

# Newsletter

Term 4 Week 7 Thursday, 21 November

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

Dear Parents,

Thank you to Lauren Stott and Bianca Young and their team of helpers for organising the school disco last Friday night. It was a huge success, very well attended and we were able to raise about \$250 for the Bushfire Relief Fund at the same time.

Last weekend Zahra D'Agostino from year 1 competed in an in-house gymnastics competition. Zahra's combined effort in Floor, Vault, Bars and beam earned her a Silver Medal! Congratulations, Zahra

I am thrilled to announce our 2020 School Captains and Vice Captains, after a very thorough speech, voting and interview process. Congratulations to our School Captains - Ben Kelly and Lisa D'Monte and to our School Vice Captains - Myles Luca and Keira Wilson. I know these children will represent our school with pride and confidence and I look forward to working with them closely next year. Well done to all year 5 students who applied for the positions. It was a very difficult choice for all of us. The House Captains will be elected next Monday during house group time.

A reminder that we have our whole school sports day on Monday 2nd December. This day can only run smoothly with a lot of help. Thanks to everyone who has volunteered so far. If you can help out please let us know as soon as possible.

Next Friday we will be holding a casual clothes day and we ask for students to donate items for our Christmas Raffle hampers. Please contribute to this great cause.

Our end of year dance/drama and Christmas concert is being held on Thursday 5th December at 6:30pm at the St Anne's Parish Centre. Children are to wear something comfortable to dance in and it would be great to see some Christmas colours and t-shirts. A separate note will be sent home next week.

This Sunday is the Feast of Christ the King and the last Sunday before Advent begins.

### **Gospel**

Mark 11:9, 10

*Blessed is he who inherits the kingdom of David our Father; blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.*

Enjoy the week.

**Julie**

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### **2019 Term Dates**

#### **Term 4:**

Mon.7th Oct —

Wed 18th Dec

**1.15pm finish**

### **School Closure**

#### **Days**

Mon.9th Dec.

# SPLASH PUPIL OF THE WEEK AWARD



Class	Pupil of the week	Has demonstrated the 3 R's
<b>Prep MR</b>	Ashton Osborne	For using the learning disposition of determination when writing his maths equations
<b>Prep R</b>	Teagan Stephens – O'Brien	For her fantastic contributions to class discussions during maths.
<b>1 JB</b>	Cindy Ji	For her great efforts and improved confidence in Reading and Writing. Fabulous effort Cindy!
<b>1 S</b>	Mason Marinelli	For working extra hard and putting in a sustained effort over the past few weeks across all learning areas!
<b>2 C</b>	Zac Francis	For showing kindness to someone else by inviting them to join in a game.
<b>2R</b>	Julia Salomon	For consistently following our school values in everything she does!
<b>3/4 BC</b>	Lauren DeVeth	For displaying resilience and settling in well to our classroom and OLMC!
<b>3/4 CC</b>	Jagan Fitzapatick	For being a responsible self motivated learner and putting forward his best effort into working independently!
<b>3/4 H</b>	Cooper Sellwood	For having a positive growth mindset and presenting a wonderful information report on horses.
<b>5/6 MT</b>	Ruby Price	For her enthusiasm in learning and helping make our classroom a happy and fun place to learn.
<b>5/6 R</b>	Keisha Debrincat	For showing great initiative within the classroom and helping others without teacher direction.
<b>5/6 SF</b>	Rhys Jones	For being kind and encouraging others to be their best by solving problems together.

Every Wednesday Penola will be raising money selling icy poles to help victims of bush-fires that are happening in NSW and Queensland. The icy poles will be worth 50c and will be available every Wednesday lunchtime in the quiet area. Thank you



## Christmas Hamper Raffle – fundraising event for our school

A note about the OLMC Christmas Hamper Raffle was distributed yesterday. Please keep an eye out for it in your eldest child's school bag.

### Important dates

- **Friday, 29 November – Casual Clothes Day.** Children are asked to bring in a gift on the day, as a contribution to our Christmas Hampers (please see the note for gift ideas)
- **Tuesday, 3 December** – please return raffle tickets and money to school
- **Thursday, 5 December** – raffle drawn at OLMC School Performance Evening. Hope to see you all there xx

## INVITATION!

The Students of the Keyboard Program would like to invite Parents, Teachers, Classmates, Friends and Family, To Our Annual Christmas Keyboard Concert, which will be held in the Multi-Purpose Room on Thursday 12th December

The Students will be performing as a group, and children who choose, will also perform a solo item.

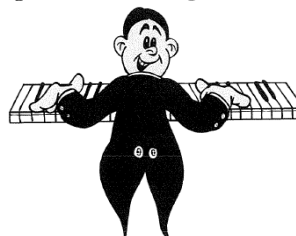
All Students will perform with their grade at the following times;

09.00 am: All Grade 5/6s

09.35 am: All Grade 3/4s

10.10 am: All Grade 1/2s

10.45 am: Preps



We hope you will be able to come and enjoy the beautiful music your children have been practising. They have been working very hard for many weeks, and we are all quite excited! Please be on time as we have so many students performing and we need to run to a tight schedule.

From  
The Keyboard Students  
and Cathy (enquiries 0425-709875)

## 2020 Term Dates

Term 1 : Tuesday 28th January Friday 27th March (Easter : Friday 10th April - Monday 13th April)  
(Preps start January 30th . Year 1 –6 start January 31st)

Term 2 : Tuesday 14th April Friday 26th June

Term 3: Monday 13th July Friday 18th September

Term 4: Monday 5th October Friday 16th December

## IMPORTANT DATES—2019

Term 4	
<b>November</b>	
25	Year 4 parents lap top meeting at 7pm in the MPR
29	Casual clothes day
<b>December</b>	
2	OLMC school sports day
3	Christmas hamper raffle tickets to be returned
5	OLMC school Performance Evening— 6.30pm Parish Centre
9	Student free day—2020 planning day
12	Keyboard Concert - 9am—1pm
13	Thanksgiving Mass—9.30am
16	Whole school moving up day 12 - 1pm Year 6 Graduation—6.30pm
17	Reports go home Nativity Play
18	<b>Final Day for 2019—1.15 pm finish</b>

**Prayer Roster** : Monday at 2.45pm

OLMC Church

*All Welcome*

Date	Class Presenting
November 25	3/4CC
December 2	3/4BC

### Prep 2020 Orientation Dates

Orientation Session 3	Thursday 28th November 9.30—10.30am
Whole School Orientation	Monday 16th December 12.00—1.00pm

## IMPORTANT DATES—2020

28th January	Staff Resume
29th January	Staff PD day
30th January	Preps begin with a full day, 8.45am. Year 1-6 students will be booked in for a session with their new teacher
31st January	Year 1-6 students begin 8:45am

# 2019 Count Us In!

On the 7/11/19, the school did the 2019 Count Us In. I enjoyed the Count Us In because the whole school got involved, and everyone was singing a lot. The school was supposed to sing to a new song every year and watch other schools do it together. This year, we sang the song, 'We Are'. We do it because the school enjoys it every year and Mrs Tighe teaches and supports it.

## Brianna

Count us in is when every school sings a song from count us in. The event was yesterday 7/11/19. Something for all of the schools to do something together. I really liked how we learned sign language to the song.

## Rod

Yesterday we all got together as a school and sang a song it was count us in.

There were a lot of schools in Australia that sang the song at the same time.

We did it on the 7 November just after our dance.

We did it because in performing arts we been learning about count us in and singing songs.

I liked it because I liked how some schools in Australia sang the song at the same time!

## Riley

On Thursday, we sang the song, 'We Are' because we practised the song in Performing Arts. The best part of the whole time was when the live stream got cut off and students still continued singing.

## Zyan

Yesterday the whole school got together and sang a song.

I liked that I got to sit with my friends in other classes and we got to sing a song with every school in Australia at the same time.

## Joshua

The 7th of October 2019 was the best as we got to sing along with the whole school. What I liked about it is that everyone was still singing when it paused.

I also love that all of the schools in Australia sings along to it.

## Claire

### **OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL CANTEEN ROSTER—TERM 4, 2019**

22nd Nov	Cathy Carter Renee Ridington Rhonda Searle	6 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Nicole Petrie Adele Dichiera Danielle Wadden
29 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Taryn Paterra Louise Vasey Joanne Borgese	13 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Sylvana Doricic Jing Ji Chantal Vella

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 Banking day is **Tuesday**

This week 19 Students banked **\$168.30**

**Fantastic Effort Everyone !!**



It's the season for sneezing

Families are requested to send a box of tissues for each child in the family to the classroom. These tissues are used in the classroom to help keep expenses down.



### School Uniform News:

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