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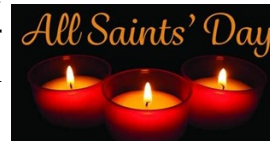
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NEWSLETTER

Term 4, Week 4 November 1st 2019

Reflecting on All Saints Nov 1st and All Souls Day Nov 2nd

On the feast of All Saints, we are asked to reflect on the lives of the saints. We can often think of saints as perfect people, but their greatest witness is how they coped with the ordinary difficulties of their life, and how they courageously showed the love of God to others. We also remember and pray for all those who have died on the feast of All Souls. Some of these people may only be known to God. Others are people whose love, sacrifice and fidelity we have seen for ourselves and who have inspired us. They saw God in this world and are now fully alive to him in the next.



Dear Parents and Guardians

I wish to congratulate the Year 6 students who celebrated their Confirmation on Saturday, 26th of October. Families, friends, teachers and the community were present to support the students while they renewed their Baptismal Promises. I wish to thank the teachers and students who spent many weeks preparing the children to become more aware of the Holy Spirit in their lives. The students were confirmed by Bishop Mark Edwards.

Over the next two days we celebrate the Feast of All Saints and All Souls. We encourage you to take the time to pray for those who have shown you how to live, love and care for each other. It is through these memories, guidance and prayers that you gather the strength to live your life to the fullest, with the emphasis on showing compassion, patience, love and understanding. It is through these actions that we experience the Love of God.

The Christian Service Team have organised a fundraiser to collect donations for children living in poverty. Friday, 8th of November is 'Crazy Sock Day', all students have been asked to wear coloured socks and donate a gold coin to support children in need. Early donations are welcome. All money raised will be donated to Catholic Mission Australia.

A group of senior students from St Catherine of Siena, were invited by the Year 10 Vincit Class from CRC Melton, to compete in a basketball tournament on Tuesday, 29th October. The students had the opportunity to compete against other catholic primary students from the area. The tournament was held in the new stadium. The students had a wonderful day. Congratulations to all students who made the finals and represented our school in a respectful way. Well Done.

Junior Jamboree is happening tonight. We are excited for the Prep, One and Two students who will be participating in the Junior Jamboree tonight, November 1st. The Prep and One students will stay from 3:15 - 6:00pm and the Grade Two students will stay until 8:00pm. Many fun activities have been organised for the night. We hope you have an amazing evening.

A reminder that there is a school closure day for Monday, November 4th. There is no school on Tuesday as it is Melbourne Cup Day, a Public Holiday.

Enjoy the long weekend.

Caroline Madigan
Deputy Principal

PLEASE NOTE THESE DATES

Monday, 4th November - School Closed

Tuesday, 5th November - Melbourne Cup Day (School Closed)

Friday, 6th December - School Closure Day



St Catherine Of Siena Presents

ART SHOW

2019

Come along to the opening of our Annual Art Show!

Date: Thursday 7th November
Time: From 4.30pm-6.30pm
Where: Throughout the main building

Come and enjoy a night looking at art work from children across the school. Parents are encouraged to come to the opening night of the Art Show between 4.30pm and 6.30pm. The opening will include a performance by the school choir. This will be a great event to showcase and celebrate all of the work that is done in Art throughout the year!

*Art work will be available to be viewed
8.30-9am and 3.15-3.45pm Friday 8th
November - Tuesday 12th November*

Tea and Coffee
provided for
parents



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Office Open: Tuesday - Friday 9am - 3pm

Mass Times - St Catherine of Siena

Wednesday: 9.15am

Tuesday Evening: 7.00pm

Saturday Evening: 6.00pm

Sunday Morning: 9.00am & 11.00am

Sunday Evening: 5pm

Reconciliation

Saturday : 5.30pm- 5.45pm

Mass Times - St Dominic's

Thursday - Friday : 9.15am



School Closure Day Monday, 4th November

Melbourne Cup Day Tuesday, 5th November

Socktober

On Friday, 8th November students are invited to wear Crazy Socks to school as part of Socktober to raise funds for Catholic Mission Australia. Please bring a gold coin donation on this day.



Italian Lessons at Catholic Regional College

During weeks 2 and 3, the year 5's, 3's and 2J were lucky enough to visit CRC and join a Year 8 Italian class. The purpose of this visit was for the secondary students to share their picture books that they had written in Italian.

We even got to dance The Chicken Dance together!

Last week 3L went to CRC to visit their Italian class. They made a specific little booklet with a theme of their choice. For example, one of them was about farm animals. They read it out loud in Italian and explained it to us in English. We rotated around in little groups of two and we had two year 8's read to us, one person at a time. We had 3 rotations.

Then we got asked if we learnt anything. Not a lot of people put their hand up. Maybe because people might have been shy and didn't want to tell. After we sat for a minute we listened to the Lion King, 'The Circle of Life', in Italian. It sounded a bit weird at first then it was good and a little bit funny too. Then we did the chicken dance which some people didn't want to do it but other people did. After that we headed outside and we had a little chat to the year 8's and we also had some fruit then went back to school and did more work. Ella 3L

A few weeks ago the grade 3's went to CRC to go to an Italian class. We read books about animals that they made and we listened to The Circle of Life in Italian. I had fun and liked reading their books. The first person that read to me went to this school years ago so when we were finished they asked me questions about what St Catherine's is like now. I hope I get to go to CRC when I'm bigger! Maria 3K



CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to the following children who all received a class award this week.

These awards will be given out on Wednesday at our morning assembly.

Keep up the terrific effort!!

Prep A - Jaxson Seguna-Price

Prep B - Leona Perera

Prep D - Liam Morris

1E - Achigam Poundak

1F - Catherine Zarwue

1H - Akon Yai

2G - Joshua Morris

2I - Madison Griffith

2J - Abok Bol

3K - Lisa Lieba

3L - Logan Cassar

3N - Sama Babawy

4Q - Trinity Meredith

4S - Tiffany Bartolo

4U - Mabil Ngong

5R - Jessica Monteagle

5T - Liam Walker

5V - Ava Sliwa

6M - Maribel Makkad

6O - Jacobus Van Munster

6P - Kongor Thuc

Term 4, 2019

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
4 Week 5 School Closed	5 Melbourne Cup Day	6	7 *Art Show Opening 4:30pm - 6:30pm	8 *Crazy Sock Day	9	10
11 Week 6 *Remembrance Day Assembly	12 *Prep 2020 Orientation *MPSSA Yr 3/4 Basketball	13	14	15	16	17
18 Week 7	19 *Prep 2020 Orientation	20	21	22	23	24
25 Week 8	26 *Prep 2020 Orientation	27	28	29 *Yr 2 Excursion to CERES	30	1 December
2 Week 9	3 *Yr 6 Big Day Out	4	5	6 *School Closure Day	7	8
9 Week 10	10 *Yr 6 Orientation @ CRC *School Concert	11 *End of Year Mass @ 9:15am	12	13 *Whole School End of Year Picnic	14	15

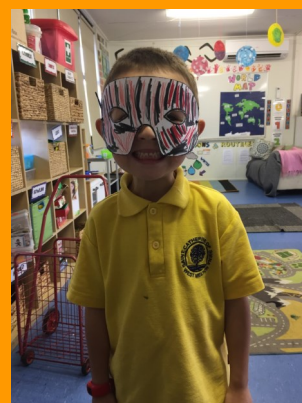
**The memories we've made at
St. Catherine's Melton
OSHClub 😊**



**We had so much fun learning about
Mummies and wrapping each other
up!**



**We love building and making things!
Check out my robot!**



**How cool does my mask look? I made it
myself!**

St. Catherine of Siena OSHClub

OUTCOME 4: LEARNING – Children develop dispositions for learning such as curiosity, cooperation, confidence, creativity, commitment, enthusiasm, persistence, imagination and reflexivity

Please remember to use our website, www.oshclub.com.au to book your child in and update your bookings for each session

Please note that we are CLOSED on Monday 04th of November due to insufficient numbers to run, we apologise. What a wonderfully spooky week we have had! The children have made their very own pumpkins, Halloween Masks and we even made our very own Mummies. The children have had great fun with games like Silent Ball and Pacman.

Children can ONLY ATTEND when and if they have an ENROLMENT for completed by the parents! Please don't forget our Vacation Care Programs. To book, visit www.oshclub.com.au.

Just a friendly reminder of the importance of signing your child in to OSHClub. Knowing that your child is safe and looked after is on the forefront of every parents' mind, and, having them booked in to OSHClub so that our program staff are aware they need to be here is very important in this process. Please use our website or give the program a call if you require care on the day or even visit our friendly staff!

Please note our Before School Care program begins each morning at 6.50am. Please ensure, if you haven't already, that you create a FREE OSHClub account by visiting our website www.oshclub.com.au.

****IMPORTANT**** Please ensure you or any of your emergency contacts bring in your I.D and mobile phone if you are new to the service. We need to verify who you are, if you are new to the service, for the safety of your children.

OSHClub St. Catherine's Melton Team

FRIENDLY REMINDERS: If you need to cancel ASC please do on the internet by 3:15pm on the day before, send us a text on: 0408 477 328 or pop in to let staff know you are collecting your child so that we know where the children are. **There is a \$1/minute fee for each child that is picked up after 6:30pm.**

Week 5 Term 4 Activities

DAY	BSC	ASC
MONDAY 04.11	PROGRAM CLOSED – SCHOOL CLOSURE DAY	PROGRAM CLOSED – SCHOOL CLOSURE DAY
TUESDAY 05.11	MELBOURNE CUP PUBLIC HOLIDAY	MELBOURNE CUP PUBLIC HOLIDAY
WEDNESDAY 06.11	Create a Horse and Tap Tap Ball	Create a Horse and Simpsons
THURSDAY 07.11	Fashion Parade and Pacman	Fashion Parade and Hospital Tag
FRIDAY 08.11	Trophy Making and Silent Ball	Trophy Making and Ship, Shark, Shore

Week 5 Term 4 Menu

BSC	ASC
Children have a self- serve breakfast consisting of wholemeal bread, basic cereals (corn flakes, rice puffs and weet bix), fresh milk, soy milk etc.	Program Closed – School Closure Day
	Melbourne Cup Public Holiday
	Salada's with Spreads
NOTE: All after care meals are served with a range of fresh seasonal fruit and vegetables.	Yoghurt and Muesli
	Crackers with Dip

Market Day

23rd November

9am - 1:30pm



INCLUDING:

- > Jumping castle
- > Face painting
- > Sausage sizzle
- > Various stalls

For more information, visit
foodbankmelton.org.au/marketday

