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NEWSLETTER NO. 18 TUESDAY JUNE 23rd 2020

Last week our Church celebrated the Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. The Feast is a focus on the generous unconditional love that Jesus shows for us:

Lord Jesus Christ,

your heart broke open with such a depth of love that you gave your very life for your people.

May we love others as you have loved us.

Gentle our hearts so that we, too, may bring Life to the world.

We ask this prayer in the Spirit of your love.

Amen.





SEMESTER TWO REPORTS

Term Two reports will be sent home with each child tomorrow – Wednesday June 24th.

END OF TERM TWO/START TERM THREE

Term Two will conclude **this Friday June 26th at the earlier time of 2.10pm.**

Term Three commences on Monday July 13th at 8.45am.

TERM THREE 2020

The start to next term will be very different to the start of Term Two. All things going well we will start on Monday July 13th. It will be important that all families aim for maximum student attendance for the term - **including arriving on time** -and to encourage all students to be doing the very best they can when they approach their learning.

At this stage all the current arrangements for assembly, drop off and pick up, students and adults entering the school, hand hygiene, cleaning and physical contact will remain in place.

JOB SEEKER AND CSEF

For parents/guardians who have recently applied for the Government's JobSeeker support due to COVID-19 and now hold a Health Care Card, please check the card start date. If it is before April 14th 2020 then your children may be eligible for Camps, Sports and Excursions Funding (CSEF) of \$125-00 per student. Please phone or email the school office to have an application form sent to you and we will lodge an application for CSEF on your behalf.

Please note: that the close off for 2020 CSEF is Friday 24th July 2020. We will be unable to lodge applications after this date.

STEPS TOWARD RETURNING TO WHOLE SCHOOL ASSEMBLIES

This week we have started the next step toward returning to some of our whole school approaches to defining behaviour expectations and managing positive behaviour. Whilst we aren't meeting as a whole school we have started to meet in class areas.

MONDAY MORNING ASSEMBLY

At the start of each week we give thanks for some of the positive behaviours that we noted in the past week. It is an opportunity to acknowledge helpful behaviours, it raises language that highlights good choices and models the need to regularly thank people in a way that communicates what we are thankful for. This week we gave thanks for:

- Thank you to everyone who is doing their best by keeping their hands and body to themselves
- We help others succeed when we support the learning of everyone else
- For showing respect for our school by making positive choices about words

POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR EXPECTATIONS

Our expectations focus for this week is **'treating others the way you would like to be treated'**:

Do your best:

We do our best when we think about how we like to be treated then make choices that treat others the same way

Helping others succeed:

We help others succeed when we commit to doing our best as often as we can

Respecting your school:

We show our respect for our school when we clean up after ourselves

Power Play Focus:

Students who treat others the way they would like to be treated

Congratulations to Olive O'Brien, Spencer Webb and Sammy Milligan who were the winners of this week's PowerPlay raffle.

Mark

DATES TO REMEMBER

Friday	June 26th	End of Term Two <u>2.10pm</u>
Monday	July 13th	Start of Term Three
Friday	August 21st	Pupil Free Day (staff First Aid training day)

WANGARATTA UNIFORM ZONE

Please note the following changes to our trading hours around the school holidays:

Due to the Railway Precinct Redevelopment, we are unable to open on Thursday June 25, Friday June 26 and Saturday June 27th. During the first week of the school holidays, the shop will be operated by temporary staff and opening the following times:

Monday 29 June: 8:30am to 5:30pm

Tuesday 30 June: 8:30am to 12:00noon

Wednesday 1 July: 8:30am to 5:30pm

Thursday 2 July: 1:00pm to 5:30pm

Friday 3 July: 8:30am to 5:30pm

Saturday 4 July 9:00am to 12:00pm

Thereafter, we will resume normal trading hours:

Monday-Friday 8:30am to 5:30pm, Saturday 9:00am to 12:00noon

PLEASE NOTE: During the Railway Precinct Redevelopment, access to Norton St is via Cusack St.

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