



OUR LADY'S SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

6 October 2016

www.olsunshine.catholic.edu.au

Parish Priest: Fr. Peter-Damien McKinley
Principal: Ms. Patrizia Bertani
Parish Mass Times: Saturday 6:00pm
Sunday 9:00am, 10:30am & 5:30pm
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School website: www.olsunshine.catholic.edu.au

Truly I tell you, just as you did it to the least of these....you did it to me' Matthew 25:40



DATES FOR THE DIARY

Mon 10 Oct-Tues 11 Oct

Grade 5 Camp

Fri Oct 14

Parish Movie

Sat 22 Oct

Shopping Tour

Mon 31 Oct

Professional Learning Day for

Staff (Report Writing) - No

School for the children

Tues 1 Nov

Melbourne Cup Day Public

Holiday

Wed 2 Nov

RESCHEDULED: Open Doors

Parent/Student health session

Fri 4 Nov

Parish Movie

Fri 11 Nov

Glee Club presents 'Mary Pop-

pins' 11.30am, 12.10pm,

12.45pm Auditorium

Fri 2 Dec

Parish Movie

Sacraments

Fri 11 Nov

7.00pm Confirmation

END OF YEAR

Wed 14 Dec

End of Year Mass 9.00am

End of Term 4 for children at

3.00pm

2017

Tues 31 Jan

School starts for children for 2017

Dear Parents,

It was just so wonderful to see the children returning back to school with such happy smiles. I am very glad and grateful that everyone returned safely back to school after a well-earned rest.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO
ALL THE BULLDOGS SUPPORTERS
FOR A WELL-DESERVED WIN!**



Staff Professional Learning Day

On Monday the staff attended a professional learning day with Kath Murdoch. We worked to deepen our understanding about *Personalising Learning using Inquiry Approach*. By the end of the day the staff had worked out a whole school plan to implement in 2017 focused on Personalising the Learning using the Inquiry Approach.

Here is a quote from Kath Murdoch's latest book 'The Power of Inquiry' which describes the nature of an inquiry classroom:

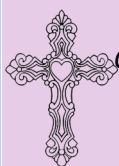
'Quality inquiry classrooms are places where highly intentional teachers work hard to grow the capacity of all students to learn. These teachers work diligently to help students know what to do when they don't know, to develop deeper understandings of how the world works and to build and refine a set of skills or dispositions that will enable learning to continue life-long and life-wide.'

Our whole school scripture Matthew 25:40 will be integrated into our Faith-Life-Inquiry learning throughout the term.

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Matthew 25:40

Prayer for St Francis of Assisi



On October 4 we celebrate Saint Francis. He loved people and all God's creation.

Dear God of all creation, we know that Francis of Assisi tried always to follow your will. He reached out to the poor and lived in peace with others. He respected all of creation and praised you for your glory. His life showed us a way to love you and all people in your name. help us to be like Saint Francis in all things and in all ways. Amen



Casual Day & Yr 6 Performance

raised \$803.20

for CAPSA

In the last week of Term 3 we raised money for the Catholic Alliance for People Seeking Asylum via a gold coin donation for entry to see the Year Six performance of 'Baby bear is Missing' and to wear casual clothes on the last day of Term 3. Altogether the school raised \$803.20. This money was sent to the Jesuit Social Services who the Catholic Alliance for People Seeking Asylum are a branch of. The Chief Executive officer for the Jesuit Social services Julie Edwards has written to our school and this is what she said:

We were thrilled to receive your recent donation from students at our Lady of the Immaculate Conception, following their participation in the National day of Prayer and Action. Your support will ensure we can continue the important work of the catholic alliance for People Seeking Asylum.

Your generous funds will assist us in achieving our vision of a society that values fair and humane treatment of people seeking asylum in Australia by connecting people and creating a voice for change.

It's only thanks to the generosity of our donors that we can continue this work. Through your support we can make a real difference. Together we are building a more just society. Thank you again for helping us make a difference.

Well done Our Lady's for living out the school values of SERVICE and JUSTICE

Yours sincerely,

Patrizia Bertani

Ms Patrizia Bertani
Principal

principal@olsunshine.catholic.edu.au

EVERY DAY AT SCHOOL COUNTS!

Please remember the importance to make sure that your child is at school everyday. It is also very important that children arrive to school on time everyday.

Please advise the school if your child is away.



School success starts
with attendance

Parking around Our Lady's



Local Council has reminded us that **NO PARKING** is available on the reserve or alongside the kerb in Victoria or Robinson Streets (circled above).

Cautions have been given to vehicles parked there earlier this week, but from today fines will be issued to any cars parking on the reserve or by the kerb in Victoria or Robinson Streets.

REMINDER: Both roads are two way streets, so parking is **NOT PERMITTED AT ANY TIME** around the reserve (circled above).

Rail works have stopped services between Sunbury and Sunshine until the end of October, so many commuters are choosing to drive to Sunshine Station and therefore park in our surrounding streets. Please be aware that there has been an increase in car traffic in Sunshine, so you may need to allow extra time at drop off and pick up times, as well as anticipating that you may not be able to find a car park close to School.



CAROLINE CHISHOLM CATHOLIC COLLEGE

I want my child to attend
What do I do?

Now Accepting Applications for Year 7 2018 and 2019

2018 Applications close on 17th February 2017
2019 Applications close on 25th August 2017

STEP ONE

Collect and complete the enrolment application form,
available at reception or from our website
www.cccc.vic.edu.au

STEP TWO

Submit the completed enrolment application to 204
Churchill Avenue, Braybrook by the above due dates.

STEP THREE

The College will contact you to schedule an interview in:
March 2017 (for Year 7 2018) or
September 2017 (or Year 7 2019)

STEP FOUR

Offers for Year 7 will be sent by post in:
May 2017 (for Year 7 2018) or
October 2017 (for Year 7 2019)

For more information please contact our College
Registrar on 92935311 or registrar@cccc.vic.edu.au

MANY MINDS
one heart

OPEN DAY
TUES 11 OCT GUIDED TOURS



Leaders in Learning Excellence

YMCA Healthy Kids OSHC Our Lady's Primary PROGRAM AT A GLANCE



For all **Bookings and Cancellations** please call us directly on **0401 700 401**
Email us: ourladysoshc@ymca.org.au
For any **Account Information** please call our office on: **8371 0500**
www.childrensservices.ymca.org.au

DAY	After School Care Activities	Afternoon Tea
Monday Staff:	Professional Learning Day for Teachers	No school for children
Tuesday Staff: Carolina, Lucette & Myrna	Inside: Cooking for tomorrow's afternoon tea- Blueberry Muffins Ball Games Homework & Readers.	Seasonal Fruit & Veggies Rice Cakes and Dip
Wednesday Staff: Carolina, Phoebe, Chelsea	Inside: Spring Paper Flowers Designs Outside: Fruit Salad & Octopus	Seasonal Fruit & Veggies Blueberry Muffins
Thursday Staff: Carolina, Chelsea & Myrna	Inside: Emoji DIY Bookmarks Outside: Playground & Free Play Homework + Readers	Seasonal Fruit & Veggies Noodles
Friday Staff: Carolina, Marlene & Georgia	Children's Choice: Games, Activities Inside & Out. Cooking with Marlene Playdough	Seasonal Fruit & Veggies Corn Thins with Spreads

A variety of seasonal fruit and vegetables are always offered to children for afternoon snack! A variety of arts, crafts, board games, construction, recreational activities, sensory and imaginary play opportunities are available every day for children to choose. **Homework & Home Readers Time** – Our YMCA staff are there to encourage home readers and homework and most days we set aside a time to encourage this! If you or someone else is picking up your child (children) early from school and they are not attending the after school care, please let OSHC Team know.

Please remember children need to bring their school hat (Broadbrim or Legionaries Hat) from 1st September to 1st May and sunscreen will need to be applied when playing outside.

Bookings and Cancellations:

It is important to book your child's place so we can plan and expect their arrival at Before and After School Care. To ensure the safety of your child please notify us of any absences or additional days of care via the **My Family Lounge Portal** <http://www.childrensservices.ymca.org.au/enrol/my-family-lounge-sign-in.html> As a reminder please note that the cancellation period of 7 days notice applies for all Before and After School Care bookings. For additional information on our program please visit <http://www.childrensservices.ymca.org.au/school-care/our-locations/our-ladys-ps.html>

Thank You, Michelle and Our Lady's OSHC Team

PREPARATIONS FOR 2017

As we are beginning our preparations for 2017, we ask that parents let us know as soon as possible if their children are not returning to Our Lady's next year. We have had many inquiries about places for 2017 and we need to let these parents know if there are places for their children. We currently have a waiting list for Prep and several of the other year levels are full, with enrolment enquiries coming in. **If your child is not returning in 2017 (apart from our current year 6 children) please complete the form below and return it to the office. It is vital that you return this form as soon as possible.**

Thank you.

Children NOT returning to Our Lady's School in 2017

Family Name: _____

Child/children's names

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|----------|--------------|
| 1. _____ | Grade: _____ |
| 2. _____ | Grade: _____ |
| 3. _____ | Grade: _____ |
| 4. _____ | Grade: _____ |

Suburb we are moving to: _____

Name of our new school: _____

Signed: _____ (Parent)

Please return this form to the office as soon as possible

The Our Lady's GLEE club presents...



3 shows only!

PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF PREVIOUSLY ADVERTISED DATE

FRIDAY 11th NOVEMBER IN THE AUDITORIUM

Show 1: @ 11.30am

Show 2: @ 12.10pm

Show 3: @ 12.45pm

Families welcome to attend!

To help us determine attendance numbers, please return the slip below
by Friday 7th October.

You can also visit the GLEE SITE, any time - through our school website.

Glee Club Presents Mary Poppins

Family name: _____

Eldest Child's Name: _____ Grade: _____

I/We will be attending (please tick which show and write how many people):

☐ Show 1 at 11.30am Number of people _____

☐ Show 2 at 12.10pm Number of people _____

☐ Show 3 at 12.45pm Number of people _____



Your faith has made you well



28th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year C

Gospel

Lk 17:11-19

On the way to Jerusalem Jesus travelled along the border between Samaria and Galilee. As he entered one of the villages, ten lepers came to meet him. They stood some way off and called to him, 'Jesus! Master! Take pity on us.' When he saw them he said, 'Go and show yourselves to the priests.' Now as they were going away they were cleansed. Finding himself cured, one of them turned back praising God at the top of his voice and threw himself at the feet of Jesus and thanked him. The man was a Samaritan. This made Jesus say, 'Were not all ten made clean? The other nine, where are they? It seems that no one has come back to give praise to God, except this foreigner.' And he said to the man, 'Stand up and go on your way. Your faith has saved you.'

When are some of the times you can ask Jesus for help?

Fill in the missing letters, then match them up by number in the large boxes to reveal the message of this story.

- Jesus was on h₂s way to Jeru₁₀alem.
- Te₈ lepers asked Jesus to take pi₅y on them.
- Jesus told them to s₆ow themselves to the pri₄sts.
- One of the men disco₃ered he was heale₁₅, and returned to Jesus, giving praise to ₁od.
- He b₁₂wed down at Jesus' fee₁₁ and than₉ed him.
- Jesus then told him, "et up and g₁₄.
Your f₇ith has made you well."

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