

Term 4

26 October 2022

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 4

Friday 28 October

Year 1 Assembly

8.45am in the
Undercover area

Liturgical Calendar

Wednesday 26 October

Year 3 Reconciliation
workshop **postponed**
until Wednesday
2 November 6.00pm
in the school hall

Friday 28 October –

Year 2 Church

From the Principal's desk

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Our Year Six children are all away on camp at Woodman Point and from all reports are having a great time. So far, the weather is being kind to them and they are busy making special memories of their last year at Primary School. They will be returning on Friday's train.

Unfortunately, due to illness, we have had to postpone the parent/child reconciliation workshop that was planned for tonight. It will now be held on the 2nd November at 6.00pm in the school hall. Looking forward to seeing all of our Year Three Catholic children and their parents next week.

It is very important for your blue swimming enrolment forms to be handed in to your class teacher by Friday the 28th October. This will enable the co-ordinators to organise the swim classes and your child will be able to swim on Day 1. As they are so short of swimming instructors, we are only able to have five swimming lessons per child. Monies will be credited back to your school account as outlined in the note that went home.

Our Year Five students are participating in the Interschool Summer Lightning Carnival on Friday the 28th October. The students will play either tennis, basketball tee-ball or cricket.

We wish them every success as they play their chosen sport and know they will show the sportsmanship that we pride ourselves on at St Mary's. A very big thank you to Mrs Jones who has taken on some of our Senior Sport and has worked very hard organising this carnival.

Friday is a very special day as we will also be recognising World Teacher's Day and thanking our Staff for the wonderful work they do every day in our school. The Staff will be enjoying a special Morning Tea to celebrate.

On Friday, we are also looking forward to the Year One children entertaining us at the morning Assembly. Can't wait to see them.

God Bless, Elizabeth Browner Principal



MANDATE LETTER - NEW EVANGELISATION IN CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Ideally students will be given quiet time before each liturgy to reflect on what they are going to pray for. Without this, students, especially those from families with little or no religious life, will lack one of the most basic needs for active participation in a liturgy.

In this Sunday's Gospel from Luke is a reading about a Jewish man named Zacchaeus who was a tax collector. He was not very popular because he worked for the Romans and probably made a profit for himself in collecting taxes. Zacchaeus was very small and wanted to see this Jesus. So, he climbed a tree. Jesus was pleased to see his efforts and shocked people by inviting him to come down so that he could have a meal with him. Zacchaeus was so happy that he wanted to repay all the people that he might have cheated. How can the word of Jesus help us to "change" our behaviour in our daily lives?

Next Tuesday, 1 November is All Saints day, the first of the two days when we remember those who have passed on through death. On this day we celebrated the communion of saints – the union of prayers and love between the saints and earth.

GOSPEL

Listen to the words of the Gospel according to Luke 19: 1-10

A man named Zacchaeus, was in charge of collecting the taxes and was very rich. Jesus was heading his way, and Zacchaeus wanted to see what he was like. But Zacchaeus was a short man and could not see over the crowd. So, he ran ahead and climbed up into a sycamore tree. When Jesus got there, he looked up and said, "Zacchaeus, hurry down! I want to stay with you today." Zacchaeus hurried down and gladly welcomed Jesus. Everyone who saw this started grumbling, "This man Zacchaeus is a sinner! And Jesus is going home to eat with him."

Later that day Zacchaeus stood up and said to the Lord, "I will give half of my property to the poor. And I will now pay back four times as much to everyone I have ever cheated." Jesus said to Zacchaeus, "Today you and your family have been saved, because you are a true son of Abraham. The Son of Man came to look for and to save people who are lost."

The Gospel of the Lord.

PRAYER

Dear God

Thank you for the example of the Saints,

I desire to join in their company,
worshipping you for in Heaven.

Please help me to follow their footsteps,
and yours, Jesus Christ.

Please help me to conform
myself to Your image,
seeking Your will in all things, as the Saints did.

Please help me to devote myself in all that I do.

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



OPENING TIMES

MONDAY 2.30pm – 3pm

WEDNESDAY 8.30am – 9am FRIDAY 8.15am – 8.45am

CASH CHEQUE EFTPOS AVAILABLE

IF YOU WOULD LIKE US TO PUT ITEMS ON HOLD WE DON'T MIND BUT FOR A LIMIT OF 1 MONTH.

ITEMS WILL THEN BE RETURNED TO THE SHELF. UNIFORMS CAN BE RETURNED WITHIN 7 DAYS OF PURCHASE FOR EXCHANGE OR CREDIT, PROVIDING A RECEIPT IS SHOWN AND TAGS ARE INTACT. PLEASE SEE THE LADIES IN THE UNIFORM SHOP IF YOU HAVE ANY QUERIES.

A REMINDER THAT THE UNIFORM SHOP IS ALL VOLUNTARY AND WE TRY OUR BEST.

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

RESPECT

YEAR 4 ASSEMBLY



'Let it Grow'



On Friday 21st of October Year 4 had their class assembly, focussing on the important topic of pollution. The students did so incredibly well, rehearsing and practicing their lines and dance moves especially in their own time outside of school. The assembly featured light-hearted jokes, some improvisation and important take home messages on ways we can help our planet. By the look of things, the students had a fantastic time on stage, and I think it is fair to say they all looked incredible in their unique costumes. Well done Year 4's!

Hannah Goodman Year 4 Teacher

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SCITECH INCURSION



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Last Friday, the Year One classes were lucky enough to have a visit from Scitech! They watched a show about mixtures and procedures and even had some lucky volunteers to help out! The students watched the scientists make milo, a lava lamp, exploding bubble bath and fluffy paint!

After the show, each class participated in a workshop, where they were able to get up close and personal and make their own mixture. It was a mug cake! Each group experimented with adding different quantities of cocoa and got to predict how they thought each cake would be different! At the end of the workshop, they looked at all the mug cakes and compared them. Everyone had a wonderful time, and we thank Mrs Altus for organising it for us!

Year Ones

RESPECT



HAVE A BLAST



Get into Woolworths Cricket Blast

It's a fun and active program for kids of all abilities, whether it's your first time with a bat or you're a backyard Cricket star!

Eastern Goldfields Junior Cricket Council

Junior Blasters (Ages 5 to 7), Master Blasters (Ages 7 to 10),

Club Cricket (Ages 9 to 18) Programs begin October 2022

Registrations NOW OPEN via the link/QR code below



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CRICKET INCURSION



St Mary's were very lucky today to have Darcy Klemm visit from Cricket WA to teach our Year Two, Year Three and Year Four students about cricket. Great fun was had by all as students participated in games involving batting, bowling and fielding. A big thank you to Darcy for giving up his time to teach us today. If your child had a blast Darcy would love to see them register and come down for the cricket on Friday evenings.

Mrs Anne Darbritz (Physical Education Teacher)

ACCEPTANCE

LEGO®



Last Week saw us start our LEGO Masters Christmas Challenge, starting with creating our own Christmas Tree. We had over 60+ students participate and saw incredible teamwork and creativity! We can't wait to see you all again this week.

Mrs Brensell and Mrs Hefron

ST MARYS CHRISTMAS LEGO MASTERS CHALLENGE

STARTING WK 2-WK 6 ON WEDNESDAYS

EVERYONE WELCOME

BRING A BUDDY OR COME AND MEET A NEW FRIEND

1PM SHARP- OUTSIDE THE EMU ROOM DOOR (WHERE THE STEPS ARE) LOOK FOR THE SIGN.



UNLEASH YOUR CREATIVITY AND JOIN IN THE
FUN!!!!



LEGO masters challenge starts tomorrow at 1pm. All welcome. Must work in pairs... bring a buddy! Prizes for teamwork. We look forward to seeing you there.

Mrs Hefron and Mrs Brensell

ACCEPTANCE

Happy Campers



2022



ARE YOU THE NEXT TENNIS STAR ??

REGISTRATION DAY
Sunday
23rd October
2022

KIDS TENNIS COACHING
... FOR AGES 5 AND OVER

Coaching 23 & 30 Oct. 6, 13, 20, 27 Nov.
9.00 to 9.45am
at the Goldfields Tennis Club, Marshall St Kalgoorlie

Just \$30 for the 6 week program
All equipment supplied. Please wear a hat & sunscreen and bring a drink bottle.

To register, or for more information, contact

Merle Gaby
0428 597 961



Heather Lavery
0408 935 726



Goldfields Repertory Club
Presents
Youth Theatre 2022 Showcase



Sleeping Beauty
By Kathryn Schultz Miller
ArtReach Children's Theatre Plays

TOY STORE
By Jennifer Reif



DRAMA NOTEBOOK
© A Drama Notebook Title

Sat 29th & Sun 30th October
Show begins 2.00pm
Tickets www.goldfieldsrepclub.org.au
7 Brookman Street




CBC Hockey Club is seeking Junior and Senior players for the Upcoming 2023 winter season.

Seasoned player? Haven't picked up a stick since high school? Or, new to the sport? We have something for everyone!

CBC bring the wins, the laughs and the best social functions.

Email the club secretary with your interest, Jane_puckett@hotmail.com

Meet new friends and find your niche with CBC



CBC HOCKEY CLUB 2022 "PINK" DAY

PIC·COLLAGE



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

MERIT AWARDS

Term 4 Week 1 Award Winners

| Class | Principal's Award 'Active Listening' | Teacher's Award 'Starting the term well' |
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| PPT | Vaughn Leech | Zahli Dole |
| PPK | Hamish Wilson | Mia <u>Bardinas</u> , Hugo Norrish |
| 1P | Oscar Brown | Beau Simpson, Grace Tirta |
| 1T | Bill Terry | Zara Vodden |
| 2L | Arlan Rainey | Aylah Emsley |
| 2W | Aylah <u>Jelliman</u> | Joseph McNamara |
| 3B | Piper Gadd | Nate Hefron |
| 3F | Sofia Tait | Harper Shanks |
| 4G | Kyle Rico | Matilda Fitzpatrick |
| 4A | James <u>Ovbiagele</u> | Ruby Tait |
| 5M | Flynn Kennedy | Jay McCahon |
| 5B | Hailee Cooke | Grace Thomson |
| 6S | Anja <u>Albijan</u> | Eshaan Jain Matthews |
| 6B | Matilda McLoughlan | Darcy <u>Fanetti</u> |

Term 4 Week 2 Award Winners

| Class | Principal's Award 'Good Manners' | Teacher's Award 'HASS - Mrs McFall' |
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| PPT | Hudson McGlynn | |
| PPK | Zack Brown | |
| 1P | Tyrique Champion | Helena Liston |
| 1T | Albert Howe | Akachimdiya Ugwu |
| 2L | Aubree Hughes | Rose Thompson |
| 2W | Lilah Kennedy | Mia Waetford |
| 3B | Dane Norrish | Jack Ryan |
| 3F | Jackson Duffy, Nate Smith | Charli Pryer |
| 4G | Charlie Brensell | Zac Taylor |
| 4A | Ayla Hefron | Annabel Fleeton |
| 5M | Miranda Scott | Marshall Robinson |
| 5B | Asha Robertson | Kelsey Murray |
| 6S | Jiayi Zhang | Kate Fry |
| 6B | Grace Lee | Oliver Gourgaud |