



NEWSLETTER

AFTER SCHOOL CARE: 5444 6666 (YMCA)

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

MASS TIMES

Please note that Masses have been suspended until further notice.

Sunday Mass with the Bishop can be live streamed at

<https://www.sandhurst.catholic.org.au>

CALENDAR

AUGUST 2020

Tue 4 Pupil Free Day - Staff Planning
Fri 7 Pupil Free Day - Staff PD

SEPTEMBER 2020

Sun 6 Father's Day
Fri 11 Pupil Free Day - Staff PD
Fri 18 Last Day Term 3

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



Make sure to follow our school Facebook page to stay up to date with the latest news!
facebook.com/holyrosaryprimaryschoolwhitehill

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

On Sunday the Premier made the announcement that regional Victoria will return to remote learning this coming week. All students who can learn from home, will learn from home. Children attending school today have taken home a work pack for the remainder of this week, as well other resources required for remote learning. I will have a letter with further details sent out today, as we are still waiting for clarification from the Premier.

Tomorrow Tuesday 4th August, will be a pupil free day to enable staff to continue to develop our online learning as we move to this learning next week. I understand that these Stage 3 restrictions will be challenging for all but if we work together, we will have our best chance to keep everyone safe.

We will also have a pupil free day for staff professional development on Friday as we have advertised. The YMCA will provide care for children who have booked a place.

Finally, the extremely short turnaround has been a huge challenge, however the wonderful messages of support and genuine care from the community directed to us all have been truly valued. Our staff continue to work hard to provide the best we possibly can and I thank them for their hard work and dedication to our school.

We continue to keep everyone in our school and the broader community in our thoughts and prayers. All the best to everyone, take care and stay safe.

Paul Wilkinson
Principal



POSTPONED

POSTPONEMENT OF FOUNDATION 100 DAYS CELEBRATION

The planned celebration on Tuesday 4th August has been postponed to a later date (to be confirmed). This will be rescheduled once the current situation has settled and students have returned to school. Thanks for your understanding.
Foundation Teachers.



COMMUNITY NEWS

Catholic Education Sandhurst Board

EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST



Catholic Education Sandhurst Ltd has been established under the auspices of Bishop Shane Mackinlay to oversee the strategic direction of the Diocesan system of Catholic schools in compliance with Australian law and Victorian regulatory authorities as well as in accordance with CECV policy and the Diocesan Charter for Catholic Education.

Expressions of interest are invited from suitably qualified and experienced women and men throughout the Diocese of Sandhurst to join the newly formed Catholic Education Sandhurst Board. Expertise in the areas of education, law, finance, risk management, communications, media and wider pastoral and ecclesial ministry as well as those with an appreciation of the cultural and socio-economic features of a rural diocesan environment are desirable.

This is an exciting opportunity to make a "once in a generation" contribution to Catholic Education within the Diocese of Sandhurst.

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accompanied by a brief covering letter, Curriculum Vitae and the names of two referees are invited to be addressed to Bishop Shane Mackinlay via email c/- jtaylor@ceosand.catholic.edu.au

By COB Tuesday 8 September, 2020

Further information may be addressed to Jo Taylor at the same email address.

SIMPLE STEPS TO HELP STOP THE SPREAD.

Coronavirus (COVID-19)

Cough or sneeze into your arm



Bin the tissue



Use a tissue



Wash your hands



TOGETHER WE CAN HELP STOP THE SPREAD AND STAY HEALTHY.

For more information about Coronavirus (COVID-19) visit health.gov.au



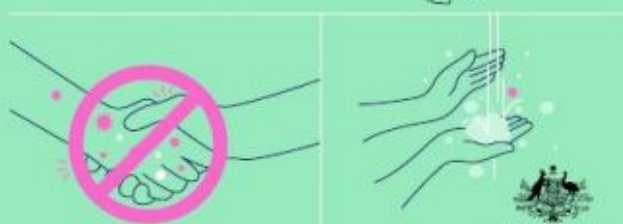
Adapted by the Australian Government, Canberra

Keep physical distancing and BE COVIDSAFE



Physical distancing is working to help keep us all COVIDSafe. Remember, whenever you go out, stay 1.5 metres apart and avoid physical greetings. Follow guidelines in shops and businesses and always practise good hygiene. This will help stop the spread of coronavirus.

Together, let's BE COVIDSAFE. visit health.gov.au for more information.



Australian Government

STUDENT NEWS

HAPPY BIRTHDAY



Students who are celebrating their birthdays this week are; Rex Bell, Ruby Douglas, Zethan Jensen, Nathaniel Bain, Arlie Brown, Remmi Comer, Khayden Petersen, Connor Porter, Blake Young. Happy Birthday to you and we hope you have a wonderful day.

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK



Students of the Week	
FBG	Amy Vance
FJO	Payton West
1BW	Remmi Comer
1DC	Arlan Evans
2MC	Riley Stevens
2LC	Hugo Marwood
3JT	Rubi Morrison
3ZD	Fiona O'Connell
4AG	Ella Tresize
4BS	Vincent Geary
5JE	Grace Dobie
5MG	Nate Fitzpatrick
6ST	Emmy Schmidt
6TC	Georgia Moulday

SCHOOL NEWS

CATHOLIC IDENTITY

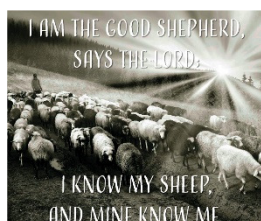
ACCESS TO MASS AND TO CHURCHES

There are many options for Mass online, including:

* <http://bit.ly/MassOnDemand> * <https://melbournecatholic.org.au/Mass> * 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



Sacramental Program - Grade 2 Reconciliation: All families in Grade 2 should have now received an email, maybe even for a second time regarding participation in the schools sacramental program. This may have been sent to your spam folder, however if you do not have a copy of the email and would like to register your child's participation please email jthurley@hrwhitehills.catholic.edu.au. Due to the delay in accessing this content I have extended the reply date. Please ensure you have replied by the 7th of August. Thank-you to those families who have already returned forms.

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Update

Childrens Day - 4th August: National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Children's Day is our national day dedicated to celebrating children. Children's Day is celebrated across the country each year on the 4th August.



Holy Rosary Primary School

Pupil Free Day
Friday 7th August

8am – 6pm

The YMCA will be operating full day care on this day.



To secure your place log into My Family Lounge and place a casual booking or contact us on **0467 555 572**