

AFTER SCHOOL CARE: 5444 6666 (YMCA)

HOLY ROSARY WEB SITE: www.hrwhitehills.catholic.edu.au

Online at: https://www.sandhurst.catholic.org.au https://www.frgministry.com/mass

CALENDAR

SEPTEMBER 2021

Mon 13 - Fri 17 Health & PE Week

Fri 17 Last Day Term 3 – 2.15pm dismissal

OCTOBER 2021

Mon 4 First Day Term 4

Tue 5 Art Incursion (Gr 5 & 6)
Thur 7 Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary

Tue 12 Art Incursion (Gr 5 & 6)

Sat 23 Frayne House Community Mass – 6pm

Wed 27 Public Holiday – Bendigo Cup

NOVEMBER 2021

Sat 13 McAuley House Community Mass – 6pm



Check out our school Facebook page to stay up to date with the latest news!

https://www.facebook.com/holyrosaryprimaryschoolwhitehills/

Due to the current circumstances the dates shown in the calendar for are subject to change.



Education is a Partnership

Young Person + Family + School = Emotional Success

Work with your school to support your young person

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Well it's is hard to believe we are almost at the end of third term as we enter our final week. It was great to see and hear the Foundation – Grade 2 children return to school last week and we look forward to a final week together as our Grade 3-6 children continue with remote learning.

The term has certainly been one of mixed emotions and many ups and downs for us all and I would like to thank the many parents who have given us such positive feedback as we work together through these times of lockdown and uncertainty. Well done to the children who have tried hard to remain engaged and worked hard to complete tasks and participate in online learning. Thanks also to our teachers who continue, like many parents, to juggle home and school whilst doing the best for the children in their classes.

In staffing news, I would like to announce that Mrs Jo Thurley has been appointed Deputy Principal Religious Education Leader (DPRE) for the next 3 years. Interviews were completed last week and the Executive Director Mr Paul Desmond has ratified the appointment. I congratulate Jo on her appointment and look forward to working with her into the future.

Our learning conversations will be held later in Term 4 after we hope everyone has returned to school.

Finally, good luck to all those Demon and Bulldogs supporters as they wait for the grand final. It is such an exciting and fun time for all involved and a time to enjoy - may the best team win.

Take care everyone, have a safe and restful beak, hopefully we will all be back onsite to begin Term 4.

Paul Wilkinson

Paul Wilkinson Principal

SCHOOL NEWS

CATHOLIC IDENTITY

ACCESS TO MASS AND TO CHURCHES

We are all encouraged to continue active participation in the life of the Church through activities such as time in personal and family prayer, reflecting on the Scriptures, making a spiritual communion, or participating in a Mass online.

There are many options for Mass online, including:

- o http://bit.ly/MassOnDemand
- o https://melbournecatholic.org.au/Mass
- o www.wordonfire.org/daily-mass

The Bishop is also live-streaming Mass on Sunday mornings via the diocesan website: www.sandhurst.catholic.org.au
On free to air TV, Mass for You at Home is broadcast at 6.00am every Sunday, Channel 10.

"HATS ON!" AT HOLY ROSARY

At Holy Rosary, our SunSmart Policy notes that all children will be required to wear their school hats from 'Hats On Day'- September 1 to 'Hats Off Day' - May 1, whenever they are outside including sports lessons. This 'Hats On' period is also extended anytime the UV is consistently 3 or above.



With this in mind, our' NO HAT, NO PLAY' policy is now in being enforced and will continue for the

remainder of the year. Children without hats will be required to remain under cover near the Grade 5/6 rooms.

SPF 50+ sunscreen will also be available to children in each classroom. Children will be responsible for applying their own sunscreen.

Please note, hats must be navy blue bucket hats (or reversible house colour hats worn on the navy side) as per the school uniform. Caps and other non-uniform hats will not be allowed.

PASTORAL CARE

With only one week to go until the school holidays, we find the sun is shining and it is encouraging us to step outside and enjoy the pleasures of spring. Take a moment and a LONG breath as you look into the blue sky. Through these challenging times it is important we take a moment, take a long breath and reset. With our younger students back onsite, middle and senior school learning from home, there are new challenges our families face. You may have a child who does not understand why they are going to school and siblings are staying home, why there are not as many children on the playground. These differences can play on our children's minds. If you need support with your child returning to school or in the last few days of learning from home please check in with their teacher or the wellbeing team. There are many supports we can put in place to assist your child/ren. Enjoy the sunshine, warm and spring blossoms as we count down to a well-earned 2-week break. - Megan Gerrish (Pastoral Care Coordinator)



SCHOOL SPORT

- WHAT'S HAPPENING?!

Troy Coates (PE Coordinator)

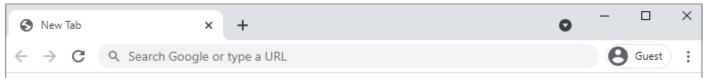


DIVISIONAL ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

The Divisional Athletics Carnival, originally scheduled for Monday 13th September has been postponed. As soon as we receive any further information from School Sports Victoria we will notify affected families. Thanks for your patience.

ATTENDANCE

Remember the impacts for your child when they attend school every day; helping them learn new skills academically, socially, emotionally, helping them build good communication skills, resilience, and importantly teamwork. Even as our children attend school from home they continue to develop these skills. Encourage your child to attend their class google meetings each day. In the last few days of Term 3, if you require assistance with your child attending school please contact their classroom teacher. Remember if they are unwell please keep your child at home until they are well again. - Megan Gerrish (Pastoral Care Coordinator)



CYBER SAFETY

With our children, families and ourselves spending so much time online it is important to remember 3 vital steps to staying healthy while spending so much time online.



<u>CONNECT-</u> check in with friends, family and colleagues regularly and ensure that your digital habits don't encroach on your relationships... the digital intruder can really interfere with your relationships if you're not careful.



<u>MOVE-</u> physical movement produces a whole cocktail of neurochemicals that help us to feel good (dopamine, serotonin and norepinephrine). Ensure your sedentary screen time doesn't displace the time you have to move. For brilliant tips check out @twominutemoves.



<u>SLEEP</u>- ensure your screen habits aren't sabotaging your sleep. Being on your devices just 60 minutes before sleep can delay the onset of sleep and also reduce the time you get for restorative, deep sleep. Have a digital curfew and try to keep devices out of your bedroom, or at least on silent and out of sight if they do venture into your bedroom.

For further tips and advice visit https://www.esafety.gov.au/ - Megan Gerrish (Pastoral Care Coordinator)

STUDENT NEWS



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Students who are celebrating their birthdays this week are Charlotte Gibson, Aylah Kinniburgh, Addison McNamara & Riley Fawcett. Happy Birthday to you and we hope you have a wonderful day.

During the school holidays we also wish a happy birthday to; Rhyder Michielsen, Sienna Hayes, Shay Pearce, Sophie McCarroll, Maddison Fawcett & Flynn O'Connell.

P&F NEWS

SCHOOL RUN 4 FUN: COLOUR EXPLOSION

Did you hear the exciting news? We are hosting a Colour Explosion School Fun Run with Australian Fundraising! The brightest day at school is coming!

Fundraising is now open online! Sponsorship booklets will be handed out soon. Jump on now and create your profile at www.myprofilepage.com.au

Big prizes are up for grabs! Raise at least \$10 and your child can choose from a selection of awesome prizes. You can also share in \$200k of extra prize credit, win a Razor Prize Pack, and become a Fundraising MonSTAR!



COMMUNITY NEWS

CHARLIE'S ARMY

As many of our students will know, Charlie Doherty in FNJ has recently been diagnosed with Hodgkin's Lymphoma and is currently being treated in

There has been a lot of amazing teamwork in the creation of the awesome 'Charlie's Army Beanies', and we now have some available at Holy Rosary for

Please show your support and purchase one of these official Charlie's Army Beanies. All monies go directly to the family to aid in however they need during

They come in Adult and Junior sizes - \$30 each.

Please complete the order form and send to the school office, along with cash for your purchase.

Thank you!













CHARLIE'S ARMY BEANIE ORDER

Family Name:	Contact Number:	
Eldest Child:	Class:	
Adult Beanies - Qty:	Junior Beanies - Qty	<i>/</i> :
Total Beanies Ordered: X \$30.00	each Total Money Enclosed:	\$



Self-Care for Parents and Carers

This workshop gives participants the opportunity to explore their current level of self-care. This practical and fun session provides effective strategies for reducing stress levels while keeping up with the demand of caring for others.

	✓ Explore	✓ Reduce Stre	SS	✓ Self-Management	
Workshop	dates & location	ons:			
	ine via Zoom ny 11 th October @ 10 @ 10:20am).30am — 12:30pm	There	note this is a single session workshop is no cost for this workshop. to everyone!	only only
RSVP:			HOS	TED BY:	

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Tech Boundaries for Families

Parenting in a world driven by technology presents a set of challenges for parents, guardians, grandparents and carers. Tech is part of our reality but setting boundaries around it's use is not always easy

Join other parents and carers in this workshop which aims to:

√ Health & Safety

- · Present current research
- Reflect on tech use in your family; considering both the challenges and opportunities
- Explore strategies that focus on creating a safe and healthy tech environment for your family.

√ Boundaries

Workshop dates & locations: Where: Online via Zoom Please note this is a single session workshop only. There is no charge for this workshop. Wednesday 20th October @ 11:30AM – 1:00PM Groups are subject to maximum and minimum numbers determined seven working days prior to the commencement date. Early registration is encouraged. Tuesday 16th November @ 4:00PM - 5:30PM

RSVP:

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√ Strategies



SPORTS NEWS





HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES



Children aged 4 - 12

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General Information:
We believe in giving children opportunities to do the things they love and enjoy in a supportive and encouraging environment. Our friendly staff are passionate about working with children. They are provided with training on behaviour management techniques, first aid and activity planning/delivery.

What do you need to bring: Appropriate clothing, jacket or sweatshirt, hat, drink bottle and food far morning tea, lunch and afternoon to

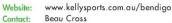
Please bring plenty of packed food and drink for morning tea/lunch/afternoon tea. Lunch will be from approximately 12.30pm to 1.30pm each day.

Programme activities:
Programme activities are adopted to suit children of all ages and children may be grouped by age depending on numbers.
Programme activities may vary without no dependent on weather conditions and programme numbers.

Payment details:

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Payment is required up-front within 2 hours of your booking. A receipt will be issued when a completed booking is received. All details will be included on the receipt.

Please note:
Every care will be token to ensure the safety of
your child/ren and their property. However,
organisers of Kelly Sports accept no liability
for any injury sustained to your child/ren or
any loss or damage to his/her property whilst



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DYNAMIC DODGEBALL

Dodge, duck, dip, dive and...DODGEI Our Dodgebail Tournament is back. Our friendly competition will help improve your throwing and catching skills. So come along and show off your power arml



KIDS OLYMPICS

Our Aussie athletes lit up the international stage in Tokyo. Now it is our Kelly Sports Stars chance to show off their skills at our vey own Kids Olympics. Does the Brisbane 2032 games awaif?



FOOTY COLOURS DAY

The AFL grand final is almost upon us! Wear your favourite AFL colours and stretch up for our AFL 9's football tournament, morning AFL clinic and many fun games for all ages to enjoy!

SOCCER SHOOTOUT

Soccer grid games, lunch time penalty shoot outs & a soccer super clinic, all in one day! This is a jam-packed soccer fest for all ages. With prizes on offer and loads of fun guaranteed, you can't go wrong.



BIG BASH SMASH

Join us for our Big Bash Cricket day. Stretch out your batting arm, show off your skills and come along for ou super 8's cricket grid games for all ages.



After watching the Boomers win Bronze in Tokyo, come along and kick start your week with our basketball bonarzal Show off your skills in our basketball challenge activities and tournament for all ages.

FIVE DAY DISCOUNT: \$195 Mon - Fri 8:00am - 5:00pm



NETBALL MASTERCLASS

With Melbourne Vixens superstar Ruby Barkmeyer dropping in for the morning to run a netball clinic, this is one you don't want to miss! Come and learn what it takes to become an elite netball star!

FULL DAY: \$50 8:30am - 5:00pm

HALF DAY: \$35

Morning 8:30 am - 12:30 pm Afternoon 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Today you will be treated to a tennis masterclass from the amazing team from GIANT tennis! Whether you are a tennis star, or a beginner, you can guarantee you will learn a thing or two.



RAPID RACQUET SPORTS

Come along for a supercharged day of racquet sponts. With the Bendigo Squash Centre running a racquethall & squash masterclass, as well as having tennis and badminton on the agenda, this is one you don't want to miss!



AMAZING RACE

Work together to complete challenges, find clues and score goals for your team in our very own Kelly Sports Amazing Racel Teamwork will be the key to success in this fun-fuelled challenge event.

USE VOUCHER CODE 'FYONY8U5' FOR 10% OFF!





