School THE Newsletter

Week 9 Term 3 26/09/2025

Important Dates

*Friday 26th September*Last day of Term 3

Monday 13th October
First day of Term 4

<u>Liturgical Calendar</u>



St Mary's Primary School Kalgoorlie



FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

It is hard to believe that we are at the end of Term Three. It has been an extremely busy and productive term. Thank you to our wonderful teachers for all the work they have done this term. I think everyone will enjoy some time to rest and recharge.

Please make sure your children have brought home their swimming bag today as finding wet bathers at the beginning of next term will be most unpleasant.

A big thank you to Luke Ryan and the workers at Monadelphous for fabricating our new soccer goals which were delivered today. The children are so excited about being able to use them into next term. Just a reminder that we will be changing to Summer Uniform for Term Four. Please note carefully the days on which your children are involved in Specialist and class sport. The sport uniform is only to be worn on those days for children from Years 1-6. On the other three days children are required to wear formal uniform.

Our 125 Birthday celebrations are to be held on Saturday the 8 November. Please save that date in your calendar. We are celebrating with a Mass in the morning followed by an open day at school. There will be lots of visitors to the school. We will be officially blessing and opening the Early Childhood classrooms and the new basketball courts. It is going to be a beautiful celebration.

Have a great holiday break. See you all back on Monday 13 October for Term Four.

God Bless, Elizabeth Browner Principal

READING

Sometimes the Gospel readings are about the rewards we will be given when our lives are over. In today's reading from the Sunday 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 the 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 he is happy, and you are in pain."

The Gospel of the Word

<u>Prayer</u>

Enjoy your holidays!

We thank you Lord, for this term. For the challenges, the successes, and the mistakes from which we have learnt.

Be with us as we spend our time with family and friends.

Give us strength and courage to do what is right: to be witnesses of our faith.

Help us to be a practical Christian these holidays, to appreciate what others do for us,

to give time and effort to help others.

To be peacemakers in our family.
Keep us safe in our activities; give us
good rest and good fun.
Bring us back refreshed and ready

for a new term.
We thank you for our classmates,
teachers, parents

and a community that cares for us.
May we always be conscious of you
in our lives.

Amen



FINANCIAL MATTERS

School Fees have been issued and are now due for payment in full.

If you need a payment plan, please return the completed instalment option form to Linda in the office ASAP

If you have a current CONCESSION CARD please present card to the office applicable discounts can be applied.

UNIFORM SHOP

OPENING HOURS

Monday 2.30pm - 3.00pm Friday 8.15am - 8.45am

You can also order online through QuickCliq, scan the QR code to register.



SECONDHAND UNIFORM SHOP OUTLET

Thursday 8.30am - 9.00am
All items are \$5 - NO EFTPOS
ALL CLEAN DONATION WELCOME TO RECEPTION

INTERSCHOOL ATHLETICS CARNIVAL



SECOND HAND UNIFORM SHOP

Term 4 is the start of Summer uniform

Out grown your winter gear?

We welcome donations of your pre loved **CHOOL UNIFORMS**



NUMERO 2025



During the AFG Numero 2025 competition on 15th of September, St Mary's entered 3 teams, Fantastic Fractions, Mystical Mathematical and Card Throwers. Students sharpened mental maths skills and strategic thinking while competing in the fast-paced, fun, and challenging interschool Numero tournament. Whilst we didn't make the op 6 overall, out of 18 teams, during the individual games St Mary's Fantastic Fractions placed 5th in the Top Take game, Card Throwers 3rd in the Team Card game, Mystical Mathematical came 6th in Team Card game and Fantastic Fractions placed 4th for Scramble. Well done teams for representing St Mary's with outstanding sportsmanship.



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BOCKCLUB CORDINATOR

THE WONDERFUL KATE LOUCHMAN WILL BE FINISHING UP AT THE END OF THE YEAR, AND WE'RE NOW LOOKING FOR SOMEONE TO TAKE OVER HER ROLE AS A BOOKCLUB COORDINATOR VOLUNTEER. IF YOU'RE INTERESTED IN TAKING ON THIS POSITION, PLEASE CONTACT THE SCHOOL.

PH: 90920900 EMAIL: ADMIN@STMKALG.WA.EDU.AU

St Mary's Primary School Kalgoorlie

REGISTER YOUR INTEREST NOW

PRE-KINDY 2026

OPEN FOR CHILDREN TURNING 3 BETWEEN 1/7/2025- 30/06/2026.

PLAY BASED LEARNING WITH A FOCUS ON DEVELOPING CONFIDENT AND CREATIVE INDIVIDUALS DELIVERED BY AN EARLY CHILDHOOD TEACHER.

REGISTER YOUR INTEREST USING THE QR CODE.





For More Information

(08) 9092 0900

https://www.stmkalg.wa.edu.au



Walk to honour brave hearts.

Two Feet & A Heartbeat is a 4km walk, symbolising the four lives lost to childhood-onset heart disease (CoHD) each week in Australia, and held in honour of all children living with CoHD. Participants can also choose to walk 8km, representing the eight babies born with a heart

condition every day.

This annual event is held in 30 locations across Australia, in capital cities and regional

This annual event is held in 30 locations across Australia, in capital cities and regional communities. Whether you join an organised event or walk in your own time with the virtual option, everyone is welcome to take part.

Walking together with purpose.

Participants walk side by side with HeartKids' families and every walker carries a coloured flag.

Blue is carried by those living with CoHD

Red is carried by those walking in support, and

White is carried by those walking in memory of a Heart Angel.

The walk commences with a period of silence in memory of our Heart Angels, family members we have lost. A true sense of community surrounds the day as families enjoy picnics, family friendly activities and lite refreshments following the walk friendly activities and lite refreshments following the walk



MERIT AWARDS

Term Three, Week Eight, Award Winners.

Class	Principal's Award	Teacher's Award		
	' Being Conscientious '	'Performing Arts'		
PPT	Harper Brown	Mia Pike		
PPK	Chloe Moller	Ruyanne O'Neil		
1B	Olivia Tamati-Fitzpatrick	Patrick Ryan		
1T	Zara Booy	Mason Paul		
2D	Olivis Waetford	Zoe Worrall		
2M	Shanice Moyo	Ruby Hicks		
ЗНВ	Chloe Cullen	Hudson McGlynn		
3P	Chloe Cullen Hudson McGlynn Penelope Selleck Hamish Wilson Amy Zhang Avika Bhardwaj			
4C				
40	Evie Crowley	Makayla Bruynzeel		
5H	Zawadi Ngugi	Morife Adeyemi		
50	Sienna Lavery	Penelope Topham		
6 S	Lachlan Reilly and Jaime Sulianto	Nate Hefron		
6P	Cooper O'Neil and Samantha Purves	Yashika Sharma		



MERIT AWARDS

Term Three, Week Nine, Award Winners.

Class	Principal's Award	Teacher's Award		
	'Acceptance'	'Writing'		
PPT	Sophie Davies	Maia Nangoyi		
РРК	James <u>Dagoyo</u> and Jack Baylor	Harvey Hicks		
1B	Rosalie Beamish	Oscar Azevedo		
1T	Isla McGlynn	Toby Shanks		
2D	Macy Booy	Isabel Deane		
2M	Ruby Hicks and Avethandwa Dzanibe	Delilah Ferguson		
ЗНВ	Angus Fowler	<u>Surkhaab</u> Sandhu		
3P	Scarlett Gooch	Senuli <u>Sirinama</u>		
4C	Skylar Andrzejeski	Beau Simpson and Andrew Zhang		
40	Zara Rowsell	Éabha Roche		
5H	Iqbaal Singh	-		
50	Seth Moller	Aleaya McKenzie		
6S	Jeswin Jis	Dane Norrish, Kunashe Mangoma and Jaime Sulianto		
6P	Nikolai Myburgh	Sophie Tonkin and Sawyer Von Paleske		

TERM FOUR PLANNER 2025

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A reminder to please ensure all clothing items are labelled. Order labels by scanning the QR Code.

Uniform Labels. Please label your uniforms

















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To Valued Members of the Our School Community

As we approach a significant milestone in our school's history, we are filled with immense pride and gratitude. St. Mary's School is celebrating its 125th anniversary this year, a testament to our enduring commitment to education, community, and excellence.

Telephone: (08) 9092 0900

To commemorate this special occasion, we are planning a series of events and activities that will honour our rich heritage and celebrate our future. These celebrations will not only bring together current students, staff, and alumni but also serve as a beacon of our school's legacy and values. However, to make this celebration truly memorable, we need your support. We are reaching out to our very supportive community members to ask for donations that will help fund the various events and initiatives planned for this milestone anniversary. Your generous contributions will go towards:

- Organising a memorable day with refreshments and activities
- Enhancing our school's facilities by painting and refreshing historical areas
- Beautifying our grounds
- Collecting, restoring and displaying our story and photos.

Every donation, no matter the size, will make a significant impact and help us ensure that this celebration reflects the spirit and tradition of St. Mary's School. We are grateful for any support you can provide and thank you in advance for your generosity. Major sponsors will be acknowledged. If you wish to donate, our bank details are below:

St Marys Primary

BSB: 086006

ACCOUNT NO: 813947197

Reference: Your Surname125 – (e.g. SMITH125)

Thank you for being a part of the St. Mary's School community and for your continued support. Together, we can make our 125th anniversary a truly unforgettable celebration.

Warm regards,

Mrs Sue Covle

Assistant Principal

and the St. Mary's School's 125th Anniversary Committee

PARISH NEWS

COMMUNITY MASS 2025



Southern Cross Sunday 26th October 2025

Boulder Sunday 2nd November (closest to Feast of All Hallows').

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MUSIC PROGRAM 2024





GUITAR, UKULELE and KEYBOARD INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC 2024

ST MARY'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

Hi there! My name is Lindsay Ginn and I've been presenting music classes for Guitar, Ukulele and Keyboard for the last five years at St Mary's. It has been proven scientifically that learning to play a musical instrument has huge benefits to students. In fact, when someone plays, studies have shown that every area of the brain is working. It's as though fireworks are going off inside your head! I began learning to play at the age of seven when my parents decided to take a chance on me. They scrounged up enough money to buy an electronic organ and pay for some lessons, hoping that I might do well at it. I'm so glad they did take that chance because I have never stopped playing since that day. I know personally that music does make a major difference in someones life because it did so in mine.

If you would like your son or daughter to begin I'd be honoured to start them on that journey. The cost of each lesson is \$25, which I invoice during the term. I only charge for eight lessons each term, due to other activities that may pop up from time to time.

I'm more than happy to assist you and make recommendations if you don't have an instrument as yet and need guidance - Just let me know. Could you please email or text through the following inforation to me if you would like to start lessons this year. My contact details are:

email: ginn1@icloud.com mobile phone: 0437541280

Lindsay.

- 1. Your Name
- 2. Your email or contact number
- Your childs name
- 4. Year Level and Class Number
- The instrument they would like to learn: GUITAR, UKULELE or KEYBOARD
- If they have previous experience, please let me know approximately how much



VacSwim

Give your child the skills they need around water.

Enrol them in school holiday swimming lessons.

Spots are limited, enrol now to secure your place. education.wa.edu.au/vacswim



Enrolment information is available in multiple languages on our website.

VacSwim

From beginners to strong swimmers, we have a program to suit your child's needs.

October program Wed 1 Oct to Fri 10 Oct 2025

Number of days: 8 days Duration: 45 minutes Enrolments close: Tue 26 Aug 2025

October

Short program Mon 6 Oct to Fri 10 Oct 2025

Number of days: 5 days Duration: 35 minutes Enrolments close: Wed 26 Aug 2025

Country early start program 1 Fri 19 Dec to Tue 23 Dec 2025

Number of days: 5 days Duration: 50 minutes Enrolments close: Wed 15 Oct 2025 January program 1 Tue 6 Jan to Fri 16 Jan 2026

Number of days: 9 days Duration: 40 minutes Enrolments close: Wed 15 Oct 2025

January

Short program Mon 12 Jan to Fri 16 Jan 2026

Number of days: 5 days Duration: 35 minutes Enrolments close: Wed 15 Oct 2025

January program 2 Mon 19 Jan to Thu 29 Jan 2026

No lesson 26 Jan 2026 Number of days: 8 days Duration: 45 minutes Enrolments close: Wed 15 Oct 2025

Find a location near you and enrol. education.wa.edu.au/vacswim

includes 3 or more children from the same addi-Prices do not include pool entry fees. One daily Prices do not include pool entry fees. One daily is limited to enrol in one October program and one summer program only information on the website is available in languages other than English. If you require on includes the than English is used to such as the programment form; contact used the School on 940.2 F412.



COMMUNITY







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Do you have a child/ren that requires to travel away from Kalgoorlie for medical treatment?

Did you know if you need to travel away from Kalgoorlie for any medical treatment that is not available locally for your child/ren {18 and under} that the below organisations could assist you and your family. Please scan the below codes to access information.

PATIENT ASSISTED TRAVEL



ROTARY CLUB OF BOULDER



GOLDFIELDS CHILDREN CHARITY







SCAN ME

SCAN THE ABOVE CODES FOR HELPFUL INFORMATION AND POSSIBLE **FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE**

Kalgoorlie PATS Office - 9080 5681 Rotary Club of Boulder - Rob Thompson- 0419 518 142 Goldfields Children Charity- Jess- 0437 413 911









Play.Cricket.com.au and search 'Eastern Goldfields Cricket Association'









nore information and to register today, scan the QR code below or head to

Parenting your child with ADHD A Free 3-Session Parent Training Course led by

ADHD Parent Coach Susan Hughes.

An evidence based & interactive training course designed & developed for parents & carers raising school aged children with ADHD.

Do you need help to...

- · Stop the fighting in the mornings?
- Stop the feelings of guilt you have for losing your temper?
- Know what will work to support your ADHD child?
- Know the difference between negative behaviour and ADHD?
- Take back control of your emotions?
 - Be able to advocate with confidence in school?

FIRST SESSION HELD IN PERSON, THEN ONLINE S1: Sat 25 Oct, 9.30am - 2.30pm | Lotteries House, Kalgoorlie S2 & S3: Sat 1 & 8 Nov, 9.30am - 12pm | Online Zoom Link T: 90 681 821 | E: GoldfieldsEsperance.PCWA@anglicarewa.org.au

Book online: https://bit.ly/4manC2G







COMMUNITY



INFORMATION SESSION





THURSDAY 30TH OCTOBER

6:30 -7:30PM



East Kalgoorlie Primary School

TOPICS COVERED:

- · What is ADHD
- · Characteristics of ADHD
- · Strategies to support your child

INVESTMENT:

\$25 per parent

SPEAKER:



ELIZA DADSON

ADHD COACH, SPEAKER AND EDUCATOR









www.adhdwithme.com.au







St Mary's Primary School has a Code of Conduct that applies to all members of our School Community and all visitors to our school. It is important that all members of our school community abide by our Code of Conduct and while we do not always agree, we resolve our differences appropriately in a respectful manner.

Elizabeth Browner **Principal**

1. You act safely and competently.

2. You give priority to students' safety and well-being in all your behaviour and decision making.

3. You act in accordance with the values of the Gospel

as defined in the Code of Ethical Conduct.

4. You conduct yourself in accordance with laws, agreements, policies and standards relevant to your relationship with the school community.

5. You respect the dignity, culture, values and beliefs of

each member of the school community.

6. You treat personal information about members of the school community as private and confidential.

7. You give impartial, honest and accurate information about the education, safety and well-being of students.

8. You support all members of the school community in

making informed decisions about students.

9. You promote and preserve the trust and privilege inherent in your relationship with all members of the school community.

10. You maintain and build on the community's trust and

confidence in Catholic schools and the Church.

11. You act reflectively and ethically.

12. You allow students to have a voice in their education, safety and well-being.