



NEWSLETTER

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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

A Short School Prayer

Almighty God

We give you our school.

**We give you all the teachers and staff who
work here,**

We give you all the children who study here.

**We pray our school would be place of great
discovery, adventure and creativity.**

**May it be a place where we love to learn
and where we learn to love,**

**A place where every one is respected and
all are deeply valued.**

**We ask all this through Jesus Christ our
Lord.**

Amen.

*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 Bernard Lanarolle

Ph: 9729 1699 Fax: 9729 2546

PO Box 33, Harvey WA 6220

Email: harveycatholicparish@gmail.com

Sunday Mass Times

1st, 3rd & 5th Sunday of the Month **10.30am**

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

Dear Parents, Staff and Students

Our Students PP - Yr6 enjoyed the opportunity to attend a live theatre performance of "The Beauty and The Beast", presented by Bunbury Catholic College on Friday. It was great to see a number of our past Students on stage showing all the talent they are blessed with. We congratulate and thank BCC for their kind invitation.

St Michael's will welcome on Wednesday the Director of School Improvement, Dr Tony Curry and a number of the members of Catholic Education Commission of Western Australia (CEWA), Sr Marion Beard

Mrs Helen O'Toole and Mr Paul Rafferty. Our visitors will be learning more about small rural schools in the south-west and taking the opportunity to engage with Staff and Students.

Parents and Students are reminded that next Tuesday is School Photo Day. We know all our Students will make a special effort with their uniform and personal appearance.

We will be celebrating a Feast Day Mass for our patron Saint, Saint Michael, on Thursday 13th of September at 9.00am all welcome. Our School Fete will be held on the last day of term, Friday 21st September. We are hoping for donations of cakes and items for the White Elephant Stall and remind Students about the Teddy Bear and Lego Competitions.

Our Students are preparing for our Learning Journey Night to be held on Monday 17th of September 5.30 - 7.00pm. Our Students look forward to showing parents all the great work they have been completing this term.

We thank all our Dad's, Grandads and Uncles that joined us for Fathers Day Breakfast last Friday. It was great to see so many Dad's attend.

God Bless
Phillip Rossiter

Week 7 Term 3 Awards

K/PP - Georgia, Juliet

Yr 1/2—

Yr 3/4 -

Yr 5/6—



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.

Skoolbag App

Parents are able to download Skoolbag to receive newsletter and other notifications.

Absentees

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

Thank you to parents for your cooperation in this matter.

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. We cannot allow a child to go home with someone else without parent permission.

School Bus

If your child is no longer catching the school bus or there has been changes can you please contact Julie Walton with the details. If your child is not catching the bus on specific days please ring the school so the amendments can be made on the bus roster. If your child is new to catching the bus please inform the school.

RCIA (Right of Christian Invitation of Adults)

Any parents or interested adults who are interested in becoming Catholics are asked to contact Father Bernard on 97291699.

SCHOOL PHOTOS INFORMATION

Our School Photos will be taken on **Tuesday 11th of September 2018**, Class Photos/Portraits:.

Every Student will have their photo taken, whether they are purchasing photos or not, for the school's pictorial history.

The school has chosen to use the online ordering system. Your child will be given an online ordering instruction slip and a unique student code for you to follow and place your order online via the internet. You will be able to order as soon as you receive your unique code, you do not have to wait until photo day to place your order.

The expiry date for online ordering is the 17.09.2018. Any orders received after this date are treated as re orders and will incur a \$30.00 reorder charge on top of your order you wish to purchase.

You can email your order request through to reorders.perth@msp.com.au or call our office on 08 9240 8000 .

Family Photos: Envelopes can be obtained from Administration.

Family photos are being taken before school. Please ensure that your family envelope with enclosed payment is handed to the Photographers on photo day.

Please note: The Photographers are not permitted to open the envelopes and cannot provide change.

Family photos can not be ordered online at this stage.

Special/Sports Group Photos: If your child is in a Special/Sports photo you will receive a link and password to the online gallery after photo day, where you can view and order these photos if required. These photos will be packed and delivered with the school's bulk order.

Please Note: Class Groups, Individuals and Family Photos are not available to view online

Mini Shop Toys

The Year 1/2 and K/PP class would love your donations of any extra Coles mini shop toys. If you have any spare or would like to donate to our classes it would be much appreciated as we would love to use them in our maths for patterns, counting and money concepts. Many thanks.

Book Fair

Special thanks to Mrs Ferris and Staff who helped to make our Book Fair Week a great success. Book and Bickie Night, Dress Up Day and Book Sales all went well. Thank you everyone for supporting our school.



FATHERS DAY 2018





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Book Week



2018



Fr Bernard

Fr Bernard announced over the weekend that he will be leaving the Harvey/Brunswick Parish in October. Fr Bernard has been our Parish Priest for 10 years and is due to be allocated another Parish. He will be working up north for FMG as a chaplain and returning to Perth (2019). His brother and his children have moved to Perth and Fr Bernard wishes to remain close to the only family he has in Australia. We will have an opportunity to more formally thank and farewell Fr Bernard early in Term four. Fr Wally will be filling in until a new Priest is appointed in December/January.

God Bless
Phillip Rossiter

Leschenault Cricket Club Inc.

Online registrations will be opening soon for the 2018-19 Cricket Season. We offer Junior Blasters, Master Blasters and regular Junior Cricket up to Year 11/12 for boys and girls.

Please log onto: playcricket.com.au or leschenaultcricketclub.com for all of the information.

The season will commence at the beginning of Term 4. We are a Kidsport Club. All fees need to be paid at the time of registration.

Phone: 0428 990 573 if unable to complete online registration.

Regards
Susan Newman
LCC

Dates to Remember

Friday 7 September	Yr 5/6 Assembly
Monday 10 September	Board Meeting 6.30pm
Tuesday 11 September	School Photos
Thursday 13 September	Yr 3/4 School Mass— St Michael's Feast Day
Friday 14 September	Sports Carnival
Monday 17 September	Learning Journal Night 5.30-7pm & Sausage Sizzle
Friday 21 September	End of Term – School Fete 1.30pm
Monday 8 October	Staff Professional Development Day, Pupil Free Day
Tuesday 9 October	Students commence
Sunday 21 October	Confirmation 10.30am
Sunday 25 November	First Eucharist
Tuesday 4 Dec	Graduation Mass
Thursday 6 Dec	Presentation Night
Friday 7 Dec	Students finish



St Michael's School Sports

Jumps and Throws

Wednesday 12th September

Venue - St Michael's School

9.15 -11.00 Yr 3/4

11.20 -1.00 Yr 1/2

1.40 -3.00 Yr 5/6

School Sport Day

Venue -Brunswick Recreational Grounds

9.15 start Track Events

1.00 -finish

Interschool Sports Carnival

Friday 2nd November

Venue -Bunbury Athletics Track, Hay Park.

Start times to be confirmed at a later date.

Parent Helpers Required on both days

Please contact Mr Sam Henderson -9726 1317

Could any Parents who intend to take their children
directly to or from these events please confirm
with a classroom Teacher.

Dear Parents,

We are very pleased to have parents already register for our MYSCHOOLCONNECT app and also already place orders for both the canteen and the uniform shop.

Here are a few FAQ about the new app and process:

How can I download the app?

Simply go to your app store and search - myschoolconnect

How do I pay for my order?

You will have the option to pay with an online wallet (deposit money into your MySchool Connect wallet) or you can also pay via PayPal or credit card.

Do I need to send in a paper bag?

No, paper bags are supplied by the canteen for online orders.

Are there any fees?

Myschool Connect have a 33cent fee per order.

Online Wallet - there is no extra charge to pay with money deposited into your online wallet.

Credit Card - 1.9%

PayPal - 2.9%

Why is there a 33cent charge?

This particular app was free for us to set up. With the only charge being the 33cents per order taken by myschoolconnect. With a small school and our canteen and uniform shop 1 day per week. This option made more sense.

Can I still order with cash?

Yes, the traditional way of ordering for canteen is also still available.

Can we order lunch online and still give children cash for recess and second lunch bell?

Absolutely. You can also order your recess and after lunch snacks. Both options are available.

What time can I place my order?

Ordering for canteen is open for each Monday all week. The cut off time is 9am on the MONDAY for that ordering day.

Uniform sizes

Uniform sizes will be available soon. Until then please write your child's sizes into the comments section on your order.

The option to order online or through the app is just another option for parents to purchase canteen, dinner meals and uniforms. Please note that the option to order with cash will always be available.

If you have any questions at all please contact Tegan Italiano - tegan.italiano@gmail.com

Kind Regards

Your P&F

Brunswick Tennis Club Inc.

Brunswick Junior Tennis is starting again soon!!

Registration day is September 18th at 3.30pm
at the Brunswick Clubhouse

There will also be a short busy bee to get ready for the season
with fish and chips for dinner for those willing helpers

First Day of Tennis: Tuesday 16th October

\$70 per child for the season (Term 4 2018 & Term 1 2019)
\$160 for a Family with three children or more

Tennis is every Tuesday
3.30pm-4.00pm: Sub-Juniors (Year 1 to Year 2)
4.00pm-4.45pm: Sub-juniors (Year 3 and 4)
4.45-6pm: Juniors (Year 5 to year 12)

6.15pm onwards: ADULT SOCIAL TENNIS

Call Julianne Hill 0447261607 (julianne.hill@hotmail.com) or
Cindy Power 0488 263888 for a registration form or more details

BRUNSWICK TENNIS CLUB IS A KIDSPORT CLUB



Feast Day Teddy Bear Competition



Bring your favourite Teddy into school and enter them into the great Teddy Bear Competition. It costs a coin donation to enter but be in the draw for some great prizes. There will be 1st, 2nd and 3rd prize. Dress your teddy up and let them have a day with other special teddies. Bring your teddy to the Year 1/2 class the morning of the Feast Day.



Who Wants to be a Mathematician ???

Week 8 Term 3 Problem

Solve the problem below

Make sure you show your working out and place your answer in the Ultimate Mathematician Box

Remember to submit your answers each week to become the TERM 3 ULTIMATE

MATHEMATICIAN

Upper Primary Challenge

Keith earns \$12.50 an hour washing cars. If he works from 8:00am to 1:00pm, how much money will he make ?

Lower Primary Challenge

Sara bought three dozen eggs from the grocery store to bake some cakes. She plans to bake the cakes over six days. How many eggs did Sara buy ?

TERM 3 WEEK 7 WEEKLY MATHLETES

Congratulations to

Jorja, Angus, Preston, Leah, Thomas C-T, Stephanie, Molly,
Samuel and Luke S