



# Newsletter

Term 2 Week 6 Thursday, 30 May 2019

## Principal's Message [principal@olmcsunbury.catholic.edu.au](mailto:principal@olmcsunbury.catholic.edu.au)

Dear Parents,

This week the Year 5/6s have had a wonderful time at their camp in Phillip Island. Although the weather wasn't ideal (unfortunately the weather is one thing we have no control over at any time of the year), they enjoyed their time and were able to step outside of their comfort zone and make some great memories. It is essential that we provide supported experiences for our students to take risks and build their resilience. Thank you to the staff and parents who gave up their time to look after the children.

Congratulations to the Salomon family on the arrival of baby Ruby. Big sister Julia is in Year 2 and big brother Russell will be in prep next year



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### 2019 Term Dates

#### Term 2 :

Tue 23rd April —

Fri 28th June

#### Term 3:

Mon 15th July —

Fri 20th Sept

#### Term 4:

Mon.7th Oct —

Fri 20th Dec (TBC)

The final groups of children will receive the Sacrament of Eucharist for the first time this weekend. The Masses over the past couple of weekends have been very reverent and it has been lovely to see the children looking excited, a little nervous, and beautifully dressed for the occasion. Congratulations to the following children and please keep them in your prayers:

Emma Derriman, Bridie Fish, Ebony Hatzakortzian, Isla Lavelle, Ava Loft, Kiara Vella, Erin Wilson, Jagan Fitzpatrick, Charlotte D'Crus, Chelsea Farrugia, Olivia Grant, Jesse McDonald, Steven Pucar and Thomas Wadden.

Apologies to Eden Zudetich who I left off the list last week. Thank you to the 3/4 teachers, Chris Harper, Christine Cassar and Bianca Cristini, to our REL Colin Healy and to our wonderful Parish Priest, Father Kevin.

URGENT – We still need two families to host Japanese students. Please let me know if you are interested. Thank you to the families who have already volunteered to help out.

### School Closure Day

Friday June 7th

(Staff PD Day)

Public Holiday

Monday June 10th

(Queen's Birthday)

Something you will have heard me talk about a great deal is kindness. I have been doing some reading about the impact of kindness and I would like to share with you what I have found. Sometimes when we get busy it can affect the people around us. It can start with not making time to stop, listen and appreciate others. When we are busy our tone of voice can change and words that have no mean intent can come across as harsh or uncaring. This can snowball and relationships can become strained.

One way to stop this is to deliberately pause, breathe, give ourselves a break and practise kindness to all. Remember, *no act of kindness is too small*, and *every act of kindness sends endless ripples out into the world*. One of the easiest acts of kindness is to use good manners and respect with others – and it doesn't cost a thing!! There is a direct link between increasing empathy and increasing social behaviour, decreasing bullying and also decreasing rates of depression and anxiety.

This focus on kindness takes practice, reminders, modelling and celebrations of success, at school and at home. The negativity bias is part of our human evolution, but every day we have the chance to change this, one kind act at a time.

Here are some discussion points to help you talk about kindness with your child. Good questions include:

- \* Tell me about a time when someone was kind to you. How did it make you feel?
- \* What do you think kindness means and why is it important?
- \* Who is someone in your class you can be kind to? How?
- \* What are the ways you can be kind to people at home, at school and in the community ?

This Sunday we celebrate the Feast of the Ascension of our Lord

### Gospel

Luke 24:46-53

While blessing them, he was taken to heaven

Enjoy the week

Julie

### Survey - School Article

**Our School – Our Parish: “What do you think God is asking of us in our Parish at this time?”** – As a Parish we would like to hear what you think and feel through our Parish Survey. What should we **START** Doing, **STOP** Doing, What do you like about our Parish. All contributions are confidential. The information gained will be used by the Parish Team and Parish Groups in their planning of activities and liturgies. You can contribute on line through the Parish website <https://olmcsunbury.com/> or through the Paper Survey that can be picked up and lodged at both churches, the Parish Office or at our schools. “What do you think God is asking of us in our Parish at this time?” Your voice is the future – Our School – Our Parish

Surveys close 17th June



Congratulations to the  
OLMC cross country team  
who placed first in the  
small schools division

# SPLASH PUPIL OF THE WEEK AWARD



Class	Pupil of the week	Has demonstrated the 3 R's
<b>Prep MR</b>	Lucas Stevens	For being a kind and compassionate friend and responsible class member
<b>Prep R</b>	Jai Pansino	For showing determination and a growth mindset when designing a basket for our zipline!
<b>1 JB</b>	Hudson Gatt	For his amazing collaboration skills in groupwork activities this week-What a great leader! Well done Hudson.
<b>1 S</b>	Ambrosia Caruana	For showing respect in the classroom by listening to others and following instructions.
<b>2 C</b>	Emily Browning	For being positive and having a growth mindset when working on challenging tasks
<b>2R</b>	Evangelina Stavely	For taking responsibility for her learning and choosing partners that support her in a positive way.
<b>3/4 BC</b>	Leo Tait	For displaying creativity in writing a fantastic book on his visit to Melbourne Zoo.
<b>3/4 CC</b>	Emma Derriman	For being a responsible learner and acting on feedback to improve her writing.
<b>3/4 H</b>	Madalyn Moloney	For using the learning disposition of determination on finishing her narrative, "Chloe's wish to a Lamp." Keep up the great writing.
<b>5/6 MT</b>	Khalan Paterra	For showing increased leadership, maturity and effort in class and at camp. Keep it up Khalan.
<b>5/6 R</b>	Jamie Lacy	For working towards making good choices and for being respectful to your peers.
<b>5/6 SF</b>	Matthew Clarke	For using amazing resilience and determination, and for being the only person to complete the challenging low ropes course at camp!

# Bookclub

Dear Parents,

Issue 4 of Ashton Scholastic Bookclub has been sent home today with your child. All orders for Issue 4 need to be returned, or finalised online, by recess on Thursday 6th June.

Thankyou for your ongoing support.

Trish Cairns

**Lost Property Reminder :** please check the lost property cupboard located in the MPR if your child is missing any school items as it is currently overflowing with school uniform & food/drink containers.



All unclaimed/unnamed items will be donated to a pre loved clothing sale (more info later)

A reminder to label all items with your child's name to enable a speedy return. Thank you

## **National Consistent Collection of Data (NCCD) Introducing the new NCCD Portal**

A new Portal has been launched to help school communities participate in the Nationally Consistent Collection of Data on School Students with Disability (NCCD).

Every school is required to submit data to the NCCD. The information gathered helps teachers, principals, education authorities and governments better understand and support students with disability.

There is no change to the data submission process this year. However, school communities can access extra support through a comprehensive online resource.

The new NCCD Portal is packed with free and practical resources to support schools and their communities to participate in the NCCD, including e-learning modules, videos, case studies and templates.

The Portal includes step-by-step guides to the NCCD process, explains why data is collected and what supporting evidence is required, and suggests key timelines for action.

The e-learning modules assist school leaders, teachers and teaching assistants to understand their obligations under the *Disability Discrimination Act 1992*, the *Disability Standards for Education 2005* and more.

Parents, guardians and carers can also find tailored information on the Portal.

For more information on the NCCD, visit [www.nccd.edu.au](http://www.nccd.edu.au).

## OLMC School Fundraiser



Saturday July 27th

Vision  
Portraits



Help your School raise funds this year and book your \$15 family photo today! Include your whole family in the session or just the kids. Book now to secure your place.

Family and Kids Photo Fundraiser  
Go to the booking link below:  
<https://www.visionportraits.com.au/family>  
Password: fundraise2019

# \$15

Your photoshoot will be held at your school & includes one 10" x 13" photo and frame.

100% of your booking fee is fundraised for your School.

📍 @visionportraits



## Bookings Now Open

### Important Information:

Our photographers capture fun, variety and those special family moments. Each session includes photos of different members of the family, children, parents, grandparents and relatives - whatever you request. Immediately after your photo session, you join one of our viewing consultants to view, choose favourites and select your fundraising print. Members of the community outside your organisation are encouraged to also book an appointment; their contribution will be donated to the hosting organisation.

Only 1 booking per family/group. Each person can only appear in one \$15 fundraising photo but can appear in all other photos in any session. If you miss your appointment or are late, your booking will be forfeited. Therefore, we recommend you arrive five minutes before your session starts. There are no refunds for no-shows or late bookings. However, take comfort in knowing that this money will still be donated to the hosting organisation's fundraising efforts.

On the day, we also offer opportunities to purchase additional photos in digital format and order professional prints. If you cannot make the date of this event and would love some photos, then please contact us directly on 03 8689 0033 for further information. Some schools only offer indoor or outdoor photo sessions so please check your online booking schedule.



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 PREMIUM Our Lady of Mount Carmel School PREMIUM  
 Justice in  
 \*\*\* June \*\*\*  
 Pamper Pack  
 June 2019  
 St Vincent de Paul  
 Feast of the Sacred Heart Appeal  
 Toothbrushes. Toothpaste. Face washers. Soap.  
 Shaving cream. Deodorant.  
 St. Vincent de Paul Society of Sunbury

**Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish**  
 The ASRC Foodbank supports nearly 700 people per week, providing free groceries for their families. Many people seeking asylum have no income at all, and the Foodbank offers essential food and groceries to support them. We are most grateful for the support of Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish.  
 All donations great and small are appreciated!






**TOP 10 MOST-NEEDED ITEMS**

1. Coles Group & Myer Gift cards for families to buy essential items \$20, \$30 or \$50
2. Tinned tuna in oil
3. Honey
4. Coconut cream
5. Tinned tomatoes 400g
6. Peanut butter & jam
7. Basmati rice
8. Breakfast cereal
9. Tomato Paste
10. Sweet & savoury biscuits

Donations can be left in the collection boxes in the church foyer by the 26th of June






**THANK YOU FOR YOUR COMPASSION IN ACTION**

**CONTACT US:**  
[foodandgoods@asrc.org.au](mailto:foodandgoods@asrc.org.au)  
 LIKE our Facebook page  
 ASRC Foodbank  
[www.asrc.org.au](http://www.asrc.org.au)

PLEASE NOTE WE DO NOT REQUIRE TINNED SPAGHETTI, SOUP OR BAKED BEANS THANK YOU!

A box for each collection will be in classrooms for donations of above goods

IMPORTANT DATES—2019	
	<b>Term 2</b>
<b>June</b>	
1-2	First Eucharist Masses
7	School Closure Day—Staff PD
10	Queen’s Birthday Public Holiday
13	Fatima House Thrift Shop
17	School Advisory Board Parent Information Session—7pm
18	Confirmation Registration & Information Session—7pm
19	Confirmation Registration & Information Session—2pm
21	Reports sent home
24 & 26	Parent/teacher Interviews
24-26	OLMC Art Show
28	Feast of the Sacred Heart Mass 12.15pm
	End of Term 2

**Prayer Roster** : Monday at 2.45pm OLMC Church— *All Welcome*

DATE	CLASS PRESENTING PRAYER
Monday 3 June	5/6 MT
Monday June 10	Queen’s Birthday Holiday
Monday 17 June	Student RE Team
Monday 24 June	No School Prayer - Feast of the Sacred Heart Mass on June 28th at 12.15



## Fatima Thrift Shop – Thursday, June 13<sup>th</sup> 2019 in the Multi Purpose Room.

Every second year Fatima House runs a Thrift Shop and this year we will be organising and running the shop in second term – June 13<sup>th</sup>.

All money raised goes towards the St Vinnies Winter Appeal - in the past we have purchased blankets and coats with the money raised for those in need. This year we will again be buying blankets.

We have sold toys, books, costume jewellery, jigsaw puzzles and clothing in our other thrift shop years and again we ask that if you have any of these items that your children have out grown that you kindly donate to our shop.

We do ask that whatever you have to donate is in good condition.

So please gather any items and place them in the Multi-Purpose Room for the Fatima staff to look after and store.

Fatima House thank you for your support.

Kindest regards

From the staff and students of Fatima House



OLMC School is participating in the 2019 Woolworths Earn & Learn between now and June 25th.

Please place stickers collected in the boxes located in the foyer outside the school office or in store at Woolworths Sunbury.

Stickers collected will be redeemable for new school equipment



## CHESS CLUB THURSDAY LUNCHTIME

### Are you interested in playing chess?

We will be holding a Chess Club in the library on Thursdays at lunchtime.

You can come along and learn the basics or play against more experienced players.

Hope to see you there.

THURSDAY  
LUNCHTIME  
Begins 9 May 2019

THE LIBRARY

GRADES 3-6  
(P-2 WELCOME BY  
ARRANGEMENT)

CHESS SETS WILL  
BE AVAILABLE OR  
BRING YOUR OWN

CONTACT

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5/6 MT

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## SCHOOL BANKING NEWS

School Banking day is Tuesday

This week 28 Students  
banked \$ 375.75

**Fantastic Effort**



## OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL CANTEEN ROSTER - TERM 2, 2019

31st May	Taryn Paterra Sylvana Doricic Jing Ji
7th Jun	School Closure Day
14th Jun	Raquel Handley Danielle Wadden Nicole Petrie
21st Jun	Michele Shalders Nat Grant Erin Thompson
28th Jun	Barb O'Brien Raquel Handley Jing Ji

Thank you for volunteering to help in the Canteen, it would be impossible without you! Please arrive at Canteen at approximately 10.45, and your assistance will be required until around 2.15pm. If you have long hair, please tie it back, and remember to sign in at the office before coming to the Canteen. Your lunch will be provided on the day.

**If you are unable to attend on your rostered day** please ring Sally on 0400 384 403, as soon as possible so a replacement can be arranged.

I look forward to seeing you,

**Sally Hewitt-Tacey**

### School Uniform News

**SCHOOL SOCKS** Anklet style sizes 9-12, 13-3 & 2-8 - \$4.00 each **\*\*Limited sizes**

Available for sale from the school office - Cash only—correct money appreciated



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**COLLEGE TOURS AND OPEN DAYS**

March	Tuesday 19 March, 9am
April	Friday 26 April, 9am
<b>WEDNESDAY 15 MAY - OPEN DAY</b>	
June	Friday 7 June, 4pm
July	Tuesday 16 July, 9am
August	Thursday 8 August, 9am (2021 Enrolments due 23 August)
September	Monday 9 September, 9am
<b>FRIDAY 25 OCTOBER - OPEN DAY</b>	
November	Tuesday 12 November, 9am

For more information, phone our College Registrar on 9744 0000 or visit [www.salesiansunbury.vic.edu.au](http://www.salesiansunbury.vic.edu.au)

May 27, 2019



## Our Lady of Mount Carmel OSHClub

### Service Information

- Coordinator: Venetia Fernandes
- Educators : Taylor Reid, Erin Mathieson and Melanie Nadjida
- Service number : 0401850518
- Email: ourladyofmtcarmel@oshclub.com.au
- Customer Accounts: 1300 338 691

### Parent Information

#### Come and join us in OSHClub!

In the coming weeks we are having an 'around the world week'. If you have any knowledge or experiences of cultures and/or languages ,we would greatly appreciate you sharing this with us!

**Suggestions:** If you have any feedback , we could really use your assistance to make OSHClub more community friendly. Please come and share your fantastic ideas with our staff members.

### Last Week in Review

In OSHClub we participated in Sustainability week and the children enjoyed learning about our environment through different activities such as gardening, pot painting, recycled art, and outdoor decorating.

When you come in next be sure to check out our new painted garden pallets, sustainability wall mural, and our vegetable garden. The children had lots of fun playing outdoors this week with the beautiful afternoon weather. We can't wait to practice being sustainable again next week.



Olivia decorated our bookshelf with recycled book pages.

*"Sustainability means keeping our planet as it is."*

- Charlotte Loft

Ruby painting with her natural paint brush (left).

Ben, Ashton and Jessie doing their bubble art with recycled bottles and paper straws (middle).

Adele engaging in the garbage sorting activity (right).



## This Week at OSHClub: Sustainability

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
BEFORE SCHOOL CARE				
Planting a vegetable Garden	Create Fantasy Garden Characters	Planting in the garden	Outdoor Painting	Recycled earth pictures
Researching Sustainability	Create Fantasy Garden Houses	Building a Fantasy garden	Can People Art	Wink Murder
AFTER SCHOOL CARE				
Newspaper Art	Art Show Preparation	Recycled Fashions	Art Show Preparation	Earth Popcorn making
Grass Heads	Planting in the garden	Tie Dying	Aboriginal Rock painting	Creating aboriginal rock garden
BREAKFAST				
Selection of Cereals: Wholemeal or raisin bread served with strawberry jam, butter or Vegemite.				
AFTERNOON TEA				
Toasties with choice of cheese, tomato, and vegemite. Seasonal fruits.	Bruschetta served with diced tomatoes, red onion and herbs. Seasonal fruits.	Pizza gamished with mixed herbs, tomato paste and cheese. Seasonal fruits.	Sweet and white potato fired with olive oil, salt, and choice of sour cream . Seasonal fruits.	Yogurt: strawberry and vanilla served with fruits. raisin bread. Seasonal fruits.



## WANT TO PLAY ALL ABILITIES FOOTBALL?

Sunbury United FC are looking for players for an All Abilities team for people with intellectual and physical disabilities.



Contact Jo Spiteri on:

Phone: 0448 566 270

Email: [sunburyunitedfc@hotmail.com](mailto:sunburyunitedfc@hotmail.com)



## Our Lady of Mt Carmel – Altar Servers



### Recruiting Now!!!

Training for young people wishing to become Altar Servers will be held at 11am on Saturday 22 June in St Anne's Church. Applicants must be 10 years of age and have received or about to receive Eucharist. Any inquiries can be directed to 9744-2674.