NEWSLETTER: 17th September 2014

PRINCIPAL’S MESSAGE

Dear Parents

This morning I had the pleasure to attend the Kings Park festival that the Years Pre Primary, Year 1, 2 and 3 participated in. They had a huge choice of activities ranging from hearing stories about living in the bush, seeing and touching native animals, watching dance and making boats. A huge thank you to all of the staff for organising the whole day and also a big thank you to the parents who came along to help out.

Next Monday is our inter school athletics carnival at Challenge Stadium. Good luck to all of our competitors on the day, I am sure that they will do their best and make us proud. Miss Wise has done a great job organising the event this year as we are the host school on the day.

Our vegetable garden has been going well over the last few weeks, with the environmental council helping classes plant seeds and seedlings for the spring season. We hope to have enough produce in the fourth term to sell at our Friday assemblies. This has now been completed, thanks to Vic our grounds person. We are going to cordon off a section of the oval near the hall to allow growth to the lawn in the coming weeks. Vic has also pruned the trees on the oval to promote more outward growth and more shade in the years ahead.

Last week we had to do maintenance on our bore which supplies our water to the oval and all of our gardens. This has now been completed, thanks to Vic our grounds person. We are going to cordon off a section of the oval near the hall to allow growth to the lawn in the coming weeks. Vic has also pruned the trees on the oval to promote more outward growth and more shade in the years ahead.

Chris Dunning - Principal

IMPORTANT SCHOOL DATES

| Sept  | 17     | School Board Meeting - 6.30pm Staffroom   |
|       | 19     | P&F Meeting - 7.30pm Library             |
|       | 22     | Interschool Athletics Carnival - Challenge Stadium |
|       | 24     | Year 5 & 6 Class Mass - 9am Sacred Heart Church |
| Oct   | 13     | School Concludes                        |

IMPORTANT: Parents please note when sending emails to the school, including all student absences or other, please use the school administration email and NOT individual administration staff.

ATTACHMENTS

- P&F School Banking

TERM 3, WEEK 9

Interschool Athletics Carnival
Monday, 22nd September 2014
Perry Lakes 9.30am

A letter has been sent home to students who will be participating in the carnival. We would love to see you at the carnival and appreciate your support. A spectator fee of approx. $3 may apply.

Training for Inters will be on Friday commencing at 7.45am.

Miss Kristy Wise (Physical Education Teacher)

Pre Primary and Year One Family Mass

Last Sunday’s PP and Year One Mass was a beautiful occasion. We thank Ms Previti, Mrs McHardie and Mrs Ammoscato for preparing the children so beautifully to read, sing and play instruments during this special Mass. A big thank you also to the parents who very kindly did the First and Second Readings.

To add to the meaningfulness of the Mass, six of our lovely year four students received Jesus for the first time in Holy Communion. We congratulate Jemma Chung, Lauren Davidson, Jorja Nunn, Joshua Nillsen, Xander Quaid and Valentino Tartaglia, and pray as a community that the significance of this Sacrament will stay with them always.

Mrs Anna Sheehy (Assistant Principal)

The Sacred Heart P&F’s Generous Donation to the Shanti Sadan School, India

A huge thank you goes to our wonderful P&F. Recently, a very successful Sausage Sizzle and Cake Stall was held at the IGA in Second Ave, Mt. Lawley.

From the proceeds, the P&F have very generously donated $550.00 towards the Shanti Sadan (also known as St. Mary’s) School, in Southern India. This is a great example of community spirit, and caring for our sisters and brothers in need. I know that this donation will be gratefully accepted by the OLM Sisters, and put to meaningful use.

Mrs Anna Sheehy (Assistant Principal)

Pre Kindy Enrolments 2015

Places are available for Pre Kindy 2015. Children must be 3y.o when they commence and born between 1/7/11 and 30/6/12.

If you are interested in enrolling your child, please see the school office staff for further information.

SCHOOL AWARDS - to be presented at assembly on Friday

Pre Primary Principal Award

Tim Northway

Year 1 Frankie Demarte

Year 2 Vanthi Pham

Year 3 Victoria Mille

Year 4 Eloise Monaghan

Year 5 Lance Buluran

Year 6

Teacher Award

Evie Stewart

Alex Carson

Lucia Grondal

Isabella Troy

Kiran Thambiran

Monique Hurt

Maya Marocchi

School Photos - This year our photo day will be in Term 4 Week 1, Wednesday 15th October. The students will be in Summer uniform for our photos this year.

Mr Adrian Torrese (Assistant Principal)
Parish Children's Liturgy Group - We would like to thank Maria Devlin and Alana Oatham for the wonderful job they have done organising the Children's Liturgy for the past few years. All the time and effort they have put in over the past 5 years is very much appreciated. From Term 4 2014, Jenni Del Marco (Year 2/Pre-Primary Mum) and Kathryn Bond (Year 2/Kindy Mum) will be taking over the coordination of the Children's Liturgy. If you would like to find out more or if you might be interested in helping out with the Liturgy, please talk to Kathryn (0404356869) or Jenni (0438447100). Training and/or buddy support can be provided as you start on this rewarding role in the parish.

Over the next few weeks during Art Classes all students will be designing a "Creative Art Piece" for the Four Term 4 school Fundraiser. The completed art piece can be featured on Calendars, Christmas cards, Diary Covers, Notebooks or iPhone cases. They will make great Christmas gifts for family and friends. Order forms will be put out next week! However if you would like to pre-order or find out further information please email Marissa on marissa@poachpear.com.au

Mrs Barbara Worner (Art Teacher & Librarian)

Learn to swim in a state of the art swimming facility
Trinity College Swim School would like to invite you to take advantage of our state of the art swimming facility and our highly dedicated and experienced teachers by enrolling in our Learn To Swim Program. Enjoy small classes for a more personal and tailored swimming experience.
BOOK NOW FOR TERM 4
Contact Nicole on MOB 040 777 1967 as soon as possible to avoid disappointment.

Dear Families and Friends, The Schoenstatt Movement invites you to join us in celebrating 100 years of Schoenstatt.

When: Sunday, 19th October 2014 2pm
Solemn Holy Mass with Archbishop Emeritus Barry J. Hickey
Where: 9 Talus Drive Mt. Richon, Armadale
www.schoenstattwa.org.au Ph. 9399 2349
A Plenary Indulgence can be obtained in our Schoenstatt Shrine until 26th October 2014. Concludes: with refreshments.

VacSwim 2014/15 Enrolments now OPEN
Enrolments for December/January programs are now open. Swimming pools and beaches are a vital part of our WA lifestyle. It is important for every child to learn to swim and develop essential water safety skills. VacSwim’s school holiday swimming programs are conducted by qualified instructors who teach children the skills to be confident swimmers and safe in the water. For further information and online enrolments visit education.wa.edu.au/swimming or 9345-4007.

January Programs
Program 1 enrolments close 17th November 2014
Program 2 enrolments close 24th November 2014
Brochures have been sent home with students this week.

P&F Meeting: Wednesday 17th September 2014 in the School Library at 7.30pm.

Entertainment Books 2014: There are only a very small number of books left and you can still purchase the digital memberships. Use the link below to order your book or digital membership.

School Bags - Old style school back packs are available at $60 and new trolley bags (no school logo attached) are now available at $75. Please see the office staff if you would like to make a purchase.

School banking: Every Tuesday morning in the Library. If you would like to sign your child up please contact Linda Manno on 0408 935 702. During Term 3 we are running a competition where one of our own School Bankers will win an iPad Mini! Be sure to make a deposit every week for extra chances to be in the draw. You don't have to bank a lot, you just need to make regular deposits! The competition is only open to children who currently attend Sacred Heart Primary School. All registered School Bankers will receive an entry ticket into the draw. Anyone who starts banking this term will receive bonus entry tickets too.

Clairly Maine (P&F Chair - pf@shpsh.wa.edu.au)

P&F

Canteen
9422-7945

Week 9
Soup of the Week
MINESTRONE
Thursday 18th Sept Volunteer Required
Friday 19th Sept Volunteer Required

Week 10
Soup of the Week
CHICKEN
Wednesday 24th Sept Anh Mott
Thursday 25th Sept Volunteer Required
Friday 26th Sept Volunteer Required

COMMUNITY
Sacred Heart Highgate: Term Three School Banking

One lucky Sacred Heart Student will

Win an iPad Mini

All current Sacred Heart students who are registered school bankers, will automatically receive ONE TICKET into the draw.

Receive ONE BONUS TICKET into the draw every time you make a deposit during the term.

Make a deposit every single week and you will get FIVE BONUS TICKETS.

This competition is open to every student in the school, so if you open a new Youthsaver account and make your first deposit at school during the term, you will receive THREE BONUS TICKETS.

- School Banking takes place in the Library from 8.30 – 9am every Tuesday morning of the school term.
- Competition starts Tuesday 22 July and runs for 10 weeks, ending on Tuesday 23 September 2014.
- The one and only prize is an Apple iPad mini (16GB with WiFi valued at $349) will be drawn at assembly on the last day of the term, Friday 26 September 2014
- Competition is open to all students presently enrolled at Sacred Heart Primary School Highgate.
- For any queries regarding School Banking and this competition, contact Linda Manno on 0408 935 702.