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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.



### 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 2nd and 4th Sunday of the Month 8.30am

### Loving Creator,

We asked for strength, and you gave us difficulties to make us strong.

We asked for wisdom, and you gave us problems to solve.

We asked for prosperity, and you gave us purpose and brains to use.

We asked for courage, and you gave us fears to overcome.

We asked for patience, and you gave us situations where we were forced to wait.

We asked for love, and you gave us troubled people to help.

We asked for justice, and you called us to be just and lead with integrity.

Lord, we have received nothing that we asked for or wanted.

And yet, we receive everything that we needed.

For this we give thanks.

- By Colleen Hanycz, PhD incoming President at Xavier University

### Dear Parents, Staff and Students

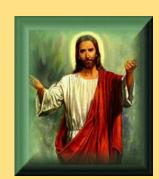
We are all looking forward to the Brunswick Show this weekend as the weather promises to be a lot milder than the last few days. Congratulations to all our students who have entered the various competitions and exhibits in baking, craft and art work. It was great seeing all the wonderful work celebrating the focus for the Brunswick Show—Rural Transport. We would remind our parents to visit the St Michael's School's display in the main pavilion.

Our hard working P & F will be on clean up duties for the Brunswick Show. Special thanks to the parents who have volunteered to help.

Our students are looking forward to the school Disco next Thursday evening (5:30-7:30) The five dollar entry fee includes pizza for dinner, a drink and a glo-stick. Thank you P & F.

God bless, Phillip Rossiter

## Making Jesus Real Award



Awarded To:

Ava Rossiter
For displaying the Spirit of Jesus in our school by:

For helping pack away kindy/preprimary fruit at morning tea time

### Awards Week 10

Yr 5/6 Leah Denham

Lap Legends: 1st Dylan Gaff 2nd Ryder Rossiter 3rd Kaley Gellweiler

### Dates to Remember

Thurs 28 Oct Disco

Mon 1 Nov School Advisory Meeting 6:30pm
Thurs 4 Nov Interschool Athletics Carnival

Fri 5 Nov Yr 1/2 Assembly

Tues 9 Nov Yr 6 Orientation—OLMC

Wed 10-Fri 12 Npv Yr 6 Camp

Mon 15 Nov Camp Quality Cancer incursion.

Fri 19 Nov Yr 3/4 Class Mass
Mon 22 Nov-Fri 3 Dec Swimming Lessons
Friday 26 Nov Leonardo Day
Thurs 9 Dec Presentation Night
Fri 10 Dec Last Day for Students

Term Dates 2021

Term 4 - 12 October - 10 December

Dried Flower Arrangement Workshop

amazing local floral artist Jean Shine will be teaching a small group of 20 people how to create their very own dried floral masterpiece.

Tickets are \$60 which includes all materials and nibbles. BYO drinks.

For more information please contact Tegan - 0420902624 3 Tickets left!





Enrolments are now open for VacSwim swimming lessons during the summer school holidays. VacSwim offers fun lessons at beach or pool locations. They are a great school holiday activity and they teach valuable safety skills to help keep your child safe in the water.

Enrol at education.wa.edu.au/vacswim

# **TERM 4 CALENDAR**

### **OCTOBER**

| Sun | Mon | Tues                | Wed       | Thur               | Fri | Sat                  |
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|     |     |                     | 10        |                    | 1-  |                      |
| 10  | 11  | 12<br>TERM 4 BEGINS | 13        | 14                 | 15  | 16                   |
| 17  | 18  | 19                  | 20        | 21                 | 22  | 23<br>Brunswick Shoe |
| 24  | 25  | 26                  | 27        | 28<br>School Disco | 29  | 30                   |
| 31  |     |                     |           |                    |     |                      |

### **NOVEMBER**

| Mon                                       | Tues   | Wed  | Thur   | Fri   | Sat   |
|---|--|--|--|---|---|
| 1<br>School Advisory<br>Meeting 6:30pm    | 2  | 3  | 4<br>Inter-school<br>athletics   | 5<br>Yr 1/2 Assembly  | 6   |
| 8   | 9<br>Orientation Yr 6<br>OLMC                            | 10   | 11<br>Year 6 Camp  | 12  | 13  |
| 15<br>Camp Quality Can-<br>cer incursion. | 16   | 17   | 18   | 19<br>Yr 3/4 Class Mass   | 20  |
| 22  | 23<br>SWIM   | 24<br>MING   | 25   | 26<br>Leonardo Day  | 27<br>Brunswick Fair  |
| 29<br>SWIM                                | 30<br>MING   |  |  |   |   |
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### **DECEMBER**

| Sun | Mon | Tues             | Wed      | Thur                 | Fri                         | Sat |
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|     |     |                  | 1        | 2<br>SWIMM           | 3<br>MING                   | 4   |
| 5   | 6   | 7                | 8        | 9<br>Presentation 1  | 10<br>Might Students Finish | 11  |
| 12  | 13  | 14<br><b>S</b> ( | CHOOL HO | LIDAYS               | 17                          | 18  |
| 19  | 20  | 21               | CHOOL HO | LID <mark>AYS</mark> | 24                          | 25  |
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# <u>CALLING ALL VOLUNTEERS FOR THE BRUNSWICK SHOW – 23<sup>RD</sup> OCTOBER</u> <u>2021</u>

Your P&F has been given a once in a lifetime opportunity to earn \$4,000 by volunteering at the Brunswick Show on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> October and for 3 hours on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> to help with some general tidy up. This money will go directly to the children to decide what it is spent on (within reason, I don't think we can afford a unicorn). We need some super people to volunteer for the following positions:

### **Garbologists**

This will involve cruising around on a quad bike towing a trailer and emptying the rubbish bins and replacing the bin liners. It would be great to have three people at any one time doing shifts of a couple of hours at a time. Stylish high vis vests will be provided, but you'll need to bring a hat, gloves and drinking water. It might not be glamorous, but riding a quad bike is pretty cool.

#### **Scatologist**

Scatology is a bit less cool than being a garbologist on a quad bike, but if you love cattle, this is the position for you! One person is required at any one time to keep an eye on the cattle stalls and to periodically remove the poo from the pens. A top of the range, carbon fibre shovel and ergonomic wheelbarrow with dual suspension will be provided. Again, BYO hat, gloves and water. Definitely not glamorous but you'll probably get a high vis vest.

#### **Botanists**

Mrs Judy Talbot needs some helpers at 5pm to meet her at the main pavilion to empty out the bottles of water that the flowers have been displayed in. This will only take an hour and could be a good job for some of our older students perhaps? Or your kids could give you a hand? No high vis or fancy equipment needed for this job.

#### **Sunday Clean Up**

The Ag Society would really appreciate a few extra hands from around 9am to 12pm the next day (Sunday 24<sup>th</sup>) to help with a final clean up. Depending on how many people can make it, it might only take a couple of hours.

#### Super keen to help out?

Please complete the following timetable by inserting your name under the position/s you are applying for and the times you are available. You can apply for multiple positions and will be notified of which positions/timeslots you are rostered onto closer to the date. Return your form:

In Person – give to Julie at front office to put in the P&F tray or hand directly to one of the P&F Committee (Kylie West, Angela Verberg, Lisa Gaff, Rebecca McLean). Or get your kids to leave with their lovely teacher.

Text – Send Kylie a message on 0432948859

Email – to <a href="mailto:kyliewest@yahoo.com">kyliewest@yahoo.com</a>

For further information, contact Kylie West on 0432 948 859 or <a href="mailto:kyliewest@yahoo.com">kyliewest@yahoo.com</a>. Your P&F greatly appreciates your support and looks forward to seeing you all there!

RSVP: By Wednesday 20th October.

|               | Garbologist #1 | Garbologist #2 | Garbologist #3 | Scatologist | Botanist | Sunday Clean<br>Up |
|---------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-------------|----------|--------------------|
| 9.00 - 9.30   |                |                |                |             |          |                    |
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| 4.30 – 5.00   |                |                |                |             |          |                    |
| 5.00 – 5.30   |                |                |                |             |          |                    |
| 5.30 - 6.00   |                |                |                |             |          |                    |
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