



NEWSLETTER

St Michael's Catholic Primary School
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Vision Statement

St Michael's Catholic Primary School is a welcoming community, embracing the Gospel values of faith, hope and love. We provide a Catholic education that nurtures the development of all children to their full potential. Through Christian witness, we offer a safe and supportive learning environment for the families in our school community.

We would like to acknowledge the Aboriginal people and their ancestors who are the Traditional Owners of this land. May we and all Australian's, Aboriginal and Non Aboriginal, continue to be committed to the ongoing journey of Reconciliation.



Dear Parents, Staff and Students,

Our students will be attending the Ash Wednesday Mass, commencing at 11am.

Ash Wednesday is the beginning of Lent that leads into Holy Week and Easter Sunday.

On Tuesday our wonderful P&F have organized pancakes to celebrate Shrove Tuesday (the day before Ash Wednesday). There will be gluten free pancakes available. Thank you P&F.

We are looking forward to the Welcome barbecue this evening commencing at 5.30pm. We hope all our new families have settled in well and feel they are a valued part of our school community.

God Bless,
Phillip Rossiter

"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future."

-Jeremiah 29:11



Parish Priest: Fr Jess

Ph: 9729 1699

PO Box 33, Harvey WA 6220

Website: harveycatholicparish.org

Sunday Mass Times

1st, 3rd & 5th Sunday of the Month
10.30am- Mini worship during term time.

2nd and 4th Sunday of the Month
8.30am

Term Dates 2020

Term 1 - 3 February- Thursday 9 April

Term 2- 29 April - Friday 3 July

Term 3- 21 July - 25 September

Term 4- 13 October - 17 December

Important School Notices

From the Library...

Hello Everyone

I hope you all had an enjoyable holiday.

Once again I am looking for kind volunteers to cover our student's precious books. You will find them on the back bench in the library. Thank you very much in advance, your help is very much appreciated.

-Mrs Mac (Library)

Bus reminder...

If your child is new to catching the bus, has had a change of bus days or is no longer catching the school bus, please contact Julie Walton at the front reception on 9726 1317 with all the details as soon as possible.

If your child is no longer catching the school bus please notify the bus department as soon as possible to free up a seat for another child.

Appointments with Teachers...

Please be advised should parents wish to meet with their child's teacher, to please make an appointment either through their student's diary or through contacting the school on 9726 1317.

Uniforms

If your child is not wearing correct school uniform on any given day, please provide a note stating the reason.

Responsible Use Agreements

Each student from Year 1-6 is required to complete a Responsible Use Agreement form in order to use technologies within the school. These forms will be sent home with your children today (unless your child is a new enrolment at St Michael's this year in which case these were already sent out in your enrolment pack). Please read this with your child/ren to ensure they understand their responsibilities.

These forms need to be returned to school by Friday the 28th of February 2020.

School Fees

School Fees will be sent out next week. Payment of accounts can be made by cash, cheque or direct debit.

If you wish to set up a Direct Debit payment or if you previously had a direct debit and would like to activate it please contact Julie to arrange.

For Direct Debit: Bank National

BSB 086006

Account 398624605

Reference: Student/Parent Surname

Skoolbag App & Newsletter

We request that parents access the School's Newsletter either directly from our website

<http://stmichbruns.wa.edu.au>, via email or through the School Bag App. If this is not possible please request a hard copy from the front office. Please make sure we have your correct details on file.

Toilets

Parents wishing to use the school toilets are asked to use the facilities opposite the Year 1/2 classroom.



Allergy Awareness

A number of our students are allergic to certain food products that have traces of nuts. We would remind parents to be allergy aware when they are making cakes or food that is being shared by students in your child's class. When making school lunches or morning recess please avoid any foods or bars that include nuts. Thank you.

School Diaries

School Diaries were given out to students at the start of the term at a cost of \$8.00 which will be added to your school fee statement.

Health Care Cards

Families who have a Health Care Card or PPS card are required to present their card at the office and complete a form in order to qualify for a discount in tuition fees. Families who were included in the HCC Tuition Fee Discount Scheme last year must present their latest card at the front office in order to avail of the scheme again this year.

Absentees

Parents/Caregivers must contact the school by phone if their child is absent and a written note must be provided to the class teacher upon the students return to school. These notes are filed and are a legal requirement. They must contain students name, date of absence, reason for absence and a parent/guardian signature.

Other People Collecting Children

Should you wish your child to go home with another parent/person, please present to the class teacher a written note with date and details as we cannot allow a child to go home with someone else without parental/guardian permission.

Uniform Emblem

The School Board has purchased the school logo as an iron-on transfer and over the coming weeks we will be ironing the logos onto the girls summer dresses and boys blue shirts.

A schedule of Parent Volunteers will be sent out with students closer to the dates. Any help would be hugely appreciated.

Dates to Remember

February

Thu 20 Feb	Welcome BBQ 5.30pm
Mon 24 Feb	Kindy/Pre Primary Fire Station visit
Tues 25 Feb	Pancakes for Shrove Tuesday
Wed 26 Feb	Ash Wednesday Mass 11am
Fri 28 Feb	Year 5/6 Excursion to Camp Mornington

March

Sun 1 Mar	Parish Council Meeting
Mon 2 Mar	Labour Day Holiday
Mon 9 Mar	School Board Meeting in Library at 6.30pm
Tues 10 Mar	Board Induction at Leschenault CC at 6.30pm
Fri 13 Mar	School Mass 9am
Sun 15 Mar	Staff Commissioning Mass 10.30am
Fri 20 Mar	Harmony Day 12.30pm
Wed 25 Mar	Athletics - Jumps & Throws
Fri 27 Mar	School Sports Day

April

Mon 6 & Tues 7 Apr	Parent Teacher Meetings
Thu 9 Apr	Holy Thursday - Students/Staff Finish



ST Michael's School Tuckshop

Recess

Cheesie	\$1.00
Hash Brown	\$1.00
Baker's Treat	\$1.00

Lunch

Pizza (ham and pineapple)	\$3.00
Chicken Nuggets	\$0.60ea
Sausage Roll	\$3.00
Hot Chicken Roll	\$4.00
Hot Dog (with sauce)	\$3.00
Puppy dog (with sauce)	\$2.00
Lasagne	\$4.50
G/F Chicken strips	\$2.00ea
Toastie ham/cheese/tom	\$3.50
Tomato Sauce portion	\$0.50ea



Salads

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WRAP (Lettuce, carrot, cucumber,

Ham/Salad	\$3.50	\$3.80
Chicken/salad	\$4.50	\$4.80
Salad box	\$3.00	
Cheese	\$0.30	
Mayo	\$0.50	

Drinks

Flavoured milk	chocolate/strawberry	\$2.00ea
Juice Box	Apple/tropical/orange	\$1.50ea

After Lunch treats

Milkshakes	\$2.00ea
Vanilla ice cream bucket	\$2.00ea
Icy pole (lifesaver/lemonade)	\$2.00ea

**Canteen Open
every Monday!**