



We are your community school

Holy Family School is a child safe school that promotes the safety, wellbeing and inclusion of all children.



Experience the benefits of a small, family school

06/04/19

Term 1 Week 10

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Saturdays

5:00pm Mass -Spanish

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Sundays

9:30am Mass

11:00 Mass

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School Hours:

8:45 School Commences

10:00 Fruit break inside

11:00 Children eat lunch

11:15 Play Break 1

11:45 2nd period of lessons commence

1:45 Children eat snack

1.55 Play Break 2

2:30 3rd period of lessons

3:30 Dismissal

Our School Vision

Holy Family School aspires to be a school community where all are celebrated and challenged to be the very best they can be in the image of Jesus with a desire for life long learning.

Halo Masyarakat Keluarga Holy Family,

The last week of Term 1 is here. There has been a lot going on this Term with School Review and all the other Term 1 events that we have.

Last Saturday we were going to have our Working Bee. The weather was terrible so there was no way that we could work outside. This week the children have been volunteering at lunch times to help with some of the gardening activities we were going to do.

The children have helped with the vertical garden on the side of the container, staining the new picnic tables and putting soil into the three planters that face the oval. Next term they will plant vegetables in them. Thanks to all the children.

I hope that all the parents that joined us for Harmony Day enjoyed it. A lot of effort goes into getting the day organised. Also the Easter raffle was drawn this year. We had 13 winners instead of the usual 3. The 3 big Easter baskets in the raffle will be very much enjoyed by the families that won them.

Last week we had the 3/4 and 5/6 school camps. All the children seemed to have a great time. The weather could not have been better and for the first time the grade 5/6 children got to do canoeing. The children get to experience camp because we have staff who are willing to be on duty over one and two nights and give up their own family time. Thankyou to all the staff who contributed to organising and participation in our camp program.

I would like to thank the children and staff for all their efforts this term. Our new students have joined Holy Family in the Preps and throughout the rest of the school have settled in well.

I hope our school community children, staff and families have a great Easter break and I look forward to seeing everyone at the start of Term 2.

Term 2 starts on Tuesday 23rd April. The Monday is Easter Monday so it is part of the holidays.

Principal

S. Twomey





RE DATES

Sunday 7th April
5th Sunday of Lent



Sunday 14th April
Palm Sunday



Friday 19th April
Good Friday



Sunday 21st April
Easter Sunday

RE News



Second Sunday In Lent

Last Sunday marked The Fourth Sunday of Lent. During the Lenten season we are invited to open our eyes to Jesus; to step out of the darkness and into the light; we look towards the future with hope and not despair. When we celebrate the resurrection of Jesus at Easter, we celebrate the coming of the Light of the World into our lives. This annual call to turn away from darkness and walk in the light is a powerful and poetic call to focus our lives on the way of Jesus.

Prayer

Loving God, open our eyes so we may proclaim and believe in Christ the Lord. Hear our prayers and deepen our faith in your Son, the light of all the world. We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Scienceworks

On the first day of the 3/4 camp we visited Scienceworks with Mrs Vesco, Mrs Sykes, Ms Deefolts and a few parents. We split up into two groups and searched through Sportworks and Think Ahead.

Our group was designing a car of the future and also participated in digital wheelchair racing.

We all had a great time at Scienceworks and would like to thank all the teachers and parents who helped organise the day.

Andee-Lei and Joshua Year 4



Community News

Together as One



Friday 5th April
Whole School
Mass
9.15am
End Term 1



Tuesday 23rd 8th April
BACK TO SCHOOL



Thursday 25th April
Anzac Day
NO SCHOOL



Friday 10th May
Mother's Day Celebration

Sunday 12th May
Mother's Day



Monday 13th to Friday 17th
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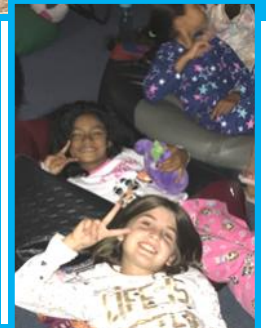
Monday 20th - to Friday 24th
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Student Voice Camp 3/4

On Friday, the last day of Camp, the 3/4's we went to Myuna Farm and visited the animals with their teachers and helpers. We first went to the nursery and saw the baby animals., then we feed the deer and camel.

On camp we watched a movie called The Lorax. We really enjoyed the movie. There was lots of food to eat as well.

Andee-Lei and Joshua Year 4



It's a baby girl!

Congratulations to Mercy, Ian and the Okot family on the safe arrival of baby Ivy.

Many blessing to your family



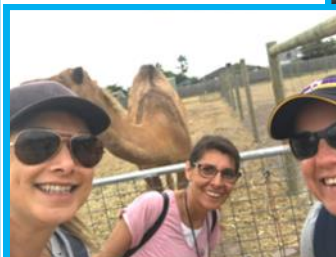
Stars of the Week



Congratulations

To

Paul, Nathaniel, Nikoleta, Jane,
Wyatt, Deborah, Madhuja, Ella.L,
Sanjana, Pranathi, Jessica,
Shakthi, Junior and Mara



Happy Birthday



Congratulations

To

April, Hanish, Tishayini, Niyal,
Bhelissa, Mantajvir, Frazier,
Margaret, Jack, Kim, Sanjana
and Veronica,

School Camp 5/6

The year 5/6's went to camp from the 27th to 29th March. On the first day we got into our cabin groups and did lots of activities. The first activity was an agility course. We also did rock climbing and the flying fox. Later that night we watched *The Lion The Witch And The Wardrobe* and a night walk where we saw kangaroos and bunnies.

Day two we went to the beach and built sandcastles and did boogie boarding, we also did canoeing and bmx riding. For lunch we had a healthy wrap.

On the last day we did the big zipline and archery. In the mornings we were allowed to have free time, we could go into the gaming room and play pool or table tennis. Camp was a lot of fun and an amazing experience for the 5/6's

PJ Year 6

