



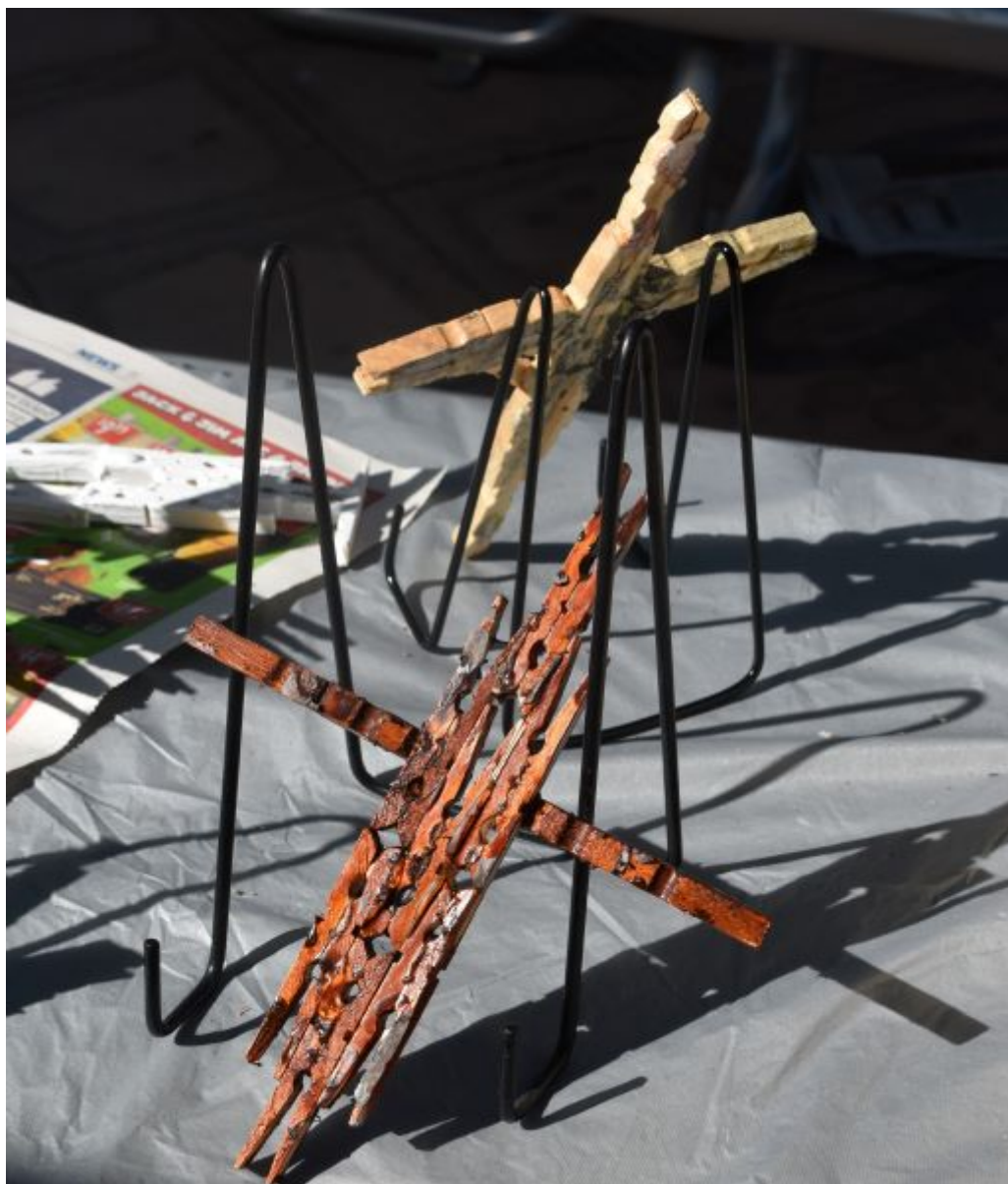
St Mary's Catholic Primary School

Newsletter

Thursday 28 April 2022

Vision Statement

St Mary's Catholic Primary School
is a Christ-centred and child focused community
of engaged learning environments,
inspiring all to actively live the Gospel.



Prayer

God of Hope, in this season of Easter we rejoice in the New Life the Risen Jesus gives us, offering hope and peace. Today, as we remember the ANZAC soldiers who fought to protect our country, help us to be instruments of your peace.

We make our prayer in the name of the Risen Jesus. Amen



From the Principal

Dear Parents, Students and Friends,

I hope you had a blessed Easter with your family and are refreshed and ready for all Term 2 has in store for us.

The holidays were somewhat disrupted for several families as well as staff who were impacted by Covid.

There have been significant changes to the Covid guidelines for schools and I had the latest to send to you on Tuesday, when they were already outdated with Mark McGowan's announcement of masks not being required in most places from this Friday including schools.

The good news is that we will be able to run 100 Club tomorrow and we can hold P&F meetings, so we have scheduled our first for Tuesday 3 May at 7pm in the hall. I have a meeting tomorrow morning with other principals and CEWA and I will find other changes will come into play.

Some important information to know is the latest definition of a close contacts:

- a family or household member of a person with COVID-19 who has had contact with them during their infectious period;
- someone who has had close interaction with a person with COVID-19 during

their infectious period, where they spent more than 4 hours with them in a single day, in a residential setting, including a boarding facility, where masks have not been worn; or

- someone who is directed by WA Health that they are a close contact.

Schools are no longer considered close contact venues. A child who attends class with a peer who later tests positive to COVID-19 will no longer be identified as a close contact.

If your child does test positive to Covid, please contact the Health Department, inform the school and complete the details on the school portal.

Swimming Lessons

Swimming lessons started yesterday and unfortunately the large pool has an issue and is not able to be used at the moment. Hopefully it will be repaired for tomorrow. It meant all of our students had to use the smaller pool, but both the swimming teachers and students coped remarkably well with the change. With the relaxation of Covid rules, parents will no longer be restricted to how many times they visit to watch lessons. Please ensure your that names are on all items of clothing used for swimming to make it easier to return them.

ANZAC Day Services

Thank you to Isabelle Hastie and Jack McGee who represented St Mary's and placed a wreath at the Bunbury ANZAC Service. With students unable to gather for an assembly at school, Ms Brown produced a PowerPoint commemorating ANZAC Day for the students to use in classrooms.

Easter Raffle

This year's Easter Raffle and Easter Colouring in competition was another outstanding success. Special thanks to Crystal Pelusey and Terri Buck for coordinating the events and to the large team of Year 1 parents who helped to arrange and wrap the prizes. Thanks also to the many generous families who donated eggs and purchased tickets.

Parent Meetings

Thank you to staff and parents for being involved in the parent meetings that took place at the end of last term. Not being able to meet face to face was a hinderance but they still provided an opportunity for staff to give feedback to supplement the Interim Reports that were sent home.

God bless
Paul Cronin



Calendar Dates

Wed 27 April - Fri 6 May
Swimming Lessons

Fri 29 April
100 Club 8am
Assembly

Tue 3 May
P&F Meeting 7pm

Fri 6 May
100 Club 8am
Assembly

Sun 8 May
Mother's Day

Tue 10 May
NAPLAN Years 3/5 Writing
SACM 5.45pm

Wed 11 May

Sun 5 June
Pentecost

Mon 6 June
Western Australia Day

Tue 7 June
Staff Professional Learning Day
(Pupil Free Day)

Thur 9 June
SWPSA Winter Carnival 10am-2pm

Fri 10 June
100 Club 8am
Assembly

Tue 14 June
SACM

Fri 17 June
100 Club 8am

NAPLAN Years 3/5 Reading and
Writing Conventions

Thur 12 May

NAPLAN Years 3/5 Numeracy

Fri 13 May

100 Club 8am

Assembly

Fri 20 May

100 Club

Assembly

Sun 29 May

First Holy Communion Enrolment
Mass (time TBC)

Thur 2 June

First Holy Communion Parent
Student Workshop 6pm TBC

Fri 3 June

100 Club 8am

Assembly

Assembly

Sun 19 June

Feast of Corpus Christi - First Holy
Communion (time TBC)

Thur 22 June

School Feast Day

Fri 24 June

100 Club 8am

Assembly

Thur 30 June

St Mary's Cross Country K-6,
9.20am-12.45pm

Fri 1 July

100 Club 8am

Assembly

Last Day Term 2

Student Awards

WEEK 9 Term 1

Year 1 Declan Kilpatrick, Harry Toia

Year 2 Maia Rooney, Georgia
Whitfield

Year 3 Nash Grice, Eva Jones

Year 4 Samuel Zator, Kimberley
Hastie

Year 5 Ryan Coulson, Cooper
Hopley

Year 6 Ayla De Castro, Kaitlyn Pitts

A.R. 50% Indianna St Jack

Principal Billy Barnard, Georgia
Whitfield

WEEK 10 Term 1

Year 1 Nathaniel Mason, Cooper
Johnstone

Year 2 Principal Awards

Year 3 Annabel Reynolds, Kai
Bonilla

Year 4 Armani Panuccio, Georgie
Kelly

Year 5 Milla Richardson, Molly Toia

Year 6 Evelyn Liaros, Sophia Clark

A.R. 50% Dionne Lijo, Kayleigh
Lynch

Principal Imogen Skehan, Billy
Barnard, Elias Madi

Communication

Easter Raffle

Pre Kindy		Year 3	
1 st	Will Garic	1 st	Harrison Kelly
2 nd	Nathaniel Potts-Humphrey	2 nd	Eva Jones
3 rd	Henley Gardiner	3 rd	Jonathan Chapman
Kindy		Year 4	
1 st	Rory Wall	1 st	Sophia Karlsen
2 nd	Isla Ledingham	2 nd	Jasmine Leigh
3 rd	Clòdagh Lambert	3 rd	Louis Shine
Pre Primary		Year 5	
1 st	Nicolas Levy	1 st	Nyah Twomey
2 nd	Cohen Blackford	2 nd	Ethan Whitcher
3 rd	Xavier Brown	3 rd	Ryan Coulson
Year 1		Year 6	
1 st	Carter Russell-Marsh	1 st	Sophia Clark
2 nd	Marlee Tither	2 nd	Lucy Waddell
3 rd	Isla Rusconi	3 rd	Charlotte Spalding
Year 2		Major Prize Draw	
1 st	Ellie Howlett	1 st	Eli Down—PP
2 nd	Milla Buck	2 nd	Ava Kilpatrick—Y3
3 rd	Eve Harrison	3 rd	Lyla Young—Y2
		4 th	Eleanor Levy—Y2

Bling the Egg

Pre Kindy		Year 3	
1 st	Nathaniel Potts-Humphrey	1 st	Niall Hamill-Harling
2 nd	Eva Galali	2 nd	Annabel Reynolds
Kindy		Year 4	
1 st	Hannah I in	1 st	Alecia Wheeler
2 nd	Indi Tither	2 nd	Theo Males
Pre Primary		Year 5	
1 st	Holly Leon	1 st	Nuala Hamill-Harling
2 nd	Cillian Beckett	2 nd	Nyah Twomey
Year 1		Year 6	
1 st	Lauren Leigh	1 st	Sophia Clark
2 nd	Jude Spalding	2 nd	Emma Di Lallo
Year 2			
1 st	Eleanor Levy		
2 nd	Jaxon Barnard		



CDF Pay

A reminder that:

Canteen orders close on CDF Pay at 8.45am.

Uniform Orders close on CDF Pay at 10.30am.

Canteen

**A REMINDER THAT THE CANTEEN WILL
BE CLOSED TOMORROW FRIDAY 28
APRIL 2022**

The canteen requires volunteers on Friday mornings from 9.30am to 10.30am. Please contact Jenelle O'Reilly on 0407912701 if you are able to assist. Thank you in advance, your time is very valuable to us!!



**Please click the link above for access to online
Canteen and Uniform Shop Orders.**

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