

Heart To Heart

Newsletter Of Sacred Heart School Mount Druitt South

Term 3 - Week 10

26 September 2018

Dear Parents and Children

Student Attendance: **85.3%**

As this is the last newsletter for Term 3 I take the opportunity to thank the staff for their dedication, the students for their hard work and the parents for your support throughout the term. Once again, we have had a very busy term with great learning, many extra-curricular opportunities and social justice initiatives. I hope the holidays are an opportunity to break the routine and recharge the batteries.

NAPLAN

Last week students in Year 3 and 5 received their National Assessment Program Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN) results. Congratulations to the students in years 3 and 5 on their NAPLAN results. As a school we equalled or bettered the national average in many assessments. NAPLAN results are a very good diagnostic tool that assist teachers in knowing where students are in their learning. It is very important for parents of year 5 students to keep the NAPLAN report as it will be needed for high school enrolment. Congratulations to all our dedicated teachers at Sacred Heart.

Book Week

Book Week was a great success with the students enjoying the activities throughout the week. The book character parade was a fun way to focus on the importance of Literacy. It was great to see so many students, staff and toddlers dressed for the occasion. Thank you parents for organising costumes for your children and thank you Mrs Karlapudy and Mrs Neill for co-ordinating Book Week. Keep reading!



Voice of Youth

Congratulations to Danica Caperlac (6W) who competed in the semi final of the Voice of Youth competition. Danica competed against students from 6 other schools in the Diocese and she delivered her speech 'Success' with great confidence and poise. Congratulations Danica! Year 6 travelled to the competition to support Danica and were great ambassadors for Sacred Heart. Well done year 6.

Upiro Dimo

Congratulations to Upiro Dimo (4W) who competed in the MacKillop Athletic Trials on Monday. Upiro finished second in his heat of the 100m and placed third in the final. Upiro will now compete at the Combined NSW Schools Athletics Carnival next term. This is an amazing athletic achievement!

Morning Routine

This week we trialled the children playing on the artificial turf in the morning. The children adapted to the new routine very quickly and are enjoying the opportunity to run off some energy in the morning. The new arrangements allow the children to start their lessons as soon as possible after the bell. Thank you parents for your support and co-operation. We are very lucky to have the amphitheatre area for rainy mornings (like this morning!)

Term 4 Dance Fever Gymnastics

Dance Fever Gymnastics will start on Thursday 18 October and continue each Thursday. All students are to wear sport uniforms every Thursday in Term 4. A reminder to families who have not yet paid for the gymnastics program: \$20 per child and a signed permission note is required for all children, Kindergarten to Year 6.



Monday 15 October—Term 4 Starts

This is a school day for **all** students (summer uniform)

Term 4 Summer Uniform

All students are to start Term 4 on **Monday 15 October** in their **full summer uniform**.

Family Reflection

Our God and Father
We claim to be your sons and daughters
Who know that you love us, and that you call us to
Live the life of Jesus, your Son.
Give us the courage to live this life consistently,
To walk with courage and support others,
Because we know that you are our Father and we are
Your sons and daughters, brothers and sisters of Jesus Christ Our Lord

God Bless
Mr. Glenn Patchell
Principal

Book Week Parade 2018



Important Dates & Events



Thurs 27 Sept.

Friday 28 Sept

Monday 15 October

Friday 16 November

Footy Colours Day—Gold coin donation

Last Day Term 3

**First Day Term 4—All students at school
in Summer Uniform**

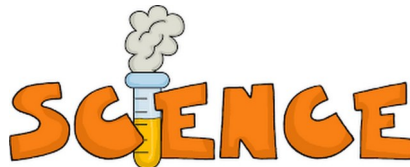
Staff Development Day—No students



Footy Colours Day - Cold Coin Donation

On **Thursday 27 September** we are holding Footy Colours Day at Sacred Heart School in support of the Fight Cancer Foundation. Fight Cancer Foundation is a national charity dedicated to providing care, treatment and support for cancer patients and their families and funding research into cancer treatment and cures.

The students are encouraged to wear their favourite team's colours or jerseys etc. All students wearing footy colours are asked to bring a gold coin donation to support this event.



TOXIC

We had to do a PBL project. Our job was to create a product and brand to sell at Woolies. Our group chose an energy drink as our product and our brand name was TOXIC.

In our commercial, we had our smallest group member (Mario) to drink our TOXIC and become strong. We included a bargain which was buy one get one free. We didn't have that many details on how to buy it but our presentation led us to the victory.
(Emilio Bellido, Mario Missak, Stanley Patolo)

L—R Emilio, Mario & Stanley



AJD Waffles

I really enjoyed working with my group because they had great ideas and our product was chosen together. We thought that waffles with ANYTHING would be very delicious.

(Aiyanna Concepcion)

At the start we all didn't really get along with each other. We were all shy at the start but towards the end we liked working as a group. We loved contributing ideas. We loved working together. (Justin Matti)

I like our group because we all worked together and I liked the product we have chosen. It was a really great idea.

(Daniel Essa)

L-R Justin, Daniel, & Aiyanna



Friday Assembly Awards

Friday 14.09.18



KB	Zianne Magsakay, Renae Miller
KW	Joseph Le Grand, Savannah Flavell
1B	Renee Rigor, Cade Merjudio
1W	Grace Sila, Levin Magcalayo
2B	Tacy Manakofua, Tima Fagalei
2W	Abuk Majak, Vaka Vailala
3B	Yai Yai, Miraya Trikha
3W	Carlos Meekoo, Grace Audish
4B	Miguel Magcalayo, Angel Boniba
4W	Lopez Kako, Maryjane Nucup
6B	Mary Rose Ahad, Vika Vailea
6W	Mirna Yalda, Aher Aher

Friday 21.09.18



KB	Annierose Fatukala, Isaiah Imsies
KW	Seth Sarza, Maraleena Farnees
1B	Carl Cruz, Faith Tuliatsu
1W	Catherine Lazar, Dut Wol
2B	Kuot Deng, Laurence Kako
2W	Ammon lese, Valerie Tamate
3B	Jacque Tangka, Sara Louis
3W	Adrian Karganilla, Martina Ghaly
4B	Joshua Woja, Mia Kisur
4W	Timothy Talya, Alysa Younan
5B	Rachel Hanna, Ornilla Esho
5W	Thiep Agou, Mario Missak
6B	Christopher Youssef, Avneet Kaur
6W	Achol Lual, Poni Mogga



Community News

Emmaus Catholic College

Enrolment applications for Years 7—11, 2019 are available at the College Reception Desk, 87-109 Bakers Lane, Kemps Creek. Office hours are 8:00am—4:00pm. OR applications can be printed online at <http://www.emmauskempscreek.catholic.edu.au/>. Once on click on Enrol, How to Enrol. Print off checklist in Step 2 and the Enrolment Application. You will also need Forms A, B and D in Step 3.

If you would like a tour of the College prior to lodging an application, our Enrolment Officers will be happy to arrange this for you. Please contact the enrolment office on 9670 8300 (Option 4).