Mater Christi Catholic Primary School Newsletter

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Dear Parents and Caregivers



SCHOOL MANTRA 2018

"Be a voice, not an echo"

Dear Parents and Caregivers

Sunday Gospel Mark 4: 26 - 34.

The second parable we will hear in the Gospel of Mark on Sunday is about the kingdom of God. It is described by the smallest of seeds, the mustard seed. When fully grown it is the biggest shrub of all



and yes, it puts out branches so that the birds of the air can shelter in its shade. Jesus used parables to describe what he wanted to talk about. The Mustard Seed parable is about the growth in the kingdom of God. Like any seed if you feed it and tend to it, it will grow and blossom into something fruitful. Our faith is a bit like that. How is each on our faith garden's going? Have we pruned it and moved away the weeds? Have you fertilised it and given it food for the journey?

The Good Cup

Next Wednesday, June 20th from 8:30-10am the Good Cup will be open in the Community Centre. All parents are welcome to share

in a warm cuppa, good conversation and maybe even meet new friends.

DATES FOR NEXT WEEK (WEEK 8)

Monday 18th June Tuesday Interschool Lightning Carnival 19th June Year 3B Class Mass Uniform Shop Open Times:

8:10-10:30am 1:20-3:20pm

Wednesday The Good Cup Café Open: 20th June 8:30-10am

School Banking

8:10am SRC Meeting

Year 6A/B Class Mass Thursday 21st June **Pre-Primary Cross Country**

Friday 9am Assembly Year 6 22nd June

Saturday

23rd June Sunday Feast of the Birth of John the 24th June **Baptist**

Year 6 Assembly

Our next Assembly on Friday, 22nd June at 9am will be the last item assembly for our Year 6 students. Everyone is invited to come along for an amazing show.

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Holy Communion

This weekend, the children preparing for their First Holy Communion will make their commitment to the program and Sacrament during the Saturday 6pm and Sunday 10am Masses. We keep them and their families in our prayers.

Upcoming Dates:

Monday 25th June

• Cross Country Carnival Years 1-6

Friday 29th June

- Free Dress Day
- Last day of Term 2

Monday 16th July

Pupil Free Day

Tuesday 17th July

- School resumes First Day of Term 3.
- Monday 20 August Pupil Free Day (Staff Catholic Day)
- Friday 21st September Last Day Term 3

I wish all our Year 5 and 6 students taking part in the Interschool Lightning Carnival the very best.

Happy weekend everyone.

God Bless, Toní Kalat



Religious Education

This morning our Year 1 Classes prepared and celebrated together with the whole school a Mass dedicated to the charitable works of St Vincent De Paul. The Mass highlighted how our generous Mater Christi Community lives by our motto of "Charity in our Hearts". Father Joe in his Homily, talked about how when we give through love our hearts expand and we can become a beacon for others as Jesus wants us to be. Our Winter Appeal finishes next Friday June 22 and the St Vincent De Paul volunteer workers will be back again to gather our collection of food and give to those in need this winter. Thank you to our Year 1 Teachers for organising today's Mass and a special thank you to our Year 1 student readers who practised very hard every night and read so beautifully.

Year 5 Christian Service

Last Thursday, a select number of Year 5 students attended Christian Service at Frank Prendergast House. Here are some wonderful images from the day. Thank you for all involved – the service you provide the elderly is invaluable. Judging from the smiles on faces, it certainly brightens up their day.







HOLY COMMUNION REMINDER

Some upcoming important dates are: (See your online booking for your session time)

• Holy Communion Commitment Masses: Saturday 16 June 6pm OR Sunday 17 June 10am.

These are compulsory for all Communion Candidates and families.

Be Good. God Bless, Mr Hofmeester – Religious Education

St Vincent De Paul Winter Appeal

Thank you for your DonationsMr Turner (Eveylyn, PPC) arrived the other day with a significant donation from Coles Beeliar to present to the St Vincent de Paul Winter Appeal. Thank you very much to Coles for their support, along with all of the school families involved.













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Rainbows

When something significant happens in the family, the whole family is affected. Even though death and divorce appear to be a grown-up problem, it does have a profound effect on the children it touches. Rainbows is a program designed especially for children who are living in single parent families, or families going through significant changes.

Rainbows fosters emotional healing among children grieving a loss from a life-altering crisis or other significant changes in their life. Rainbows provides a safe, confidential and caring environment for young people to sort through their pain and confusion, build self-esteem and learn coping tools to deal with their change, loss and grief. The goal is to assist participants in expressing feelings, understand and talk about these feelings and to learn to let go of them and get on with living. The facilitator assists the participants in expressing feelings.

The program consists of twelve weekly sessions conducted during school hours. This year the staff member trained to facilitate the Rainbows Program is Michelle Romano. If you are interested in your child participating, please email admin@mcps.wa.edu.au or speak to your child's classroom teacher.



Congratulations

Congratulations are in order for the Liew Family! Well done to Isaac (6C) for being accepted into the Gifted and Talented Music Program at Churchlands Senior High School. We're so proud of you!



Welcome!

We would like to extend a warm welcome to the Kim family – Jee Na, 5C and Violet, 4C and to the Bloom Family – Isabella, KA. We hope you are settling into the school community well.

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Well done to the following students who will be receiving a Merit Award at next Friday's assembly.

PPA	Harmony Sestich and Avery Neira		
PPB	Riley Vanswam and Millie Hegney		
PPC	Indiana Moutinho, Madeline De Sousa and Kobe Bray		
1A	Sophia Velnoweth and Benjamin Collins		
1B	Sofia Manfirani Collazos and Kaden Edwardes		
1C	Madison Huggett and Eli McGivern		
2A	Cristian Spano and Alonzo Rodriguez		
2B	Elijah Lim and Kiara Artemis		
2C	Thomas Boatwright, Elliya Payne and Lilly Martin		
3A	Isabelle Swann, David Barros and Xandar Novelli		
3B	Thomas Stevens, Chevy Basilio and Kayla Trolio		
3C	Makayla Barber, Isaac Corlett and Isabella Pelosi		
4A	Lucas Phoebe and Ziba Thomas		
4B	Pari Patel and Tomas McAleer		
4C	Alexis Triplett, Miles Harding and Abbey Rivett		
5A	Kade Pelosi and Bianca Dias		
5B	Nathan Long, Zac Johnston and Ava Hampel		
5C	Jorge De Oliveira, Madison Hadley and Christianne Santos		
6A	Annabelle Siah and Zoe Perez		
6B	Blake Martin and Sienna Law		
6C	Joss Stewart and Jessica Wakeling		



Cross Country - 2018



PROGRAMME OF EVENTS (Monday 25th June)

EVENT	YEAR GROUP S	TART TIME (Approx.)
EVENT 1:	YEAR 1 GIRLS(2 Laps)	9:05AM
EVENT 2:	YEAR 1 BOYS	9:10AM
EVENT 3:	YEAR 2 GIRLS(2 Laps)	9:15AM
EVENT 4:	YEAR 2 BOYS	9:25AM
EVENT 5:	YEAR 3 GIRLS(Bush/Oval 1 k	m) 9:30AM
EVENT 6:	YEAR 3 BOYS	9:40AM
EVENT 7:	YEAR 4 GIRLS(1.5km)	11:10AM
EVENT 8:	YEAR 4 BOYS	11:25AM
EVENT 9:	YEAR 5 GIRLS	11:40AM
EVENT 10:	YEAR 5 BOYS	11:55AM
EVENT 11:	YEAR 6 GIRLS(2km)	1:25PM
EVENT 12:	YEAR 6 BOYS	1:40PM
ANNOUNCEMENTS (over P.A)		3:00PM (If Time)
PRESENTATION OF SHIELD	NEXT ASSEMBLY	

Pre-primary Classes will run their race on Friday 22nd June at 11:00am.

The Cross Country will only be cancelled in severe weather.

<u>Times are approximate</u>. Be early to avoid disappointment!

P&F News

KA Play Catch-Up

Date: Friday 22nd June

Time: 9am

Where: Chipmunks Play Centre, Bibra Lake

RSVP: Not required.

All enquiries to Laura Anchor on 0422 970 557

Year 1A. Dinner Date: 22nd June Time: 7pm

Where: Last Drop, Beeliar

RSVP: As soon as possible to Tanya Forzatti on 0417 181 841

Year 2C Catch Up (Siblings are most welcome)

Date: 21st June Time: 1pm

Where: The Vale, Beeliar

RSVP: to Jessica Boatwright on 0421 695 195

Year 3B Catch Up Date: Friday 29th June

Time: 7pm

Where: The Vale, Beeliar

RSVP: to Simone Douglas on 0421 518 615 by the 25th June.

Year 4 Combined (A, B & C) Catch Up

Date: Friday 22nd June

Time: 10:30am

Where: Jamaica Blue, Beeliar

RSVP: to your Class Parent Representative. For more information, call Nicole on 0403 253 179.

CHIPMUNKS Playland & Café









Community News



Empowered Girl: Confidence, Self-esteem & Resilience School Holiday Workshops

Would you like to help your daughter boost her self-confidence, improve her self-esteem, learn how to develop positive friendships and build resilience?

Based in Success, book now for an Empowered Girl workshop for girls in Years 3 & 4 and Years 5 & 6. Small groups guaranteed. Book early and take advantage of the Early Bird pricing.

Empowered welcomes girls aged 8-18. Term programs coming soon.

Book online of empoweredgirlssorperth or Eventbrite.com.au Tel 0412746503 enquiries@empoweredwa.com.au Empowered, Unit 7, 640 Beeliar Drive, Success







Triple P Positive Parenting Program

You are invited to attend a Group Triple P. Triple P teaches positive, practical and effective ways to manage common issues which most parents will face.

Parents will learn effective parenting strategies such as ways to encourage behaviour you like, how to promote your child's development and how to prevent or manage common child behaviour problems.

The next FREE 8-week Group is held:

When: Location: RSVP: Starting 24 July 2018 Willagee Community Centre Bookings are essential and places are limited.



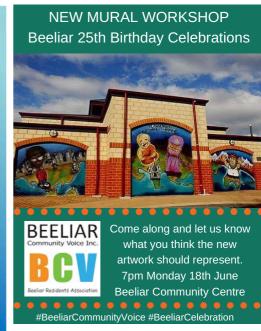
To book online www.trybooking.com/VYMW

Unable to book online? Please call 1300 749 869

To find other available programs visit our website www.healthywa.wa.gov.au/parentgroups

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