SACRED HEART SCHOOL

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NEWSLETTER

TERM 2 | WEEK 8 2024

Principal's Message

Dear Sacred Heart Community

Congratulations to our students who went to the Deanery Athletics Carnival this week.

It was a bitterly cold day at Finley High but the students' energy, enthusiasm and sportsmanship kept the spirits high all day.

This week we said goodbye to Mrs Wilso and welcomed Mr O'Hara.

We thank Mrs Wilso for setting up our Kinder and Year 1's so well this semester. It has been fantastic to see Mr O'Hara step into the classroom with confidence, ready to continue this learning.

Next Friday night is the Brush, Bubbles and Banter night for the women in our community. It is looking to be a very enjoyable night. If you haven't already RSVP'd please do so as soon as possible.

Thank you to Heidi McGrath who has been the main organiser of this event.

Sunday next week (30/6/24) is the Feast day of St Peter's Parish. Fr Paul would like to extend a warm welcome to our families to attend. Mass will be at 10 am followed by a shared lunch.

Thank you to Samantha Blackbourn for running canteen for us this week.

God bless

Jeremy Grear



Tocumwal and District Lions Club Junior Public Speaking competition

> Sunday June 30, 2024 1.45pm for 2pm start.

Lions Function Rooms, Adams Street, Tocumwal.

All welcome, parents, family, teachers.

Students are to wear their school uniform.

NSW 2024 TERM DATES

Term 2

Mon 29 Apr to Fri 5 Jul

Term 3

Mon 22 Jul to Fri 27 Sep

Term 4

Mon 14 Oct ~ Fri 18th Dec

TERM 2 ~ WEEK 9 ~ MAY

- Wed 26th Bucket Drumming/Ukulele
- Fri 28th Mum's Night Out
- Sun 30th 10am School/Parish Mass for St Peter & Paul Fast Day
- Sun 30th 1.45pm Lions Junior Public
 Speaking, Lions Functio Rms

TERM 2 ~ WEEK 10 ~ JULY

- Mon 1st to 5th NAIDOC WEEK
- Wed 3rd Assembly (1.40pm)

IMPORTANT DATES

- Sun 30th June ~ Feast of St Peter & Paul 10am Mass followed by Parish/School Lunch Families please bring lunch to share.
- Sun 30th June ~ 2pm Lions Club Speeches at the Lions Function Rms Adams Street. Tocumwal
- Fri 9th August ~ Bishop Mark to visit Confirmation students.
- Sat 10th August~Confirmation at St Peter's 5.30pm.

CANTEEN ROSTER

- Fri June 28th Volunteer needed please
- Fri July 5th Andrew Blackbourn (Pies)

Term 2

• Fri July 26th - Volunteer needed please

GOODBYE AND GOOD LUCK MRS WILSO



On Thursday we wished Mrs Wilso a fond farewell. We wished her good health for her maternity leave and the birth of her baby.









WELCOME TO KINDER/YR 1 MR 'OHARA

On Friday we welcomed Mr Danny O'Hara to the Kinder/Yr 1 Class.



AWARDS ~ Term 2 | Week 8

MERIT AWARD





Harmeen: For having a go in all learning areas and working hard to apply herself



Archer: For giving an inspiring speech about 'Dog Man'. We all enjoyed listening to it.



Rose B: For excellence in English and a fantastic effort in Public Speaking. Well done!

BLUE HEART AWARD ~ 'Aim High and Transform Mistakes'



Kurirai: For trying her best in all that she does, always taking on teacher feedback to improve on her learning.



Leo: For demonstrating a positive and respectful attitude in class and on the playground.



Henry: For giving his best at all times. You never give up.

PRINCIPAL'S AWARD

Lachlan Wraight:

For showing courage and resilience when working on and presenting his speech.



'Aim High and Transform Mistakes'

Try my best in all I do
Set goals that excite me
See mistakes as a chance to
learn
Reflect on my mistakes
Ask for help when I need
Believe in myself

K/YR 1 ENGLISH ~ 'PREPOSITIONS'

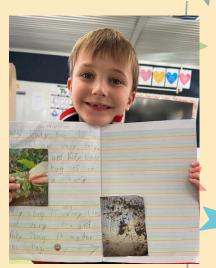
This week in our writing program, we have been learning about prepositions of place. We went exploring in the garden to take photos of bugs and thought about where they were positioned. Kinders had a go at writing a sentence about where the bugs were. Year One wrote sentences about where the bugs were, but used adjectives to make their sentences more interesting.



One day a slimy slug was under the bag. beautiful ladybug is on a big top of ...Álysa



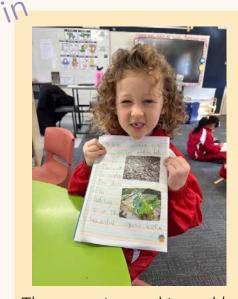
The ladybug is on top of the leaf. The slug is under the bag.Harmeen



The ladybug is very beautiful and very dotty. My ladybug is on a leaf. My slug is very slimy and very slow. My slug is under the bag.Arthur



The ladybug is on top of the leaf. The slug is under the dirt. ... Lorna



The worm is very big and he is black and slimy. The slug is under the dirt. ladybug is on the beautiful green leaf. ...Arabella.



A spotty ladybug is in the garden. The slimy slug is underneath the bag. The slimy slug is under the dirty bag.Harry.



The worm is brown and it is red The ladybug is on a dead leaf. The ladybug is orange and has black legs. ... Charlotte.







K/YR 1 ENGLISH ~ 'Q' AND 'U' WEDDING



Because 'Q and 'U' always go together when spelling words.



for example:
 Queen
 quarter
 quench
 quiet
 question
 quack
 squash
 quake
 quilt
 squeal

















K/YR 1 MATHS ~ 'SHAPES'

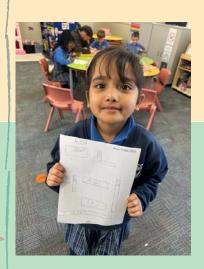


In maths we have been learning about the area of shapes.

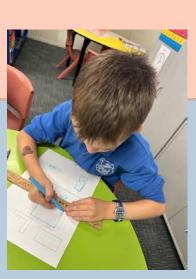


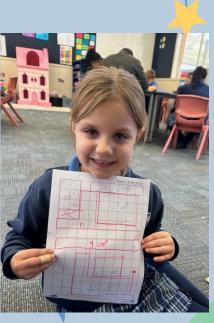


We learnt how to make a square, then explored the classroom to check what could fit in the area of our square.



We then used grid paper to draw shapes and check how much area each shape covered.







MISSION AMBASSADOR PROGRAM LEADERSHIP DAY ~ YEAR 5

Our year 5 students joined with students from St. Joseph's Primary Finley and St Joseph's Jerilderie to participate in the Catholic Mission - Wagga Wagga Mission Ambassador Program. Students learned valuable skills in what it means to be a leader in our Catholic schools and how to use our voice to help those in need.

The students represented our school admirably.









RELIGIOUS EDUCATION - YR 2/3

PARABLE OF THE SEED

As an extension on the lesson last week with Mr Vincent Powell on the Parable of the Seed the students learned that the Kingdom of God is big enough for everyone and if you do something wrong it only makes a little difference.















What happened to the seeds that fell along the path, on rocky ground, among thorns, and in the good soil.

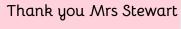


RECESS AND LUNCH TIME ACTIVITIES

This week the children have enjoyed self directed recess and lunch time activities.

They have also enjoyed the lunch time craft activity provided by School Chaplain, Mrs Pamela Maddox.

This week the students constructed a baby bird.



and Mrs Mrs

Blackbourn for making
our lunches today. The
Satay Chicken and Rice
was delicious.





























Come along and enjoy a social evening that has been organised for the mothers and teachers of the school.

There are limited spaces so please secure your spot with Heidi and leave your cash payment at the office as soon as possible please.