# Sacred Heart School

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**Weekend Mass Times**

1st Sunday of the month – 9am
2nd Sunday of the month – 10am (lay led)
3rd Sunday of the month – 5pm
4th Sunday of the month – 11am (parish cuppa & morning tea - all welcome)
5th Sunday of the month – 9am

# Newsletter

## 29th June 2018 Term 2 Week 11

**School Vision – At Sacred Heart School in partnership with our community and open to God's presence, we pursue fullness of life for all.**

## Reflection - A Prayer for the end of Term

We thank you Lord, for this term.
For the challenges, the successes, and the mistakes from which we have learnt. Be with us as we spend our time with family and friends. Give us strength and courage to do what is right: to be witnesses of our faith. Help us to be a practical Christian these holidays, to appreciate what others do for us, to give time and effort to help others. To be peacemakers in our family. Keep us safe in our activities; give us good rest and good fun. Bring us back refreshed and ready for a new term. We thank you for our classmates, teachers, parents and our community that cares for us. May we always be conscious of you in our lives. Amen

## Principal's Message

The end of the term has arrived. The students have been working hard to improve their knowledge and skills. Well done to the staff who have worked hard in their roles in the school. I hope all families can spend some time together and to rest.

## Term 3

A reminder that Term 3 starts on Monday 16th July.

## Mid Year Reports and Learning Journals

The teachers have been busy preparing the Mid Year Reports for all students. The reports have been sent home today with the newsletter. This year, we have introduced a simpler way of communicating student progress in our reports to parents by using 'I can' statements, which are based on the outcomes that students work towards each year from the Victorian Curriculum. Our teachers are grading each student against each of the 'I Can Standards' which are essential for each student to achieve for their year level.

Your child will also bring home their Learning Journal, which contains samples of work. We ask that each family spends some time going through the Learning Journal work samples with their child during the school holidays and asks them about the work they have completed. The Learning Journals also include 'I can' statements. The work samples produced by your child, provide evidence of how they demonstrate proficiency to the expected standard required of their year level. These folders need to be returned to school during the first week back next term.

## Parent Teacher Student Interviews

Our Parent Teacher Student Interviews are set for next term on Tuesday 25th July. Please note that these Interviews are optional. Parents or teachers may request an interview. The interviews, involving parents, students and teachers provide a genuine partnership between home and school. This format is an adaptation of the traditional Parent/Teacher meetings as the students play a role as we want them to feel empowered and respected and acknowledged contributors to their own learning. We want students to share the responsibility for their own learning. Therefore, they need to be part of the decision making, goal setting and feedback process. A timetable will be sent home on the first day of Term 3.

## Fun Run for Georgia

Our Student Mini Vinnies Committee organised a Fun Run, which took place today. The Mini Vinnies are raising funds for Georgia McPeake, an ex Sacred Heart and local high school student from Casterton Secondary College in Year 9. Georgia has been identified as a distance runner with great ability, who has been spotted by talent scouts. As a result, she has been invited to compete in 4 Cross Country Running Events in the USA in September. Georgia requires financial assistance to be able travel to the USA. The students, along with many parents ran laps around the school oval. The Year 3-6 students also led games to give the children who needed a rest the chance to regroup before continuing with their running. We also had a hot soup lunch. Thank you to the parents who supplied the soup.
Total raised $329.35

## Road Children Crossing and Car Parking

Children Road Crossing

As we have quite a number of students who use the children crossing on the Highway we are improving the procedure for getting these children across the road safely. We now ask that all students who use the crossing to wait inside the school gate behind the bus stop. When all children who cross the highway are ready cross together, Dale, our Crossing Supervisor, will ensure the children cross the road safely together.

Car Parking

Our school has plenty of car parking space around the Church Hall, Gymnasium and Art Room. There is also plenty of room on Robertson Street. For safety reasons, we ask parents, when collecting or dropping off children to park in the parking bays instead of in the driveway or the lawn so students do not have to cross the driveway. Also, please be mindful to park outside of the area where the orange flags are displayed to avoid fines and to keep the children crossing clear and safe.

## Enrolments for 2019

The school is now open enrolments for existing families and new families. If you have a child who is ready for school in 2019, call into the office to collect an enrolment pack or ring the school to ask for an enrolment pack to be sent home. If you know of any families who would like to enrol their children at Sacred Heart, let them know that enrolments are open. I am always happy to meet with new families to discuss what our school can offer and to take people on tours through the school.

## Class News - Senior Class

## SENIOR CLASS PROCEDURE WRITING UNIT RESULTS

The Year 3-6 class has been learning about Procedural Writing. The students were tested on their knowledge prior to the learning cycle and again at the end of the learning cycle. The red shows the percentage of unknown content, the orange shows the percentage of content that students are nearly proficient in and the green shows the content that is known and demonstrated. We are very pleased with the growth that all grades have shown and look forward to sharing more wonderful results throughout the year. See charts below.

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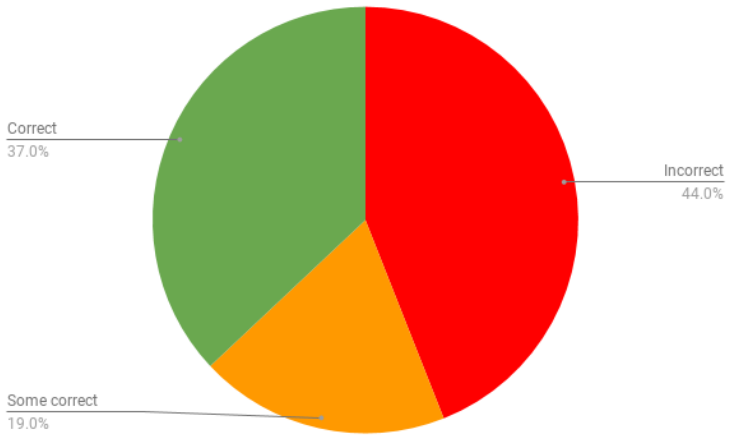
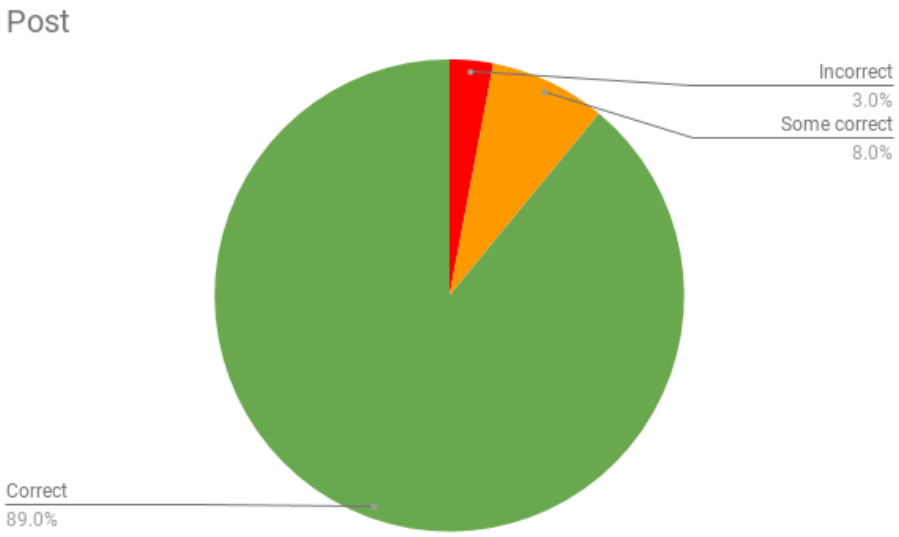
| Significantly Below Standard |
| Below Standard |
| At Standard |

PRE TEST - Year 3-6 Class Procedural Writing Unit




POST TEST - Year 3-6 Class Procedural Writing Unit



## Class News - Indonesian

During this term Junior students have been learning the names of farm animals and the words that are used to describe the animals' noises. We have been using hands-on resources to help with describing other features of animals, such as, what colour they are and how many legs they have etc. All students have been extremely engaged in this unit of work and fascinated by some of the new Indonesian words they have learnt.

Here are a few we have looked at:

| Animal (English) | Animal (Indonesian) | Noise (Eng) | Noise (Indonesian) |
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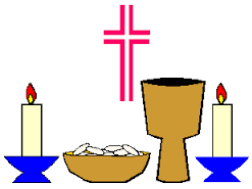
| PIG | BABI | OINK OINK | GROK GROK |
| COW | SAPI | MOO MOO | MOOAH MOOAH |
| HORSE | KUDA | NEIGH NEIGH | YIIIHHHAAAAA! |
| CAT | KUCING | MEOW MEOW | MEONG MEONG |

## School Banking

**School Banking days are every Wednesday.** Bank books can be brought to school any day before Wednesday each week.

## School Masses and Liturgies - Save the dates



The following celebrations have been planned. Please put these into your calendars. All families and parishioners are welcome to attend.

Thurs 26th July - Saints' Joachim and Anne Feast Day Liturgy (Grandparents Day) 1:30
Fri 10th Aug - Mary MacKillop Liturgy 3pm
Wed 15th Aug - Assumption of Mary Mass at Church 2:30
Tues 28th Aug - Foundation, Year 1 & 2 Class Liturgy 3pm
Fri 31st Aug - Father's Day Prayer Service 3pm
Mon 10th Sept - Yr 3-6 Class Mass 10:30

## Defib for Casterton Pool and Caravan Park

Earlier this year our school hosted a Trivia Night to raise funds, which would go towards the purchase of a new Defib for public use at the Casterton Swimming Pool and Caravan Park. Casterton Playgroup and Sacred Heart have combined their fundraising efforts together. Between our school and Casterton Playgroup we now have enough funds to purchase a Defib. A cheque was presented to the Swimming Pool Manager, Sharron Gill on Thursday, 28th June, which will be used to buy a new Defib. Thank you to the school families and the wider community for supporting our Trivia Night and to Colleen Koch and Darren Elshaug for representing our school during this presentation.

## Happy Birthday!

We would like to wish the following student a Happy Birthday:
Ellenora Mason - 25th June Liam Withers - 26th June Jack Wombwell - 3rd July

## Awards

The following children will receive Awards at Friday's assembly at 3pm. Parents and family members are welcome to attend our weekly assemblies.

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| Foundation, Year 1 and 2 Class | Zavier Cates and Flynn Koch |
| Year 3 to 6 Class | Mairead Elshaug-Betson and Abby Black |
| Captains' Award | Abby Balck |
| Principal's Award | Toby Auld and Flynn Koch |

## Dates to Remember

**Term 3**

Week 1 Mon 16th July - First Day of Term 1 - Students begin classes
Week 1 Fri 20th July - Pyjama Casual Day for a Gold Coin Donation
Week 1 Fri 20th July - Southern Zone Principals' Meeting - Mr Wrobel out
Week 2 Tues 24th July - Parent Teacher Interviews (Optional)
Week 2 Thurs 26th July - Grandparents Day (Saints Joachim and Anne Feast Day) Liturgy 1:30pm

Have a great weekend.
Evan Wrobel
Principal

## Community Announcements

**Toy World are proud supporters and sponsors of our school. When looking for presents if you are shopping in Hamilton, remember ToyWorld.**

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# Go Tennis Academy

## Term 3 Tennis Coaching@Hamilton

### Group Coaching Programs

### Monday Kids Coaching

**Red Ball**
5 to 6 year olds
4.00 to 4.45pm
limited spots left
Cost - $120 for 8 weeks on court

**Orange Ball**
7 to 8 year olds
4.00 to 4.45pm
limited spots left
Cost - $120 for 8 weeks on court

**Green/Yellow Ball**
9 to 14 year olds
4.45 to 5.30pm
limited spots left
Cost - $120 for 8 weeks on court

### Tuesday Kids Coaching

**Red Ball**
5 to 6 year olds
3.45 to 4.30pm
Limited spots left
Cost - $120 for 8 weeks on court

**Orange Ball**
7 to 8 year olds
3.45 to 4.30pm
Limited spots left
Cost - $120 for 8 weeks on court

**Orange Ball**
8 to 9 year olds
4.30 to 5.15pm
Limited spots left
Cost - $120 for 8 weeks on court

**Green Yelleow Ball**
10 to 15 year olds
5.15 to 6.00pm
Limited spots left
Cost - $120 for 8 weeks on court

### Wednesday Kids Coaching

**Kinder Tennis**
4 to 5 year olds
9.30 to 10.00am
Limited Spots
Cost - $80 for 8 weeks on court

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Just a reminder that most of the junior group spots have been filled

**Tuesday Adult Cardio**
7.00 to 8.00am
All standards catered for.
Cost - $20 per session or $150 for 10 sessions upfront

**Wednesday Ladies Coaching**
10.00 to 11.00am
All standards catered for.
Cost - $20 per session or $150 for 10 sessions upfront

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### Adult Private Lesson Vacancies

**Monday**
6.00 to 6.30pm
Private Lesson
Cost - $280 for 8 weeks on court

**Tuesday**
10.00 to 10.30am
Private Lesson
Cost - $280 for 8 weeks on court

**Tuesday**
10.30 to 11.00am
Private Lesson
Cost - $280 for 8 weeks on court

## For Bookings please contact Grant on 0417528502