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## **Acknowledgement of Traditional Custodians**

Sacred Heart acknowledges the traditional custodians of the land on which this school is built. We commit ourselves to working in partnership with Aboriginal people for reconciliation and justice.

Sacred Heart Primary School is committed to child safety. We believe all children have the right to feel safe and to be safe.

## **Good Afternoon everyone**

We thought we would send out a mini newsletter reminding you of important dates for next term.

Thank you to everyone for attending, volunteering and supporting our school fete. We were very blessed the weather stayed clear enabling everyone one to enjoy the host stalls and activities available to us. A special thank-you to Sandy Judd, Robyn Connell and Sam Ridley for the enormous amount of organisation and prize sourcing. Your efforts are much appreciated by our school community.

We are very excited to have Mikaela Cose returning to Sacred Heart, Grade 1 next term. I would like to take this opportunity to thank Mrs Loretta Myers for being part of the Discovery team this term. We are very grateful for Loretta's hard work and dedication, ensuring all students had a wonderful start to their school year.

Finally I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate our children for their efforts this term; they come to school each day enthusiastic to 'learn, wonder and discover.'

Have a fabulous break.

### **Arn Gorman**

| IMPORTANT DATES                       |  |
|---------------------------------------|--|
| Friday 5th April                      | Holy Week Liturgy 10 am followed by<br>student of the week awards<br>Early Finish - 2:30pm |
| Monday 8th - Friday<br>19th April     | SCHOOL HOLIDAYS  |
| Monday 22nd April                     | Easter Monday Public Holiday   |
| Tuesday 23rd April                    | Term 2 Commences   |
| Thursday 25th April                   | ANZAC Day Public Holiday   |
| Friday 26th April                     | Caritas Ks 11:30am   |
| Saturday 27th April                   | St Cuthbert's Anglican Church Fete,<br>Piper Street, Yarrawonga<br>commencing at 9 am      |
| Monday 29th April -<br>Friday 2nd May | Book Fair  |
| Tuesday 30th April                    | Sacrament of Reconciliation<br>Information Meeting at 7 pm                                 |

# Sacred Heart School's Fete













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#### **Dear Parents**

On Friday the 26th of April (first Friday of Term 2) our school will be holding Caritas Ks. This is an initiative of Caritas Australia and is part of the Project Compassion fundraising during Lent. This will be a combined event with Sacred Heart College and will be held here at the primary school campus. The students will walk as a team around the perimeter of the school, over a period of 90 minutes, taking it in turns to carry buckets of water.

Every day, thousands of women and children around the world need to cover many kilometres to fetch water, obtain food, get to school or market, or simply to survive.

By participating in Caritas Ks we provide the opportunity for our students to walk in the shoes of these women and children and others less fortunate while raising money for Caritas Australia. We are asking for a note donation from each family to donate to this worthy cause.

The walking will commence after recess and we will finish with a free sausage sizzle. If any parents are able to help in the cooking of the BBQ please email me.

The children will walk as a team named after one of the country's Caritas does great work in, through Project Compassion. We encourage the students to dress in the colours of the country's flag or something symbolic of the country.

Yr 12 /Prep/ yr 6: Zimbabwe Green/Yellow/Red/Black

Yr7/ Yr 1: Indonesia Red/White

Yr 8/Yr:2: Solomon Islands Blue/Yellow/Green

Yr 9/Yr 3: Bangladesh Red/Green Yr 10/Yr 4: Vietnam Red/Yellow

Yr 11/Yr 5: Australia Indigenous Black/Yellow/Red OR Red/White/Blue OR Green/Gold

For any further information on Caritas Australia or Project Compassion, and where the money we raise from Caritas K's is used; their website <a href="www.caritas.org.au">www.caritas.org.au</a> is full of great information. We thank you in anticipation of your support of this very worthwhile activity and cause. Any queries please feel free to email me on mmcinness001@shyarrawonga.catholic.edu.au or ring me at school.

Yours sincerely

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