



# NEWSLETTER

SACRED HEART  
CATHOLIC PRIMARY  
SCHOOL



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

Respect for Ourselves

Respect for Others

Respect for our Learning

<http://MyTerncity.com.au>



## From the Principal:

### *'Savouring' at Sacred Heart*

*"Be thankful for what you have; you'll end up having more. If you concentrate on what you don't have, you will never, ever have enough."* (Oprah Winfrey)

Catholic Schools regularly spend time in prayer. It is one way we express our love of Jesus. As Christians prayer is an opportunity to talk with God. Prayer enables us to reflect on our lives and the lives of others. Last week at our Team Leader meeting Sarah shared a prayer that was centred on 'Savouring'.

'Savouring is noticing and appreciating the positive aspects of life - the positive counterpart to coping. It involves mindfulness and conscious attention to the experience of life's pleasures. What is needed to savour an experience in a positive way is to engage fully and to be conscious and mindful of every detail you can take in and to appreciate it fully - to filter out the world around us and become in awe of being in the world.'

I looked across from my desk and noticed more than 410 reports that needed reading. I wondered what could I possibly savour this coming weekend? Moments later a child knocked on the door. In walked a student that had been grappling with their attitude to learning. He had the biggest, broadest grin on his face. He had come to share a piece of writing with us. At that moment I knew we needed to listen to each word he read, each expression he gave, each moment he was with us because he deserved our attention more than anything. We savoured his excitement as he reached the climax in his story. One of the great joys of being Principal of Sacred Heart is being a part of each child's learning journey.

Later that day I received a phone call, with report reading still to follow, still pondering how the rest of the weekend would unfold. A member of the public had heard about our choir and their performance on Friday. The lady shared how impressive our children had been in their performance at Peace Haven Homes. She recounted, 'my Mum lives at Peace Haven and the children brought great joy to her, it made her week'. I savoured her story, knowing the children of Sacred Heart had made other people happier from what they had done.

The reports wouldn't go away though... they needed to be read...it was time to stop procrastinating...

**Here's what I discovered by reading your child's report...**

Each and every word that has been crafted by the teachers of Sacred Heart reassured me about the educators in our school. They know the children 'inside out', they are able to explain where your children are in their learning, they understand your children, and when they don't, they work hard seeking to discover more. Finally and just as importantly, they establish learning goals for future growth. There is no doubt I savoured every word written about the children of Sacred Heart in June 2019.

**Take a moment to consider this week...**

What could you do today to make it one to savour? I wonder what could you do to make the day one to savour for someone else?

*"All we have is now, this moment and it is my intention to make the best of it, to savour it, to drink it in, and to enjoy it."* (Nianell)

*"Life is a gift and it offers us the privilege, opportunity and responsibility to give something back by becoming more."* (Tony Robbins)



**Brent Wilson**  
**PRINCIPAL**

**Road Safety**

Last week we shared at the assembly about a few road safety concerns on Margaret Street.

Please remember we have traffic lights for two reasons. One is to enable pedestrians to cross safely. We have noticed a small number of parents, with their children, crossing the road, only 50 metres away from the traffic lights, outside our Margaret Street turning circle.

We strongly encourage every member of our community to take 5 extra minutes to walk to the lights and cross safely.

**Parent Student Teacher Nights**

Parents will receive a notice tomorrow afternoon, Friday 21st June, inviting you to attend our Mid Year Parent/Student/Teacher conversations. These will be held in the last week of term on Wednesday 3rd and Thursday 4th July. To assist us in providing appointment times parents are asked to return forms to school by this coming Monday 24th June.

**Parents Council**

Following is the link to the most recent copy of the Australian Parents Council Newsletter

<https://austparents.schoolzineplus.com/news?nid=4>

The Tasmania Catholic School Parents Council is a member of both the Australian Parents Council and Catholic School Parents Australia, both of the key national peak parent bodies in the non-government schools sector.

These two peak bodies provide different and unique services to parents of children in Tasmanian Catholic Schools.

## NIJSSA Cross Country

Congratulations to our Cross Country team for their exceptional efforts at Windsor Park at the NIJSSA carnival. Under cold and wet conditions our school performed extremely well.

Thanks to the parents who acted as officials, our parents and friends who supported and encouraged the children with their performances and our staff for your untiring efforts and commitment to our school spirit. Our school placed first for the seventh successive year. A very big thanks to supercoach John Anderson for your amazing efforts.

More detailed results will be published next week.





# NIJSSA CROSS COUNTRY





### English Poem about Love By Lillian Neighbour.

This is a sonnet made with love  
Love pursues your dreams  
It includes a million doves  
Like a flowing stream

Follow the light of the world  
It is the light  
Inside your heart is curled  
That shines bright

Love is an open door  
When things go wrong  
That heals a sore  
You can write a song

Love is life  
It takes away strife





## Parents and Friends News

### P&F's Progress for 2019.

Already we are at the end of term two for 2019 but this is how busy your P&F have been so far:

- Provided the Welcome Back BBQ and Movie Night
- Held 4 meetings
- Helped to run a very successful school fair
- Contributed money towards our amazing new playground
- Continued to supply the service of Entertainment Book which also raises funds for different areas in the school each year.

### Coming up in Term 3

- 25th June - Dinner meeting Cataract on Paterson
- 30th July - regular meeting 7.00pm Staff Room
- 27th August - regular meeting 7.30pm
- 30th August - Rock & Roll Night (venue TBA)
- 24th September - regular meeting 7.30pm

Feel free to come along and join us at any of our upcoming meetings.  
All our minutes are available to access on the school website -

<https://sacredheartl.tas.edu.au/school-community/parents-friends/>

Regards  
SHS Parents and Friends Association.

## Sacred Heart B-4 2019

### Tuesday

Come along to enjoy a variety of play based, indoor/outdoor experiences and explore the age/stage appropriate activities such as music/movement, fine/gross motor play, creative, dramatic, literacy and sensory activities



Morning session- 9.00am-11.00am

Afternoon session-12.30-2.30pm

Bring along a hat, water bottle and a piece of fruit to share for

Morning/afternoon tea.



Please email [Rebecca.millwood@catholic.tas.edu.au](mailto:Rebecca.millwood@catholic.tas.edu.au) for more information.

June 2019						
16th				20th 10am Band Program 11.30am Strings Program Gr3 Excursion QVMAG	21st No Assembly Sacred Heart Feast Day 1:45 SHGT	22nd
23rd	24th	25th 3pm Art Club 6:30 P&F Dinner Meeting	26th Sushsi Day No Lunch Orders	27th 10am Band Program 11.30am Strings Program Foundation Band - All Strings workshop day - St Ailbe's.	28th 2pm Assembly Pyjama Day	29th
July 2019						
	1st	2nd 3pm Art Club	3rd Sushsi Day No Lunch Orders Parent/Student/Teacher Interviews 3:15-7:15pm	4th 10am Band Program 11.30am Strings Program Parent/Student/Teacher Interviews 3:15-7:15pm	5th 2pm Assembly	6th
7th	8th School Holidays	9th School Holidays	10th School Holidays	11th School Holidays	12th School Holidays	13th

July 22nd  
Pupil Free Day

## The Spirit of Jesus is Alive in:

Prep Hills	<b>Eddie Leake</b> for great improvement in handwriting	<b>Tillie Pendergast</b> for being a friendly and welcoming member of our Prep class
Grade 1 Underlin	<b>Jaxon Baker-Law</b> for his amazing efforts with his speech program! <b>Aria Palmer</b> for her great reading!	<b>Harper Heather</b> for taking on board feedback! <b>Ryan Kelly</b> for his work in Maths!
Grade 1 Foster	<b>Sam Van Zetten</b> for super work during SMART spelling	<b>Harmony Munro</b> For fantastic journal writing
Grade 2 Reid	<b>Connor Davis</b> For his great attitude to his learning and getting involved in all areas of school life.	<b>Nate Jephcott</b> for excellent work in all tasks this week
Grade 2 Crawford	<b>Campbell Spencer</b> for always having a positive attitude at school	<b>Jesse Maxfield</b> for his excellent work in Maths <b>Toby Blyth</b> for always being a Go Kart
Grade 3 Symons/Crombie	<b>Riley Bradford</b> for being positive in class and being focused	<b>Gabriella Agostini</b> for being positive and a good role model
Grade 3 Wood	<b>Abbey Petrack &amp; Georgia Freeman</b> for designing an outstanding app	
Grade 4 van Ryn	<b>Thomas Tanton</b> For being a kind and compassionate member of grade four.	<b>Maggie Bailey Walford</b> For having confidence in her Sacred Heart's Got Talent audition.
Grade 4 Davie	<b>Jeremy Churchill-Bakes</b> for his "have-a-go" attitude towards his school work.	<b>Macy Watts</b> for being a Go Kart in Grade 4.
Grade 5 Thompson/Heathorn	<b>Alice Fox</b> For her outstanding presentation on Mother Teresa	<b>Bailey Marquis-Lopes</b> For significant improvement in his work ethic
Grade 5 Hood	<b>Olivia Gardner</b> For consistently producing outstanding example of writing each week.	<b>Lana Rice</b> for your thoughtful actions towards a fellow class member.
Grade 6 Steven	<b>Nate Jephcott</b> for excellent work in all tasks this week	<b>Zane Headland</b> For his creative writing in poetry.
Grade 6 Viney/Izard	<b>Connor Davis</b> For his great attitude to his learning and getting involved in all areas of school life.	

## 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.

### Fire Alarm

A reminder that if in the instance a fire alarm is sounded whilst parents are on the school site, you are required to assemble on the oval. Students remain with teachers as part of the process is for the staff to ensure all students are accounted for. If parked on York when the fire engine arrives it is vital that you vacate the area to allow the fire engine



## 2019 Carnivals

Monday 9th September  
SHS Gr 3-6 Athletics

Thursday 14th November  
SHS Prep-2 Athletics

## All Schools Cross Country

This event is on Tuesday 25th June @ Symons Plains. If your child is interested in participating please email:

[john.anderson@catholic.tas.edu.au](mailto:john.anderson@catholic.tas.edu.au) The school will organise the on-line registrations and cover the cost of the \$16 entry fee. Your child must be born in 2007, 2008, 2009 or 2010 to enter.

## 2019 Term Dates Catholic Schools

Term 2 Monday 29.4.19 to Friday 5.7.19

Term 3 Tuesday 23.7.19 to Friday 27.9.19

Term 4 Monday 14.10.19 to Tues 17.12.19

22nd July 2018 - Pupil Free Day

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8<sup>th</sup> Biennial State Conference  
A three day conference for parents, educators and psychologists

# Growing Gifted

*Nurture. Flourish. Soar.*

September 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> 2019

## Dive into Giftedness

Find out more at

<https://www.tasgifted.com/conference/>

Presentations on differentiation, selective programs and schools, 2E, early learning transitioning, testing and what it means, Department of Education policies, socio economic aspects of giftedness and more.

and Keynote Speaker

**Professor Don Ambrose**

Editor of the Roeper Review, international research journal; author and editor of many groundbreaking books; leader of many research projects involving eminent scholars from diverse disciplines: creativity studies, gifted education, psychology, ethical philosophy, critical thinking, cognitive neuroscience, economics, legal studies, history, theoretical physics....; winner of many international, national regional, state and institutional awards for innovative scholarship.

September 6th- 8th 2019

Elizabeth College, North Hobart

Early Bird registration ends soon

Register now at:

<https://www.trybooking.com/BANNA>

TAG financial members, associate members - \$160

Non-members - \$210

Full Time UTAS Education Students - \$80

Other Tertiary Students - \$160

Registrations for Friday evening, Saturday only or Sunday only also available

TAG is a not-for-profit parent-based organisation dedicated to sharing information and promoting awareness of the needs of gifted children.

[www.tasgifted.com.au](http://www.tasgifted.com.au)

Join TAG for extra benefits

# MINI VINNIES PYJAMA DAY



The Mini Vinnies team, along with 3 Grade Four guest stars - Keira, Daisy and Molly - are organising a Pyjama Day as a fundraiser for cancer charities

**Date:** Friday June 28

Wear your warm, comfy pyjamas all day or part pyjamas and part PE gear.

Bring or wear sensible shoes for playing outside.

**\$1 donation** to wear pyjamas



## Treat and craft stall at first lunch

All stall items will be 50c, \$1 or \$2

Cupcakes, slices, jelly cups, lolly bags, slime, bracelets, playdough and more

Grade 5s will need to wear PE gear and bring their pyjamas to change into because of an excursion that morning.

# SUSHI !!!!

**Every Wednesday  
\$3.20 per roll**



**Options.....  
Tuna & Avocado,  
Californian,  
Crispy Chicken,  
Teriyaki Chicken,  
Vegetarian**

**No other lunch orders will  
be available Wednesday.  
Orders will be taken Tuesday  
morning before 11:00am**

**Supplied by  
Sushi To Go Charles St**

