



St. Luke's Catholic Primary School Community Newsletter

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Annual Theme:

2017: Be Our Best For Jesus

Term: 3 Week: 4
Friday 11th August 2017

*Journeying
Together
in Christ*

**Earn & Learn
is on again**
Anyone can help schools
earn equipment

\$10 = **1 teacher**

*From Wednesday 26 July to Tuesday 19 September 2017.
Excludes liquor, tobacco and gift cards. While stocks last or until Tuesday 19 September 2017.

What's on next week?

13th	2.20pm Assembly
14th	The Assumption Mass ICAS Maths Year 5/6
15th	PPC Meeting 6.30pm
16th	Year 3/4 Excursion
17th	Year 3/4 Excursion Year 6 Youth Rally

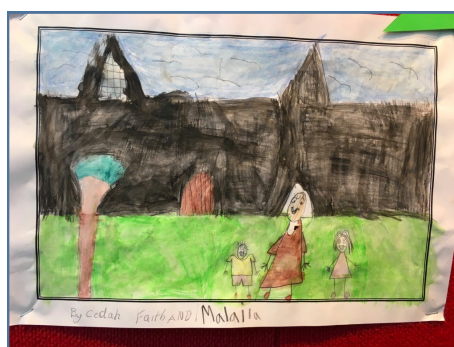
Click [here](#)
to see the full calendar of
events or view via the skoolbag
app under calendar

Saint Mary Mackillop of the Cross

Be kind to the poor foreigners. Remember that I was a foreigner once.
(1875)

Mary Mackillop was a gem. We can celebrate a lot about Mary Mackillop. *I think these words from Pope Benedict XVI during his visit for World Youth Day in July, 2008 sum up a lady who helped the little people.*
"I know that her perseverance in the face of adversity, her plea for justice on behalf of those unfairly treated and her practical example of holiness have become a source of inspiration for all Australians".

Enjoy some artwork from some 1/2 students which is displayed in our foyer.



St. Luke's Catholic Primary School would like to acknowledge the Yorta Yorta Nation, whose clans include Bangerang, Kaitheban, Wollithiga, Moira, Ulupna, Kwat Kwat, Yalaba Yalaba and Ngurai-illiam-wurrung, as the Traditional Custodians of the land on which our schools are situated.



Principals Report:

2018 intentions

We have started planning for 2018 and if you are aware that you are leaving St. Luke's could you notify your child's teacher or me.

Semester Report Survey

Hopefully, you received this survey at 9:30am this morning via email. We have reviewed the reports at a teacher level and would like to see/hear from you. The survey is open until next Friday 18th 5:00pm.

MEETINGS

We had two great meetings during the week, the Board and Community Group. All items on the agenda were discussed and actions in place (see last week's newsletter for agenda items).

One item from the Community Group is forming a uniform committee. This committee will be chaired by Kate Moroney. The focus for this group will be:

- Communicating with our current supplier and discussing any requests
- Discussing current brands and fabric
- Liaising with other suppliers who contact the school

A representative from staff will be part of the committee. We are asking for three people to join the committee. Please email/phone the office if you are interested.

New Board members- Those who attended (or were an apology) a board formation evening back in May with Phil Bretherton (CEO) will be contacted via email soon. We will be asking if you would be interested in joining the board now or in the coming years.

CARPARK SAFETY

Can you please refer to last weeks newsletters photos (see below) otherwise we will have to take action to stop large vehicles parking close to the office. Thank you.



<p>YES</p>	<p>NO</p>
<p>YES</p>	<p>NO</p>
<p>YES</p>	<p>ACTION</p> <p>If reversing into the above carparks be aware of your tow bar</p> <p>Do not have the front/rear of your car over the island walkway</p> <p>Supervise your children while they put bags in the boot area because cars are driving past at all times and children may not use their peripheral vision.</p>

Great Things Happen Here

For those who picked up their children on either Wednesday or Thursday, you may have seen some filming activity at the front of the school involving six children. We were invited to be part of the advertisement promoting Shepparton. They also filmed a short snippet of some 3/4 children in Italian on Wednesday. This is a Greater Shepparton City Council initiative. Look at the website for further details relating to the promotion <http://greatthings.com.au/>. We look forward to seeing the advertisement featuring Charles Wooley.

FOOTY TIPPING

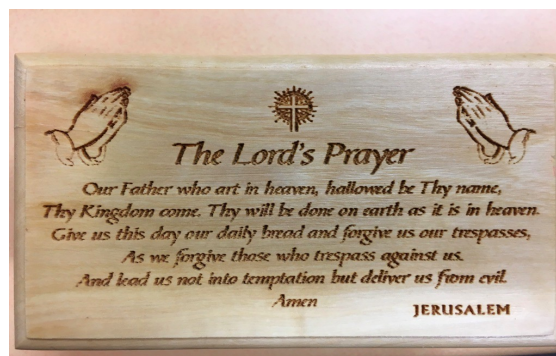
With three rounds to go Mr. Harmer is sitting well at 116, but the way the competition has gone this year there is a chance for skeeta. At 107, I think he is out of reach for me and I will have to concede defeat.

Parenting Ideas:

This week's focus is 'Boys and Behaviour'.



On Tuesday I received a package in the mail with a 'United Nations' sticker on the back. The office ladies weren't sure what it may be and rightly so. It isn't every day something with such a sticker arrives in the post. A past student of mine, who is now an Officer for the Australian Army spent the past 12 months overseas as a UN officer. He sent me a small box from the Holy City (Jerusalem) made out of olive tree wood with the Lord's prayer on it (see the photo). When I spoke to him Tuesday after the board meeting, he explained that he thought of me when visiting the Holy City. He is currently in the middle of a six week training mission in Qld. He did remind me that the weather is slightly warmer up north at the moment.



Sometimes we reap the rewards for what we do many years down the track. I taught this young man 20 years ago. This week he confirmed for me that what I do is a privilege and my vocation. Catholic education is very special.

Have a great weekend.
David Keenan (Principal)

#	TIPPER	ROUND 20	TOTAL SCORE
1	Mark Harmer	9 (40)	116 (536)
2	skeeta	9 (37)	110 (483)
3	Daunt 5	8 (60)	107 (623)
4	Principal	8 (30)	107 (676)
5	DarcyandArchie	8 (33)	106 (571)
6	Presto	7 (50)	106 (585)
7	Alistair McLeod	8 (61)	105 (639)
8	JakeDog	7 (34)	103 (717)
9	Tennent Family	7 (46)	102 (640)
10	Kirly	7 (68)	102 (719)
11	nkeenan	6 (40)	101 (585)
12	Bickers	8 (29)	100 (726)
13	Maccas	7 (46)	98 (509)
14	EddieB	7 (23)	92 (763)
15	Frank	3 (46)	89 (634)
16	Cody Munro	7 (46)	89 (691)
17	Karli	3 (46)	89 (721)
18	Sam	7 (33)	88 (735)
19	Carolyn Kent	3 (46)	83 (589)
20	Han Dainton	3 (46)	82 (639)
21	Specky	3 (46)	65 (600)

Religious Education

Learning Community Masses:

All Masses are at 12pm in the Gathering Space

Year 5/6	Friday 1st September
Year 3/4	Friday 8th September
Foundation	Friday 15th September
Year 1 / 2	Friday 22nd September

Assembly Gospel:

Week / Learning Group	Gospel Reflection Focus
Week 5 - 3/4 Harmer Monday 14th August	Matthew 14 - 22-33 Walking on Water
Week 6 - 1/2 Ryan Monday 21st August	Matthew 15: 21-28 Take pity on me

Foyer Display

Next weeks work displayed in the Foyer is
The Junior Learning Community

Mass:

Sacramental Candidates Display.

You are invited to pop into the school foyer area to look at the Sacramental Candidates display created by Year 5/6 to celebrate the many students in our school preparing for the sacraments of Confirmation and First Eucharist.

The fantastic photographs were taken by Xavier Gallace, a member of the Year Six Media Leadership Team.

Making Jesus Real:

MJR Focus:

"Go Karts and Billy Karts"

Social Skills Focus:

For week **4** our social skills focus was



Reliability

1. Following school rules
2. Leading by example
3. Being trustworthy

Throughout the year we invite our families to reinforce each set of social skills that are the focus for our fortnight. These social skills link with the Making Jesus Real (MJR) program in our school.

Our MJR scripture for this fortnight is:

"One who is faithful in very little is also faithful in much"
Luke 16:10



School Information

Pre Loved Uniforms	Paula Holland Kaylene Armstrong	0438 311 991 0417 454 250
Town Bus	Shepp Transit	5831 2150
Country Bus	Paul Lucas	5825 2344
After School Care	Stepping Stones	1300 665 699
School Banking	Jo O'Neill	0418 311 251
Community Group	Lucy Gallace	0417 995 032



Lunch Orders:

Lunch order day is Wednesday, please remind your child to place their lunch order in the lunch tub first thing in the morning.

If there are any discrepancies with lunch orders, the matter is to be dealt with on the day of the lunch order. Children need to tell their teacher or come to the Office straight away.

Please only use the large brown lunch bags available from the office - \$2 for 50.



EcoPark provides practical approaches to sustainability. The park explores food production, recycling, solar energy and water conservation. EcoPark promotes a healthy and sustainable environment.



EcoPark brings ecological sustainability to life with a variety of learning adventures. The adventures are exciting, diverse and accessible. These include growing food, recycling, worm farming, raising chooks and our wood working shed. Many people who work at EcoPark have introduced the skills to their home gardens, having chooks and growing vegetables.

03 5831 6180 www.sheppaccess.com.au



EcoStore is a retail outlet to sell much of the produce from EcoPark. A variety of seasonal herbs and vegetables, sauces, chutneys, eggs and wooden and ceramic craft items are available to the community.

Come in and explore the many items that are on display and purchase your favourite produce.

EcoStore provides experience for people to further their work skills and create pathways to employment.

eco store
Promoting Sustainability

245 Wyndham Street
Shepparton

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Curriculum Update:

Children's Chatter Matters!

Term 3 : Language Learning activities



4. Encourage your child to include the following parts when retelling a story/ experience: who/ where/ when/ what happened/ feelings/ why. Encourage them to use some joining words such as because, if, when, but, so, however, until, or, unless, then, consequently, before, after as, instead of. You might like to start a sentence for them to finish.

e.g. Just after breakfast, my brother and I had a fight. He used my Spongebob toothbrush. Yuck!!! I hate it when he uses my Spongebob toothbrush because his breath stinks. Mum wasn't very pleased with us and said we couldn't have a treat after school.



Your teacher will have access to each of these cue cards for you to print off and use to guide your child's language at home.

Word Mania

Round One

of the Word Mania competition is complete and the results are in. The students of St. Luke's have done extremely well.

- * Our Year 1 students came 2nd out of all the schools in North Victoria for participation.
- * Our Year 3 students came 2nd out of all the schools in North Victoria for participation.
- * Our Year 4 students came 3rd out of all the schools in North Victoria for participation.
- * Our Year 6 students came 1st out of all the schools in North Victoria for participation.

Congratulations to everyone for your efforts. Keep it up as we near the close of Round Two.

Awards:



Encouragement Award

You Can Do it Award

Prep D	Angus Scott	Ava Girvan
Prep K	Hannah Thomas	Mitchell Clurey
1/2 B	Claudia Scarcella	Ethan Kemp
1/2 K	Parker East	Joshua Payne
1/2 R	Indianna Payne	Levi Duffy
3/4 C	Emily Putman	Mani Rupeshraj
3/4 H/M	Charlotte Amadei	Isabella Ash
3/4 M	Liam Beer	Ethan Ford
5/6 S	Wesley Wambugu	Matilda Keenan
5/6 H	Rose Novotny	Sofia DeRose

ART ROOM SUPPLIES

The Art room is looking for squeeze sauce bottles and any spare bright colors of wool if you have any you could donate.



School:

BOOKWEEK PARADE

Friday 25th August at 9.00am

Students and Teachers are encouraged to come dressed as their favourite book character.



A book is a gift you can open again and again.
—Garrison Kettler



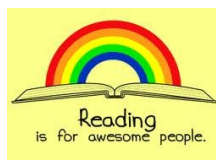
BOOK FAIR

KEEP CALM AND READ ON

Monday 21st August – Friday 25th August

Books can be purchased from the Learning Centre between 8.30-9.15 and 2.45-3.30 each day!!

The more books we buy the more we can purchase for our Learning Centre



Round 12 for the season is this Saturday 12th August 2017.



All games played at McEwen Reserve. Consult Team Manager for MAP of McEwen Reserve or go to the SJSA website

Please allow extra time due to PARKING congestion

PLEASE, if your child can't play

CONTACT Team Manager

Please park in designated car-parking areas on Wednesday training night.

Just a reminder that supervision of children on training night is the responsibility of parents or designated parents.

In the event of wet conditions for training, the school will be notified

as soon as possible on a decision by Terence or I that training is cancelled and this will be posted on twitter, Facebook, Skoolbag and the children notified of same. Your coach and team manager will also be attempted to be contacted. Please do not contact the office unless required.

Have a great game on Saturday. Peter O'Brien

Age Group	Time	Venue	Opposition	Contact
U/6 LEGENDS	10.30am	7E	Guthrie Tigers	Troy King 0419 106633
U/6 STARS	12.00pm	7F	Guthrie Panthers	Shane Gemmill 0400 004178
U/7 LEGENDS	1.30pm	7F	Murchison	Jasmine Zak 0478 088078
U/7 WHITE	12.00pm	7C	Kialla West Titans	David Keenan 0428 825108
U/7 STARS	1.30pm	7B	Numurkah Knights	Melinda Hudson 0408 299224
U/8 STARS	10.00am	6E	Gowrie St Redbacks	Lisette Payne 0412 836970
U/10 LEGENDS	1.00pm	6A	Ky Knights Red	Maree Martin 0402 266354
U/10 STARS	10.00am	4A	Murchison	Rachel James 0458 844 711
U/12	1.00pm	Field 1	Murchison	Karen Tidd 0400 216 818

FOOTBALL RESULTS

Central Saints Cluster Football Club consists of players from the following schools: St. Brendan's, St. Luke's, St. Mel's and Goulburn Valley Grammar

ROUND 13

Under 10

Central Saints Red 51 def Northern Eagles Gold 28

Goals: L.Hetherton, L.Broom, M.Morrison, T.Hudson, B.Sherlock, C.Rikys, A.Calandro.

Awards: A Great Team effort!

Central Saints Black 07.10.52 def Tatura 01.01.07.

Goals: B.Clune, T.Ranson, H.Thompson-Fethney, O.Kendall, L.Kendall.

Awards: J.Clifford, L.Kendall, A.Gillespie, J.Hamilton.

Under 12

Central Saints Black 06.04.40 def Tatura 03.03.21

Goals: T.Burke, L.Dowling, Z.Daldy, J.Pimlott, M.Serra.

Awards: N.Byrne, Z.Daldy, I.Chandler, L.Dowling, R.Schwarz.

Numurkah Blue 08.03.51 def **Central Saints White 04.08.32**

Goals: M. Pelligrino, J.Wallace, K.Metcalf.

Awards: B.Gladigau, F.Everard, W.Green, W.Broom, J.Wallace, S.Bicknell.

Central Saints Red **BYE**



Victorian Country Primary Schools Golf Tournament.



Students from Years 3 - 6 are invited to enter a Primary Schools Golf Competition at Shepparton Golf Club on Monday, 18th September, from 10am. This is being organised by School Sports Victoria.

- Students need to be proficient golfers to enter this event.
- A maximum of 10 strokes per hole will be allowed.
- Students must supply their own clubs and golf balls.

Enrolment forms and more information can be obtained from Mrs. Michelle Hicks here at school or by emailing mhicks@slshepparton.catholic.edu.au.

Applications close on Friday, 8th September.

Netball Results



Section	St. Luke's	Score	Lost/Won	Opposition	Score	Coaches Award
13U Section 1	Magpies	6	lost to	Orrvale	26	Grace Tennant
11U Section 1	Falcons	6	lost to	Gramahvale	11	Alina Reid
11U Section 4	Rosellas	11	def	St Mels	9	Team Effort
9U GO	Doves	5	drew	Gramahvale	5	Addie Whitzell
9U SET	Sparrows	BYE				
	Wagtails	7	def	Grahamvale	2	Maya Cirillo

**MARIST NDC BASKETBALL CLUB
SUMMER 2017/18 COMP
REGISTRATIONS
NOW OPEN**



New Age Guideline

U10 2009-2010 U12 2007-2008
U14 2005-2006 U16 2003-2004
U18 2001-2002 U20-21 1999-2000 (TBC)

Register online at GSBA website (www.gsba.com.au)

Under 2017 Junior Registration [Register Now]

GSBA Membership & BVC Insurance \$52.03
Marist Club Fees \$80.00

**Register Portal will close on 25/8/17
If you don't register in time,
you will miss out.**

GAME NIGHTS - Shepparton Sports Stadium

U10 Boys play Friday Nights
U10+12 Girls play Tuesday Nights
U12 Boys play Wednesday Nights
U14 Boys & Girls play Thursday Nights
U16 Boys play Thursday Nights
U18 Boys, U16+18 Girls play Monday Nights

TRAINING NIGHTS - Mercy Stadium

Monday Nights
U10 Boys & Girls 4.30pm to 5.15pm
U12 Boys & Girls 5.15pm to 6.15pm
U14 Boys & Girls 6.15pm to 7.15pm
Wednesday Nights
U16 Boys 4.30pm to 5.30pm
U16 Girls 5.30pm to 6.30pm
U18 Boys & Girls 5.30pm to 6.30pm

Contact Details: email maristndc@gsba.com.au
Club President - Richard Marshall 0417 307 700
Vice President - Stace Broom 0413 044 638
Secretary - Angela Di Conza 0419 507 629



The Karramomus Cricket Club are looking for Junior Players for the upcoming season.

We will be having sides in all junior grades including a girls U/12 team. We will be starting the season with a sign up/info day on Wednesday, 6th of September.

For more information contact Ken on 58218954 or Rob on 0431357250.

RCIA

Rite of Christian initiation of Adults

RCIA (Rite of Christian initiation of Adults) 2017 will begin on Thursday 7th of September at 7.30pm in the Mons Peter Jeffery centre.

The RCIA process is continually renewing our parish, refreshing our parish life with new people asking the questions about this process, and becoming a Catholic. RCIA is very much a process where we open the doors of our parish and our faith inviting those interested in RCIA to look in and see if this is what they are searching for.

The RCIA team are looking for two new members to join this parish ministry, so if you think you would enjoy sharing your faith with others; we would love to hear from you.

Also if someone you know would like to ask some questions about RCIA, please put them in touch with Fr Joe, Fr Burny or Anthony 58212633.

Woolworths Earn & Learn



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Earn one sticker for every \$10* spent at Woolworths.



Stick

Complete a Sticker Sheet.









Give back

Drop the Sticker Sheets at your school or local Woolworths.



Could \$500 help you with school costs?

Join Saver Plus and we'll match your savings, dollar for dollar, up to \$500 for school costs.

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|  laptops & tablets |  lessons & activities |
|  uniforms & shoes |  books & supplies |
|  sports fees & gear |  camps & excursions |

To join Saver Plus, you must have a Centrelink Health Care or Pensioner Concession Card, be at least 18 years old, have some regular income from work (you or your partner), and have a child at school or attend vocational education yourself.

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SINCE 1877

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Saver Plus is an initiative of the Brotherhood of St Laurence and ANZ, delivered in partnership with Berry Street, The Benevolent Society and The Smith Family and other local community agencies. The campaign is funded by ANZ and the Australian Government Department of Social Services. Go to www.saverplus.org.au for more information.

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SHEPPARTON RUNNING FESTIVAL

KEEP MOOVING!



**SUNDAY 27TH AUGUST AT
VICTORIA PARK LAKE, SHEPPARTON**

MARATHON, HALF MARATHON, 10KM, 5KM & 2KM KIDS DASH

Enter online at sheppartonrunningfestival.com.au

or at public registrations

Visit sheppartonrunnersclub.com.au for event details

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- Timing for Marathon, Half Marathon, 10km & 5km (2km Kids Dash not timed)



Sponsors



The Flats is a short documentary of the experiences and memories following the walk off at Cummeragunja Aboriginal Reserve in 1939 and the settlement on the river flats between Mooroopna and Shepparton. Despite poverty and exclusion, the Yorta Yorta community created lives rich in family, music, sport and church. Income was derived from seasonal work including shearing and fruit picking. The Flats provides vignettes of the lives of the people in the community that they created and the contribution of Aboriginal Australians in the economic, sporting and social life in the development of the Goulburn Valley.

\$10 single

\$20 family (2 adults and up to 4 children)

\$5 children up to 16

SEPT
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The Flats Film Night and talk with Uncle Leon
after the show

Please book at

<https://www.trybooking.com/book/event?eid=304857>



St. Luke's Catholic Primary School
proudly invite you to

***The Feast of the
Assumption of Mary
Mass***

Tuesday 15th August, 12pm
at
St. Mel's Catholic Church



All Welcome