

Newsletter

Term 4 Week 7 Thursday, 17 November 2022

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

Dear Parents,

I hope you are keeping warm and dry during this cold and wet November week. Just when it seemed that we were heading into Summer, the wintery conditions have returned. With it has come some illness across the school; gastro, colds and a high incidence of hayfever. Please ensure that if your child is unwell that you keep them home and if they suffer from hayfever, it is a good idea to fill in a medical form and leave some medication in the office.



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Planning for 2023 is in full swing. Just a reminder to let us know as soon as possible if your child is not returning next year. The 2023 preps joined us on Tuesday for their second orientation session and the parent information session was held that night. The school choir were wonderful in their performance for the parents.



Tonight the year 4 parents are invited to join us for an online meeting regarding the year 5 and 6 lap top program. I have sent the link out this morning.

School Closure Day

**Friday 2nd
December**

Happy birthday to everyone celebrating this week. I hope you have a happy and blessed day:



Lewis Lupson Ryan McKenna BenTranter

Term 4 Dates

3rd October

16th December
(1.30 finish)

This week we celebrate the Feast of Christ the King. Celebrated on the last Sunday of the liturgical year, this feast day was established by Pope Pius XI in 1925 as a response to the rise of secularisation, atheism, and communism in the world and to publicly acknowledge the supremacy of Jesus Christ over all men and nations.

Pilate asks Jesus if he is the king of the Jews. Jesus answers that his kingdom is not of this world. What do you think he means? Where is Jesus's kingdom?

Jesus doesn't wear a crown or have lots of riches. He doesn't live in a palace with lots of servants. What kind of king do you think Jesus is?

Jesus shows us that you do not have to be rich or powerful to be important. He shows us that what is more important is how you treat others. What we do and say is much more important than whether we are rich or poor or where we come from.

Christ our King, help us to be like you, to listen to your truth and to see that all people are important, no matter who they are or where they come from. Amen.



The relationship you have with your daughter is like no other. From the day she is born, you play a key and unique part in her life which will influence the woman she becomes.

Fathering and raising your daughter will come with many fulfilling but also challenging moments. As a dad, your role will change as she gets older. But what's important is staying engaged, and being there.



Top Tips

- 1. Be there.** No matter the situation, let your daughter know you are always there for her, through the good and bad. Be a safe space and listen, you don't always need to provide solutions.
- 2. Speak words of positivity.** A girl's self-esteem is built on healthy, supportive relationships, especially with her dad.
- 3. Make quality time a priority.** Give her your undivided attention and spend time doing something together. Whether it's simple, like reading together, or taking her on a dad date.

Dad joke of the week

Did you hear about the restaurant on the moon? Great food, no atmosphere...

God bless,

Julie

Christmas House Spirit Day

Dear families,

On the 25th of November O.L.M.C. will be participating in a House Spirit Session from 11:30am to approximately 1:30pm.

Please read below for more information....

To build community and house spirit, the house leaders have planned a really fun session before the end of term....a session full of Christmas fun! There will be 4 different house zones with activities intertwined with the Christmas spirit.

Students will be invited to wear their house colours with a Christmas touch. If this is not possible, students are invited to wear sports uniform instead.

For one of the activities we will need some boxes e.g cereal boxes, parcel boxes (no bigger than a shoe box), if you have any random boxes lying around your home please send them to 6S prior to the date.

Thank You

Regards The House Leaders,
Julian, Lily, Lacy, Juliet, Madison, Lauren, Luke and Max

If you would like to come along you are most welcome!





We are officially half way through term 4 and storming towards the end of term. We have a number of upcoming events and I will remind you of the dates so please ensure they are in your calendar. I also have dates for next year for sacraments and camps and other special dates. School closure dates should be determined by the end of this year

2022	2022	2023 Term 1	2023 Term 2
<p>November</p> <p>17 – Year 4 parents lap top information session 7pm (online)</p> <p>22 – School Advisory Council Meeting 7pm</p> <p>24 - OLMC Choir-Christmas Cheer at Sunbury Global Learning Centre 4pm</p> <p>Donut Day</p> <p>25 – House Spirit Day - Students may wear-house colours with a touch of Christmas</p> <p>28 – Years 2-6 School swimming tabloid day at Sunbury Aquatic centre</p> <p>28 – Prep and year 1 inflatable fun day at school</p> <p>30 – Prep orientation session 3 (9:30)</p>	<p>December</p> <p>1 – Carols night 5:30 -7:30</p> <p>2 – School closure day – planning for 2023</p> <p>6 – School Advisory Council dinner 6:30</p> <p>8 – Christmas casual clothes day – return raffle tickets</p> <p>9 – Year 6s at Fun-fields</p> <p>12 – Keyboard concert</p> <p>12 – Prep orientation session 4 and whole school orientation at 12pm</p> <p>14 – Year 6 graduation</p> <p>15 – Year 6 lunch</p> <p>15 – Reports available online</p> <p>16 – Thanksgiving Mass (all invited) 9:30am</p> <p>16 – Term ends at 1:30</p> <p>16 – Year 6 guard of honour 1:30</p>	<p>January</p> <p>30 – All students begin term 1</p> <p>February</p> <p>6 – Swimming trials 9am</p> <p>10 – Opening school Mass 9:30am</p> <p>14 and 15 – Parent teacher chats</p> <p>22 – Ash Wednesday Mass 9:30am</p> <p>March</p> <p>13 – Labour Day Holiday</p> <p>15 – NAPLAN starts</p>	<p>April</p> <p>3 – School photos</p> <p>6 – End of term 1 at 1:30pm</p> <p>9 – Easter Sunday</p> <p>24 – Term 2 begins</p> <p>25 – ANZAC Day holiday</p> <p>May</p> <p>11 – Mother’s Day Stall</p> <p>12 – Mother’s Day celebration TBC</p> <p>14 – Mother’s Day</p> <p>19 – Confirmation reflection Day for year 6s</p> <p>21- Sacrament of Confirmation 2pm at St Patrick’s Cathedral</p> <p>22- 24 – Year 5 and 6 camp – Phillip Island</p> <p>June</p> <p>8 and 9 – Year 3 and 4 camp</p> <p>23 – End of term 2 at 1:30pm</p>
2023 Term 3		2023 Term 4	
<p>July</p> <p>10 – Term 3 begins</p> <p>11 and 12 – Family Faith evenings for year 4s – Eucharist</p> <p>August</p> <p>5 – First Eucharist 5:30pm</p> <p>6 – First Eucharist 10:30am</p> <p>23 and 24 - Family Faith evenings for year 3s – Reconciliation</p> <p>31 – Father’s Day stall</p>	<p>September</p> <p>1 – Father’s Day breakfast</p> <p>3 – Father’s Day</p> <p>13 – Sacrament of Reconciliation – year 3s</p> <p>15 – End of term 3 at 1:30pm</p>	<p>October</p> <p>2 – Term 4 begins</p> <p>November</p> <p>6 – Melbourne Cup Day</p> <p>December</p> <p>13 – Year 6 Graduation</p> <p>14 – Thanksgiving mass 9:30am</p> <p>End of term date TBA</p>	

SPLASH PUPIL OF THE WEEK AWARD



Class	Pupil of the week	Has demonstrated the 3 R's
Prep C	Emmy Cowling	For showing our school values of respect, responsibility and resilience during learning times and when interacting with peers - awesome efforts Emmy!
Prep J	Islah Boyce	For showing the learning disposition of self determination and reading regularly. You have grown so much in this area, congratulations on your efforts Islah!
1 H	Cade Pedder	For making good choices to move away from people or things that might distract him. For being ready to learn in both Auslan & Visual Arts
1 R	Emma Brndusic	For demonstrating the learning disposition of creativity during writing by using her imagination!
2 R	Ivy Luca	For demonstrating a good understanding of the structure of a persuasive text and taking on feedback to improve her persuasive writing.
2C	Matilda Griffiths	For working through challenges in her learning with such amazing resilience and a positive mindset.
3/4 C	Lucas Stevens	For demonstrating resilience and persistence to improve his reading comprehension skills. Keep up the excellent work!
3/4 M	Oliver Long	For displaying the learning disposition of determination as he persevered with his time problem solving tasks. Well Done Ollie
3/4 R	Zoey Armstead	For being a self-motivated learner who consistently refers to the learning intention and success criteria when completing a task and for applying an incredible effort to completing this week's Life and Faith Slideshow about places.
5 D	Olivia Laird	For demonstrating persistence in her reading. Olivia, you have made such an improvement. Well done.
5 T	Brandon Busuttill	For working hard to improve his work by listening to and applying feedback.
6 C	Darnell Boyce	For using the learning dispositions of determination and resilience when approaching all tasks.
6S	Max Hills	For always having a positive mindset, being kind and considerate, and understanding other people's perspectives.



OLMC Christmas Raffle

\$1 per ticket.
Tickets & donations due
back on Thursday 8th
December.
Casual dress on this day!

**1 winner from each classroom drawn on
Monday 12th December at Assembly.**

Donation Ideas:

Prep- Christmas decorations

Years 1 & 2- Holiday Fun e.g. puzzles, games, stationery etc.

Year 3/4- Food & Wine Indulgences e.g. drinks, nibbles, chips etc.

Years 5 & 6- Home Decor & Relaxing e.g. pamper items, craft, candles etc.



THIS YEAR WE WILL SUPPORT
THOSE IN OUR COMMUNITY
THROUGH YOUR GENEROSITY

**SUPPORTING VINNIES
SUNDURY**

November 27 2022 10:30am



Family Mass



An invitation for you to come to celebrate Mass together as a family.

An opportunity for young people to...

- Join the choir
- Read at Mass
- Join Children's Liturgy
- Lead the Our Father
- Bring up the offertory
- Try Altar Serving



To volunteer for one of the above jobs,
as a child or supporting adult, please
[click here](#) or scan the QR code.

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Canteen Roster—Term 4 2022

Please contact Sally if you can fill a vacancy 0400 384 403 / olmccanteen@hotmail.com

25 th Nov	Emma Clements Esther Kuscus-Harrison Renee Ridington	9 th Dec	Michele Shalders Erin Thompson Irene Wishart
2nd Dec	School Closure Day	16 th Dec	NO Canteen 1.30 Finish

Report School Absences :

absent@olmcsunbury.catholic.edu.au

2022 OLMC Bell Times

8.45 am :	First bell / move to classroom
8.55 am :	Classes commence
11.00 –11.30am	Recess time
1.30pm:	Eating time
1.40pm- 2.20pm	Lunch time
3.15pm	End of school day



Green socks — \$5 per pair & school hats — \$10 now available from the school office . (Limited sizes)

Cash only please

A reminder

Please label all school uniform items especially rug-by tops/school jumpers and food /drink containers with your child’s name.

Lost Property is located in the MPR

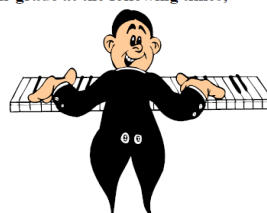
INVITATION!

The Students of the Keyboard Program would like to invite Parents, Teachers, Classmates, Friends and Family, To Our Christmas Keyboard Concert which will be held in the OLMC Church on Monday 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;

- 09.10 : Grade 5T
Grades 3/4C & 3/4R
- 09.50: Grades 2BC & 2R
- 10.20: Grades 1R & 1H
Prep J



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)*

School Uniform News



OFFICIAL UNIFORM SUPPLIER TO
OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL PRIMARY SCHOOL
 PRICE LIST VALID TO 30TH JUNE 2023

Uniform	Sizing	Price
Pullover - Bottle	70-75	\$80.50
	80+	\$83.95
White short sleeve shirt – classic	29-42	\$32.50
White short sleeve shirt - tailored	4-20	\$32.50
White long sleeve shirt – classic	29-42	\$35.50
White long sleeve shirt - tailored	4-20	\$35.50
Academic Trouser – Grey Full Elastic Waist	4-18	\$39.95
Academic Trouser – Grey ½ Elastic Waist	4-18	\$44.95
Straight leg pant - Bottle	4-16	\$31.95
Tailored slacks – Bottle	4-16	\$59.95
Gaberdine shorts - Bottle	4-16	\$23.50
Dress – Green/white check	4-18	\$49.50
Tunic – Green check	4-18	\$65.00
Short sleeve polo top – Bottle/Gold	4-14 & XS-2XL	\$29.00
Long sleeve polo top – Bottle/Gold	4-14 & XS-2XL	\$32.00
Sport Shorts – Bottle	4-18	\$25.00
Skort – Bottle	4-16	\$24.50
Track pant with cuff – Bottle	4-16	\$29.95
Softshell Jacket – Bottle	4-14 & XS-M	\$65.00
Polar fleece vest – Bottle	4-16	\$30.00
Rugby top – Bottle/Gold	4-14 & XS-2XL	\$70.00
Bucket Hat – Bottle/Gold	XS, S, M, L	\$15.50
Legionnaires Hat – Bottle	OSFA	\$15.50
Slouch Hat – Bottle	XS, S, M, L	\$15.50
Scarf – Bottle	OSFA	\$10.00
Backpack with logo		\$56.50
Library Folio - Bottle		\$13.50
Library Bag – Bottle		\$9.00
Art Smock – Bottle or Navy		\$21.00
Ankle Socks – 2Pk	5-8, 9-12, 13-3, 2-8, 7-11, 11-14	\$10.00
Knee Hi socks - Bottle	5-8, 9-12, 13-3, 2-8, 7-11, 11-14	\$9.95
Cotton Tights - Bottle	3-4, 5-6, 7-8, 9-10, 11-14	\$14.95

Uniform is available from the Salesian College Sunbury campus Uniform Shop

Salesian College Uniform Shop Trading Hours:

Monday 8.00am – 12.00pm
 Wednesday 8.00am – 12.00pm
 Friday 9.00am – 12.00pm and 1.00pm – 5.00pm
 Ph: 9740 4831

All prices are subject to change without notice



INFORMATION SESSION FOR PARENTS



Saver Plus pairs you with a savings coach so you can learn tips, tricks and information to grow your budgeting and saving skills. You save for 10 months, then ANZ matches your savings dollar-for-dollar up to \$500. We'll talk about how it all works, plus who is eligible and how to join.

MEETING DETAILS

Kindergarten Parents
Tuesday 15th & Wednesday 16th November 2022

Prep Parents
Wednesday 16th & Thursday 17th November 2022

Year 7 Parents
Monday 21st & Wednesday 23rd November 2022

Time: Times available on registration form (RSVP)
Zoom Meeting Link:
<https://bsl.zoom.us/j/68016074995?pwd=K2d4dWl4WjRMBGRIRng0NGhoVWVZz09>

Passcode: 027166

KEY ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA TO JOIN SAVER PLUS

- Have a current health care card OR pensioner concession card
- Have a child in school OR be studying yourself
- Have regular income from work (yourself OR your partner)



RSVP

Scan the QR code or click the link below to register
<https://forms.office.com/r/zPTAvyaP5e>

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Saver Plus is an initiative of the Brotherhood of St Laurence and ANZ and delivered in partnership with local community organisations. The program is funded by ANZ and the Australian Government Department of Social Services.

Cyber Safety Project

UPCOMING

EVENTS

Free webinar series for parents & children aged 10 - 15 years.



Oct 11

Cyber Security for Families

Hear from cyber safety experts as they uncover just how easy it is for cyber criminals to scam and hack us!

Nov 09

My First Mobile Phone

Is your child about to get their first mobile phone or personal tablet? Learn helpful tips to level up your mobile phone security and create a safe digital environment for the whole family.

Nov 22

Online Gaming Safety

Uncover how gaming platforms are hooking us in and learn how to take control by managing screen time and creating healthy gaming habits.

Nov 28

Digital Balance & Wellbeing

Tune in, wake up and take control. Practical strategies to find a balance and learn to thrive in a digitally-connected world.



CYBER SAFETY PROJECT

FREE REGISTRATION
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