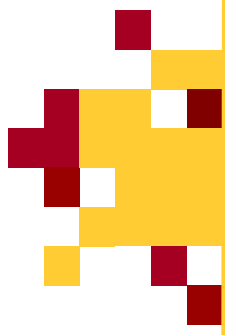


# NEWSLETTER



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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

Dear God,  
Help me spend today   
with a *Smile* on my face,

Love in my heart, 

Joy in His grace, 

and my *thinking cap* on all day.

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**

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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**

Dear Parents, Staff and Students

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.

St Michael's welcomed four members of the Catholic Education Commission of WA (CEWA) on Wednesday. Our visitors, Dr Tony Curry, Mrs Helen O'Toole, Paul Rafferty and Sr Marion Beard all enjoyed the opportunity to meet Students and Staff. We would like to especially thank, Lisa Tirli, for a wonderful afternoon tea that our visitors thought was so amazing they took photos to send back to their Staff.

We are hoping the weather is kind for our jumps and throws on Wednesday and our running events on Friday. We may need to locate a suitably dry area for the running on Friday. This may mean that we use a different area of the Brunswick Recreational Grounds. Please be aware of this if attending on Friday.

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 would like to thank Steve and Amanda Carbone (Carbone Bros) for their generosity in supplying the yellow sand for the long jump pits.

God Bless  
Phillip Rossiter

### **Chicken Pox**

A child has been diagnosed with Chicken Pox (Varicella). Please take note of any of the following symptoms. Fever, fatigue, and a generalised rash characterised by small vesicles (blisters) that rupture to form crusts. If your child is showing any of these symptoms please contact your doctor.

### **St Michael's School Fete!**

The 3/4 Class will be running a Cake Stall this year. We are asking for all St Michael's families to please donate a tasty treat for the St Michael's School Fete. Remember to come by and see what tasty morsels you can treat yourselves to for afternoon tea.

Please visit our other stalls:

Photo Booth - dress up with some cool props and take a snap! All photos will be available for collection next term (20c per photo or 3 for 50c)!

Lego Construction - Enter your Lego construction for a gold coin entry and vote for the best one (10c a vote or 20c for 3). Prizes will be awarded for 3rd, 2nd and 1st.

Wet The Teacher - Wet the Teacher is back this year! 20c a throw or 50c for 3 throws.

### **Head Lice**

Due to a case of head lice, we request that parents check their children's hair. Should a child have head lice, we ask that parents treat their children's hair and continue treatment until all eggs and hatchlings have been removed, usually over the following ten days. **The child may only return to school once all live head lice have been removed.**

If your child has contracted head lice, do not be alarmed, it is easily treated. Head lice reproduce by laying their eggs (nits) on the hair shaft close to the scalp. They are not dangerous, don't carry diseases and are NOT a sign of poor hygiene.

Also, any articles which may harbor lice such as clothes, towels and bed linen should be washed in hot water and detergent. Combs and brushes should also be washed in hot soapy water.

Thank you for your support in this matter.

### **Week 8 – Term 3 Awards**

K/PP - Georgia, Juliet

Yr 1/2– Grace

Yr 3/4 - Luke, Lucas



### **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.

### **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.

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](http://playcricket.com.au) or [leschenaultcricketclub.com](http://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**

Tuesday 11 September	School Photos
Wednesday 12 September	Jumps & Throws 9am
Thursday 13 September	Yr 3/4 School Mass— St Michael's Feast Day
Friday 14 September	Sports Carnival
Monday 17 September	Learning Journey 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

9.15am start Track Events

1.00pm -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](mailto:tegan.italiano@gmail.com)

Kind Regards

Your P&F

Brunswick Tennis Club Inc.

## **Brunswick Junior Tennis is starting again soon!!**

Registration day is September 18<sup>th</sup> 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](mailto: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 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> 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 ???**

## **Last Problem for the Term!**

**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**

6 was multiplied by a particular number. This product was then added to 9, then divided by 3. The resulting number was 17. What was the initial (beginning) number?

### **Lower Primary Challenge**

John made 3 different stacks of wooden blocks. The first stack was 4 blocks high, the second stack was 8 blocks higher than the first, and the final stack was 4 blocks higher than the second. In total, how many blocks did John use for all 3 stacks?

## **TERM 3 WEEK 7 WEEKLY MATHLETES**

Congratulations to

Luke C, Leah, Jorja, Amelia, Lucas, Preston, Angus, Jemimah,  
and Dylan G J