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## MINI BLITZ- Weeks 9 & 10

"The choices we make reflect who we are. Make the right choices and you will go far.'

## 2017 Term 2 Week 9 Newsletter

Proverbs 19:17 Whoever is kind to the poor lends to the LORD, and he will reward them for what they have done. Helping others who are less fortunate is part of Catholic Social Teachings and an essential part of our Catholic School's Identity. Next week our students with support of staff are raising awareness for those less fortunate in our local and wider community by holding a Pyjama day on Tuesday 20th June. Money collected will be donated to for the St. Vincent de Paul to help make a difference to those in need.

## **Prep 2018 Information Sessions**

Prep information sessions will be held next Wednesday 21st of June. Sessions will be held at 10am and 7pm.

## **TV Stars-Foundation Centre**

The students in our Foundation Centre have been focus on an Inquiry developing their curiosity about elements associated with Weather. How it works, why does it happen, can you explain????? Students and staff decided to consult with a 'Weather Expert' Nate Byrne from ABC News Breakfast to pose some of their wonderings. On Tuesday morning, our students appeared on TV, asking their questions and receiving some fabulous answers. Click on either of the following links if you did not get the opportunity to watch it...

https://www.facebook.com/sacredheartprimaryschoolyarrawonga/or

https://www.facebook.com/breakfastnews/videos/10154868663568983/?fref=mentions

## **Prayers Please**

Last week we were informed Julianne Turner, teacher at Sacred Heart is very ill and will be absent from school indefinitely. Please keep Julianne, her husband Jim and daughters Alicia, Bec and son Charles in your thoughts and prayers. Julianne has been actively involved as Principal and educator in both the Sandhurst and Melbourne Diocese.

## **School Closure**

A reminder that Monday 26<sup>th</sup> June will be a Pupil Free Day. Staff will be working on our self-review of Pastoral Wellbeing policies, procedures and practices within the school.

## 'New Reports'- Parent Information Sessions

Next Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> June will be holding information sessions regarding our new reports which will be sent out to families on Friday the 23<sup>rd</sup>. As we are using a new curriculum and new reporting format this is an opportunity to become more familiar with our reporting processes and a chance to ask any questions you may have. These sessions will be held at 9.30am, 12.30pm and 5.30pm. The meeting will run for about 30mins.

## Absentees- Notifications via text

From Thursday, the 15<sup>th</sup> June when your child is absent from school you will receive an SMS text message to inform you to contact the office. This will support the office staff in being able to account for student's absence in a more efficient and effective way. Please be patient as we introduce this new absentee system.

Have a great week. Take care.

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## **Acknowledgement of Traditional Custodians**

Sacred Heart acknowledges the traditional custodians of the land on which this school is built. We commit ourselves to working in partnership with Aboriginal people for reconciliation and justice.

## **Catholic Identity**

## Meegan McInness



## Sacred Heart Day- Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> June

The Feast of the Sacred Heart is a special day on the calendar for Sacred Heart Primary. On this feast day, we remember the compassionate Jesus who showed kindness to all. Through the Gospels we see Jesus healing the sick, the lame, caring for the lonely and the hungry. This is what we commemorate with the Feast of the Sacred Heart.

The school feast day will be celebrated on Friday June 23rd with a combined Mass with Sacred Heart College. Mass will commence at 10.15 in the MPB. It would be great to have as many parents as possible join us for Mass. At Mass, we will present our local St Vincent De Paul Society with a cheque to help with their winter appeal.

Our Social Justice team in Year 6 has organised a **Wear Your PJS to School Day** for next Tuesday 20th June. We ask all students to support this worthy cause by wearing their PJs and bringing a gold coin donation.

After lunch on Sacred Heart Day, all students will participate in a tabloid sports afternoon organised by our Year Six students.

Have a great week,

Meegan

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Week	Term						
			Wed 14th	Thu 15 <sup>th</sup>	Fri 16 <sup>th</sup>	Sat 17 <sup>th</sup>	Sun 18th
9			*Board Meeting 6pm	* College Production-	* Peace Run/Torch		
(June)	Prep 2018 Information Sessions. 10am & 7pm Mercy Centre Wednesday 21st June			Dress Rehearsal Yr 5/6	Relay- Through Yarrawonga 12noon Assembly * Woods Point Visit 3PC		
	Mon 19 <sup>th</sup>	Tue 20 <sup>th</sup>	Wed 21st	Thu 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Fri 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Sat 24 <sup>th</sup>	Sun 25 <sup>th</sup>
10 (June)	*P & F Meeting- 7.30pm SHC	*Pyjama Day & Gold Coin (St Vincent de Paul)	*Chess Tournament P- 12 College *Regional Cross Country *Prep 2018 Information Night	*'New Report' Information Sessions for Parents. 9.30am, 12.30pm & 5.30pm.	*Feast of the Sacred Heart 10.15am MPB * Whole School Tabloid Sports 1.50pm * Reports go home		Lions Club Speaking Competition Yacht Club
	Mon 26 <sup>th</sup>	Tue 27th	Wed 28th	Thu 29th	Fri 30 <sup>th</sup>	Sat 1st	Sun 2 <sup>nd</sup>
11 (June)	Pupil Free Day	Wang Winter Sports Yr 5/6 Wangaratta	Journals go home NAIDOC Celebration Yarra/Mulwala	Festival of the Sacred A3 Singing (Yrs 5/6)	End of Term. 2.30pm finish.		

## Pastoral Wellbeing Janine Buerckner

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## National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS)

Places are still available for the 'Why Self Advocacy Matters' NDIS Forum.

This event is for People with disabilities, families and carers as well as anyone who wants to know more about the NDIS. It would be beneficial to have representatives from services providers as this would be a good opportunity to explore any questions or concerns as well as celebrate good practice together as a community. Please see the flyer attached to the newsletter for details.

## Earning the right By Michael Grose Part 2

## Our Kids should earn the right

The talk-back caller's earning the right story is a fabulous lesson for all parents and teachers. If we want to raise a generation to appreciate what they have, then we shouldn't give children or young people everything on a platter. In an era of small families, child pester power and relative affluence it's tempting to simply give kids what they want.



"Dad, can I have a...?"
"Sure!"

The Rolling Stones were right four decades ago when they sang, "You can't always get what you want!" Those words form a great child-rearing lesson. That is, just because you can provide something for your kids, doesn't mean that you do.

They need to earn the right to have something by saving, working for or simply waiting until they are old enough to appreciate it.

Similarly, kids don't automatically have a right to greater freedoms such as going out at night; those rights need to be earned by proving they are trustworthy.

Also, kids who think they are entitled to use a part of the house, such as a living room, without cleaning up mess are acting with a false sense of entitlement.

In fact, there are no entitlements, only rights. And rights are earned by being responsible.

A child has a right to use the living room but they also have a responsibility to clean up rather than leave it a pigsty. A night banished to their room is a reminder that spending time in the living room is not an entitlement. It's a right that comes with conditions.

Earning the right! A simple phrase with so much complexity.

I suspect it's a phrase that neither Nick Kyrgios or Bernard Tomic heard much when they were growing up. Maybe their parents thought their prodigious talents excused them from having conditions placed upon them. If so, they did them no favours as good manners, gratitude and graciousness appear to be lacking in their social repertoires.

It usually takes a parent, teacher or coach to remind kids that they have to earn the right to have things, to do things and ultimately to be respected. That's a lesson that stays for life.

## CHILDREN'S CHATTER MATTERS

Language Learning activities to have a go with, at home.

Ten activities will be provided over Term Two to help develop your child's vocabulary at home (you may need to adjust the activity to suit your child's level). See if you can think of more activities!



\*\* Describe how the following objects and places are similar and different:

zoo / jail ipad / book

soap / toothpaste

bed / couch

cup / glass

theme park / museum

city / town



## **Extend After School Care at Sacred Heart Primary School**

Last week at After School Care we have written some letters, 'Thank you for your visit, Gilbert'. We have started our recipe book, families can take this home to use one of our yummy recipes or even add their own to share. In Craft this week, we made dream a catcher. Our fun games were playing baloon tennis and paper plane competitions.

## WINTER HOLIDAY PROGRAM BOOKINGS ARE OPEN!

Book 14 days in advance to receive the lowest rate. Participate in our winter-themed activities, including science experiments to learn about animals with blubber, recreating a winter snowstorm in a jar, and participating in a snowman slam! To check out the daily schedule, visit our website at extend.com.au and book via the Parent Portal. Pupil Free Day

Monday 26th June, extend will be running a full day program (subject to numbers 12+ children)

This week's activities:

Wednesday 14th June: Cooking Pizza Thursday 15th June: Thumb War Stadium Friday 16th June:

**Frisbee Competitions** 

Lisa Gard- Team Leader Parent Portal: extend.com.au





Dan visits our school
It was great to have one
of our former students
drop into school
yesterday. Dan Howe,
currently playing with
the Hawthorn Hawks
dropped in to see our
Prep students and some
other keen Hawks
supporters! Dan is the
son of Mrs Howe, one
of our teachers here at
school.



## **Congratulations**

A big congratulations to all our students who competed in the Divisional Cross Country at Wangaratta last Thursday. They gave it their all and should be proud of their efforts. Congrats also to the following students who've made it through to the Regional Championships at Winton on the 21st June.

11 Yr Girls- Jessica Freeman & Georgia Phillips

11 Yr Boys - Daniel O'Brien

12/13 Yr Boys- Mitch Loughnan & Callum deOleveira



Mitch Loughnan



Georgia Phillips



Jess Freeman



Anna Zanin



Callum deOleveira



Tyrone Baxter

## angaratta

Indoor Sports & Aquatic Centre

Gym | Group Fitness | Heated Iap & exercise Pools | Squash & Stadium | Cafe

# Your community fitness centre



and 14 June for only \$20. During this time you can visit Join us as a trial member for 2 weeks between 5 June the centre as many times as you like.

titness a priority. Don't hibernate during the colder winter months. Set yourself up for success and make your health and

Find out more: www.wangaratta.ymca.org.au

## Wangaratta Indoor Sports & Aquatic Centre

T (03) 5722 1723 E wangaratta@ymca.org.au H.P. Barr Reserve, Schilling Dve Wangaratta 3677

www.wangaratta.ymca.org.au











## Sacred Heart Primary School PREP 2018 PARENT INFORMATION SESSIONS







## **Parent Information Sessions Prep 2018**

There will be 2 Parent Information Sessions held on

## Wednesday 21st June 10am and 7pm

Heart Primary Yarrawonga has to offer. The morning open plan learning environment in action





## Sacred Heart Primary School Yarrawonga

For any further information about the Parent Information Sessions please contact the School Office

Phone: (03) 5744 3339

Principal - Arn Gorman

Web: www3.shyarrawonga.catholic.edu.au

## FOR ALL PREP CHILDREN- ATTENTION

## Victorian Primary School Nursing Program 2017

The Victorian Primary School Nursing Program is a free health assessment service offered by the Department of Education and Training to all children during their first year of primary school. During 2017, the School Nurse will be visiting Sacred Heart Primary School to assess all Prep children that have returned the School Entrant Health Questionnaire (SEHQ). Information provided in the SEHQ will enable the Nurse to identify and respond to parent/carer concerns about their child's health and wellbeing.

A completed SEHQ with parent/carer consent is required for a child to be seen by the School Nurse. These questionnaires have been given to all Prep children today. Please complete at your earliest convenience and return to school as soon as possible. Children will be assessed during the next few months.

## For Sale

Girls primary winter tunic size 8 \$35 & long sleeve navy polo size 8 \$10. Excellent condition-hardly been worn. Ph. Amanda Wheaton 0407507493.

## **Nationally Recognised Training**





### CHC33015 Certificate III in Individual Support

This nationally recognised qualification will equip you with the skills and knowledge to work in residential care under direct or regular supervision, within clearly defined guidelines, in relation to the maintenance of an individual's personal care and/or other living activities.

Orientation: Wednesday 14th June 9:00am 12:00pm Course starts: Wednesday 21st June 9:00am - 3:30pm

Unfunded \$ 3,000 Funded \$ 937

Concession \$ 574 (GST Free)



Visit our website: www.ynh.org.au 1 Hargrave Court, Yarrawonga 3730

Ph: 03 5744 3911 Email: office@vnh.org.au

## **Sacred Heart College Tours**

College Tours have been running for a number of weeks now and present a great opportunity to see the College in action. Parents are encouraged to take up this opportunity.

Our next tour will be held on Friday 16 June at 9.30am. If you would like to join us, please contact the

College on 03 57 421 300.

## Yarrawonga Neighbourhood House

Registered Training Organisation No 21765

## **Apply for Work**

Develop the skills to confidently enter a business and enquire whether there is any work available. Learn to complete online job applications and great techniques for when you get to that job interview.

Date: Tuesday 20th June Time: 9:30am - 3:00pm Cost: Funded \$ 35

Concession \$ 31 (GST Free)



Visit our website: www.ynh.org.au 1 Hargrave Court, Yarrawonga 3730

Ph: 03 5744 3911 Email: office@ynh.org.au

## **Working Bee**

**CEMENTRY GROUNDS** Sunday 18th June 2017

10.30am All Welcome

Many hands make light work- So bring gloves, rakes, shovels and secateurs.



## **NDIS Forum**

27 June 2017

11am - 2pm

Venue: Vision Australia, 28 Chanel Road, Shepparton

RIAC, including the Shout Out Shepparton Self Advocacy
Group and SARU with the support of Vision Australia are
inviting you to attend a forum about the National Disability
Insurance Scheme

## **Guest Speakers:**

Leah Katieva - CEO Rights Information and Advocacy Centre

Dean Dadson – SARU

Who should attend?

People with disabilities, families and carers who want to know more about the NDIS

Bookings essential for catering, register on <a href="EVENTBRITE">EVENTBRITE</a>
Or contact Bron from RIAC on 5822 1944

For further information please contact: Bronwyn Huggard \* bronwyn@riac.org.au

PO Box 1763, Shepparton Vic 3630 | ( (03) 5822 1944 | 0408 597 741 Workdays – Tuesdays, Wednesdays & Thursdays







## The Peace Run is a global torch relay uniting thousands of communities and millions of people in over 100 countries. We all carry within us a flame of hope - a yearning for a better world and a brighter future. As the Peace Torch passes from hand to hand, so this flame of hope spreads from heart to heart, encircling the globe The Peace Run does not seek to raise money or highlight any political cause, but simply strives to spread goodwill among people of all nations. In Australia a team of runners from 13 nations will carry the torch over 3,500 kilometres from Brisbane to Adelaide. The Peace Run is for all - from children to senior citizens, from everyday people to world leaders. Everyone is welcome to participate. Take one or more steps: join a meeting or ceremony along the route; offer a poem, a promise or a prayer in person or online.

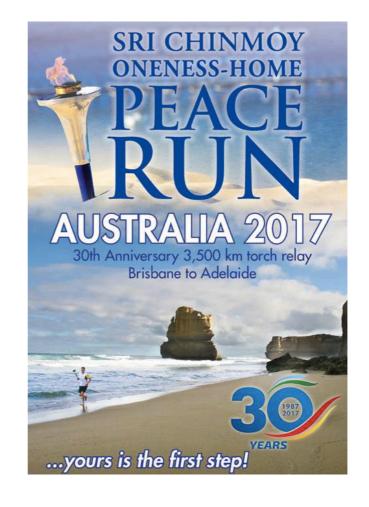
## Peace Run Australia 2017- Visiting Sacred Heart

When: Friday 16<sup>th</sup> June

Where: Mercy Centre & School Oval

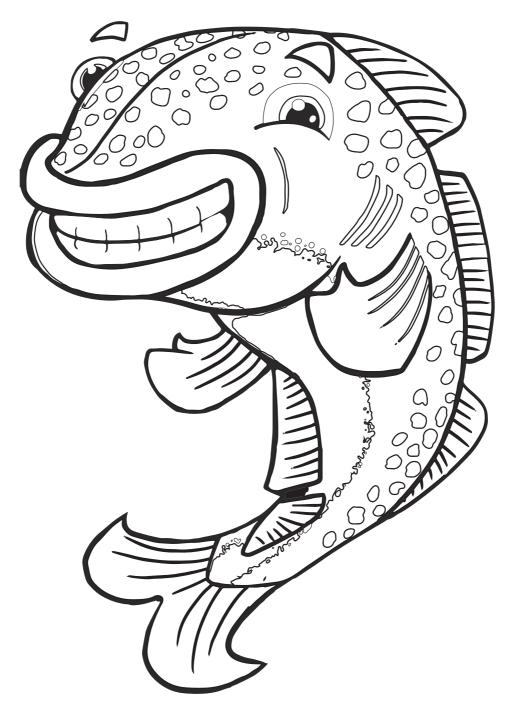
Why: Strives to spread goodwill among people of all nations.





## Hello! My name is Murray the Cod.

## Can you colour me in and make me unique?





Yarraw	onga Mulwala Kids Colouring Competition
Name:	Age:
School	
	Competition Closes June 21st