



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

Friday 12th Feb

Welcome Back BBQ

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**Gr 5/6 Swimming
Trials**

Friday 26th Feb

**Gr 3-6 Swimming
Carnival**

Have you returned your:

- ☒ Payment
Arrangement Form
- ☒ Student Data
Verification Form

Goal Setting

Setting goals is the first step to turning the invisible to visible." (Tony Robbins)

Next week teachers will meet with parents from Prep - Grade 6. The focus of these conversations is to listen to you. We want to hear as much information about your child as possible. Teachers value these meetings and see them as a crucial opportunity to learn more about your child. The information will inform teachers in developing a greater understanding about how your child learns best, the many strengths they have and any areas of concern.

Parents would understand that teachers will have little to share about your child, as they have only been teaching them for three weeks. We will be using the information provided by you to shape goals for every child.

On Monday every child took home an information sheet about the Goal Setting meetings. The note included details about how to make appointments, this year parents will need to make these via COMPASS. Each note also had a form, about your child, that needs to be returned prior to the conversations with teachers.

Sacred Heart teachers also set goals. Each teacher, experienced and less so, young and old, spends time reflecting on what they do well and equally what aspects they would like to improve upon.

Our Leadership Team spends time each fortnight reflecting on our goals. As a team we listen to one another, seeking to understand, as a collective we will share ideas on how each one of us can achieve our goal.

On a personal note it is both uplifting and reassuring knowing the leaders of Sacred Heart and the teachers are always considering how we can improve and be better leaders and teachers. As a leader in Catholic Education for more than 2 decades one of the most significant changes has been to develop Leadership Teams that rely on the wisdom of many rather than the ideas of one.

We look forward to next week so we can continue to journey together to support the learning of the children of Sacred Heart.

"Individually we are but one drop. Together we are an ocean." (Ryunosuke Saturo)

Brent Wilson
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PST Conversations - COVID Expectations

Parents are reminded that they will need to sign in when they arrive in classrooms for Parent Student Teacher conversations, to ensure we are compliant with our COVID plan.



Parents are also able to sign in via the school QR code.

TAS App

SHS has registered with the Tasmanian Government Department of Health to use the Check in TAS app. Use of the app will help the Tasmanian contact tracing team quickly identify and assist anyone who may have been exposed to COVID-19 in the event of a coronavirus outbreak.

Download the Check in TAS App Today


Download the APP from

- Download the Check in TAS App from the Google Play Store or the Apple App Store.
- Register your details (required for the first time only).
- Open the app, select 'check in now' and hover your smartphone camera over the venue's displayed QR Code.
- Add in any additional people who are with you.
- When the check in is complete, show venue staff the app successful check in screen.

Thank you for supporting COVID-19 contact tracing efforts and doing your bit to keep Tasmanians safe. Questions? Call the Public Health Hotline 1800 671 738.

For further information visit
www.health.tas.gov.au/checkintas



Positive Behaviour Support

Our school, along with all Tasmanian Catholic Primary Schools, introduced PBS in our schools 7 years ago. PBS supports positive behaviours in schools. PBS is a vehicle whereby teachers explicitly teach appropriate behaviours to children. Children have to be taught to read and equally we should expect children need to be shown the correct behaviours.

Teachers will provide a range of positive feedback to children who make good choices. Equally teachers spend time working with children who make poor choices.

This week our teachers have spent time sharing appropriate behaviours in the areas in and around our school so that children understand what is expected of them.

Uniform

A very big thanks to Rebecca Millwood and Kelly Cox for their fantastic efforts in the Uniform Shop. Our school is fortunate to have a Uniform Shop on site that is so beautifully maintained. Many of the Catholic Primary Schools no longer are able to offer this service. We all know the convenience and low cost of items at our Uniform Shop makes this an asset for Sacred Heart. Rebecca and Kelly spend many unpaid hours working to provide an exceptional service for our families.

Board AGM

On Tuesday evening SHS held our Board AGM.

Thanks to the following members of our community who were elected and reappointed as the SHS Board for 2021, we are grateful for your commitment to our school

Chairman -	Shayne Rickerby
Vice - Chair -	Kylie Boyle
Treasurer -	Jo Widdowson
Secretary -	Casimir Douglas
Board Members -	Ty Turner
	Larissa Murray
	Tiffany Lynch
	Mallory Schipper
	Fr Mark Freeman (Parish Priest)
	Brent Wilson (Principal)

Welcome Back BBQ

All families are invited to join us on Friday 5pm on our school oval to meet new families and reconnect with continuing families for a family bbq. P and F are providing sausages and hamburgers. Parents will need to sign in under our COVID Plan, either via the App or on the paper form.



TOGETHER; bound by
faith, in Jesus' image.

On Wednesday we celebrated our Sacred Heart Welcome Mass. What a wonderful celebration, as we gathered in God's house together.

The first stone of our church - the Church of the Apostles was laid in 1864. Since this time many, many people have gathered together, prayed together, celebrated together and sung together in this beautiful building. Our children and staff all gathered here to celebrate, pray, sing and celebrate together and celebrate Mass. As an old scholar I always feel so at home in our church, with the children of Sacred Heart.

Father Mark and Father Chatty reminded us of all we have and what we share at our school. We share our faith together and we celebrate knowing Jesus.. As we celebrated Mass we prayed that we can be more like Jesus and together make our school, our community and our world a better place.

In peace, love and happiness,
Anna Davie
REC



2021 Dates**February**

Friday 12th : Gr 5/6 Swimming trials

Friday 12th : Welcome BBQ

Wed 17th & Thurs 18th: Parent/Student /Teacher

Tuesday 23rd : P & F Meeting

Wed 24th: Cup Day (Normal School day)

Friday 26th : Gr 3-6 Swimming Carnival

March

Mon 1st - Wed 3rd : Gr 5 Camp

Mon 8th - Public Holiday

Thursday 11th : NIJSSA Swimming Carnival

Wed 17th - Fri 19th : Gr 6 Camp

Mon 22nd - Tue 23rd : Gr 4 Camp

Tuesday 23rd : P & F Meeting

Friday 26th - Gr 5/6 Gala Day

April

Tuesday 27th : P & F Meeting

May

Friday 7th : P-2 Cross Country

Friday 21st : Gr 3-6 Cross Country

June

Wednesday 9th : NIJSSA Cross Country

September


Friday 10th : Gr 3-6 Athletics Carnival

October

Friday 29th : NIJSSA Athletics Carnival

November

Friday 12th : P-2 Athletics Carnival



**School banking
resumes next
Wednesday 17th
February**

Have you returned your:

- ☒ **Payment Arrangement Form**
- ☒ **Student Data Verification Form**

Launceston Cup Day

Families are reminded that Sacred Heart is open on
Launceston Cup day.

It is not a Pupil Free Day.**Webpage:** www.sacredheartl.tas.edu.au**Facebook:** www.facebook.com/sacredheartl**Pinterest:** www.pinterest.com.au/sacredheartl/**S.H.S. Parents and Friends email**shsl.pnf@catholic.tas.edu.au**S.H.S. Clothing Pool email**shs.clothingpool@catholic.tas.edu.au**2021 Term Dates Sacred Heart School****Term 1 Monday 1.2.21 to Thursday 1.4.21**

(Term 1 holidays includes easter break)

Term 2 Monday 26.4.21 to Friday 2.7.21**Term 3 Tuesday 20.7.21 to Friday 24.9.21****Term 4 Monday 11.10.21 to Wednesday 15.12.21**

The Spirit of Jesus is Alive in:

Prep Hills	Zara Brennan Welcome to Sacred Heart	Finn Butler For making an excellent start to his Prep year, showing great listening skills
Prep Foster	Evie Marshall For a wonderful start to the year and starting each day with a smile	Riley Spargo Welcome to Sacred Heart
Grade 1 Underlin	Nicola McNeil For an outstanding start to Grade 1	Felix Stagoll For his positive and confident start to Grade 1!
Grade 1 Izard	Jackson Hayes For the great start you have made to Grade 1, beginning each day with a smile	Harrison Davey For a brilliant start to Grade 1 at your new school
Grade 2 Symons	Molly Illingworth For being a supportive friend	Patrick Neighbour For giving the most hugs this week
Grade 2 Reid	Jacob Blyth For completing tasks enthusiastically and for a great start to Grade 2.	Reuben Gul For great listening and an excellent beginning to Grade 2
Grade 3 Wood	Charlie Bennett For always being ready to learn	Owen Richardson For being a kind, considerate and respectful classmate
Grade 3 Crawford	Hudson Jones For making an excellent start at his new school Jonathan Radin For his excellent application towards his work this week.	Charlie Hall For displaying an excellent attitude towards Maths this week
Grade 4 van Ryn	Nate Jephcott For responding well to feedback and increasing his effort and accuracy	Chloe Kedey A super start to 2021, what a role model!
Grade 4 Davie	Welcome to TEAM Davie - 2021	
Grade 5 Hegarty	Nate Bishop For your great start to the school year. Welcome to Sacred Heart!	Tristan Hawley For a fantastic start to the school year. Welcome to Sacred Heart!
Grade 5 Lee	Molly Worsley For her fantastic contributions to class discussions.	Tim Innes For consistently being caring and helping others whenever he can
Grade 6 Steven	Tamsyn Brock For her enthusiasm and contributions to class discussions.	Kaleb Barker For using his talent in ICT and helping Mrs Steven out.
Grade 6 Viney/Davie	Chase Jago For a cracking start to Grade 6 with his dedication to learning and positive attitude	Frankie Page Showing initiative and stepping up to be a Grade 6 leader and role model from Day 1

2021 Launceston Catholic Schools Instrumental Music Program Enrolments

Enrolments for the primary band and strings program will be available from midday on Friday 11/12 and will be open until the end of February.

Parents will be able to access the enrolment forms and information booklet by visiting the College website at www.stpatricks.tas.edu.au and then clicking on a tile on the homepage called '2021 Music Enrolments - SPC & Primary Schools'.

Cathy Ford will be on leave from 4.00pm on Thursday 10/12 commencing back on Monday 25/01/21. Parents are welcome to direct any queries to Cathy at music@stpatricks.tas.edu.au but she will not answer emails until after the 25/01.



Come and try
& Information Night

 **LAUNCESTON CATHOLIC
PRIMARY SCHOOL
MUSIC PROGRAM**

TUESDAY 16 FEBRUARY

WHEN: **6.30 PM**

WHERE: **ST PATRICK'S COLLEGE
ORANA HALL, CROAGH PATRICK
PEEL ST, PROSPECT**

WHY: Find out about enrolments, costs & times
Meet the music tutors
Instruments to try
Flute, Clarinet, Alto Saxophone, Violin, Cello, Trumpet,
Trombone, Percussion

Please practice social distancing at all times.
Sign in is required upon arrival.

Traffic & students safety

The school urges parents to support road safety by obeying signage or staff on duty requests. And asks you remind your child(ren) to be very aware of potential traffic related dangers around the school.

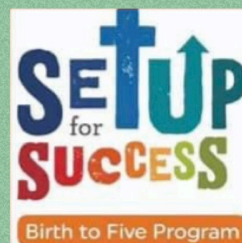
Sometimes for example, pedestrians or motorists take short cuts, and if students are crossing inappropriately (with or without you), or just not aware of their surrounds by always looking either way, we could have an accident.

The education and care of our students is a partnership between the staff and parents and we all need to play our part, even if only to demonstrate your support to any children watching.

**Our Setup for Success
Happy Hearts Birth to Five
sessions return on
Thursday 11th February.**



**Our sessions are
9:30-11:00
&
1:00-2:30**



We are excited to see our families again and would love to welcome new families too. We meet in the Kinder Green room, bring along a hat, drink bottle and fruit snack. Please email Beth for more information beth.rickerby@catholic.tas.edu.au

LAUNCESTON FOOTBALL CLUB

**PLAY TASSIES FAVOURITE
GAME AND HAVE GREAT
FUN AT THE SAME TIME!**



If you would like to become part of our Under 11 girls' team next year, have some great fun, meet new friends and are aged between 9-11, we want to hear from you!

Please contact: 63273424 or email generalmanager@launcestonfc.com.au



Absentee's

Please use the Compass App to notify the school if your child will be absent.

If your child is arriving to school late they must report to the office when they arrive at school.

Please note: only the York St gate is unlocked after 9am

Uniform shop open Thursdays 2-4pm

Orders can be emailed to shs.clothingpool@catholic.tas.edu.au , and then collected from the school office once you are notified your order has been completed.

For enquiries please contact

Kelly Cox (0400 128 200) and Rebecca Millwood(0418 721 952)

Sports Days

Prep , Grade 1 and 2 (Sports Uniform Thursday / Friday)

Grade 3 (Sports Uniform Monday and Friday)

Grades 4,5 and 6 (Sports Uniform Wednesday and Friday)

Canteen

Lunch orders are available Tuesdays & Thursdays. Order through the Flexischools app.

If you have used the Flexischools app before you will need to update your child's grade.

School Banking

Every Wednesday

School Times

8.45am - 3pm

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
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.