

NEWSLETTER

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Week 4

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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

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PO Box 33, Harvey WA 6220
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Sunday Mass Times

1st, 3rd & 5th Sunday of the Month **10.30am**
2nd and 4th Sunday of the Month **8.30am**

On Tuesday, as well as being Melbourne Cup Day, it was All Souls' Day.
On this day we remember and pray for all those who have died.

Jesus,
on this day,
we prayerfully remember all our loved ones
who have died.
May they be at peace,
resting in God's love eternally.
Thank you for our beautiful memories
of time shared and lessons learnt.
We ask you please, through their intercession,
to deepen our faith,
strengthen our hope
and increase our love.
We know that one day,
by your grace,
we will be reunited again.

Amen



Dear Parents, Staff and Students

Our students (Yrs 1-6) are looking forward to the Inter-School Athletics Carnival today to be held at Our Lady of Lourdes, Dardanup. We wish all our students well and know they will represent St Michael's with pride. Special thanks to Mr Henderson for all the training and preparation.

Our year six class who are attending Our Lady of Mercy College in 2022 will be participating in an orientation day on Tuesday the 9th of November. We hope they enjoy their day as they move towards the exciting prospect of secondary school.

The year six class will be attending camp next week (10-12 Nov). The camp, at Fairbridge Farm (Pinjarra) will be a lot of fun and will provide great memories for the year six class. Special thanks to Mrs Henderson for all the hard work in preparing for camp.

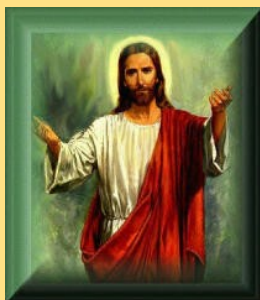
Our Lady of Mercy College has informed St Michael's that one of our former students Eithan Nankerville, has been elected as the College Captain. Congratulations Eithan.

God bless,
Phillip Rossiter

Making Jesus Real Award

Awarded To:

Jayda Gaff



For displaying the Spirit of Jesus in our school by:

Being so proud of the Choir for winning their trophy. Jayda recognises others' gifts and praises them for their skills

Awarded To:

Kaley Gellweiller

For displaying the Spirit of Jesus in our school by:

Helping set up K/PP play.

Awards Week 3

K/PP-Lilly Stevenson

Yr 1/2—Ruby Brook, Roshann Pillay

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 Nov	Yr 6 Camp
Mon 15 Nov	Camp Quality Cancer incursion.
Fri 19 Nov	Yr 3/4 Class Mass
	Kindy Parent Meeting 9.30am Library
Mon 22 Nov-Fri 3 Dec	Swimming Lessons
Friday 26 Nov	Leonardo Day
	Kindy Orientation 9am-10.30am
Thurs 9 Dec	Presentation Night
Fri 10 Dec	Last Day for Students

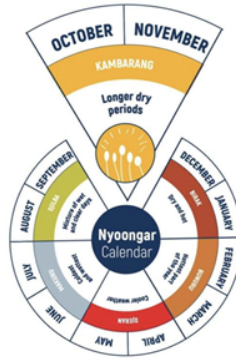
Term Dates 2021

Term 4 - 12 October - 10 December

Season change - Kambarang (October – November)

The Noongar season 'Kambarang' is represented by the colour yellow as it symbolises the return of the hot weather. During Kambarang season, we see an abundance of colours and flowers exploding all around us.

The warming days and dryer conditions will see our beautiful wildflowers continuing to bloom, with moodjar, aka the WA Christmas Tree, soon showing us that the silly season is drawing near. Our hibernating reptiles will start to wake, and you are likely to hear more bird song than during the colder periods. Don't forget the koolbardies (magpies) will be protecting their nests and babies!



Interested in Cricket?

Master Blasters (boys and girls aged 7 to 10)

Master Blasters program is shorter than traditional cricket, with a maximum of 90 minutes playing time. All the equipment is supplied and the games take place at the same venue each week Thursday afternoon. Ideal for those players that have developed skills from the junior Blasters program but not required. Master Blasters starts on Thursday 4 November 2021 from 4.15pm

Junior Blasters

Junior Blasters is for those players that are developing skills required to play cricket. Depending on age and ability, players normally have two years in this program before progressing to Master Blasters. However if a player can bowl and bat without assistance and is aged 7 and above then they should be enrolled in Master Blasters. Junior Blasters starts on Thursday 4 November 2021 from 4.30pm.

Sign up can be completed online at www.playcricket.com.au or come down and have a go at the Harvey Recreation Ground, near the cricket nets.

Regards
Haydn Jones

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

NOVEMBER

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
	1 School Advisory Meeting 6:30pm	2	3	4 Inter-school athletics	5 Yr 1/2 Assembly	6
7	8	9 Orientation Yr 6 OLMC	10	Year 6 Camp		13
14	15 Camp Quality Cancer incursion.	16	17	18	19 Yr 3/4 Class Mass Kindy Parent Meeting 9.30am (Library)	20
21	22	23	24	25	26 Leonardo Day Kindy Orientation morning 9-10.30am	27 Brunswick Fair
28	29	30				

DECEMBER

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7 Graduation Mass	8	9 Presentation Night	10 Students Finish	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	