woolworths Bunbury Plaza Woolworths Dalyellup Xscape at he Cape Fun Park Yallingup Maze Yoga Life Studio Yours or Mine



Calendar Dates

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Friday 11

Inflatable Squash

Thursday 24

First Holy Communion Parent/Student Workshop 6pm

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Pre Primary Assembly

Sunday 13 Mother's Day

Tuesday 15 NAPLAN Years 3 and 5 Board Meeting 5.45pm

Wednesday 16 NAPLAN Years 3 and 5 Year 6 Reconciliation 9am Bishop's Visit

Thursday 17 NAPLAN Years 3 and 5

Friday 18 General Assembly

Sunday 20 Pentecost Sunday Year 6 Confirmation 10am

Wednesday 23 Parish Priest Visit Kindergarten 9am *|MC:SUBJECT|*

Parish Hall

Friday 25 Year 2 Assembly

Sunday 27 Trinity Sunday

Tuesday 29 P & F Meeting 7pm

Thursday 31 Young Writers' Program Year 6

JUNE Friday 1 June Catholic Day (No school for staff and students)

Sunday 3 Feast of Corpus Christi

Monday 4 WA Day

Student Awards

Year 1 Scarlett Fiore, Darcy Stewart
Year 2 Alex Bemrose, Charlotte
Cross
Year 3 Georgia Rodgers, Thomas
Piacentini, Emily Chapman

Year 4 Finn Drage-Edwards, Kody
Hopley
Year 5 Evan Crowley, Cleo Pense
Year 6 NO AWARDS
Phys Ed 50km Louis Best

What's Making News

Footy Tipping

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Our tippers mostly enjoyed a high scoring round this week. Congratulations to 'Golden Boot Kennedy' taking out the weekly prize with 8 correct tips and the closest margin for the round. Emmanuel and SizBro are joint overall leaders after round 7 with 49 correct tips each.

Squash Incursion

St Mary's students will participate in a squash incursion on Friday 11 May. The courts will be inflatable and set up in the undercover area.

Winter Sports Carnival

Our 2018 Year 5 and 6 Winter Sports Carnival will be held on Thursday 14 June at Hay Park. St Mary's has a football team, 2 netball teams, 2 soccer teams and a hockey team. The carnival starts at 10 am and concludes at 2 pm.

Thank You!

The St Mary's community would like to thank Tony and Amanda Panuccio for their kind donation of another pot for our undercover shrubs!

Uniform Shop

The Uniform Shop is open on Friday mornings between 8.30am and 9.30am for all your winter uniform needs. *Please note that ONLY the winter uniform is to be worn in its entirety from Monday 14 May 2018*.

Year 4 Assembly

The Year 4 Assembly has been moved to 22 June 2018 due to a clash with the choral section of this year's Eisteddfod

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BRIDGET HENNEN L.L.A.M.



PIXIE LOTT, RUSSELL BRAND, NAOMI CAMPBELL, GEORGE MAGUIRE, LESLEY MANVILLE, SHARON OSBOURNE, DEREK HOUGH, TRACEY ULLMAN, MARTINE McCUTCHEON, SIR NOEL COWARD, DANIEL MAYS, LESLIE PHILLIPS, TRACIE BENNET, MARK BALLAS, ANTHONY NEWLEY, EMILY LLOYD.

THE EMPHASIS OF ALL TRAINING IS FOR ENJOYMENT

FUN CLASSES TO DEVELOP AND MOTIVATE LIFE SKILLS TO IMPROVE

- CREATIVITY, IMAGINATION, CONFIDENCE
- ACTING EXERCISES, IMPROVISATION, POETRY, PROSE
- DICTION TRAINING, SIGHT READING
- MOVEMENT, RELAXATION AND BREATHING TECHNIQUES

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BRIDGET HAS WORKED EXTENSIVELY IN ALL ASPECTS OF PROFESSIONAL THEATRE, TELEVISION, FILM PRODUCTION AND ROYAL VARIETY PERFORMANCES.

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The event includes: 10km Run...5km Run...5km Walk. The Princess Run is back and proudly sponsored by Work Clobber Bunbury, a short run for little princesses <8yrs (must be accompanied by an adult.) This event will be held after the main race, gold coin donation, register on the day or at bib pick up.

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