

**HOLY NAME SCHOOL
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Hello everyone,

Thank you for all the kind words on my return from my pilgrimage. Twenty-two Catholic principals from the northern suburbs travelled to Greece and Turkey in the footsteps of St Paul. The photo above is the Ana Sofia Mosque in Istanbul.

In the Mass, we regularly hear readings from the Acts of the Apostles and St Paul's letters to either the Corinthians, Ephesians or the Philippians. Being present in these places where he lived and wrote these letters was very powerful and it makes the messages all the more significant. St Paul is the third most important male figure in the Christian religion and it was he who enabled non-Jews to become Christians.

I also had the opportunity to visit Gallipoli just prior to ANZAC Day, this was very moving. I am more than happy to share photos and stories with you.

A huge thank you to Mark Tierney and Susan Mitchell who filled in for me in my absence. I knew the school was left in very capable hands.

Mother's Day

Tonight we are celebrating Mother's Day with our annual prayer service in the church commencing at 7.00pm. It is a lovely opportunity to spend precious time with your children and reflect on the role our mothers play in our lives.

The Parents and Friends Association are having a stall for the children to purchase a gift for their mother **tomorrow**. They need support in manning the stall in the ILC from 9.00am, if you have a current WWC.

Dads... don't forget to give the children some money for this very important event.

For all the mothers in our community, have a great day on Sunday, you all deserve to be spoiled and showered with love.

A huge thank you to Angela Gangi for organising the gifts. This is her fifteenth and last year of doing this.

Life Ed Van

Yesterday afternoon, the Life Ed Van arrived. We use this service every few years to complement our health and physical education units of study. Each level has a different focus.

Year Four Camp

The children are getting excited about their upcoming city camp next week. It will be action-packed with the children exploring many significant landmarks in the city.

School Closure Days

A reminder the school will be closed on Monday 16 and Tuesday 17 May for staff professional development. On these days we will be updating our first aid training, and having a guest presenter on the interpretation, use of data, and differentiating the curriculum to cater for individual differences.

NAPLAN

Naplan testing for Grades 3 and 5 is **next** week. A letter and brochure has been sent home today via the children. The National Testing Program is a snapshot of your child's ability, please make sure your child doesn't stress about it.

Zumba Fundraiser

Last night in the hall, over eighty people attended Jana Bakas's Zumba fundraiser for breast cancer. It was a highly successful event raising over \$2000 for support of this cause. Congratulations to ex-student and wonderful daughter of Lynda and Tom for having the energy, desire and courage to organise such an event. Well done to all who attended.

Holy Name Enrolment of Siblings for Prep in 2017

If you have a child starting Prep next year and you haven't yet submitted an enrolment form for them, could you do so now.

David Delaney
Principal

HOLY NAME HONOUR ROLL

This week's Honour Roll Certificate winners are :

PrepD	Curtis D
PrepI	Jamie W
1B	Gianni D
1Z	Daniel S
2C	Sonny C
2M	Jasmine I
3F	Briana Z
3G	Steven D
4B	Sebastian P
4C	Chloe H
5D	Siena B
5N	Celina S
6K	Teacher absent
6L	Angelique A
6P	Sepehr P



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



LIFE EDUCATION VISIT

The Life Ed van is here until next Wednesday 11 May. Lessons are always age appropriate and the children will be covering a wide range of drug and health related topics, ranging from the human body and how it works, healthy eating and nutrition, medicines and drugs, bullying, resilience and social skills. Healthy Harold, the much loved Life Education giraffe mascot will visit.

GRADE FIVE & SIX BASKET SUPPER

There are still a few families who have not yet returned their order form and \$20 payment for the Basket Supper on Thursday 19 May, at St Sava Church Hall in Greensborough North.



If you haven't sent yours back, please do so ASAP.

Bring along some food and drink and hopefully join in the festivities. The Basket Supper is a fun and exciting culmination of the children's dance lesson program, and children and parents alike, always enjoy this social evening.

ART NEWS

Art Club Raffle Prize Winner

Congratulations to our Raffle winner, Bridget G (6L) who won the raffle and was presented with her prize at yesterday's assembly.



Colouring Competition Update

The competition closes this afternoon! The winners will be announced next week.

Life Style Magazine Donation Request

We are seeking donations of Lifestyle type magazines which we can use in the Art Room.

Examples of magazines needed are:

Country Life, RACV, Better Homes & Gardens, Vogue.

Please DON'T send magazines like New Idea or Women's Weekly as these have articles which are not appropriate for primary aged children.



THANK YOU



THANK YOU all so much for the donations of CD's. We DON'T need any more of these, thank you...

Luisa Vivarelli
Art Teacher

STUDENT BANKING – ANNUAL INTEREST UPDATE

Could all students please bring in their student bank book so that the annual interest (31/3/16) can be added.



WINTER JACKETS

A sample of our new winter jacket (available only from Academy Uniforms for \$49.50), is hanging up at the office for parents to view. (It is not a compulsory uniform item).

****We have a FIRE SALE on our last few rainbird jackets at school, selling @\$25. We have 5 small & 6 large only.**

MINI VINNIES GROCERY DONATIONS

Grocery donations are very important to feed the local community. So, if you wish to donate, please place your long lasting groceries (baked beans, pasta, canned fruit and vegetables etc.), in the **BLUE** FOOD BINS.

These are located in the corridors outside the staff room and outside the Grade 6 rooms.

Thank you

from the Mini Vinnies

REMINDER NEW SCHOOL APP – PLEASE SIGN UP!

Thank you to our school families who are now using the new school app, **tiqbiz**. This is the app which the school is now using to broadcast information and updates. Whilst the old school app is still operating, this will be phased out by the end of Term two.

For any queries regarding Tiqbiz,
please contact Derryn Ling,
ICT Co-ordinator and Year 6 teacher



HOUSE COLOUR T-SHIRTS

The office is now re-stocked with the full range of sizes and colours @\$8 each. ****We expect all students to be wearing the plain house t-shirts.**

2016 VICTORIAN PREMIERS' READING CHALLENGE

****Just a reminder to hand in to the office, your completed Reading Challenge Checklist of books read.**

The Book lists for the Reading Challenge can be found on the following link :

<http://www.education.vic.gov.au/about/events/prc>

****Reading Challenge books are also marked with coloured dots in the ILC:**

Prep – Year 2: Red Year 3 – 4: Green Years 5 – 6: Purple

If there are any queries in regard to the Reading Challenge, you can contact Angela Gangi on angangi@hnpe.catholic.edu.au

Enjoy your Reading adventures!



FORWARD NOTICE FROM KELLY SPORTS

Due to the school closure day scheduled for Monday 16th May, the Kelly Sports lunchtime dance lesson will be held that week on Wednesday 18th.

STOLE DECORATION SERVICE FOR SACRAMENTS

The samples are hanging in the corridor next to the school office, and the form is on the office counter. If you would like your child's stole decorated, fill in the form and enclose the exact money and stole, and leave at the office. For confirmation, Trish needs orders by Tues 17 May.



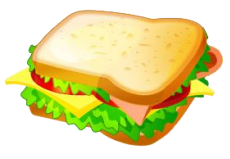
ORDER ACADEMY UNIFORMS ONLINE - academyuniforms.com.au

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.

CLASSROOM CUISINE LUNCH ORDERS – MONDAY & FRIDAY

Go to the website classroomcuisine.com.au and have a look at the great menu offered, prices and how to order.

Just a reminder that the ordering system *really* does close at 8.30am!



PARISH THANKSGIVING PROGRAM

If you haven't sent back your pledge form, please do so by Monday. Thank you.

To pay for thanksgiving, please contact Carolyn 9471 0832 to pay by credit card over the phone, or drop back your envelope to the Parish. You can also leave your payment at the school office and we will forward it to the Parish.



ZUMBA FUNDRAISER THANK YOU!

I would like to say a huge thank you to all those who 'Zumba'd' last night or came along to support the fundraiser. It was a great night and we raised \$2,007, which is an amazing achievement.

Thank you also to those who couldn't attend, but made a donation.

PARENTS & FRIENDS COMMITTEE NEWS

Seeking Power Generators for the Fete

Does anyone in our school community have any Power Generators that the school could borrow for the FETE. If so, could you please contact Vicky Sartor on 0423 719 364 or email vicky@previewblinds.com.au
Thank you!

P&F Cadbury Chocolate Drive

We still have some \$30 chocolate bar boxes, if anyone can sell them at work, that would be fantastic! Just see Leanne at the office.

PARENTS & FRIENDS COMMITTEE NEWS continued

***IF YOU DON'T WISH TO PURCHASE THE BOOK, PLEASE RETURN IT TO THE SCHOOL (IN THE ENVELOPE)



It's the perfect gift for Mum this Mother's Day!

We love the Entertainment™ Memberships because they contain over 2,000 offers for up to 50% off and 2-for-1 at Melbourne's best restaurants, cafés, attractions, hotels, resorts, shopping and more that you can use whenever you like until 1 June 2017!

For only \$65, you will have access to over \$20,000 worth of value. You really only need to use yours twice for it to have paid for itself.

Get one for you and your Mum this Mother's day! PLUS you'll be helping Holy Name Primary School as \$13 of each one we sell contributes to our fundraising.

Available as the printed Entertainment™ Book that comes with a Gold Card and vouchers, or the Entertainment™ Digital Membership that puts all the offers onto your smartphone.

Contact Susy Perizzolo on 0417 103 585 or email susyperizzolo@bigpond.com

BUY NOW AT: <https://www.entbook.com.au/1938p60>

Or view all the offers before you purchase at www.entertainmentbook.com.au/flickbook/melbourne.com

Reflection of the Week
*We give thanks for all our beautiful mothers
who brought us into the world and have loved us
and nurtured our spirit.*



With today's newsletter the attachments are:

- Holy Name Parish newsletter to eldest (white)
- Gr5 Santa Maria excursion permission note to ALL Gr5 students (yellow)
- P&F Fete – expression of interest for stall at Fete to all families via eldest (white)

Calendar of Known Dates

Reminder - some dates may need to change & dates (in red) have been added to this week's calendar

TERM TWO

LIFE ED VAN STARTS
MOTHERS' DAY PRAYER SERVICE
MOTHER'S DAY STALL
NAPLAN
YEAR FOUR CAMP
SCHOOL CLOSURE DAYS
KELLY SPORT LUNCHTIME LESSON
CROSS COUNTRY
GR5 &6 BASKET SUPPER
YEAR SIX CONFIRMATION
NUDE FOOD DAY
QUEEN'S B'DAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY
P&F HOT FOOD DAY
P&F CASUAL CLOTHES DAY
MID YEAR REPORTS GO HOME
END OF TERM TWO

THURS 5 MAY
THURS 5 MAY (evening 7pm)
FRIDAY 6 MAY (morning)
TUES 10 TO THURS 12 MAY
THURS 12 & FRI 13 MAY
MON 16 & TUES 17 MAY
WED 18 MAY (due to Mon school closure)
WED 18 MAY
THURS 19 MAY (evening)
SUN 22 MAY
TUES 7 JUNE
MON 13 JUNE
FRI 17 JUNE
FRI 17 JUNE (gold coin donation)
FRI 17 JUNE
FRI 24 JUNE (1.00pm finish)



TERM THREE

TERM THREE COMMENCES
GRANDPARENT'S DAY
P&F MAJOR RAFFLE
NUDE FOOD DAY
PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS
BOOK FAIR VIEWING FOR STUDENTS
BOOK FAIR (SALES)
BOOKWEEK AUTHOR INCURSION
P&F CASUAL CLOTHES DAY
YEAR FOUR COMMUNION
FATHERS' DAY BREAKFAST
NUDE FOOD DAY
P&F HOT FOOD DAY
END OF TERM THREE

MON 11 JULY
FRI 29 JULY
AUG/SEPT
TUES 2 AUGUST
THURS 25 AUGUST (1.00pm finish)
WED 17 TO FRI 19 AUGUST (during library session)
MON 22 TO THURS 25 AUGUST (times to be advised)
FRI 26 AUGUST
FRI 26 AUGUST (gold coin donation)
SUN 28 AUGUST
FRI 2 SEPT
TUES 6 SEPT
FRI 9 SEPT
FRI 16 SEPT (1.00pm finish)

TERM FOUR

TERM FOUR COMMENCES
NUDE FOOD DAY
SCHOOL CLOSURE DAY
MELB CUP DAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY
PREP 2017 INFORMATION EVENING
RECONCILIATION
FIRST PREP ORIENTATION SESSION
REMEMBRANCE DAY
HOLY NAME FETE
SCHOOL CLOSURE DAY
SECOND PREP ORIENTATION SESSION
THIRD PREP ORIENTATION SESSION
PREP TO TWO SWIM PROGRAM BEGINS
NUDE FOOD DAY
CAROLS NIGHT
END OF YEAR REPORTS GO HOME
YEAR SIX GRADUATION EVENING TO BE ADVISED
PREP TO TWO SWIM ENDS
END OF SCHOOL YEAR

MON 3 OCT
TUES 4 OCT
MON 31 OCT
TUES 1 NOV
WED 2 NOV
THURS 3 NOV
TUES 8 NOV
FRI 11 NOV
SUN 13 NOVEMBER
MON 14 NOV
TUES 15 NOV
TUES 22 NOV
MON 5 DEC
TUES 6 DEC
THURS 8 DEC
FRI 9 DEC
FRI 16 DEC
FRI 16 DEC (1.00pm finish)

Extend OHSC at Holy Name Primary School



New Families - Enrol online – allow 24 hours

Enrolling is quick and easy! Simply set up your own account online via the Parent Portal. Please note it is government regulation that all children must be enrolled BEFORE attending an Extend service. For information on operating hours and fees for your school, visit your After School Care venue or school website.

Enrol now, pay later

The annual enrolment fee per family of \$20 is NOT payable until you first use the service. So why not enrol now so you can access the service later? It doesn't matter if you don't end up using the service, because you won't be charged.

Watch this space throughout the term for regular updates from our Extend team!

PARENT PORTAL: extend.com.au

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PARENTS

We have mobile phone that you can text or leave phone messages if you need to contact the Educator of the Program for whatever reason during operation hours. **Mob: 0439 555 875.**

Summary:

This week we did activities for Mother's Day, involving painting, colouring in and drawing. Wishing all Mothers a Happy Mother's Day!

Next Week Activities

Monday 9th May

Perler Bead / Sand Template Art

Tuesday 10th May

Paper Roll rocket ship/

Wednesday 11th May

Colouring in / Iron Beads

Thursday 12th May

Autumn Leaf stencilling / Jewellery Tree with Adela & Sofia

Friday 13th May

Water Painting / Colouring Super Heroes