

Newsletter

Term 2 Week 4 Thursday, 16 May 2019

Principal's Message principal@olmcsunbury.catholic.edu.au

Dear Parents,

53 Macedon St Sunbury 3429 9740 7344 Thank you for the well wishes during my recent surgery and time away from school. I am still on the mend and this week I am only at school for the 2020 Prep Interviews. I hope to be back on deck at least a few hours a day next week. Mark has been doing a wonderful job in my absence and I am very grateful for his support as well as yours.

I was able to attend the Mothers' Day High Tea last week for a short while. What a lovely afternoon! Thank you to the mums, nanas, aunties and other special guests who were able to attend. As Mark said on the day, we are sure this could be the first of many to come. Thanks to Liza Rosati for all the hard work that went into making this event possible, to the staff who helped with some delicious food and for grazingbymarieclaire for the special catering.

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)

Congratulations to Jack Sheedy and Laiken Hall (year 5) who have made it through to the second round of Basketball Victoria Under 12s. We wish them all the best as they endeavour to make the final team. Great effort, boys!

Good luck to the OLMC Cross Country team who will represent our school at the Sunbury School Cross Country competition on Friday.

Please note that our next School Closure Day will be held on Friday 7th June. I will endeavour to have the term 3 and 4 dates to you as soon as possible.

This week the year 3 and 5 students have participated in the NAPLAN testing. Thanks to all the teachers and parents for making this as stress free as possible for the students. As I have said before, NAPLAN results are only a very small part of your child's progress. By the time the results are published the children will be another 4-5 months ahead in their progress. Teachers are the professionals when it comes to education. Please trust in their professional judgement when it comes to matters related to your child's education.

School Closure Day

Friday June 7th

(Staff PD Day)

Public Holiday

Monday June 10th

(Queen's Birthday)

This weekend we will have the first of our First Communion weekends. Congratulations to the following children who will receive this special Sacrament for the first time. Please keep them in your prayers: Jayden Paoly, Zac Paoly, Tyler Stott, Harper Gatt, and Madalyn Moloney.

Kate Lorenzi (5/6MT) has successfully auditioned for the Theatre Production of The Wizard of Oz Arena Spectacular next year in 2020. She currently does dancing with Concept Studio of Performing Arts and has private singing lessons. She loves performing and singing. Well done, Kate.

On a sad note, we wish to pass on our deepest condolences to the McKenna family (Max 5/6R). Max's grandfather, Dr Paul McKenna, passed away on Tuesday. Dr McKenna had a strong connection with the Sunbury community for many years. Please keep Max, Michael, Deb and Ryan in your prayers.

Today we celebrate International Education Support Staff Day – a day for celebrating the essential contribution that all support staff make to the running of our school. From the canteen to the classroom, from the front office to the library, support staff work hard every day to help our teachers do their job effectively and ensure that our students get the best support possible.

National Volunteer Week is coming up for the Sunbury SES it is a time to celebrate and recognise the work our SES volunteers do across our state and the nation!

On *Wednesday 22nd May*, all Australians are encouraged to wear orange in a united show of thanks for the tremendous work done and commitment shown by SES volunteers.

Wear Orange Wednesday (WOW Day) is a national day of thanks for the many Victoria State Emergency Services (VICSES) volunteers who support their local communities during flood, storm, land-slide, road rescue, search and rescue, and more.

In Victoria, SES volunteers responded to more than 31,000 calls for assistance last year, equalling a total of 302,623 operational hours.

Wear Orange Wednesday this year is on the **22nd of May**. Sunbury SES, have asked us to participate in this day by holding a **casual clothes day and to wear as much orange as possible or have the students accessorise their school uniforms with something Orange** to show our support of the SES. The Sunbury unit would love ALL schools in Sunbury/Diggers Rest to take part.

They will be running a colouring competition on this day with winners announced by Friday 24th May. There are some brilliant prizes to be won including our exclusive SES lunch boxes, chocolates, SES arm bands and other cool prizes!

This Sunday we celebrate the 5th Sunday of Easter.

Gospel

John 13:31-35

I give you a new commandment: love one another.

What an important commandment. How simple and beautiful would our lives be if we could all live by these simple words.

Enjoy the week

Julie

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

Thank you

SPLASH PUPIL OF THE WEEK AWARD







Class	Pupil of the week	Has demonstrated the 3 R's	
Prep MR	Lachlan Knott	For displaying a growth mindset and determination in his writing. Well Done Lachlan	
Prep R	Indiana Sellwood	For showing the learning disposition of determination when writing new words.	
1 JB	Cindy Ji	For being so well organised and ready for learning! Great job Cindy!	
15	Mason Marinelli	For being such a kind and caring classmate and always treating others with respect.	
2 C	Marley Stott	For using the learning disposition of collaboration when working on Maths activities.	
2R	Noah Smith	For showing determination and staying on task to complete his writing!	
3/4 BC	Asta Derriman	For displaying resilience and a positive growth mindset to overcome challenges and achieve her learning goals.	
3/4 CC	Erin Wilson	For working respectfully and collaboratively with her peers.	
3/4 H	Lily Munslow	For showing great motivation towards her learning this term. Especially when making inferences about different text shared in class. Well done Lily!!!	
5/6 MT	Chelsea Jovanovic	For having the courage to ask questions to support her learning and never giving up on challenging tasks.	
5/6 R	Noah Woodvine	This week you have demonstrated to be a good friend to your peers in times of need. Well done for being there for your friends when they need you most.	
5/6 SF	Jaida Anthony	For being a learner who shows enormous self-motivation by setting her own goals and working hard to achieve them.	

IMPORTANT DATES—2019				
	Term 2			
May				
18-19	First Eucharist Masses			
22	Wear Orange Wednesday—In support of SES Sunbury			
25-26	First Eucharist Masses			
27-29	Yr 5/6 Camp			
June				
1-2	First Eucharist Masses			
7	School Closure Day—Staff PD			
10	Queen's Birthday Public Holiday			
13	Fatima House Thrift Shop			

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

DATE	CLASS PRESENTING PRAYER		
Monday 20 May	3/4 BC		
Monday 27 May	1S & 1JB		
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 13th 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 13th.

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

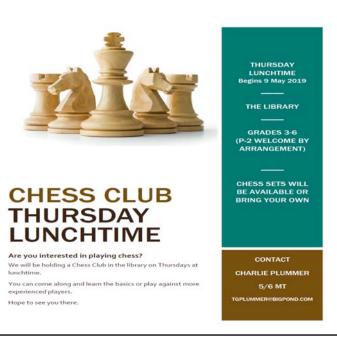




OLMC School is participating in the 2019 Woolworths Earn & Learn between now and June 25th.

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



SCHOOL BANKING NEWS:

School Banking day is Tuesday

This week 28 Students banked \$ 157.25 . Great effort



Seasons for Growth® Program

Learning to live with change and loss



Change and loss are issues that affect all of us at some stage in our lives. At Our Lady of Mount Carmel we recognise that when changes occur in families through death, separation, divorce and related circumstances, young people may benefit from learning how to manage these changes effectively. We are therefore offering a very successful education program called *Seasons for Growth*. This program is facilitated in small groups and is based on research which highlights the importance of social support and the need the practise new skills to cope effectively with change and loss. The program focuses on issues such as self-esteem, managing feelings, problem-solving, decision-making, effective communication and support networks.

If you think your son or daughter would benefit from Seasons for Growth we would encourage you to talk to him/her about participating in the program. It is suggested that anyone affected by bereavement or loss wait 6-12 months before participating in a Seasons for Growth Program.

Our Lady of Mount Carmel is pleased to be able to offer this important program and we are confident that it will be a valuable learning experience for those who request to be involved. The cost for each child who undertakes the program is \$15.00 which covers a journal that each child keeps at the commencement of the program. The program runs over 8 weeks.

If you would further information or would like to register your interest for your child or children to be considered for the program please email Shelley Ellis on selis@olmcsunbury.catholic.edu.au

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.

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

17 th May	Trudy Law	14 th Jun	Raquel Handley
	Danni Bekker		Danielle Wadden
	Cathy Carter		Nicole Petrie
24 th May	Belinda Falzon-Pout	21 st Jun	Michele Shalders
	Nance Carlyle		Nat Grant
	Caroline Dillon		Erin Thompson
31st May	Alexandra D'Agostino	28 th Jun	Barb O'Brien
	Taryn Paterra		Raquel Handley
	Danni Caruana		Jing Ji
^{7th} Jun	Louise Vasey		
	Chantal Vella		
	Joanne Borgese		

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

Please note: hot milos are back on the menu as well as lasagna and macaroni cheese. We still have a small supply of icy poles and frozen yoghurts, these are available for over the counter sales only.

School Uniform News

SCHOOL HATS Slouch & Legionnaire styles - \$10 each

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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Our Lady of Mount Carmel OSHClub

Service Information

- Coordinator: Venetia Fernandes
- Educators : Taylor Reid, Erin Mathieson and Melanie Nadjida
- Service number : 0401850518

ourladyofmtcarmel@oshclub.com.au

•Customer Accounts: 1300 338 691

Parent Information

Over the next couple of weeks we will be exploring our environment through gardening. If you have any knowledge or expertise we would greatly appreciate your support.

Come and join us in OSHClub as we get our hands dirty!

Suggestions: If you have any feedback for us, we could really use your assistance to make OSHClub more community friendly. So please come and provide our staff members with your fantastic ideas!

Last Week in Review

In OSHClub we are participating in mothers day week this week and the children enjoyed making lots of different things for our mums, nannas, and special people in our life.

We joined together to do various crafts including Hama beads, dream catchers, photo holders, jewellery making and cards. The mother's day questionnaire was a hit and the children shared lots of funny things about their mum. Be sure to look out for these entertaining questionnaires.

"When I'm at school, mum just cleans the house all day"

- Julian Caruana







Julian completing his Mother's Day Questionnaire

Baylee working with Venetia to make her Mother's Day cards

Olivia and Vianne working on their Mother's Day Hama Beads (right)



This Week at OSHClub: Outer Space

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY				
BEFORE SCHOOL CARE								
Alien Space Ships	Space Rocket ships	Space Creatures Finger Puppets	Making Playdough	Balloon Aliens				
Space Jump	Outer Space Colouring Pages	Play Space Signs	Origami Stars	Don't Drop the Asteroids				
AFTER SCHOOL CARE								
Alien Masks	Asteroid	Solar System Creating	Space Quiz	Solar System Hunt				
Crazy Space Alien	Education Week: Space Col- ouring	Alien Space Slim	Foil printed Moon	Solar System Cupcakes				
BREAKFAST								
Selection of Cereals: Wholemeal or raisin bread served with strawberry Jam, Butter or Vegemite.								
AFTERNOON TEA								
Yogurt: strawberry and vanilla served with fruits. raisin bread. Seasonal fruits.	Pizza garnished with mixed herbs, tomato paste and cheese. Seasonal fruits.	Wraps served with grated lettuce, carrots, and capsicum sprinkled with cheese. Seasonal fruits.	Berry Smoothies and Bana Bread Seasonal fruits.	Vegies and crackers with a variety of Dips. Seasonal fruits.				





For more information, phone our College Registrar on 9744 0000 or visit www.salesiansunbury.vic.edu.au

Engage Sunbury Youth Group

Engage Sunbury Youth Group invite students Year 5-12 to come and join us each Monday 5pm to 6pm to brainstorm ideas for our community to run a fundraiser for charity. Sunbury Engage Group invite you to be a part of something big, to make new friends and serve a purpose to help a worthy cause. Engage Sunbury Youth Group gets to decide what they want to support. The group get to decide what activities they do and how it works. It's all about our youth.

Hope to see you there!

For inquiries about the Engage Sunbury Youth Group

Email: sunbury.engage@gmail.com Facebook: @sunburyengage PH: 03 9744 1060





SEEKING PLAYERS FOR 13 AND UNDER NETBALL TEAM.

Girls and Boys are both welcome!

MUST BE CURRENTLY 111/2 - 13 YEARS OLD

(Not turning 14 before 1st September 2019)

Training Friday's from 4 – 5pm at Clarke Oval Netball Court

Games scheduled for Sunday mornings, generally either 10 or 11 am

(As per RDFNL Fixture.)

For further information please contact either:

Mandy - 0404 860 310

Jackie - 0417 450 904

Jess - 0424 834 541 (Sunbury Lions netball co-ordinator)