

**HOLY NAME SCHOOL
NEWSLETTER NO. 6
9 MARCH 2017**

School website www.hnpe.catholic.edu.au

Hello everyone,

The children and staff currently on camp at Phillip Island are being blessed with sensational weather and they are truly having a great experience. We expect them to return around 3pm tomorrow, tired but with many stories.

Swimming

It is brilliant that eleven children last Tuesday, made it to the third stage of the swimming competition. Good luck to these children next Wednesday. Congratulations to these children who so proudly represented Holy Name: Venice, Makaio, Ada, Alyssa, Ryan, Mia, Amalia, Dana, Zara, Ella, Orlando, Cameron, Alexander & Julien.

Parent Teacher Interviews

Next Thursday March 16, the children will be dismissed at 1.00pm. By now, you should all have booked times online through

www.schoolinterviews.com.au using the code myd48

Specialist teachers will be available for part of the session, if you wish to speak to them.

If you require after school care, contact Camp Australia and book in.

2018 Enrolments and Information Night

Tours for new families are currently taking place and we have an information evening on Monday March 20th at 7.00pm for new families. Current families with a prep for next year, can collect an enrolment form from Leanne.

****** Latest Camp Update***

The weather has been fantastic and all the campers are having fun...

The 5's had pizza and the 6's had Spaghetti Bolognese, for dinner last night.

They had a big day yesterday with beach activities and surfing. Today they are doing camp based activities involving rope courses, canoeing/rafting, archery and flying fox.

Last night was the penguin parade for the 6's which they all loved, and the 5's had a trivia night!

Labour Day Holiday

Just a reminder that next Monday is the Labour Day public holiday.

Parental Agreements

If you haven't returned your child's form, please do so by next Tuesday.

David Delaney
Principal

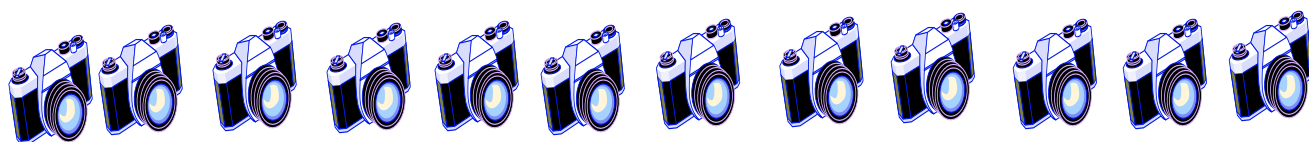


Gr5 tent camp

CLASS REPRESENTATIVES

We don't have ANY reps for Grade 3F & 5H

We'd love someone to put their hand up to be the rep for these grades. If you don't know what's involved, see Leanne in the office or speak to Mr Delaney on the yard. Some grades have already planned their activities for the year, and these known dates appear in the newsletter calendar.



School Photo day is
WEDNESDAY 22 MARCH

****AR PHOTOS WANT ALL ORDERING & PAYMENT TO BE DONE ONLINE ****

To order, go to www.arphotos.com.au and follow the prompts to place your individual (& family) order.

School Code: 1703HN091

Order your school photos BEFORE 11.50pm April 1, 2017.

*****All students MUST be in correct SUMMER uniform for photos.**

To parents of Grades 5 & 6.... On photo day, your child must wear normal uniform, (not their sport uniform). They must wear their school shoes and bring their runners in their bag.

If you can't order online, see the small notice sent home today, complete all details & return correct payment **directly** to AR Photos.

DO NOT SEND ANY MONEY OR ORDERS TO SCHOOL.

****There is no photo envelope ordering system any more.**

SCHOLASTIC BOOK CLUB



If you wish to order, please return your form (and money) by TOMORROW Friday 10 March to your classroom teacher.



eSmart

This week's tip:

Your child's social networking site friends should be people that your child knows in real life.

Anyone can be anyone online. This is one way to keep your child safe and reduce the risk of inviting a stranger into your home.

ART SMOCKS - COMPULSORY FOR ART LESSONS

All students Prep to Six, must have an art smock to participate in art. For older students, an oversize shirt or t-shirt can suffice.

GRADE TWO SRC REPS NEWS

Dear parents,

If you can help, donations can be left at the office

Thank you, Gabby & Adam,

Year 2 SRC Reps



CATHOLIC EDUCATION WEEK VISUAL ARTS EXHIBITION

Once again, our school is participating in the annual Art Exhibition. We have had five students' artwork chosen to be exhibited. This is a wonderful opportunity for our school, and showcases a small sample of the fantastic artwork created by the children, under the guidance of Mrs Vivarelli. The students, Dana O, Siena B, Venice A, Gianna P & Samuel C appear below with their works.



Dana

Siena

Venice



Gianna



Samuel

LOST PROPERTY BASKET

Is now located in the multi-purpose area.

HONOUR ROLL WINNERS

The Honour Roll Certificate winners for this week are:

PF	Zac W
PI	Leah K
1B	Abbey M
1Z	Joshua T
2C	Emily D
2M	Leonardo K
3F	Katherine L
3G	Matthew R
4B	Isaac B
4C	Jacob S
5H	Dimitri S
5M	Sebastian P
6K	Ryan C
6L	Makaio D



P.S. Don't forget to check out our honour board in the Office Corridor

P&F HOT FOOD DAY TREAT!

This term's Hot Food Day is a choice of 'Sausage sizzle' OR 'Sushi lunch'. **Each child received a hot food day form today**, HOWEVER your child doesn't have to participate, they can just bring their normal lunch.



***** Hot Food Day is Friday 24th March *****



(Money and slip back to classroom teacher please by Fri 17 March.

**No late orders will be accepted and NO change will be given. Any extra money enclosed will be treated as a donation.

STUDENT SUNGLASSES

Please check your Yr1 – 6 child's sunnies (or ask your child), to make sure their school issue sunglasses are in good condition, i.e. not scratched or broken. Sunglasses with scratches may lead to eye problems. Encourage your child to clean their glasses at least weekly before going outside. If your child needs new glasses, they are \$15 per pair and come with their name engraved, neoprene strap and pouch.

CAMP AUSTRALIA - BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL CARE

Hi everyone, it's Helen here. We have been doing so many interesting and fun things for the last two weeks. Last week, we made banana smoothies and nachos, the kids love helping out with cooking. For arts and craft, William and Ndella made a baby owl, Abbie made a fish. The children enjoy making giant towers with straw connectors. The group designed a huge family tree poster with everyone's hand prints on it. Great job everyone!

To enrol your child/ren in the program, go to www.campastralia.com.au OR ring 1300 105 343.

If you would like to know more about our before and after school program, please see me.

Check out the Camp Australia information on pages 8 & 9.

UNIFORM ITEMS FOR SALE AT THE OFFICE

The school office has legionnaires hats for \$11 and replacement sunglasses for \$15.

Also house colour t-shirts (all colours & sizes @\$8 each)

ACADEMY UNIFORM

If you order online (our password is – reservoir), or by phone with your credit card, Academy will deliver the item to the school, at no extra cost.

PARISH THANKSGIVING

Please contact Carolyn 9471 0832 to pay by credit card over the phone, or drop back your envelope to the Parish.



P&F EASTER EGG CHOCOLATE DRIVE

We still have extra boxes, if you would like to sell more.

****A prize will be awarded to the family who sells the most amount of boxes during the drive!**

Maria Palbas, on behalf of the P & F Committee

Reflection of the Week

My mission in life is not merely to survive, but to thrive; and to do so with some passion, some compassion, some humour, and some style.

.....Maya Angelou

With today's newsletter the attachments are:

- Holy Name Parish newsletter to all families via eldest (white)
- YrP Class Rep welcome notice to all preps (white)
- YrP Class Rep Easter egg hunt invitation to all Preps (white)
- Gr2 Class Rep invitation to Gr2 parents to all Gr2 students (white)
- Yr5M Class Rep welcome notice to all Gr5M students (white)
- Gr5H end of term notice to all Gr5H students (small white)
- **Arthur Reed Photo instructions to families via eldest (small white)**
- **P&F Hot Food Day notice to ALL students (pink)**

****Assembly is on Mondays, beginning 3.00pm.**

Children's Lunch & Afternoon break times: (note the change)

10.50am – children eat in classroom

11.00 – 11.45am– children play outside & 11.50am class begins

1.30 – 1.55pm - children play outside & 2.00pm class begins

(If it is raining, or the temperature is 32 and above, all children remain inside under teacher supervision)

COMMUNITY NEWS

SANTA MARIA OPEN DAY – WEDNESDAY 15 MARCH - 2:30pm – 6:30pm

Current students at Santa Maria will take you on a tour around the College. We invite you to enjoy afternoon tea and collect an enrolment pack.

Calendar of Known Dates for 2017

Reminder – some dates may need to change
Added dates appear in green in today's newsletter

MARCH

Year 5 & 6 Camp	Wed 8 to Fri 10
Labour Day Holiday	Mon 13
Parent Teacher Interviews	Thurs 16 (1.00pm finish)
Prep 2018 Information Night	Mon 20
Whole School Photos	Wed 22
P&F Hot Food Day	Fri 24
Yr2 Family Welcome evening	Sat 25 (7.30pm)
Yr2 Easter egg hunt	Thurs 30 (5pm onwards)
End of Term	Fri 31 (1.00pm finish)
Yr4 Easter egg hunt	Fri 31 (1pm onwards)
YrP Easter egg hunt	Fri 31 (1.30pm onwards)

APRIL

Term Two commences	Tues 18
Yr 3 & 4 Gymnastics starts	Fri 21
Yr 6 Excursion to the Shrine	Fri 21
Yr4 Bundoora Action Indoor Sport	Fri 21 (6-8pm)
School Closure Days for Review (– Staff Conference)	Thurs 27 & Fri 28

MAY

Nude Food Day	Tues 2
Yr5&6 Basket Supper	Thurs 4 (evening)
NAPLAN	Tues 9 to Thurs 11
Mother's Day Prayer Service	Thurs 11
Cross Country	Wed 17
Yr2 Mums' evening	Fri 19 (7pm onwards)
YrP Mums & Dads Dinner	Fri 19 (7.30pm onwards)
Confirmation	Sun 21 (10.30am)

JUNE

Nude Food Day	Tues 6
Queen's Birthday Public Holiday	Mon 12
Book Fair Viewing Only	Tues 20 to Thurs 22 (viewing only)
Book Fair Sale	Fri 23 to Thurs 29
P&F Hot Food Day	Fri 16
Yr2 Latitude fun	Fri 16 (6-8pm)
Reports go home	Fri 23
Parent Teacher Interviews	Thurs 29 (1.00pm finish)
End of Term	Fri 30 (1.00pm finish)

JULY

Start Term Three	Mon 17
Yr4 Zagames Family Dinner	Fri 21 (6pm onwards)
Grandparents/Special Friends Day	Fri 28

AUGUST

Nude Food Day	Tue 1
First Communion	Sun 20 (10.30am)
Book Week Author visit	Mon 21
District Athletics	Thurs 31

SEPTEMBER

Nude Food Day	Tues 5
Yr2 Family Picnic	Sun 10 (11-3pm)
Whole School Production	Thurs 14
P&F Hot Food Day	Fri 15
End of Term	Fri 22 (1.00pm finish)
YrP Zagames T3 breakup	Fri 22 (1.30pm onwards)

OCTOBER

Start Term Four	Mon 9
Nude Food Day	Tues 10
Yr4 Latitude end of year gathering	Fri 13 (6-8pm)
Yr2 Parent Dinner	Fri 20 (7pm onwards)

NOVEMBER

Reconciliation	Thurs 2
School Closure Day	Mon 6
Melbourne Cup Day Public Holiday	Tues 7
School Closure Day	Wed 8
Prep 2018 Information Night	Mon 13
1 st Prep Orientation	Tues 14
P&F Hot Food Day	Fri 17
2 nd Prep Orientation	Tues 21
YrP End of Year Disco	Wed 22 (6-8pm)
Whole School Sports Carnival	Thurs 23
3 rd Prep Orientation	Tues 28
Yr2 End of Year Disco	Wed 29 (6-7.30pm)

DECEMBER

Prep to Two Swim Program starts	Mon 4
Nude Food Day	Tues 5
Year Four Camp	Thurs 7 & Fri 8
Year 6 Graduation	Wed 13 Dec
Last day of school for students	Tues 19 (1.00pm) <i>To be confirmed</i>
Year 6 Disco	Wed 20 (evening)



Outside School Hours Care

At Holy Name Primary School

Join in the fun at Holy Name Primary School Before and After School Care!

There's lots to see and do in OSHC – from fun outdoor games and activities, to arts and crafts, silly science, gardening and cooking, building and construction activities and much more! There's also a quiet area to catch-up on some reading, finish off homework or relax. With a healthy morning or afternoon snack in every session.



Meet Helen - The OSHC program Coordinator

Fun Facts about Helen:

- She has been working with children for the past 5 years.
- She enjoys playing table tennis.
- Helen loves travelling - she has been to 13 different countries!
- She dislikes cold weather and is allergic to cats.
- In her spare time, Helen enjoys reading non-fiction books and watching movies.



Program Details

Program	Times	Full fee	Out of Pocket*
Before School Care	7:00AM - 8:45AM	\$21.50	\$7.78 to \$10.75
After School Care	3:30PM - 6:15PM	\$26.20	\$8.44 to \$13.10

The information outlined above covers the most common program times and fees. For a full listing of all program details and fees for the service, please visit our website. We have over 150 Holiday Clubs. Please use the Holiday Club finder on our website to find the most convenient service for you.

Join in the fun

To register and book, visit us at www.campaustralia.com.au and use the school finder on our homepage to search for Holy Name Primary School.

*Save 50% or more with government rebates.

The Australian Government has two payments to assist families with the cost of child care:

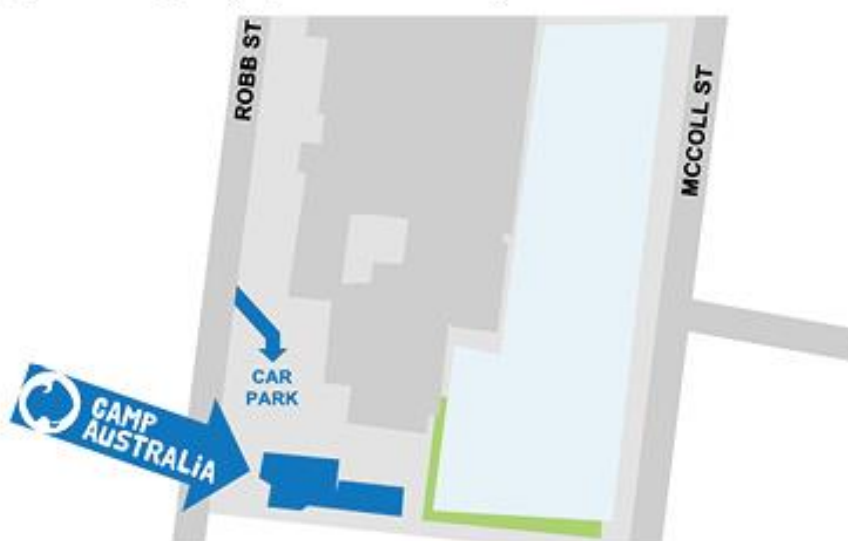
- The Child Care Rebate (CCR): is NOT income tested. It pays up to 50% of your out of pocket costs of up to \$7,500 per child, each year.
- The Child Care Benefit (CCB): is income tested and scaled, resulting in payments of between 0% and 85% of Camp Australia fees.

Nearly all families are eligible for government rebates.



Visits Welcome!

Please feel free to stop by the program with your children to meet the team and see what happens in our great program each school day.



From all of the team at Camp Australia we look forward to seeing you and your family in the program soon.

