



# NEWSLETTER

SACRED HEART  
CATHOLIC PRIMARY  
SCHOOL



## From the Principal:

### “The Art of Conversation”

#### Our P.B.S. Values are:

Respect for Ourselves

Respect for Others

Respect for our Learning

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*“Every good conversation starts with a good listener.” (Anonymous)*

One of the fondest memories of my boyhood was sitting around the kitchen table with my family, brothers, sisters, aunts, uncles, parents and grandparents. We would gather as many times as we could each year to play cards, enjoy one another's company, share memorable suppers and listen to family stories. For me, growing up, it was the stories that have remained in my memory.

My mum, in particular, could share a story that would leave all of us with warm hearts. Her favourite stories were one's that included family. Listening to stories and engaging in the conversations enabled each one of us to discover more about our heritage. Being a part of the round table experiences was a building block to developing our understanding of our family. Each one of us developed our language skills by simply being involved with family.

Research has shown that oral language—the foundations of which are developed by age four—has a profound impact on children's preparedness for kindergarten and on their success throughout their academic career. Children typically enter school with a wide range of background knowledge and oral language ability, attributable in part to factors such as children's experiences in the home and their socioeconomic status (SES) (Hart & Risley, 1995; Fernald Marchman, & Weisleder, 2013). The resulting gap in academic ability tends to persist or grow throughout their school experience (Fielding, Kerr, & Rosier, 2007; Juel, Biancarosa, Coker & Deffes, 2003), which is why a strong focus on oral language development in the early years is imperative for future academic success.

Oral language is often associated with vocabulary as the main component. However, in the broadest definition, oral language consists of phonology, grammar, morphology, vocabulary, discourse, and pragmatics. The acquisition of these skills often begins at a young age, before students begin focusing on print-based concepts such as sound-symbol correspondence and decoding. Because these skills are often developed early in life, children with limited oral language ability at the time they enter kindergarten are typically at a distinct disadvantage (Fielding et al., 2007).

**Thursday 29th  
November**

**Last day uniform  
shop open for  
2018**

## **“The Art of Conversation” (continued)**

Even though our school continues to achieve excellent results we are always looking at ways to improve. In 2017 we analysed our school data to consider where we could make the greatest growth. Our teachers, the people who are able to make the greatest difference to children's learning at school, determined our focus should be on Oral Language.

Yesterday all of our school engaged in 'Pens Down Day', an opportunity for all children to spend time focussing on their oral language, engaging in conversations, listening to peers, considering what other things they could do rather than rely on pens or technology to support their learning. Ask your child what they did, what were their thoughts about the day, were they challenged? Perhaps families could consider a technology free weekend, break out the board games, a pack of cards, read a book together, walk with the family, anything that may encourage your child to spend time in conversation and improving their oral language.

*“Deep conversations with the right people are priceless.” (Anonymous)*



**Brent Wilson**  
**PRINCIPAL**

## **School Surveys**

Earlier this week we sent a reminder to parents about our survey. Our survey closes tomorrow. If you have not yet completed this please take 10 minutes, we value your feedback.

## **2019 Class Teachers**

Parents will be advised via the newsletter next Thursday 22nd November of the classroom teachers for 2019. There will be some information included about parents providing detail to me regarding the placement of their child. It is vital that parents honour the process if they wish for the information to be considered. One important aspect is the need to email ALL information directly to me on [brent.wilson@catholic.tas.edu.au](mailto:brent.wilson@catholic.tas.edu.au). Please check this information in next week's newsletter. Thanks in anticipation.

## **NIJSSA Athletics Carnival**

Congratulations to our NIJSSA Athletics team for an outstanding performance last week. The children excelled both on and off the track. Special thanks to the parent officials who assisted at the carnival, Agnes Kostecka, Esther Beeton, Jo Marsden, Tracey Matthews, Nat Zegveld and Matt Zegveld.

Our team was placed first at the carnival. Once again it is a credit to every team member for your contribution to our overall success.

Thanks to 'super coach' John Anderson for his exceptional support and contributions. Thanks to Anna Davie and Sarah Viney for supporting the team on the day.

## Early Childhood Athletics Carnival

Last Thursday afternoon more than 150 parents, grandparents and friends gathered to watch the Early Childhood Carnival. More than 160 children participated in a range of novelty and running events. Thanks to the families who supported the carnival, thanks to the teachers who assisted and thanks to John Anderson for facilitating another exceptional carnival.

Special congratulations to our Grade 5 children who showed wonderful leadership in guiding and encouraging the children in the novelty events.

★ ★ ★ **SAVE THE DATE** ★ ★ ★



**Sacred Heart's  
2019 school fair  
date has been  
confirmed as  
Friday March  
22nd.**

We have some new faces joining the Fair Committee Team with:

**Fair Coordinator** – Catherine Pel 0406 769 553

**Food Stall Coordinator** – Sarah Khun

**Non-Food Stall Coordinator** – Rebecca Millwood 0418 721 952

**Entertainment Coordinator** – Phil Illingworth


Parent support and assistance is needed to ensure we are able to staff the Fair and make it yet another successful year.

If you would like to become involved and be a stall convenor, please direct your enquiries to the appropriate committee person.

## November 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
11th	12th	13th 6.30pm Board Meeting  7pm 2019 Band Program Information evening @ SPC	14th	15th  Development Band & Development Strings workshop day @ St Ailbe's	16th  2.10pm Assembly	17th
18th	19th	20th	21st	22nd 8.30am Band Program 11.30am Strings Program	23rd  2.10pm Assembly	24th
Grades 2, 3 & 4 Intensive Swim Program @ Launceston Aquatic Centre						
25th	26th	27th  7.30pm P & F General Meeting	28th  Primary Schools Rehearsal Day for Instrumental Music Program @ SPC	29th Last day Uniform Shop for 2018  Triathlon @ Devonport  7pm Catholic Schools Instrumental Music Program @ SPC	30th  2.10pm Assembly	1st Dec
Grades 2, 3 & 4 Intensive Swim Program @ Launceston Aquatic Centre						

## December 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
2nd	3rd	4th	5th 6.45pm Carols on the Oval 	6th Band & Strings Program instrument return and celebration	7th  2.10pm Assembly	8th
Prep & Grade 1 Intensive Swim Program @ Launceston Aquatic Centre						
9th	10th  6.30pm Gr 6 Leavers Dinner & Liturgy	11th	12th Gr 6 to Kids Paradise  <b>Last day school banking for 2019</b>	13th  7pm SPC End of Year Mass	14th  2.10pm Assembly	15th
16th	17th  Prep -Gr.2 Picnic at the Tailrace	18th  2pm Final Assembly & Grade 6 Awards	19th  7pm SHS End of Year Mass @ Church of Apostles	20th  <b>Final Day for Students</b>	21st	22nd

## The Spirit of Jesus is Alive in:

Prep Hills	<b>Sawyer Hart</b> For excellent work on writing	<b>Freya Pearce</b> For sharing and explaining about clouds
Prep Best	<b>Ryan Kelly</b> For great persistence and effort with fine motor activities <b>Tari Goebel</b> For creativity and hard-work in kite making	<b>Zara Cearley</b> For creativity and hard-work in kite making
Grade 1 Foster	<b>Remi Quarrell</b> For fantastic improvement in reading and writing <b>Leah Butler</b> For great sportsmanship at our Athletics carnival and super running	<b>Clancy Richmond</b> For always being a W.E.S.T person around our school
Grade 1 Gleadow	<b>Flynn Cowan</b> For showing determination and sportsmanship at the Athletics Carnival	<b>Koby Broadhurst</b> For showing determination and sportsmanship at the Athletics Carnival
Grade 2 Crawford	<b>Isaac Martin</b> For his effort in class and excellent sportsmanship at the Athletics carnival	<b>Xavier Soper</b> For excellent participation at the Athletics carnival <b>Bella-Rose Marquis-Lopes</b> For always being a happy chappy at school
Grade 2 Reid	<b>Maddison Fogarty</b> For kind respectful class member who always listens to instructions	<b>Sophie Bailey</b> For fantastic writing this week
Grade 3 Symons	<b>Lincoln Hodgetts</b> For excellence in recent testing	<b>Giarna Acquarola</b> For dedication and effort to her work
Grade 3 Underlin	<b>Colby Crawford</b> For his efforts in everything we do	<b>Roma Martin</b> For consistently being a Role Model. Thank you!
Grade 4 van Ryn	<b>Hamish Anderson</b> For looking out for others for being a kind classmate	<b>Sienna Walker</b> For her amazing help on Grandparent's Day
Grade 4 Wood	<b>Cooper van Emmerick</b> For your excellent work in our Maths unit on Time	<b>Lizzy Hoyland</b> For your excellent work in our Maths unit on Time
Grade 5 Viney/Liston	<b>Eloise Heather</b> For showing confidence in sharing her ideas and participating in class discussions	<b>Zane Headland</b> For always treating others with respect and consideration
Grade 5 Hood	<b>Matthew Williams</b> For excellent work in our 3D maths unit	<b>James Hogarth</b> For demonstrating leadership skills during yesterday's Athletics Carnival
Grade 6 Steven	<b>Ruby Dawkins</b> For her outstanding work ethic	<b>Sienna Drew</b> For being a fantastic role model
Grade 6 Davie	<b>Lily Robinson</b> For putting a great amount of effort into making her entertaining advertisement	<b>Mia Goody</b> For her continued application towards all her school work



## Early Childhood Athletics Carnival

Last Thursday afternoon our students in Prep, Grade 1 and Grade 2 participated in the ECE Athletics Carnival. It was great to see so many parents and grandparents come to watch the action. Our students should be congratulated for the the team spirit and enthusiasm displayed. Congratulations to Young House for winning the carnival. Division one individual race winners:

Prep Girls: Eliza Davie

Prep Boys: Harry Gamble

Grade 1 Girls: Grace Matthews

Grade 1 Boys: Koby Broadhurst

Grade 2 Girls: Phoebe Shea

Grade 2 Boys: Cato Kotynia





















## NIJSSA Athletics Carnival

Last Thursday Sacred Heart won the NIJSSA Athletics Carnival for a fifth consecutive year. This is a fantastic achievement which has occurred through lots of hard work and preparation by our little athletes. All of our students (not just the people who took part last week) should feel proud of their efforts in athletics this year. A big thank you to the following parents who helped out on Thursday: Matt Zegveld, Nat Zegveld, Tracey Matthews, Jo Marsden, Esther Beeton and Agnes Kostecka.

Conratulations to the following students who finished in 1st. 2nd or 3rd place in an event:

### 1st Place

Gr 3 SHS 6 x 70m boys relay team  
(Xavier Davie, Daniel Wojcik, Tahj Jones, Harrison Millwood, Ben Berlese & Caleb McKenzie)  
Amelie Millar (Gr 3 long jump - div 2)  
Amelie Millar (Gr 3 vortex - div 1)  
Xavier Davie (Gr 3 vortex - div 1)  
Xavier Davie (Gr 3 400m - div 1)  
Xavier Davie (Gr 3 70m - div 1)  
Xavier Davie (Gr 3 100m - div 1)  
Caleb McKenzie (Gr 3 vortex - div 2)  
Daniel Wojcik (Gr 3 long jump - div 1)  
Daniel Wojcik (Gr 3 70m - div 2)  
Daniel Wojcik (Gr 3 400m - div 2)  
Daniel Wojcik (Gr 3 100m - div 2)  
Ben Berlese (Gr 3 long jump - div 2)  
Ben Berlese (Gr 3 100m - div 5)  
Ruby Jones (Gr 3 400m - div 1)  
Ruby Jones (Gr 3 100m - div 1)  
Giarna Acquarola (Gr 3 70m - div 6)  
Harrison Millwood (Gr 3 70m - div 4)  
Harrison Millwood (Gr 3 100m - div 4)  
Tahj Jones (Gr 3 70m - div 3)  
Tahj Jones (Gr 3 100m - div 3)  
Oliver Austen (Gr 3 100m - div 6)  
Hollie Jones (Gr 4 long jump - div 1)  
Lily Smith (Gr 4 70m - div 6)  
Oscar Marsden (Gr 4 400m - div 1)  
Oscar Marsden (Gr 4 70m - div 2)  
Oscar Marsden (Gr 4 100m - div 2)  
Max Matthews (Gr 4 400m - div 2)  
Max Matthews (Gr 4 70m - div 1)  
Max Matthews (Gr 4 100m - div 1)  
Gr 5 SHS 4 x 100m boys relay team  
(Liam Rowlands, Zac Rayner, Oliver Viney & Lachie Davern)  
Millie Geale (Gr 5 javelin - div 2)  
Millie Geale (Gr 5 100m - div 2)  
Millie Geale (Gr 5 200m - div 3)  
Oliver Viney (Gr 5 discus - div 2)  
Abbey Berlese (Gr 5 100m - div 1)  
Abbey Berlese (Gr 5 shot put - div 1)  
Abbey Berlese (Gr 5 200m - div 1)  
Liam Rowlands (Gr 5 100m - div 1)  
Liam Rowlands (Gr 5 200m - div 1)  
Elyse Campbell (Gr 5 shot put - div 2)  
Zac Rayner (Gr 5 200m - div 2)  
Gr 6 SHS 4 x 100m boys relay team  
(Alex Zegveld, Will Saunders, Oliver Baldock & Owen Millar)  
Gr 6 SHS 4 x 100m girls relay team  
(Ava Jones, Annaliese Leeftang, Ruby Dawkins & Asha Lowe)  
Ava Jones (Gr 6 800m - div 1)  
Ava Jones (Gr 6 long jump - div 2)  
Ava Jones (Gr 6 100m - div 1)  
Ava Jones (Gr 6 200m - div 1)  
Oliver Baldock (Gr 6 800m - div 2)  
Oliver Baldock (Gr 6 100m - div 3)  
Lily Robinson (Gr 6 javelin - div 2)  
Will Saunders (Gr 6 shot put - div 2)  
Will Saunders (Gr 6 200m - div 3)  
Alex Zegveld (Gr 6 long jump - div 1)  
Alex Zegveld (Gr 6 200m - div 1)  
Asha Lowe (Gr 6 100m - div 4)  
Asha Lowe (Gr 6 200m - div 4)  
Ruby Dawkins (Gr 6 100m - div 3)  
Ruby Dawkins (Gr 6 200m - div 3)  
Owen Millar (Gr 6 100m - div 4)

### 2nd Place

Ruby Jones (Gr 3 long jump - div 1)  
Ruby Jones (Gr 3 70m - div 1)  
Lily Matthews (Gr 3 400m - div 2)  
Jasmine Hartley (Gr 3 70m - div 5)  
Amelie Millar (Gr 3 70m - div 3)  
Amelie Millar (Gr 3 100m - div 3)  
Caleb McKenzie (Gr 3 70m - div 6)  
Ben Berlese (Gr 3 70m - div 5)  
Ruby Powell (Gr 3 100m - div 6)  
Gr 4 SHS 6 x 70m boys relay team  
(Max Matthes, Oscar Marsden, William Bevis, Hamish Anderson, Alex Woolley & Alec Jeong)  
Gr 4 SHS 6 x 70m girls relay team  
(Hollie Jones, Emily Norton, Jasmine Graham, Ava Boyle, Alice Fox & Lily Smith)  
Lucas Mineall (Gr 4 vortex - div 1)  
Ethan Ercole (Gr 4 vortex - div 2)  
Ava Boyle (Gr 4 70m - div 4)  
Ava Boyle (Gr 4 100m - div 4)  
Hollie Jones (Gr 4 70m - div 1)  
Alec Jeong (Gr 4 70m - div 6)  
Hamish Anderson (Gr 4 100m - div 5)  
Hannah Zegveld (Gr 4 vortex - div 2)  
Oscar Marsden (Gr 4 long jump - div 1)  
Breeanna Harper (Gr 5 800m - div 2)  
Millie Geale (Gr 5 long jump - div 2)  
Millie Geale (Gr 5 discus - div 1)  
Zac Rayner (Gr 5 100m - div 2)  
Leo Bailey (Gr 5 - 200m - div 3)  
Max Roney (Gr 6 long jump - div 2)  
Alex Zegveld (Gr 6 shot put - div 1)  
Alex Zegveld (Gr 6 javelin - div 1)  
Will Saunders (Gr 6 100m - div 2)  
Annaliese Leeftang (Gr 6 200m - div 2)  
Annaliese Leeftang (Gr 6 800m - div 2)

### 3rd Place

Gr 3 SHS 6 x 70m girls relay team  
(Ruby Jones, Lily Matthews, Amelie Millar, Daisy Johnston, Jasmine Hartley & Giarna Acquarola)  
Lily Matthews (Gr 3 70m - div 2)  
Lily Matthews (Gr 3 100m - div 2)  
Jasmine Hartley (Gr 3 100m - div 5)  
Daisy Johnston (Gr 3 100m - div 4)  
Ruby Powell (Gr 3 vortex - div 2)  
Hamish Anderson (Gr 4 70m - div 4)  
William Bevis (Gr 4 70m - div 3)  
William Bevis (Gr 4 100m - div 3)  
Hollie Jones (Gr 4 400m - div 1)  
Hollie Jones (Gr 4 100m - div 1)  
Alice Fox (Gr 4 70m - div 5)  
Alice Fox (Gr 4 100m - div 5)  
Annabelle Pyke (Gr 4 100m - div 6)  
Ethan Ercole (Gr 4 100m - div 6)  
Eloise Heather (Gr 5 200m - div 4)  
Liam Rowlands (Gr 5 800m - div)  
Lachie Davern (Gr 5 100m - div 4)  
Oliver Viney (Gr 5 100m - div 3)  
Zane Headland (Gr 5 200m - div 4)  
Abbey Berlese (Gr 5 800m - div 1)  
Abbey Berlese (Gr 5 long jump - div 1)  
Asha Lowe (Gr 6 discus - div 2)  
Oliver Baldock (Gr 6 discus - div 1)







## Working with Vulnerable People Cards

Reminder, that if you currently volunteer or wish to volunteer in future within the school (excursions, sports days etc.) you are required by law to have a current WWVP check.

Our current records display a large amount of expired WWVP for parents – Please contact the school office to update your details if you wish to help in the future.



**Working with  
Vulnerable People**

## Grade 2 -4 Swimming Program

10 day Grade 2-4 Swim Program (Monday 21st Nov - Friday 2nd Dec)



The lessons are at the Aquatic Centre.

12.00pm-12.45pm - Grade 4

12.45pm - 1.30pm - Grade 3

1.30pm - 2.15pm - Grade 2

### Bus Schedule

1. Leave SHS at 11.40 to Launceston Aquatic
2. Leave SHS at 12.25 to Launceston Aquatic
3. Leave SHS at 1.10 to Launceston Aquatic
4. Leave Launceston Aquatic at 1.05 to SHS
5. Leave Launceston Aquatic at 1.50 to SHS
6. Leave Launceston Aquatic at 2.35 to SHS

## Launceston Catholic Parish

### Our Parish Family Picnic

Sunday November 25<sup>th</sup> after 10.30am Mass

Sharing faith, food and fun!

BYO PICNIC FOOD, CHAIRS, BLANKETS

TEA/COFFEE PROVIDED

Sausage Sizzle (Fundraiser for St Vincent de Paul) Activities for Children,  
Music by St Patrick's College Students

**NB: ONLY THE 10.30AM MASS WILL BE  
CELEBRATED NEXT WEEKEND**

# question of the week

If you could be invisible for one day what would you do?

**Uniform Shop open:**

**Thursday's 2 - 4pm**

**Email:**

**[shs.clothingpool@catholic.tas.edu.au](mailto:shs.clothingpool@catholic.tas.edu.au)**

**Uniform Shop - last day for 2018 is 29th Nov**

**Uniform Shop Back to School Day 2019-  
Thursday January 31st, 10-3pm**

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**S.H.S. Clothing Pool email**

[shs.clothingpool@catholic.tas.edu.au](mailto:shs.clothingpool@catholic.tas.edu.au)

## Family Mass

Sunday 9am

St Patrick's College Chapel

All welcome!

18<sup>th</sup> March

15<sup>th</sup> April

20<sup>th</sup> May

17<sup>th</sup> June

15<sup>th</sup> July

19<sup>th</sup> August

16<sup>th</sup> September

21<sup>st</sup> October

18<sup>th</sup> November

### 2018 Term Dates Catholic Schools

**Term 1 Thursday 8.2.18 to Friday 13.4.18**

**Term 2 Monday 30.4.18 to Thursday 5.7.18**

**Term 3 Tuesday 24.7.18 to Friday 28.9.18**

**Term 4 Tuesday 16.10.18 to Thurs 20.12.18**

**6th July 2018 - Pupil Free Day**

**23rd July 2018 - Pupil Free Day**

**15 October 2018 - Pupil Free Day**

### 2019 Term Dates Catholic Schools

**Term 1 Thursday 7.2.19 to Friday 12.4.19**

**Term 2 Monday 29.4.19 to Friday 5.7.19**

**Term 3 Monday 22.7.19 to Friday 27.9.19**

**Term 4 Monday 14.10.19 to Tues 17.12.19**

**22nd July 2018 - Pupil Free Day**



## MINI VINNIES CHRISTMAS HAMPERS

In Term 4 the Mini Vinnies team will be focusing on Christmas Hampers for the Vinnies Christmas Appeal.

Each grade has been given a family to fill a hamper for. Vinnies have asked us to focus on collecting food this year and have provided a list of suggested food donations (see below)  
Here are the families each grade will be helping out:



Hamper No	Family			
SH1 - Kinder	Mother	Father	Boy 4	Girl 7
SH2 - Prep	Mother	Father	Boys 9, 12	Girl 6
SH3 - Grade 1	Mother	-	Boys 8, 11	Girl 5
SH4 - Grade 2	Mother	-	Boys 5, 9, 12	-
SH5 - Grade 3	-	Father	Boy 8	Girls 3, 6
SH6 - Grade 4	-	Father	Boy 6	Girl 8
SH7 - Grade 5	Mother		Boy 10	Girls 6, 12
SH8 - Grade 6	Mother	Father	Boys 3, 5	-

Please fill the hampers with Food items and Christmas treats that are non-perishable and in-date, such as:

Tinned Salmon/Tuna	Tinned Tomatoes	Tinned Peas/Corn	Fruit Mince Pies
Tinned Ham	Tinned Fruit	Tinned Beans	Christmas Cakes
Milo	Jelly crystals	Pasta Sauce	Christmas Puddings
Fruit Juice	Popcorn	Spaghetti	Long-life Custard
Sparkling Apple Juice	Gravy Mix	Deb Dried Potato	Tinned shortbread
Soft Drink	Breakfast Cereal	Rice Crackers	Boxes of Chocolates
Water Cordial	Jams & Honey	Sweet biscuits	Christmas Stockings
Coffee	Wrapping Paper	Savoury Biscuits	Bags of Lollies
Serviettes	Grocery Cards	Potato chips	Christmas Bon Bons

Please bring in all items by Tuesday December 4.

Thanks for your help and support,

**The Mini Vinnies Team**



Dr Jane Foster presents:

## **MYTERN**

A free information evening to unite parents, teachers and members of the Launceston community - for first timers and those experienced in **MYTERN**

**When:** 7pm – 8.30pm Monday 19th November

**Where:** East Launceston Primary School

### **Why?**

The need for adults and children to increase their levels of resilience and develop emotional intelligence has never been more crucial.

The destructive culture of believing that:

- the only good emotion is 'happy'
- you are failing if you are not 'happy'
- you always have to be perfect
- anger is a 'bad' emotion
- you have no control over how you feel is damaging the lives of both children and adults.

### **How can we change this?**

Language influences the way you think, which then influences the way you behave. So, in order to bring about cultural change, we need to first change the language. MYTERN provides that language and has proven that it can alter a whole community's culture.

### **What is MYTERN?**

MYTERN (Take Emotional Responsibility Now) is a language based on neuroscience. It has been scientifically proven to help change the destructive pattern of blame, judgement and retaliation, and replace it with responsibility, empathy and respect.

### **Who is it for?**

The beauty of the language is that it encapsulates the complexities of emotional intelligence/resilience in a simple metaphor which is suitable for all ages. It has been implemented across the community in the areas of education, business, health and sport. MYTERN is for everyone and belongs everywhere!

Come along, support your community and be a part of the exciting change that is **MYTERN**

<http://www.myterncity.com.au/>

**Please RSVP to Sue Chapple** - [sue.chapple@education.tas.gov.au](mailto:sue.chapple@education.tas.gov.au)



## Student absences

If your child will be absent from school please remember to either:

- call the School office on 63311011
- email [shsl@catholic.tas.edu.au](mailto:shsl@catholic.tas.edu.au)
- use the Skoolbag app, fill out an eForm
- advise their teacher

If you arrive at school after 9am your child must be walked into the office via the York Street gate and report to the school office to update our records and avoid unnecessary absentee text messages.

It is a legal requirement that parents are expected to advise the school as to why their child is absent.

## Signing students out during the day

- You must sign your child out if you need to pick them up from school for an appointment or for your child to leave early.
- Please pre-arrange this with your child's class teacher and the teacher will send your child to the office at the required time so you can collect them from the office and sign them out.

## WORKING WITH VULNERABLE PEOPLE REGISTRATION

If parents do not have registration or registration is pending you will not be able to volunteer and attend the excursion or school event. This is something that we do not want to have to do but as legislation and system policy we need to adhere to.

### How to apply for a WWVP and Number

1. Complete the online application form [www.justice.tas.gov.au/working\\_with\\_children](http://www.justice.tas.gov.au/working_with_children)
2. Print the "Application Receipt" which is generated when the application has been completed in full
3. Take the "Application Receipt" to a Service Tasmania shop, pay the fee (\$17.60) and have your 100 point check to confirm identity

**Once your registration has been approved and you receive your WWVP card, please bring it to the school office so your name, registration number and expiry date can be recorded and verified.**

## Reminder - Before School expectations

Even though it is a parent responsibility to make arrangements for the supervision of your children before 8:30 a.m., S.H.S. offer an arrangement for families who need their children to be arriving at school earlier.

- ❖ Mrs. Deb Scott will be at school from **8:00am** each school day for any students.
- ❖ **Students are not to arrive before 8am**
- ❖ If a student is here before 8:30 a.m. they need to go to the Gym. **The cost will be \$2 per child per day, which needs to be paid as the student arrives at the Presentation Gym.**
- ❖ The child's name will also be recorded on an attendance sheet on a daily basis.

**Reminder that dogs are not permitted on the school grounds without prior permission from the Principal**

## TOILET ACCESS AFTER HOURS

Student toilets are locked daily at approximately 3:15pm-3:30pm. There is a toilet located in the administration building, which is opened until 4:00pm daily.



The Buckby Saints Basketball Club aims to develop players to the best of their ability in an inclusive and supportive environment. The club promotes a culture where a child's enjoyment of the sport is paramount and the development of both sporting and life skills are highly valued.

## SELECTION DAYS

**SATURDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> NOV & SUNDAY 18<sup>TH</sup> NOV @ ST PATS GYM**

(see adjacent times for each age group)

**FOR THOSE INTENDING TO PLAY BUT ARE UNABLE TO ATTEND ON THE DAY PLEASE TEXT THE CLUB VIA EMAIL.**

**[launcestonsaints@gmail.com](mailto:launcestonsaints@gmail.com)**

**A \$50 non-refundable deposit (to be deducted from Club fees) is required to be paid either at selections or by Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> November (via direct debit), for players to be placed in a team. Teams will be finalised by Friday 30<sup>th</sup> November.**

More details regarding registration and payment of fees will be available at the selection days. The balance of club fees, together with BTas & LBA fees, must be paid early February prior to RD 1.

### Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> November

**U10 Girls**

9am – 10am

**U10 Boys**

10:30am – 11:30 am

**U12 Girls**

12:30 pm – 2pm

**U12 Boys**

2:30pm – 4pm

### Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> November

**U14 Girls**

9am – 10:30am

**U14 Boys**

11am – 12:30pm

**U16/18 Boys**

1:30pm – 2:30pm

**U16/18 Girls**

3pm – 4pm

### SAINTS merchandise

Ordering is via our online Saints Shop open 17<sup>th</sup> Nov to 16<sup>th</sup> December.

Samples will be available on the day to check sizing etc.

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