

Newsletter

Term 1 Week 10 Thursday, 1 April 2021

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

Dear Parents,

Term 1 has come and gone in the blink of an eye. What a whirlwind it has been! The new P&F team is up and running with some successful fundraising and community building activities taking place. Thank you to the Bunnings BBQ helpers. I look forward to seeing you on Saturday. Please note that the Colour Run has been postponed to the 14th May.

After 16 years at OLMC today we farewell Mrs Liza Rosati. We wish Liza all the very best in her new home and lifestyle and thank her for everything she has done for our school community. Liza has made a huge impact on many of our students and we will miss her!

Kerriane Bell-Merrick will replace Liza as our Visual Arts teacher. You may know Kerriane from the Hume Library and she also has vast experience in teaching visual arts. Tamsin Colquhoun will replace Liza in Prep MR on Fridays and Kate Faulkner will be in Prep JR on Thursdays, leaving Amanda Caiafa as the full time teacher in 2AF. We welcome Kerriane and Tamsin to our OLMC community.

We have been noticing that a number of students have forgotten what it means to be respectful to others. There continues to be foul language and some rather disgusting comments being made in the yard. There is a new ad campaign on the television at the moment so it seems it is very much a societal problem but that starts with school and home.

The use of Roadblocks, Fortnite, Social Media and YouTube has definitely escalated behaviour around the country. I cannot stress enough that you need to know what your children are doing online and who they are talking to.

The "If you see it, unmute yourself" campaign aims to encourage people to speak out against their friends, family, team mates and others when they are being disrespectful.

I have come across an interesting article to share with you. I have also included an article I have come across for your consideration. Please speak to your children about this at home and never assume that your own child will never be the one being disrespectful. While it hurts us as parents to find out that our own child has made the wrong choice, use this as a learning experience. This is the website to help you: <https://www.respect.gov.au/resources/>

As parents, family members, teachers, coaches, community leaders and employers, we have an important role as influencers of young people.

Without realising it, we can sometimes say and do things that make young people think disrespectful and aggressive behaviours are acceptable.

Gradually, boys and girls start to believe that disrespect is just a normal part of growing up.

We should speak up when someone says or does something that excuses disrespect towards women.

Disrespect and aggression aren't easy subjects to talk about with young people. Having the confidence to get started can sometimes be the hardest part.

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School Closure

Days

Term 1

Friday 26th
March

Term 2

Friday 25th
June

Term 3

Thur 16th & Fri
17th September

Term 4

Mon 1st
November



Congratulations to Harry Zabielski who is a keen cyclist and recently came first in the Brunswick Clinic Championships. Well done, Harry!

Congratulations also to our students who competed at the Sunbury District Athletics on Tuesday.

Happy birthday to the following children who will celebrate between now and the end of the holidays:

Liam Russell

Jonathan Squatrito

Harry Cronk

Zane Tomasini

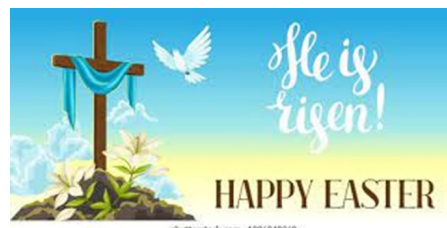
Joshua O'Connor

Ruby Stepanoski

Ben Carter

Sam Dillon

This Sunday we celebrate the Resurrection of our Lord, Jesus. On Monday the whole school celebrated a Holy Week liturgy. I would like to wish you and your family a blessed and Happy Easter and a restful break. Take care and stay safe if you are going away. Term 2 begins on Monday 19th April.



God Bless

Julie



The OLMC community is committed to the safety, wellbeing and protection of all children in our care. At OLMC we strive to maintain a child safe and inclusive environment where each child feels safe and free to enjoy the day to the full without any concern for their safety. The wellbeing of all children in our care will always be our first priority.

School Absences: absent@olmcsunbury.catholic.edu.au

SPLASH PUPIL OF THE WEEK AWARD



Class	Pupil of the week	Has demonstrated the 3 R's
Prep JR	Molly O'Callaghan	For her great reading efforts and leading our class through our Palm Sunday Presentation. Fabulous work Molly!
Prep MR	Daisy Crook	For showing her enthusiasm and love of learning. Well done Daisy
1H	Taiyo Marshall	For being a responsible & respectful friend
1R	Harry Zabielski	For being respectful to others especially in his leadership role as class S.R.C rep. Keep up the great work Harry!
2AF	Zac Fulton-Scanes	For showing responsibility. He has worked hard on making good choices both in the classroom and on the yard. Keep up the great work. Well done Zac.
2J	Naomi Harrison	For being a risk taker, trying new things and understanding that you can learn from mistakes.
3BC	Logan Marinelli	For displaying respect and kindness in caring for other students in class and on the yard
3CC	Bradley Spark	For having such a positive attitude towards all of his school work and brightening our classroom with his big smile and cheerful manner!
4PS	Morgan Harmer	For being a curious learner and having a cheerful and positive attitude to learning everyday!
4ST	Blake Carrello	For showing resilience when faced with a challenging task.
5/6C	Ace Parker	For approaching all tasks with a positive attitude and a determination to succeed.
5/6MT	Ebony Squatrito	For being a reliable and caring class member who displays excellent focus when learning.
5/6 R	Jack DeBono	For being a conscientious learner. Jack always works diligently and puts in a fantastic effort in all that he does. Keep up the great work!

2021 Important Dates

April 1	School term ends—3.15pm
April 3	OLMC Bunnings sausage sizzle
	Term 2
April 19th	Term 2 starts

Prep 2022 Enrolment Timeline

April 30th	Prep Enrolments close	
May 12th 14th 18th	Prep Interviews— new families only	Upon application families can book a time
May 28th	Prep letters of offer sent out	

2021 Term Dates

Term 1	27 January — 1st April (Easter 2—5 April)
Term 2	19 April — 25 June
Term 3	12 July — 17 September
Term 4	4 October — December 15 (students finish 1.30pm)

School Banking News:

School Banking day is Tuesday

This week 9 students banked a total amount of \$132.00.

Well done !!

School Uniform News

School Hats (\$10) and Bottle Green socks (\$5) are available for sale from the school office.

Correct money appreciated please.

A reminder to label all school uniform items especially jumpers & rugby tops and food/drink containers with your child's name. This will help stop the vast amounts of these items that end up in lost property.



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Our Lady of Mount Carmel Canteen Roster

Term 2 2021

23rd April	Jade Grech Danielle Wadden Christine De Veth	28th May	Belinda Falzon-Pout Nance Carlyle Louise Vasey
30th April	Nicole Petrie Anita Blume Sylvana Doricic	4ht June	Caroline Dillon Cathy Carter Skye Hewatt
7th may	Nat Grant Erin Thompson Joanne Borghese	11th June	Emma Clements Shelley Sparke Antoinetta Preston
14th May	Danni Caruana Adele Dichiero Alex D'Agostino	18th June	Kelly Xerri Simone Fawcus Fran McKay
21st May	Sylvana Doricic Tracey Kilkenney Anna Marinacic	25th June	School Closure Day

Thank you for volunteering to help in the canteen, it would be impossible without you!
Please arrive at the canteen at 10.00am, your assistance will be required until around 2.00pm. If you have long hair please tie it up and remember to sign in at the office with your WWC before coming to the canteen. We will now be working under COVID restrictions which may mean the wearing of masks and social distancing.

If you are unable to attend on your rostered day please ring Sally on 0400384403 as soon as possible so a replacement can be arranged.

I look forward to seeing you all.

Sally Hewitt-Tacey

YEAR 7 2023 APPLICATIONS

Salesian College Sunbury



Salesian College
SUNBURY

TO PARENTS OF STUDENTS CURRENTLY IN GRADE 5

Here at Salesian College Sunbury we are proud of our relationship with Our Lady of Mount Carmel Primary School. We work together to provide a quality Catholic education to the young people of Sunbury and surrounds. We celebrate life and faith, prepare students to contribute positively, and provide opportunities to achieve excellence.

We would love to see you as part of our Salesian family. Did you know that now is the time to apply for a place at Salesian College Sunbury in Year 7 2023? Applications are being accepted and close on Friday 20 August 2021.

[Visit our website, or click here to apply.](#) The online application form can be started, saved, and completed at any time. I invite you to visit our College website for all other information.

Our website also features a [virtual tour](#) where you can explore what makes us so unique and 'A Home that Welcomes'.

First round interviews for Year 7 2023 places will be conducted in early September and offers will go out in October. An interview booking link will be supplied to all applicants soon after the closing date.

If you require further information, please contact our College Registrar (details below).

Mark Brockhus
Principal - Salesian College Sunbury

BOOK A TOUR



MEET & GREET



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Community News

Secondary School Open Nights

Sunbury Down College Monday May 3rd

Sunbury College Tuesday May 4th

Salesian College—Online 25th May

SUNBURY DOWNS COLLEGE DISCOVERY NIGHT

Monday 3rd May 2021

5:00pm and 6:30pm

Bookings Essential

On our Open Night

Join College tours

Meet our teachers

Experience our culture

Explore our facilities



148-174 Mitchells Lane Sunbury

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