



OLMC Newsletter

Term 3 Week 5 : Thursday August 10 2023

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Principal's Message

Dear Parents,

Here we are, half way through term 3! I am not sure where that time has gone but we have been very busy with exciting learning and activities across the school. Be sure to keep up to date through our Instagram page - @olmc_sunbury and on Seesaw.



Just this week, the year 4 students received the Sacrament of Eucharist for the first time during the Parish masses on Saturday evening and Sunday morning. We welcomed Elder Uncle Ringo on Monday, who led us through a Welcome to Country and Smoking Ceremony. This was linked to the year 3/4 students' Life and Faith unit and the whole school was privileged to be involved.

We celebrated the Feast of St Mary Mackillop on Tuesday with a whole school Mass and we will finish the week with Pyjama Day tomorrow. Everyone is invited to wear their pyjamas to school. Please remember to wear something to keep warm outside and appropriate shoes as well. Don't forget the gold coin donation!



Thank you to all families who contributed to the Cadbury chocolate fundraiser through making a donation or purchasing chocolates. The money/left over chocolates are now overdue and can be left at the school office. I will let you know a final profit once everything has been returned.

The Year 3 students are now preparing for the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Nelson sent out the relevant information via Seesaw this week. If you child is baptised Catholic and in year 3 please ensure you are up to date with this information as there are a number of things that need to be done.

Next Tuesday 15th August at 7pm, we once again hold our online Human Sexuality Education session, facilitated by Sue Pain from About Real Life. This is an online information session for Year 5 (or year 6s who missed out last year) students accompanied by their parents. Please use the following Google Meet link to access the session: <https://meet.google.com/dzd-ijdz-dir>

From the presenter: Sexuality education begins at home and can be supported by schools as part of a broader curriculum aimed at maximising children's health and wellbeing. Presentations are sensitive to and respectful of the values and beliefs of parents/carers and families and provide an excellent opportunity for family discussion about human sexuality and respectful relationships. This 1 hour session aims to encourage children to turn to their adults for information about life matters and includes the following content – Puberty Hormones General physical changes Emotional & social changes Changes specific to male & female bodies Reproduction Privacy & safety in the real & online world.

Happy birthday to everyone who is celebrating this week. I hope you have a wonderful day that is filled with love and happiness:



Daisy Lamberti Nicola Borgese Aaliyah Abou-Eid
Mason Clements Gabriel Harrison Samuel Evans

This Sunday we celebrate the 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time. The Gospel comes from Matthew 14:22-33 Peter's walk on the water teaches us that in the middle of storms we can have peace IF we keep our eyes on Jesus. The storms of life give us good reason to be afraid. But Jesus is bigger than even the scariest of storms.

I would like to invite everyone to join us for Mass next Tuesday 15th August at 9:30am for the Feast of the Assumption. On November 1, 1950, Pope Pius XII declared the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, which the Church celebrates every year on August 15. Simply put, the dogma of the Assumption states that at the end of her life, the Blessed Virgin Mary was taken, body and soul, into Heaven. It is a Holy Day of Obligation for Catholics.

God bless,
Julie

PTFA News

THANK YOU to everyone who has completed the online form to volunteer for our upcoming events. If you missed the form either in SeeSaw or our PTFA Facebook page... here is the link <https://forms.gle/nAb5tLZhg9W4Mz6U8>

We have enough people for our Fun Food Day at the moment!
I will be in touch with our helpers ASAP to let you know further details.

We will be holding a special Father's Day Breakfast on Friday September 1st. Please keep an eye out to RSVP to this event for catering purposes.

DONUT FORGET Daniel's Donut orders are due tomorrow, Friday the 11th via CDFPay.
TONYS PIES orders close August 22nd, available via CDFPay.



SPLASH PUPIL OF THE WEEK AWARD



Class	Pupil of the week	Has demonstrated the 3 R's
Prep R	Felice Terranova	For his great progress with learning common words and applying his sound knowledge when reading. Keep up the great learning at school and at home. Fabulous effort Felice!
1H	Ishanvi Veerathu	For making a wonderful start to OLMC by being a respectful friend and a responsible student. Keep up the wonderful work you are doing, Ishanvi.
1K	Olivia Barrett	For writing several, interesting questions about your chosen environment, including adding the correct punctuation. Your curiosity and effort were amazing! Well done Olivia!
2C	Matthew Mikhail	For inspiring our grade with his incredible display of respect and kindness and sharing with us his motto "every good deed deserves another."
2R	Alexander Mitanidis	For being a responsible friend and going to the need of others. You are just like Mary MacKillop in your words and actions.
3/4C	Jacob Kiss	For being a responsible and resilient learner and persisting to complete his information report on chimpanzees. Keep working hard Jacob!
3/4H	Teagan Stephens -O'Brien	During a whole class discussion, after a maths session, Teagan was able to articulate and share with the rest of the class what she had learned, what was easy and what was challenging during that lesson. This way, demonstrating the learning disposition of reflection. Well done, Teagan!
3/4J	Isabella Scicluna	For her great resilience in settling into her new school -OLMC and so wonderfully demonstrating her understanding of our values- Respect, Responsibility and Resilience - Excellent work Isabella!
5D	Hannah Zudetich	For showing the disposition of collaboration as she works so well with all members of Year 5D and for being a great Mary Poppins. Practically perfect in every way.
5S	Hudson Gatt	For using the disposition of risk taking to voluntarily answer inferential questions about the class novel.
6C	Lewis Lupson	For demonstrating the learning disposition of reflection when revising your persuasive text on the topic of children's rights. You responded to teacher feedback by using different writing techniques and strategies to improve your text. Excellent work!
6T	Zac Francis	For demonstrating a positive attitude towards learning new strategies when measuring area and perimeter. Keep striving to learn more.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Friday August 11th—**Pyjama day**—Gold coin donation & Donut orders close
Tuesday 15th August - Fun food day—Daniel's Donuts
Tuesday 22nd and Wednesday 23rd August - Family faith evening for year 3s at St Anne's church
Tuesday 22nd August—Tony's pies orders due (orders arrive August 31st)
Friday 25th August — Book Week Parade—9am
Thursday 31st August – Father's Day stall
Friday 1st September – Father's Day breakfast and footy colours day
Wednesday 6th September – Sacrament of Reconciliation
Wednesday 13th September – End of term 3 -1.30 Finish
Thursday 14 & Friday 15 September—Staff Conference

Please put the following dates in your diaries:

** Step in Time showcase

Monday 16 October @10am—Showcase 1 Prep—Yr 4

Tuesday 17 October @10am—Showcase 2 Yr 3—Yr6

***School Athletics Carnival – 10th November**

Report School Absences :

absent@olmcsunbury.catholic.edu.au

OLMC Bell Times

8.50am :	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



2023 Term Dates

Term 1	27 January—6 April (Easter April 7—10)
Term 2	24 April—23 June
Term 3	10 July—Wed 13 September 1.30 Finish Staff Conference on 14 & 15 Sept.
Term 4	2 October— 15th December 1.30 Finish

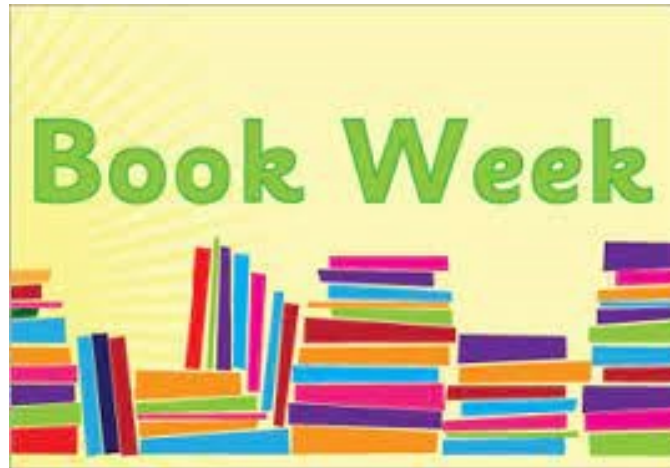


Contact details for big childcare :

Email : olmc@bigchildcare.com

Phone number is 0474 525 977.(between 6.30-8.30 & 2.30-6.30) but also will be contactable during admin hours.

Book Week will occur the week of 20th till 25th August, 2023. The Book Parade will be on 25th August at 9:00 on the green. Parents, grandparents and caregivers are invited and can dress up if they wish. Do not worry about buying expensive costumes, it is not a competition, just make up a costume with what you have at home. I can not tell you how many times the Pickering Boys went as Karate Kid! Let's just celebrate the love of good books.



Book Week Parade-25th August, 2023

Time: 9:00

Place: The Green



STEP IN TIME

An OLMC Showcase
2023



SHOWCASE 1

Monday 16th October @ 10am

Preps – Year 4

SHOWCASE 2

Tuesday 17th October @ 10am

Year 3 – Year 6

Join us for an extraordinary School Showcase where we celebrate the incredible journey of student knowledge, creativity and innovation.



BAPSTIM, the new beginning -Deciding about your child’s Baptism

The first step of your child’s Sacramental Journey is Baptism, followed by Reconciliation (Year 3), First Eucharist (Year 4) and Confirmation (Year 6).

Therefore, if you and your child choose to be part of that journey, your child will need to have been baptised into the Catholic Church.

The Parish Office will need to be contacted asap, to arrange the celebration of your child’s Baptism

Please call (leave a message, if necessary) the Office on 9744 1060 to receive a follow-up call.

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Canteen Roster -Term 3 2023

4 th August	Danni Caruana Vacancy Roberta Lamberti	25 th August	Emma Clements Danielle Bekker Nikki Munslow
11 th August	Nat Grants Emma Clements Jazz Stevens	1 st September	Danni Wadden Roberta Lamberti Jess Pedder
18 th August	Michele Shalders Erin Thompson Irene Wishart	8 th September	Nikki Munslow Renee Ridington Olga Mitandidis

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 current WWC.

If you are unable to attend your rostered day please SMS Sylvana on 0412429600 as soon as possible so a replacement can be arranged.

I look forward to seeing you all.

Sylvana Doricic

We now have a supply of bottle green beanies, scarves, gloves / fingerless gloves for sale in the school office—\$5 per item. Cash only please.



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

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HAVE YOU SEEN THE OLMC RECYCLING CENTRE?



IT'S LOCATED IN THE SCHOOL OFFICE FOYER.
WE ARE CURRENTLY COLLECTING BREAD TAGS (PLASTIC ONLY), OLD PENS AND TEXTAS, USED BATTERIES, ANY ORAL WASTE PACKAGING AND NOW

**WE ARE HAPPY TO ANNOUNCE WE ARE ABLE TO
RECYCLE MEDICINE BLISTER PACKS.**

**Lets do our bit and help save the planet—it's easy, just
collect these items and drop them in at our Recycling bins**



EXCITING NEWS



**Teeth on Wheels will be
visiting our School for
Dental Check-ups and
Oral Health Education!!**



SCAN THE QR CODE TO COMPLETE YOUR FORM

IT MIGHT BE FREE



TeethOnWheels™
a positive dental experience

Attention Grade 5 parents—Please read

YEAR 7 2025 APPLICATIONS

Salesian College Sunbury



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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. 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 2025? Applications are being accepted and close on Friday 18 August 2023.

[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 2025 places will be conducted in early September 2023 and offers will go out October 20 2023, with acceptances due by November 10 2023. 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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