

NEWSLETTER

St Justin's Parish School

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Friday 15th March 2019

Dear Families and Friends,

Catholic Education Week

This week we celebrated Catholic Education Week with the theme "Growing Young in Christ." Catholic Education Week is an opportunity for all Catholic schools in the Archdiocese of Melbourne to celebrate their Catholic identity, the pivotal role they play within their local community and the strength of the sector. Whilst many might argue that in the last few weeks, we haven't had much to celebrate, it's important to remember that there are many amazing things happening not only around the world, but right here in our own community. As a Principal in a Catholic school, I'm fortunate to see it every day through the work and contributions made by Fr Andrew, staff, parents and students - there are many examples of faith filled people at work in our community.

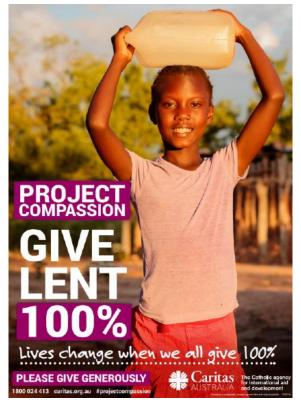
Yesterday I read of a former colleague of mine, a young women who had recently travelled to Uganda to work in a children's orphanage. Teaching Prep, her classroom consisted of nothing more than a chalkboard. Keen

to help, she has been working with the local community who have set up a fundraiser, not for computers, books or playgrounds, but for drop toilets and a washroom that the school so urgently needs to prevent the spread of illness and disease.

Whilst we can't all run off overseas to help those in need, Catholic Education Week and Lent can be a time when we all reflect on who we are and why we do what we do. Each morning our Liturgy Leaders have joined each of the classrooms during their morning prayer to lead different prayer experiences. The students participated in prayer using Christian Meditation and Project Compassion stories. Each of these sessions had the message of how can bring hope to others - a wonderful example of faith filled people in our community.

Project Compassion is Caritas Australia's annual Lenten fundraising and awareness-raising appeal. Millions of Australians come together in solidarity with the world's poor to help end poverty, promote justice and uphold dignity.

Today some of our School Leaders attended the annual St Patrick's Day Mass and Concert for schools in the Archdiocese of Melbourne.



Important dates ahead:

- Saturday 16th March, 1:30 pm 4:30 pm St Justin's Working Bee
- Monday 18th March, School Photos





Our Year 6 leaders celebrating Catholic Education Week at the St Patrick's Day Mass.

School Photos

Just a reminder that school photos will be on **Monday March 18**th. Please ensure that your child is in correct summer school uniform. They must wear black school shoes and have the correct colour hair ties - sky blue or maroon. Please ensure that long hair is tied up. As always, we thank you for ensuring that your child is dressed smartly in their correct school uniform – it's a wonderful outward sign that says "I belong".



Information regarding school photos was sent home with your child last week. Sibling order forms are available at the office.

Book Club

Issue 2 of Scholastic Book Club has now been sent home. All purchases earn 20% back in Scholastic rewards for our school. Orders must be in by Friday 22nd March. The preferred payment method is via LOOP (Linked Online Ordering & Payment System) which means there is no need to return anything back to the school. If you are paying by cheque, please make sure your child's name and class are clearly marked on the order form and return to the office via your child's class bucket. CASH PAYMENTS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.



School Photos Monday 18th March 2019 - Full summer uniform

Year 3-6 Cross Country

On Wednesday we conducted our annual Cross Country Championships. As always, the challenge is not to win, but to participate. Often children can have it in their own mind that there is no point, I won't win – sometimes the results can be surprising. It is wonderful to see those students who give it their all, knowing full well that this is not their favourite thing. It's also pleasing to see those who would rather walk but yet keep going, pushing all the way to the end. The effort between first and last is the same.



























Moomba Parade

Congratulations to Kiara and Sienna who performed in the 2019 Moomba Parade last Monday. Well done.





Dates Ahead

Friday 15th March St Patrick's Day Mass/School Leaders Saturday 16th March

First Eucharist Year 4 Commitment Mass 6pm

Working Bee 1.30-4.30pm

Sunday 17th March First Eucharist Year 4 Commitment Mass 10.30am

St Patrick's Day

Monday 18th March St Justin's School Photos Tuesday 19th March

Year 3 Reconciliation Family Workshop 7pm

St Justin's School Open Day

Wednesday 20th March Thursday 21st March Pizza Lunches

Tuesday 26th March Year 3 Reconciliation 7pm Wednesday 27th March Year 3 Reconciliation 7pm Friday 29th March Hot Cross Bun orders delivered

Tuesday 2nd April St Justin's Fair on the Hill Meeting 7pm

Thursday 4th April **PPT Meeting**

Friday 5th April End of Term 1 finish 1pm

All Children Can Achieve Success

Open Day

On Wednesday 20th March, 2018, we will hold an official Open Day. Whilst the day is usually aimed at prospective parents, everyone is welcome. We usually have a 'cuppa' set up in the Performing Arts Centre – thanks to those who have let Sharon know they can help out – much appreciated.



St Justin's Parish School

42-48 Whalley Drive, Wheelers Hill

ENROLMENTS & OPEN DAY

Wednesday 20th March 9.00am-3.00pm

Accepting 2020 Enrolments



UNIFORM SHOP / WINTER UNIFORMS

Winter uniform items are available from the Uniform Shop. Please get in now and place your orders at https://sjwheelershill.cdfpay.org.au. These orders will be sent home and if you need to make changes to the sizes that you have ordered, please come to the Uniform Shop on any Thursday morning between 8.45-9.15am and we can exchange for the correct size.

Please don't wait for Term 2 and the cold weather.

Winter Uniform Term 2

The requirement is that all students are in full school winter uniform by the second week of term 2. As the holidays are quickly approaching we advise that you order your winter uniform by the end of this term.



Volunteering at St Justin's

Thanks to all who have responded so positively to the call to volunteer at St Justin's — we've had an amazing response with almost 100 volunteers now successfully completing the Volunteer Screening Process. Not only are we so fortunate the have such committed and enthusiastic community minded people, but it's nice to know that we are all on the same page when it comes to maintaining a 'child safe' environment for the children in our care.



If you still wish to volunteer your services at <u>our</u> school, (we would love to have you) please complete the details within the

Volunteer Packs (envelopes) were sent home a few weeks ago – this information is also available on our website, under the Child Safety tab, located under the Our Student tab. Any parent who wishes to volunteer their services to the school must:

- Provide evidence (driver's license/Medicare card/passport) of personal identity
- Provide a valid Working with Children Check (WWCC)
- Respond to Volunteer Application questions
- Complete two Referee Reports for Volunteers that affirm that volunteer's suitability for working with children
- Meet with the Principal and/or Deputy Principal as part of our regular interview process. A Record of Interview will be completed at this time.

If you still require an interview, again we have opened up some more time slots for the next few weeks. These will be conducted next week on the following dates:

 $\begin{array}{ll} \mbox{Monday March 18} & 2:00\mbox{pm} - 3:00\mbox{pm} \\ \mbox{Tuesday March 19} & 10:00\mbox{am} - 11:00\mbox{am} \end{array}$

Monday March 25 9:00am – 11:00am, 2:00pm – 3:00pm

Friday March 29 2:00pm – 3:30pm

To make your appointment time please follow the instructions:

- 1. Go to www.schoolinterviews.com.au
- 2. Enter code pgyfj
- 3. Select a date and time to suit



When you click FINISH your selected interview time will be emailed to you immediately. If you not receive your email, please check your junk-mail, or enter the event code again and check your email address spelling. Update your details if email address is incorrect. DO NOT DELETE the email you receive. Keep it somewhere safe. You may need to refer back to it at a later date.

St Justin's Working Bee on the Hill

Saturday 16^{th} March, 1:30 pm -4:30 pm Please note: This is a free family event. We would love to see you there.

News from the Sustainability Team

Marine Ambassadors

Paige, Emilia, Anthony and Zara had a wonderful day out today in Sorrento with the Moonraker boat charter and representatives from the Dolphin Research Institute. The weather was just beautiful and the water was so calm and blue. The children had two swimming opportunities, one at Chinaman's Hat swimming with the seals and the other closer to shore looking for and finding the Weedy Sea Dragon. Whilst they saw some dolphins frolicking in the bay, they didn't see any while they were swimming, and that's ok because that's their choice.







The four Marine Ambassadors are now preparing a presentation to share their knowledge and experiences and encourage all students to be aware of issues concerning our marine environment. As you can tell from the photos we are blessed to have beautiful oceans, and amazing marine life - but it is our shared responsibility to make sure we look after it.

Enjoy...











All Children Can Achieve Success



St Justin's Primary School

Each pack of 6 Hot cross buns can be single flavour or mixed flavours.

The six pack costs \$7.50 and \$1.50 for every six pack will go towards the school fund-raising activities.

Please complete attached order form with payment and return through the classroom bucket in an envelope, with correct money marked Hot Cross Buns or through CDF, by 22/3/2019. Please pay online at https://sjwheelershill.cdfpay.org.au Hot Cross Buns will be delivered on 29/3/2019. No late orders can be accepted.



Mocha Hot Cross Bun – a bold twist on an Easter classic – the richness of mocha with our famous Hot Cross Buns!



Traditional Hot Cross Bun – an Everyday Classic Easter treat filled with fruit (sultanas and currants) and spices. Simply yummy!



Apple and Cinnamon Hot Cross Bun – two flavours in one – juicy pink lady apples and spicy cinnamon. What else?



Cadbury Dairy Milk Choc Chip Hot Cross Bun – a sweet twist on the Everyday Classic. Filled with over 100 Cadbury Dairy Milk choc chips. Chocolate delight.



Fruitless Hot Cross Bun – An alternate take on our famous Hot cross for those who aren't big on all things fruit! Simple but nice!



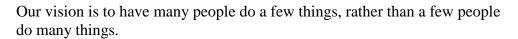
Hot Cross Buns Order Form

Student:	Class:		
Ç	57.50 per 6 pack of Hot Cross Buns		
	Mocha Hot Cross Buns		
	Traditional Hot Cross Buns		
Apple an	d Cinnamon Hot Cross Buns		
	Choc Chip Hot Cross Buns		
	Fruitless Hot Cross Buns		
Total 6 packs _	Total Cost \$		_
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BAKERS DELIGHT
WHEELERS HILL
IS PROUDLY SUPPORTING
LOCAL SCHOOLS AND THE COMMUNITY!

Button Delight

Thank you again to our parents and friends who attended our 1st meeting for the year – it was great to see such a big turn out with some new faces.





PARENTS & FRIENDS COMMITTEE

Have you got an idea or a suggestion to run an event? Or would you like to be involved in one of our many events but are unsure of what's involved? An open invitation stands for all parents and friends of St Justin's to come along to one of our monthly meetings to learn more, or feel free to provide your feedback, comments and suggestions at pnf@sjwheelershill.catholic.edu.au

We encourage you all to be involved and participate in your own capacity throughout the year. It's never too late to get involved!

Class Representatives

Thank you to the following Class Representatives who have volunteered to represent their classes:

Class	Class Representative Names
Prep Z	Laura & Amanda
Prep J	Anna & Shelley
1D	Aaron
1IW	Volunteers needed
2M	Jeannette
2SD	Volunteers needed
3W	Monique
3SS	Volunteers needed
40	Volunteers needed
4KC	Volunteers needed
5H	Volunteers needed
5WC	Volunteers needed
6FC	Volunteers needed
6L	Monique & Heidi

We are looking for volunteers to act as Class Representatives (preferable 2 from each class). The Class Representatives will liaise with the class teachers and help communicate information to the class parents. If you are interested in this role please email the P&F at pnf@sjwheelershill.catholic.edu.au with your name, contact email and mobile phone details, and child/children's class and a member of the team will be in contact.

Icy Pole Fridays are back!

Friday's in the undercover area. A variety of flavours will be for sale \$1 after school. We'd love to get some more helpers on board to help with set up, selling and pack up. If you are interested in helping or would like to learn more contact Carole Bouwmeester 0407 228 661.

St Justin's Big Screen Movie Night – Thursday 7th March

Thank you again to everyone who attended St Justin's inaugural Big Screen on the Green and making it such a magical evening.

A special thank you to the team who put the night together (Caroline W, Brodie C, Aili G and Tony D) and especially to Steve B and Hyped Media for their generous gift of the magnificent screen.

Sausage sizzle thank you

A huge thank you to all the wonderful parents who ran and assisted with the sausage sizzle yesterday. We wish to thank Sharon C, Tony D, Colleen W and their team of helpers on the day.



Working Bee – Saturday 16th March

Flyer attached - Bring the kids along! While parents are busy helping out, all children are able to participate in fun and exciting activities and watch a movie (BYO beanbag) in the PAC. Children will be supervised by parents and provided with drinks and light refreshments.

St Justin's Open Day – Wednesday 20th March

We would love a few parent helpers to help serve coffee/tea and speak to prospective new parents during Open Day. More details will be released about this soon!! If you are interested in helping out on this day, please let the office know.

Pizza Day – Thursday 21st March

Flyers have been sent home. Orders close Monday March 18, 3.30pm.

Trivia Night

Trivia Night planning has already begun with the first meeting scheduled. More volunteers would be appreciated, please contact Denise Van Den Bosch 0415 259 657 if you are interested in helping.

Bakers Delight - Hot Cross Bun Fundraising

The lovely team from Bakers Delight Wheelers Hill are helping out with a Hot Cross Bun Fundraising day. Parents can order a six pack of any of their delicious Hot Cross Buns, and they will be delivered for the children to bring home with them on Friday 29th March for all to enjoy. Parents can select from any of their Hot Cross Bun Range at the usual cost and Bakers Delight will donate money back to school for every pack bought. Flyers have been sent home, orders close on March 22.



SPONSORSHIP / DONATIONS

Please complet	te this form to sponsor or donate to St	Justin's Community Fair 2019.
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	☐ • Gold Package \$1000.00	
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	☐ • In-kind Donation	
If donating Goo	ods/Services please specify	
	send this form to: St Justin's Primary Sfair@gmail.com	School 48 Whalley Drive Wheelers Hill VIC 3150 o
Terms and Co	onditions e reserves the right to refuse any sponso	rship offer or offered donation.
Payment and C	Company Logos for marketing must be	received by 1st September 2019
Company Logo	os are required in vector file (.ai or.eps)
An Invoice and	d further information will be sent upon	receipt of completed form
Signed		Date
Thank you		
St Justine Foir	committee	

		PLATINIUM	GOLD	SILVER	BRONZE
INCLUSIONS IN FAIR ADVERTISING					
School website	logo and web link	loga & link	logo & link	logo	name listing
Parish website	logo and web link	logo & link	logo & link	logo	name listing
Promotional posters	placed in community areas	larger logo	larger logo	smaller logo	name listing
Real Estate Billboards	6 locations	larger logo	logo		
Letterbox Flyers	5000 locally	large logo front cover	smaller logo back cover	name listing back cover	name listing back cover
Raffle Tickets	2500	logo	logo	name listing book cover	name listing book cover
Skoolbag App.	logo and web link	yes	yes	yes	
Weekly School Newsletter		large logo & link	large logo & link	smaller logo back cover	
Weekly Parish Bulletin		large logo & link	large logo & link	smaller logo back cover	
ADDITIONAL PROMOTIONAL OPPORTUNITIES					
Your logo printed on new fair flyer	Prime advertising position	larger logo front cover	smaller logo front cover	smaller logo back cover	name listing back cover
Business profile advertisement	separate occasions	2 x full page	2 x full page	1 x half page	
Thank You Certificate	logo	yes	yes		
ON THE DAY EXPOSURE					
Marketing/Promotional materials at Fair Welcome stand		Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Signage opportunities at the Fair		Yes	Yes	Yes	
Promotional Stand at the Fair (approx. 3mX3m)	optional	Yes	Yes		
Regular announcements by the MC throughout		Yes	Yes		
the day on the Main Stage		Yes	Yes		
Opportunity for Demonstration/Presentation	optional	Yes	Yes		
INVESTMENT		\$ 2000+	\$ 1000+	\$ 500+	\$ 200+



SACRED HEART GIRLS' COLLEGE

Enrolments for Year 7 2021

Closing date: Friday, August 23

The Year 7 enrolment process for Catholic secondary schools now takes place in the second half of the year for students <u>currently in Grade 5</u>. Please see our College website for full details on enrolments and to download an *Application for Enrolment* form. Alternatively, parents may obtain a complete Prospectus Pack from the College Reception or, are most welcome to attend one of our **Open Mornings.**

The College will hold five Open Mornings prior to the Year 7 2021 closing date. Open Mornings commence at **9:30am** with an address by the Principal, Mr. Christopher Dalton. Family groups are then taken on a tour of the College and return for morning tea where further questions may be asked of staff members. The session concludes at approximately 11.00am. Dates for all 2019 Open Mornings are listed below.

Open Morning Dates for 2019

- Friday 17 May
- Tuesday 25 June
- Thursday 1 August
- Tuesday 29 October

Bookings for these dates can be made through the College Reception on 9568 5488.

For further information please contact the College Registrar, Ms Anne Wilks on 9568 5488 or via email: registrar@shgc.vic.edu.au









A parent evening with

Dr Michael Carr-Gregg

One of Australia's highest profile adolescent and child psychologists will present on What children are doing online and how to keep them safe. Join us for this FREE EVENT.

7pm | 19 March | Nazareth College





www.trybooking.com/ZPHW www.trybooking.com/449744

Manning Drive Noble Park North | www.nazareth.vic.edu.au | (03) 9795 8100

IN STITCHES EMBROIDERY, tailor crafts each satin or cotton stole for your child's sacrament.

The stole is embellished with your choice of sacramental symbol with embroidered stitching.

Please view the selections on FACEBOOK.

If you have an existing stole, please return your completed order form together with your stole and place in the classroom bucket by

Monday 18th March 2019

All enquiries please email: ISembroidery@mail.com

St Justin's Working Bee Saturday March 16, 1.30pm-4.30pm



JOBS TO BE UNDERTAKEN
GENERAL GARDEN MAINTENANCE
• UNBLOCKING DRAINS • HIGH PRESSURE
CLEANING • SLASHING GRASS ON BACK
OVAL • CLEARING COBWEBS • CLEANING
OUT CANTEEN • CLEANING
EXTERNAL LIGHT FITTINGS • PLUS MORE
ON THE DAY

Drinks and BBQ from 4.30pm.
Enjoy a sausage and drink in our outdoor kitchen and garden area

Remember if you attend two or more Working Bees you are eligible for a \$100 credit on your school fees account.





Bring the kids along!

While parents are busy helping out, all children are able to participate in fun and exciting activities and watch a movie (BYO beanbag) in the PAC.

Children will be supervised by parents and provided with drinks and light refreshments.

I / WE will be attending this event:	
Child's name and class:	
Please state any allergies:	
Working With Children Check number:	Expiry/
Contact number:	
Any questions please email Tony D—atd04@optusnet.com	n.au or 0404 863 443