Mater Christi Catholic Primary School Newsletter

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Dear Parents and Caregivers



SCHOOL MANTRA 2019

"Find happiness in making others happy" – Mary MacKillop

Feast of the Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)



This Sunday we celebrate the solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ. Jesus' ministry was a giving of himself for others which came to a climax on the cross. The Last Supper is strategically placed in the Gospel narrative as the summation of Jesus' ministry and the anticipation of his self-giving on the cross. So, too, with us and Eucharist: it is the source and summit of our own self-giving in ministry

and life. Eucharist sustains us through Ordinary Time to live out our identity and mission of self-giving. Truly this Bread and this Wine is the real presence of Christ. Just as truly are we who consume this Bread and Wine the Body of Christ. The children preparing to receive their First Holy Communion later in the year will make their commitment at this weekend's Masses. I know you will join me in praying for them as they take this next step on their journey with Jesus.

Loving God, everyday reminds us of your love and care. In Jesus, your Son, we have food from heaven, our daily bread.

Bless us as we make our commitment in preparing to receive Jesus in Holy Communion.

May we come closer to Jesus and to each other. Amen.

Dates for Next Week (Wk 9)

Monday Feast of St John the Baptist 24th June Interschool Lightning Carnival Tuesday Football/Soccer (Beale Park) 25th June Netball/Volleyball (Gibson Park) School Banking

2A Class Mass

Wednesday 26th June

Uniform Shop Open 8:00-10:30am 1:20-3:20pm

Reconciliation Parent/Child Workshop 4:30-5:30 & 6-7pm (MCCC)

Year 5 Market Day

Reconciliation Parent/Child Thursday 27th June

Workshop 4:30-5:30 and 6-7pm (MCCC)

6C Class Mass

Friday 28th June

4A Class Mass

Saturday Feast of Sacred Heart of Jesus 29th June

Sunday 30th June

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Year 2 Assembly

Today, we were thoroughly entertained by our Year Two students putting forward impressive persuasive arguments as to which faction is the best. The final outcome is that all are 'simply the best' and that we at Mater Christi are 'champions'. Thank you to the Year Two students and their teachers for a very entertaining and energetic Assembly.



Cyber Security Incidents

Catholic Education Western Australia (CEWA) has recently been subject to targeted cyber security incidents.

As CEWA has systems and measures in place to monitor and respond to cyber security incidents, the impact of recent incidents was quickly mitigated. In this instance, CEWA also engaged a specialist cyber security firm to review and validate CEWA's processes and mitigation actions.

Often, with sophisticated attacks of this nature, there is the risk that individual users may inadvertently provide access to data. CEWA IT continues to monitor activity in our systems in this regard.

This incident is a timely reminder that all in our school communities should be aware of the measures to take to keep their data secure online.

To support you in being informed please click on the link to read the CEO Cyber Security Incidents Statement as it includes a guide to managing individual cyber security.

https://bit.ly/2FhxHIX

Nationally Consistent Collection of Data on School Students with Disability (NCCD)



Collection of Data School Students with Disability

The NCCD process requires all schools to provide information to the Federal Nationally Consistent Government on students with disability: physical, cognitive, sensory or social/emotional needs. Please click on the following link to read the information in full. If you have any queries please contact the School Office.

https://bit.lv/2Isl5AB

Interschool Lightning Carnival

Next Tuesday our Year 5 & 6 students will take part in football, soccer, netball and volleyball games against other schools. We wish them the very best for this day and the competition. Let's hope the sun shines and it is a very pleasant day for all.

God Bless, Toní Kalat

School News



2019 Data Collection Forms

A pink data collection form was sent home with your eldest child a couple of weeks ago. Regardless of whether there have been changes to your circumstances, the school requires a completed form for each of your children. Please ensure you return this to the Front Office as soon as possible. If you have misplaced your form, there are spare copies in the Front Office. Thank you.



Condolences

As a school community, we extend our condolences to the Zuvela family (3B) on the recent passing of their Grandfather. Prayers and thoughts are also offered to the Luong family (6C), who not long ago lost their Grandmother. We pray for your families and those who have died, that they may be welcomed into God's loving arms. We pray that their passing, whilst marked with sadness, is a time of peace, love and wonderful memories for you all.

Interschool Lightning Carnival

Here are a few important details concerning the CPSSA Interschool Lightning Carnival on Tuesday 25th June. Buses will depart Mater Christi at 8:30am SHARP to transport all competitors to their venues. Children will be transported back to school before the end of the school day.



Venues:

- Football: Santich Park, Spearwood
- Soccer: Beal Park, Spearwood
- Netball: Gibson Oval/Courts
- Volleyball Gibson Oval/Courts

Parent Help

The coaches of the various teams may require help on the day and this would be greatly appreciated.

Order of Events

All sports will be played in a round robin format. Coaches will have fixtures for each event. Fixtures are also available on the CPSSA website or on <u>https://peatmc.blogspot.com/</u>

Thank you, Mr Donnelly (Physical Education)

Woolworths Earn and Learn Rewards Stickers

Tuesday, 25th June is the final day Woolworths are distributing Earn and Learn stickers to their customers. If you have any stickers, please give them to the ladies in the Front Office. Thank you!



This Week in Class:

This week Mrs Hill's Year 3 class made honey joys for procedure writing!





Religious Education

Bishop's LifeLink Appeal

6B's Page from the Big Book of Love



Making Jesus Real

"Listening People are Interested in People"

We listen with our eyes as well as our ears. Too many of us today have selective hearing, that is, we can switch off. The "in" word in sport today is "Focus" and we too have to focus on what people are telling us. We would be better students and people if we developed our listening skills ore. A good listening skill to achieve is to ask a question about something your friend has just told you. Did you enjoy it? How long did it take to get there? Were you surprised by how good it was? That shows you that you are interested in what he or she told you. You are then practising being an Active Listener.





Important Information regarding Reconciliation and First Holy Communion

<u>Commitment Masses</u> for First Holy Communion and Reconciliation are this weekend at the Mater Christi Parish. The Mass times are either 6pm Saturday or Sunday at 8am, 10am or 5pm. Attendance at this Mass is compulsory.

<u>Reconciliation Parent/Child Workshops</u> are on next Wednesday and Thursday. Session times are either 4:30-5:30 or 6-7pm in the MCCC. Attendance at this is compulsory.



Year 2 Assembly

The Year 2 students have been working on persuasive texts throughout the term. This work has helped them develop a very convincing production at their assembly this morning. Each of the school factions took a turn arguing why their Faction was the best in the school. The jury is still out however as to whether the Dockers or Eagles are the better team! The Assembly was a

wonderful display of everyone's hard work – well done Year 2's – it was thoroughly entertaining.













Year 5 Christian Service

Yesterday a select number of the Year 5 Students visited Frank Prendergast House to provide Christian Service. Their activities involved gardening and spending time with the elderly. This is an invaluable experience for the children as it provides the opportunity to offer their time to others, developing a rapport with people other than their peers and family and giving witness to Making Jesus Real.











Pre-Primary Parade "When I Grow Up"

This term, the Pre-Primary children have been exploring our community and the people within it. They have been thinking about what they would like to be when they grow up.

This Wednesday, the children came to school dressed up in their ideal future career costumes, ready for a parade! Thank you to all the parents who assisted in dressing their children up for the parade!



Year 4 Excursion to Emmanuel Catholic College

Our Year 4 students were taken on an excursion to Emmanuel this week. The children, led by Mrs Woodhouse, Mrs Nuttall, Mrs Hills and Mr Magry were impressed with the school's facilities and the subjects and opportunities on offer. They enjoyed meeting students from other Primary Schools who may attend Emmanuel Catholic College

for Year 7. Thank you to the staff and student leaders of Emmanuel for hosting this event for our children.









P&F News

P&F Inaugural Quiz Night

Saturday 24 August, 7.30pm (doors open at 7pm). Book tickets @ <u>www.stickytickets.com.au/86763</u> tables of 8-10 for \$80. Keen to help out? Join our quiz committee or simply let us know what skills you have to offer before or on the night! Donations - we are seeking donations for the prizes and auctions. If you know a local business that would be keen to donate to our night please let us know. We appreciate any donation!

Parent Social Events



PPA Parents Dinner When: Saturday, 6th July at 7:30pm **Where:** The Vale **RSVP:** Please RSVP to Sarah Lentz on 0405 520 431 by 1st July.

3A Parents Dinner When: 5th July at 6:30pm **Where:** The Vale **RSVP:** 28th June to Loretta Formato on 0413 802 556 or Clare Yakas 0421 118 511



3B Playdate

When: Friday 28th June at 3:30pm
Where: Croc's Playland Jandakot
RSVP: Please RSVP to Catherine Richards by 25th June on 0426 972 929.





Year 6 Social All parents IO <u>e</u> TE Pizzeria Ristorante



25 June 2019 (Tuesday evening) 7pm -10 pm 8 / 660 Beeliar Drive, Success RSVP by 22 June to your reps 6A:- Tina 0405 332 597 6B:- Michele 0416 149 570 6C:- Bev 0419 907 040 Note:- **NO Split billing** - bring cash

Community News

Women Prompting Change in the Church- Wednesday June 26, 6-9pm

Catholic women are warmly invited to a free panel discussion with: Theologian Dr Margaret Scharf OP, Anglican Priest Rev Tess Milne and Religious Studies scholar Scilla Stack discussing the role of women in the Christian Church and their thoughts on the way forward, followed by an open discussion.

Date: Wednesday 26 June from 6.00 - 9pm. Light refreshments served from 6 - 6.30pm.

Venue: Gibney Hall Trinity College, 2 Trinity Ave Perth (parking available, Red & Yellow CAT buses travel to Hale St).

RSVP: by 23 June to Kerry on 08 93975988 or SMS to 0400 886 835 or email kerrymac4@hotmail.com



Overnight Walking Marathon for the Ronald McDonald House Charities

Are there any parents/teachers/friends who would be interested in participating in the Up All Night Walking Marathon in late November? This is to support the families of sick children when they are in hospital. It's a 42km overnight walk in Perth. Can interested people to please call Lesley Pascuzzi 0409913545 or Lesleypascuzzi@hotmail.com

