



Be Safe, Be Respectful, Be Your Best

Newsletter Term 2 Week 1

MINI BLITZ- Weeks 1 & 2
"Sit down to eat your lunch, then put your rubbish in your class container. You'll be happy knowing that you've done the right thing"

Dear Parents,

Welcome back to Term Two. We got underway on Monday with a wonderful day. Andrew Chinn spent the day with each of the Learning Centres and then completed it with a great family celebration in the MPB that night. All those who came along gave a glowing recommendation to Andrew who was able to get girls and boys alike to come up the front and participate fully in each of the musical items. It's sometimes difficult to express to families the way in which we now go about celebrating our Catholic Identity. Andrew did this beautifully on Monday – mixing music, message and prayer in a most entertaining way.



Mother's Day Liturgy – Our next gathering will be with all our 'Mums' for this year's 'Mother's Day' celebration. It will be held on Friday 6th May at 10.00am in the MPB at the College. We have decided that the large numbers each year make it very difficult for everyone to see in the Mercy Centre so please note the change to the MPB. All welcome!



Book Fair – Our Book Fair will be held in the week leading up to Mother's Day. More information will be in the newsletter over the coming weeks.



ANZAC Day – Once again this year we'll be holding our ANZAC Day Assembly in the Mercy Centre on Friday 22nd April at 10.30am. All are welcome to attend and Kerry Pendergast from the RSL will address the children. We will also have student representatives at the Mulwala, Tungamah and Yarrowonga services again this year.

P & F- Meets this Monday April 18th at 7.30pm, Sacred Heart College. New and existing parents most welcome.

School Board- A reminder that our first School Board Meeting for Term Two will be next Wednesday 20th April at 6.00pm.

Anaphylaxis & Asthma Information – On the last day of Term One all staff were involved in both Anaphylaxis and First Aid updates. It was a timely reminder for us to remind parents of the importance of updating their management plans in these areas. If you identify your child as Anaphylactic or a sufferer of Asthma it is your responsibility to visit your GP each year to update your plans. These plans are then placed in clear sight in the schools Sick Bay for all staff to follow if an incident occurs. Our Administration Staff will be quite vigilant in following parents up to return these details if we have not received them to date.

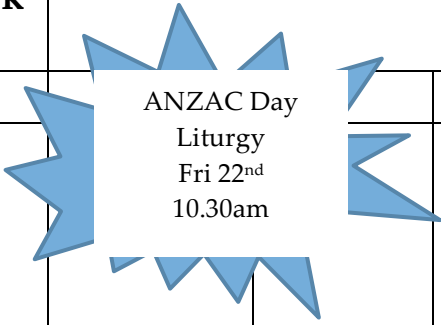
Before & After School Care – For those families interested in 'BEFORE' school care we are seriously considering this option now as well. Please notify the school or EXTEND and we will make a decision as soon as we get an indication of consistent numbers attending.

School Fees – Just a reminder to those families who have not made arrangements with the office regarding the payment of school Fees to please do so as soon as possible. Getting into a structured arrangement can make payment of the fees more achievable if families have any concerns regarding the cost.

Thank you.

Paul

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.

Week	Term 2						
			Wed 13 th	Thu 14 th	Fri 15 th	Sat 16 th	Sun 17 th
1	 ANZAC Day Liturgy Fri 22 nd 10.30am			Soccer Clinics Yrs 1-3	Woods Point Visit- 6L Parish Mass- 1/2T & 3H Assembly 2.50pm		
	Mon 18 th	Tue 19 th	Wed 20 th	Thu 21 st	Fri 22 nd	Sat 23 rd	Sun 24 th
2	P & F Meeting SHC 7.30pm	Year 4 Camp - Great Aussie Resort	Year 4 Camp - Great Aussie Resort * Board Meeting 6.00pm		* ANZAC Day Liturgy- 10.30am * Woods Point Visit- 5B * Parish Mass- 3G & 4K * Assembly 2.50pm		
	Mon 25 th	Tue 26 th	Wed 27 th	Thu 28 th	Fri 29 th	Sat 30 th	Sun 1 st
3	ANZAC Day (No School)				* Woods Point Visit- 1/2H * Parish Mass- 4W & 4O * Assembly 2.50pm		Children's Mass 10am (Prep & Yr 5/6 to lead)
	Mon 2 nd	Tue 3 rd	Wed 4 th	Thu 5 th	Fri 6 th	Sat 7 th	Sun 8 th
4	Book Fair begins	* Regional Netball Trials- Benalla	* Mother's Day Craft Stall		* Mother's Day Liturgy 10am * Woods Point Visit- 4K * Assembly 2.50pm		Mother's Day Ascension of the Lord
	Mon 9 th	Tue 10 th	Wed 11 th	Thu 12 th	Fri 13 th	Sat 14 th	Sun 15 th
5	* Regional Football Trials Benalla	NAPLAN Testing	NAPLAN Testing	NAPLAN Testing	* Woods Point Visit- Prep A * Parish Mass- 6S & Prep S * Assembly 2.50pm		
	Mon 16 th	Tue 17 th	Wed 18 th	Thu 19 th	Fri 20 th	Sat 21 st	Sun 22 nd
6			* Board Meeting- 6pm		Woods Point Visit- Prep S Parish Mass- 6L & Prep M Assembly 2.50pm		
	Mon 23 rd	Tue 24 th	Wed 25 th	Thu 26 th	Fri 27 th	Sat 28 th	Sun 29 th
7		Reconciliation Parent Information Evening Mercy Centre 7pm	National Reconciliation Week	Ditto (Prep-3)	School Fun Run & Cross Country Woods Point Visit- Prep M		

Religious Education Meegan McInness



Andrew Chinn.

What a fantastic visit we had from Andrew Chinn yesterday. He was quite inspiring and very entertaining as he led the centres through a workshop of music, dance and lots of laughter. The concert last night was also a wonderful experience for all those able to attend and something that Sacred Heart Community will benefit from for a long time. Thank you to the families who joined us last night.

Caritas Ks

Just a reminder if you haven't returned your sponsor book or Project Compassion Box could you please do so ASAP so we can finalise our donation.



TERM 2 DATES

Friday May 6th: Mothers' Day Liturgy 10am

Tuesday May 24th: Parent Information Evening for Reconciliation 7pm Mercy Centre

Friday June 3rd Sacred Heart Day Mass

Sun June 5th Children's Presentation Mass

Thanks

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Welcome back to Term 2.

If you have any issues that you'd like to discuss, regarding your children's education or their social or emotional wellbeing, please feel free to come and see me – my office is in the Admin Block.

Our Breakfast Club is held on Wednesday and Friday mornings, before school, and all are welcome. We thank the dedicated and hard-working St Vinnie's volunteers for making this program possible. The Breakfast Club operates from the canteen.

Easing children's anxiety By Michael Grose – Part 1 - over the next three weeks I will continue the complete article. *Anxiety is normal and part of everyday life. There's no better time than childhood for learning how to cope with anxiety.*

For those with no personal experience of anxiety it can be hard to understand how debilitating it can be. "Come on, get on with it," seems so obvious. Of course, this response is nowhere near adequate.

Most kids experience some anxious moments or have fearful thoughts and feelings from time to time about certain events. These thoughts and feelings prompt them to proceed with caution.

But anxiety and fear can be paralysing. Some kids simply can't stop their 'bad thoughts and feelings'. They can't silence the voice of fear that whispers to them continually

CHILDREN'S CHATTER MATTERS

Activities will be provided each term, focusing on key areas of oral language supporting literacy. Feel free to adjust these activities according to your child's grade level.



Ten activities will be provided over Term Two to help develop your child's vocabulary at home (you may need to adjust the activity to suit your child's level). See if you can think of more activities!

**Have a box of different items collected from around the house, e.g. items found from the playroom, the kitchen, the bathroom and the bedroom. An object is picked out of the box and is named; the next person must supply another word that is related to it. The game continues until a player gets stuck and cannot think of another word. Ask your child to justify how the words are related also – the relationship between the word may not be immediately obvious until they explain it e.g. Pig – Sheep – Cow (all farm animals) – flamingo, galah (all pink)

Active April

Active April is now in full swing with our school making a good start. So far as a school community we have completed 216 hours and 35 minutes of exercise.

There has been a great range of activities that people are undertaking. These range from cycling, gardening, running, AFL, Netball, walking and many more. I encourage everyone to keep up the great effort and remember to track your exercise as part of Sacred Heart Yarrowonga.

If you would like to join the Sacred Heart Yarrowonga team, use the link below to register and join our team.

<https://app.activeapril.vic.gov.au>

Andrew Chinn & Friends



**YARRAWONGA &
DISTRICT NETBALL
ASSOCIATION**

WOMENS SOCIAL NETBALL

WHEN:
6PM Wednesday nights
first game 20th April.

WHERE:
Vic Park, Dunlop St Yarrawonga

AGES:
15 + YEARS

COST:
VNA \$69 if not already insured, \$40 Competition Fees.
Both are payable online at mynetball.com.au—search for Yarrawonga, then select Yarrawonga & District NA.

REGISTRATION:
Email Team Info to ydna.netball@gmail.com or message number below.
TEAMS NEED TO BE IN BY 16th APRIL. The sooner the better please.

FOR MORE INFORMATION:
Contact Sarah at ydna.netball@gmail.com
or on 0418301417.

CONGRATULATIONS

To Bindi Thomson and Shane Watson on the arrival of 'Lorelei Scout' on the 10th April 2016 at 7.50am. 7lb 8oz (3340g) A baby sister to Tahlia, Bronte, Rhani and Atticus Thomson.



St Cuthbert's Fete (Cnr Piper and Lynch St)

Saturday 23rd April

9.00am-1.00pm

* Devonshire Teas, craft, cakes, dips, salads, pavlovas, trifles, plants, produce, jams, relishes, sauces, BBQ, Trash and Treasure, Moo Poo, Lucky Dips, Plaster Moulds, Kid's corner with games, Pedal & Shake, face painting & Raffles.

We hope to see you there!

Y&DNA 2016 Competition Details

Competition	Time	Date	VNA Reg	Comp Fee	Total Cost	How to Register
Net Set Go (5-7 yr olds)	4-5pm	Commences Friday 22.04.16	\$49	\$15	\$64	Online via netsetgo.asn.au (click link below)
Rookies (8-10yr olds)		(2nd week Term 2 Vic)	5-11 yrs			
Junior 11 & Under	5-6pm	Runs for 10 weeks		\$49	\$50	Registration Night Wed 23rd March 2016 (last week Term 1 Vic) 4pm - 6pm @ Vic Park
Junior 13 & Under		Concludes Friday 24.06.16	(Last week Term 2 Vic)			
Junior 15 & Under						
Junior 17 & Under						
Senior Social (15yrs +)	6-7pm	Commences Wed 20.04.16 Concludes Wed 22.06.16	\$69 18+ yrs	\$40	\$109	Online via my.netball.com.au

Please return...

The students at times will need access to spare clothing in the admin office e.g. falling in the mud. We ask that parents please return any school clothing your child has been given. We are running low on supplies. Thanks.



LIBRARY



Mrs Ryan has taken Long Service Leave so I will be in the Library for term two.

BOOK FAIR 2016

This year's book fair is fast approaching and will be held in the school Library in Week 4 - May 2nd to May 6th. It will be great opportunity to buy good quality books for your children as well as supporting our school Library .

I have included a form in this week's newsletter asking for volunteers to assist with the Book Fair. If you are able to spare some time to help, please return the completed form to school or send a note with your preferred day and time, name and phone number. A hard copy of the form will also be sent home in Week 3. Thank you.



BOOK FAIR DETAILS

DATES AND TIMES OF BOOK FAIR

Monday 2nd May - Book Sales 3:15pm - 5pm
Tuesday 3rd May - Book Sales 8:30am - 9 am, 1:10 pm - 1:50pm , 3:15pm - 5pm
Wednesday 4th May - 8:30am - 9am , 3:15 - 5pm
Thursday 5th May - Book Sales 8:30am - 9 am, 1:10 pm - 1:50pm , 3:15pm - 5pm
Friday - Book Sales 8:30am - 11am.

Looking forward to seeing you all at our Book Fair !!

Loretta Myers

LEADERSHIP CENTRE NOTICES

Home Reading

The leadership students are reminded that they are required to complete 80mins of reading for the week. Parents need to sign off in diaries each night of reading. It would be great if students spent some time reading to an adult and discuss what is happening in the text. This helps with comprehending and understanding of what they are reading. Parents are also reminded to please remember sign off on the weekly goal setting sheet. This needs to come back to school Friday morning.

Mathletics

The Leadership Year 5 & Year 6 students have sign in cards to access Mathletics. This is a fabulous online program that students have access to at anytime. Students are strongly encouraged to use this at home as well. It is a great program that reiterates what the students have covered in class.



BOOK FAIR

If you are able to spare some time please help out at our school fair

Tick the time you will be able to help, write your name and telephone number, then return the form to school.....or send a note with the date, time, phone number and name.

- Monday 2nd May Book Sales 3:15pm - 5pm
- Tuesday 3rd May 8:30 am - 9 am
- Tuesday 3rd May 1:10pm - 1:50pm
- Tuesday 3rd May Book Sales 3:15pm - 5pm
- Wednesday 4th May Book Sales 3pm - 5pm
- Thursday 5th May 1pm - 1:50pm
- Thursday 5th May Book Sales 3:15pm - 5pm
- Friday 6th May 8:30am - 11am
- Friday 6th May Pack Up 11am - 2pm

NAME _____

PHONE NUMBER _____

ELDEST CHILDS CLASS _____

Thank you for your help !!!
Loretta Myers



Kids only CLUBHOUSE



MyGolf is Australia's national junior golf program for kids between the ages of 5-12. A fun, healthy and safe way to start learning the basics of the game, MyGolf is a structured program with three levels depending on your age and skill level.

ALL PARTICIPANTS CAN RECEIVE A FANTASTIC MYGOLF GIVEAWAY PACK

- Drawstring bag
- MyGolf cap
- PVC golf ball

REGISTER AT MYGOLF.ORG.AU



Yarrowonga Mulwala Golf Club Resort is offering a 10-week junior clinic this term.

\$70per child for Term 2

Starts Wed 20th April 4pm-5pm



**Thursday,
26th May
10am-12noon**

**Presented by
Friends in
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BIGGEST
MORNING TEA**

Tickets \$8 available at
Mulwala Water Ski Club
on the day