

Term 3

The Link

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School Vision Statement

At St Mary's Primary School we work in partnership with families and the Goldfields Community, to provide a Christ-centred and child focused school of excellence, where children are nurtured and empowered to reach their full potential.

Calendar Term 3

Thursday

22 September

PUBLIC HOLIDAY

Friday 23 September

Last day of Term 3

Tuesday 11 October

First Day of Term 4

MONDAY 10 October

PUPIL FREE DAY

Liturgical Calendar

Friday 23 September

Year 5 Church Visit

9.30am St Mary's

Church

From the Principal's desk

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

It is difficult to believe we are at the end of Term Three already. What a busy term it has been. A big thank you to our Staff for the wonderful work they have done this term.

Congratulations to our TOMs Team that travelled to Perth for the TOMS state finals. They represented our school beautifully on the weekend and Miss Burgoyne and Mrs Jones were very proud of them. Thank you to all the children who took part in TOMS this year and to the parents who supported them. They put in many 'extra' hours of practise. A big thank you to Mrs Jones and Miss Burgoyne who also dedicated many hours to the teams.

The first day back in Term Four is a Pupil Free Day. The Staff will be working with CEWA representatives on 'Judging Standards. The purpose of this Professional Learning is to develop consistency across all schools in the allocation of grades to children when writing reports.

Thursday 22 September is a National Day of Mourning as we remember the remarkable life of Queen Elizabeth. There will be no school on this day as this has been designated a Public Holiday.

The beginning of Term Four marks the return to Summer Uniform. Please see opening times for the Uniform Shop in the Link.

Have a wonderful holiday break as we rest and recharge ready for the Term ahead.

Stay safe and well,

God Bless,

Elizabeth Browner Principal



MANDATE LETTER - NEW EVANGELISATION IN CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

The most significant of all Christian symbols is the crucifix. This reminds all of the total and unconditional love of Jesus who gave his life for all people. Crucifixes remind us all that our closeness to him will deepen as we carry the crosses of daily life. Other Christian symbols include those that honour Mary and the Saints.

In Sunday's Gospel, Jesus tells a story about two men and their very different rewards. The Jewish people imagined heaven as a great feast or banquet. So Jesus uses a feast as the setting for his story.

GOSPEL

Listen to the words of the Holy Gospel according to Luke: 16 19-25

Jesus told his disciples this story: "There was once a rich man who wore expensive clothes and every day ate the best food. But a poor beggar named Lazarus was brought to the gate of the rich man's house. He was happy just to eat scraps that fell from the rich man's table. The poor man died, and angels took him to the place of honour next to Abraham. "The rich man also died and was buried. He went to hell and was suffering terribly. When he looked up and saw Abraham far off and Lazarus at his side, he said to Abraham, "Have pity on me! Send Lazarus to dip his finger in water and touch my tongue. I'm suffering terribly in this fire." Abraham answered, "My friend, remember that while you lived, you had everything good, and Lazarus had everything bad. Now is happy, and you are in pain."

The Gospel of the Lord.

PRAYER

God of the poor and powerless,
you are always present to us
in our sisters and brothers who are in need.

Open our eyes to see you.
May our hands be always ready
to serve you in everyone we meet.
We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Amen.





Financial
Matters....



School Fees have now been issued!!

*Please contact Linda in the office
with confirmation of your payment plan.*

**REMINDER FINAL PAYMENT OF
FEES ARE DUE BY THE END OF TERM**



UNIFORM SHOP

SCHOOL HOLIDAY OPENING TIMES



Tuesday 27th September 9am to 11am

Tuesday 4th October 9am to 11am

**SUMMER UNIFORM TO BE
WORN IN TERMS 1 AND 4**

Any Queries please phone Marcelle Caputo 0438941439

Second Hand Uniforms

Open Thursdays from 8.30am to 9.00am

For second hand uniforms please contact Ingrid Fitzgibbins 0412327113

WE ARE LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS !! Please come and visit
on Thursday to see how you can help

TOURNAMENT OF THE MINDS FINAL



Over the weekend, our Social Science team competed in the Tournament of the Minds Branch Final at ECU Joondalup. This group of Year 5 and 6 students arrived at the university with excitement and nerves at what the day would bring. They were locked down in a room with 3 hours to solve a new challenge. Teams had to create a new honours award, decide on criteria for the said award and decide on a list of finalists who were worthy. They used teamwork, creativity and even a bit of humour to solve this challenge. While we didn't get through to national final, we couldn't be prouder of how these wonderful students represented St Mary's. Congratulations to all the teams who made it this far and we wish all the winner good luck in Canberra next month.

Mrs Sam Jones (Extension & Enrichment Teacher)

RESPECT

IT'S A BRIGHT FUTURE



On Thursday the 15th of September the Year 5 and 6 students attended a STEM incursion. The Bright Future STEM program showcases Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths and the diversity of career opportunities within the resources and energy industry in these exciting fields. Students were introduced to two wonderful STEM industry role models, from Northern Star Resources and Goldfields Australia, who explained what their jobs entail and the opportunities they have had in their professions. Students were then given the opportunity to explore some amazing activities, such as VR, Circuits and Robotics. Thank you to all the wonderful representatives from the Bright Future STEM team who gave their time to put on this wonderful experience for our students.

Mrs Sam Jones (Extension & Enrichment Teacher)

RESPONSIBLE

JUNIOR ATHLETICS CARNIVAL



What a fun and exciting day we had on Friday for our Junior Athletics Carnival! Everyone had a great time racing in running races and relays and then participating in team games! We had fantastic weather and even better sportsmanship from everyone! Thank you to all our parent helpers, Year 6 helpers and teachers who helped make the carnival a huge success!

Mrs Renae Pankhurst (Year 1 Teacher, Junior Carnival Coordinator)

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CRICKET AUSTRALIA INCURSION



On Monday, 12th September, the Year 3 students attended a cricket incursion with WA Cricket . We participated in skill-based cricket drills including a very fun batting and fielding game that Ms Franklyn & Mrs Bochat are excited to add into our class sport lessons. Everyone had a great time, and many excited students went home wanted to join a local cricket club for the upcoming season.

Ms Franklyn & Mrs Bochat (Year 3 Teachers)

UNITED IN NAIDOC



On Thursday we went to East Kalgoorlie Primary School and joined in with their NAIDOC day celebrations. We watched their assembly and Neil-J Dimer play the didgeridoo. Then we had our faces painted and we painted rocks, boomerangs and pictures. For lunch we ate a sausage sizzle and damper. We loved the bus ride so much! We had a fantastic day, thank you East Kalgoorlie for inviting us .

Mrs Paolinovich (Kindy Teacher)

MERIT AWARDS

Term 3 Week 9 Award Winners

Class	Principal's Award 'Wearing the School Uniform with Pride'	Teacher's Award 'Teacher's Choice'
PPT	Mary Lin	Nicholas Fanetti
PPK	Willow Winner	Harper McNally
1P	Hugo Owen	London Cook, Aarna Sapehiyia
1T	Makayla Bruynzeel	Spencer Naylor
2L	Amelia Pankhurst	Layla Yuryevich
2W	Lucas Yu	Archie McNally
3B	Jessica Terry	Blaze Soloman
3F	Jewell Crossberg	Sahsa Kable, Koden Bungate
4G	Matilda Tamati-Fitzpatrick	Nichola Kamune
4A	Gabriel Scott	Braxton Cromie
5M	Jana Carungay	Ebony Yuryevich
5B	Maggie-May Dann	Caleb Hobba
6S	Gabriela Jelliman	Seth Hefron, Lachlan Fitzgibbons
6B	James Graves	Mia Lambert





ST MARYS PLAYGROUP

St Marys warmly invites new and existing families to join us in the St Marys school hall for playgroup. Playgroup is on each Wednesday starting at 9:00am until 10:30am.

Please feel free to bring a small snack in a labeled container for your child to have for morning tea.
Cost is \$5:00

We look forward to meeting you and having some fun with a range of activities.

Mrs Sharon Pav and Jessica Brensell



Lorna Mitchell



spring

Festival

Sunday

9TH

OCTOBER

9.30am to 3.30pm

HAMMOND PARK

Memorial Drive, Kalgoorlie

OVER 150 STALLS
FREE ENTERTAINMENT

FUN ACTIVITIES

LOCAL PERFORMERS

PLUS FREE BUS TRANSFERS



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HeartKids

TWO FEET & A HEARTBEAT WALK

Sunday
16th
October



SCAN TO REGISTER

Walk 4km
to support families
living with
congenital heart
disease.

Family entry \$75

(2 adults & up to 3 kids)

Adult \$30

Child 1-15yrs \$15

Infants Free

Each entrant receives
a pair of socks and
a coloured flag.

OR VISIT twofeetheartbeat.org.au

FREE School Holidays @ Museum of the Goldfields

Sat 24 Sept to Sun 9 Oct. 10am - 3pm

DAILY ACTIVITIES

1. Go Nuts! Make your house number or initials using nuts and pipe cleaners. It might be harder than you think!
2. For the big kids.... Answer the questions - It was this THEN, what is it NOW ?
3. For the little ones.... Come on a Scavenger Hunt with us.
4. Cars, Cars and More Cars - Play with the Car activities or rest in the quiet corner with books and puzzles from the Goldfields Toy Library collection.

**EXHIBITION OPENING
FRIDAY 23 SEPT 5PM - 7PM**

You are invited to join us for the launch
of the **BUSH MECHANICS** exhibition.
ALL WELCOME

**Thur 28 Sept
10.30am - 12.30pm
Bookings essential**

Make your own Tin Truck then head
outside to do skids and make dust fly!

**Fri 29 Sept
10.30am - 12.30pm**

Get Back on your Bike!
Bring the kids and their bicycles, as the Y
talks about Bike Safety and basic
mechanics.

**Tues 4 Oct
10.30am - 12.30pm
Bookings essential**

Explore cultural significance of face masks
with local artist LINDA RAE before making
your own.

**Wed 5 Oct
10.30am - 12.30pm
Bookings essential**

Use recycling materials to build a vehicle, then
find an alternative means to power your own
with ROBIN CARTER.

**Thur 6 Oct
10.30am - 12.30pm**

Join local artist ASHLEY ALTES for our
community project, painting a large scale
carboard cut out car.

The Bush Mechanics exhibition tells the story of how the car has become important to Aboriginal life in Central Australia and how they apply makeshift but very effective fixes to keep their vehicles running.

For more information or to book for the workshops, visit our Facebook page or
<https://visit.museum.wa.gov.au/goldfields/tours-events>



**MUSEUM
OF THE
GOLDFIELDS**

**BUSH
MECHANICS**

Exhibition runs
Sept 24 2022 - Feb 12 2023

200m Swim • 9km Ride • 2km Run



goldfields **physio** *determined*

2022 WOMEN'S TRIATHLON

Sunday 16th October

REGISTRATIONS ARE OPEN! REGISTER ONLINE:

<https://www.registernow.com.au/secure/Register.aspx?E=47857>

\$100 FOR NEW PARTICIPANTS
PREVIOUS PARTICIPANTS \$120 ENTRY FEE

INCLUDED IN YOUR ENTRY FEE:

- 6 weeks training with Kalgoorlie Tri Club Coaches - swim bike run
- Information booklet full of tips & advice
- Encouragement & support
- Feeling of accomplishing something spectacular
- New friendships
- Bragging rights to call yourself a triathlete



Launch Event : 10am Sunday 4th Sept @ North Kal Primary

ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST ATTEND THE LAUNCH EVENT

for important training details, advice, tips & to meet your coaches

<https://kalgoorlietriclub.com.au> | facebook.com/groups/133051693379283





Book a Learning Assessment these school holidays!

Does your child struggle with **reading**?

Does your child have difficulty with **writing**?

Does your child experience issues with **mathematics**?

We're opening up a select number of appointments for **Specific Learning Disorder (SLD) Assessments** during the school holidays.

SLD Assessments include 2 custom assessment sessions, a comprehensive report, clinical recommendations, practical ongoing strategies, and a feedback session.

What do we assess for?

- **DYSLEXIA**
- **DYSGRAPHIA**
- **DYSCALCULIA**

Assessment Details

Date: 27th-30th September 2022 and 3rd-7th October 2022

Location: One Central Health, 339 Hannan St, Kalgoorlie 6430

Please note Payment Instalment Arrangements are available on request but Medicare rebates are not available and NDIS funding can not be used.

To book an SLD Assessment, please call **08 9344 1218** or email kalgoorlie@onecentralhealth.com.au. For more information visit www.onecentralhealth.com.au/service/learning-assessments/

St Marys Primary School now have a dedicated bin at CONTAINERS FOR CHANGE.

All you have to do is pop your cans or bottles into the bin and the staff will ensure all proceeds go into our P&F account to help fund school projects such as the Nature Playground.

Any extra funding would be greatly appreciated.

THANK YOU





School Holiday Program | 24 Sept – 9 Oct, 2022

EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

Archer Boulders	Indoor rock climbing for ages 8+. \$15 per child for unlimited sessions. Wednesday to Sunday 4-7pm. 21 Darcy Lane, West Kalgoorlie. Ph: 9000 1881. Expert climbing guidance available at all times. U16s to be accompanied by a parent or guardian.
BMG Gaming Lounge	Gaming closed Monday & Tuesday. OPEN Wednesday 1pm-11pm, Thursday & Friday 2pm-11pm and Saturday 9am-11pm and Sunday 9am-5pm. Phone 9021 1777 for more information or check out Facebook page.
Boulder Town Hall/ War Museum	<u>Boulder in the 1950s</u> - 27-30 September & 3-7 October 2022 10am-2pm. Start & finish at the Boulder Town Hall. \$4.00 per child. Follow the trail, visiting all participating businesses listed on the card, write down the KEYWORD on each poster and return to the Boulder Town Hall to collect a prize. No need to register. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Enquiries ph: 9021 9817.
Goldfields Arts Centre	<u>Zap Circus Workshops</u> – 4-7 Oct 10-11am, \$10pp https://goldfields.sales.ticketsearch.com/sales/salesevent/78500 <u>Zap Circus – A Circus Sensation</u> – 8 Oct – 4-5pm \$15pp https://goldfields.sales.ticketsearch.com/sales/salesevent/78499
Goldfields Oasis	Goldfields Oasis provides year round recreation opportunities including swimming pool, leisure pool, flow rider and water slides. Contact 9021 0900 for opening hours and entry fees.
Hannans North Tourist Mine	Climb on a giant 793C haul truck, stand in the bucket of a 994 loader, take a self-guided tour of the site, listen to Paddy tell his tale of discovery and pan for gold. Entry fees apply. Open Sunday-Friday from 9am to 4pm. Gold pour demonstrations at 11am Sundays. Please note: gold pours are volunteer based and can be cancelled at any time without notice. Closed Saturdays.
Hammond Park	Visit the tranquil parkland with duck ponds, aviaries, wildlife and a miniature Bavarian Castle with an estimated 40,000 gemstones. Open daily from 9am to 5pm.
Museum of the Goldfields	<u>It was this then, what is it now?</u> – There are 12 clues to find around the Museum & we challenge you to identify what they are now Prizes to be won. 24 Sept-9 Oct, 10am-3pm. Free, no bookings required. <u>Junior Scavenger Hunt</u> – 24 Sept-9 Oct 10am-3pm, no bookings required – Find 11 pictures around the Museum and cross off the list as found. Free. <u>Go Nuts: Free Trails</u> – 24 Sept-9 Oct 10am-12.30pm. Create your house number, your initials or another shape using the nuts we have collected over the years. Use the pipe cleaners to twist & turn to hold them in place to create your useful piece of art. <u>Cars, Cars and more Cars</u> – 24 Sept-9 Oct 10am-3pm, Free. Enjoy a heap of fun car-related activities or rest in the corner with a book and puzzles from the Goldfields Toy Library collection. <u>Bush Mechanic: Build Your Own Tin Truck</u> – Thursday, 29 Sept 10.30am-12.30pm. Be a bush mechanic as you design and build your own tin truck. Free, bookings required. https://visit.museum.wa.gov.au/goldfields/bush-mechanic-build-your-own-tin-truck

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	<p>Get Back on your Bike – Friday, 30 September 2022, 10.30am-12.30pm – Free. Join Y (formerly YMCA) as they teach you useful skills to get you back on your bike these school holidays. Is your bike broken or need some TLC? Bring it along and learn how to fix it and get it going as good as new again.</p> <p>Human Masks: Pandemic Portfolio Workshop: 4 Oct 2022, 10:30am-12pm, Explore cultural significance of face masks with local artist Linda-Rae before making your own.</p> <p>Bush Mechanics Exhibition – 24 Sept-9 Oct, 10am-3pm, Free.</p> <p>Community Project – 6 Oct, 2022 10.30am-12.30pm, Join local artist Ashley Altes for our community project, painting a large scale cardboard cut out car.</p> <p>Stargazing – 6 Oct, 2022 6.30-8.30pm, weather dependent. For more info, ph 9021 8533. Bring your picnic basket, blankets & telescope or use the Museum's to discover the wonders of the night sky. Enjoy hot milo, meet local astronomy enthusiasts and learn more about what we can see in the sky.</p>
Orana Cinemas	For timetable, visit www.oranacinemas.com.au/kalgoorlie
Palace Theatre Recreation Centre	<p>Roller Skating: At the Palace Theatre Recreation Centre, 127 Burt St, Boulder. Beginners Session 11.00am-12.00pm \$4.00 per person - Parent Supervision required & General Session 1pm-3pm, \$8.00 per person. (Blades/Skates hire \$2.00). Spectators \$4.00. Sundays, Tuesdays & Thursdays. Any queries, call 0427 990 019 or check out Facebook page.</p>
PCYC	<p>In-house activities Mon-Fri 9am-12pm for ages 5-12 years – \$25 per child. Bookings essential.</p> <p>Girls Gymnastics Workshops – 27 Sept, 30 Sept, 3 Oct & 5 Oct, 1-3pm Girls 5, bookings required \$15.</p> <p>Boys Gym Workshop – 1-3pm, 1 Oct \$15, Ages 5+, Bookings required.</p> <p>Construction Day – Sat 1 Oct, 10am-12pm, Ages 0-12 years, \$7 per child.</p> <p>Back to School Disco & Play Day - Fri, 7 Oct 3-5pm, Ages 0-12 years, Free, parent supervision required, no booking needed.</p> <p>Back to School Skate Park Night, Sat, 8 Oct 4-8pm, Ages 12+, Free community event held at Kingsbury Park, dinner provided.</p> <p>Ph: 9021 1076, email kalgoorliepcyc@wpcyc.com.au & check out Facebook page https://www.facebook.com/KalgoorliePCYC</p>
Super Pit Lookout	View one of the largest working gold mines in the Southern Hemisphere from the lookout, open 7am-7pm daily. For blasting times, phone 9022 1100, option 1.
William Grundt Memorial Library	<p>Birdhouses, Dragon Eggs and Halloween masks on offer for the 6 to 12 year old. Henna art painting for the young adults between 12 and 18. Cost \$4.00 each.</p> <p>https://www.facebook.com/WilliamGrundtLibrary/ for information and opening hours & bookings phone 9021 7112.</p>
YMCA	School holiday fun at the Y Day, sports, bouncy castles, rock climbing 9am-12pm, Tuesday, 27 September 2022. \$7.00pp. Please call 9021 1035 for further information.

Enjoy the school holidays, From the KBVC team