School Newsletter

Term 1 Issue 1

5th February 2020

St Mary Star of the Sea School Board

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IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

Week 1, 2020

Thursday 6th February	**VISN Camp Yr 11**	
Friday 7th February	**Opening School Mass—1:15pm in the School Hall**	
	VISN Camp Yr 11	

Week 2, 2020

Wednesday 12th February	**Primary School Parent Meetings**	**4-6pm**
Wednesday 12th February	**Year 7—10 Parent Meetings**	**7pm**
Thursday 13th February	**Parents and Friends AGM**	**2.45pm**
Friday 14th February	**High School Assembly**	

Week 3, 2020

Wednesday 19th February	**School Board Meeting**	**7.30 pm**
Friday 21st February	**Whole School Assembly**	
	And SRC badge presentation	

Prayer for the Start of the School Year

Loving God,
Our creator, our saviour, our companion,
bless this journey of a new school year that we undertake today.
Refresh our souls and renew our spirits as we embrace the beautiful ministry you have called us to.
We welcome those who are new to this community
and ask that you strengthen them to share the wonderful gifts you have given them.
Lord, make our hearts pure as we prepare for the return of students to this school,
and may you guide them to return with open hearts and minds eager to
learn.
We ask this in Your name,
Amen

From The principal's desk

Dear Parents, Teachers and Friends,

Welcome back for another school year. A warm welcome to new families to our school community. I'm sure you will find St Mary's Carnarvon a welcoming and friendly school and one in which your children will flourish.

This year is historic for St Mary's as we welcome our first cohorts of Year 11 and 12 students. There has been much occurring in the background prior to the students attending their first days this week and I would like to thank the staff for the early work ensuring the start for these students was smooth and successful, especially Year 11 and 12 coordinator and Acting Head of Secondary, Mrs Narelle Holtham.

Our God of surprises has much planned and unplanned for us this year and we begin our school year with much excitement and anticipation of all that awaits us.

WELCOME NEW STAFF
As well as many new students to our school community this year, we also welcome new staff members. Ms Sarah Berson is currently working with Mrs Anna Brooks as she becomes familiar with the school finances. Mrs Brooks is retiring this year.

We have a number of new staff in both the primary and secondary schools of St Mary's. Miss Sophia Anderson will be teaching Year 3 and Miss Lara Concannon will be teaching Year 6 in the primary classes. Mrs Jessica Foster will be working as a teaching assistant in a number of the primary grades.

In our secondary school, Mr Jason Meynell will be teaching English in all of the grades, and Mrs Rebecca Meynell will be teaching HASS and ICT. Mrs Alice Hatt will be working as a teaching assistant throughout some of the secondary learning areas.

We welcome all our new staff members and we look forward to the contribution they can make to our school community in the coming years.

OPENING SCHOOL MASS
To begin our school year, there will be an opening school mass this Friday beginning at 1:15 pm in the school hall. All are welcome to join us.

PARENT TEACHER MEETINGS
Parent teacher meetings are occurring next week. The primary meetings are being held on Wednesday afternoon and the Year 7 – 10 grade meetings are occurring on Wednesday evening. The Year 11 and 12 parent meeting was held on Tuesday evening.

God Bless

Mr Steve O'Halloran
Principal

From the REC

Mass Times
Saturday night - 7pm
Sunday morning - 9am

Welcome everyone to a new school year!

I am excited to take this journey with you all as the Religious Education Coordinator (REC) of our school. It is a new role for me this year and I look forward to getting to know you all a little better, from the Junior learning years through to Primary and the High School. Please be patient with me as I settle into this role and with your support, I hope to learn great things from you all, share wonderful experiences together and celebrate everyone's gifts and talents. Welcome to all our new families as well to this wonderful school community that is St Mary Star of the Sea Catholic School. I wish you all an incredible year ahead.

May God bless you,
Sam Da Luz
Religious Education Coordinator

SECONDARY NEWS

A warm welcome back to all of our past students, new students and of course the arrival of our first ever Year 11 and 12s! The staff of the Secondary School hope everyone had a safe and refreshing holiday and are ready to experience a whole lot of new opportunities throughout 2020!

Like every year, this year is going to be particularly busy with many different forms of educational opportunities and the development and strengthening of new friendships and relationships.

Our Year 11 students are straight into their first camp this week with a trip to Perth to undertake their ViSN Orientation where they will meet their online teachers and other students from around the state who are in their class. Students will fly down on Thursday and return Saturday, with the plane flights provided by ViSN.

Meanwhile we will be celebrating the start of the new school year as a whole school, with Mass on Friday at 1.15pm.

As the term progresses we see excursions across the year levels, the Year 7 students experiencing their first Outdoor Education Camp to Coral Bay, the celebration of Ash Wednesday, homeroom masses, the first round of OLNA for the year, the Interhouse Faction Carnival, Parent Information Evenings and Interim Report Parent Meetings, Saint Patrick's Night and the Opening of the New School Buildings. All of this to occur before our Easter Celebration at the end of term.

Thank you to the Senior Secondary School parents who attended the Parent Information Evening for Year 11 and 12 last night. Teachers are looking forward to meeting the parents of their students next week at the Lower Secondary School Parent Evening. This will take place on Wednesday at 7.00pm in the School Hall.

We wish everyone a safe and enjoyable term—***Mrs Holtham***

PRIMARY NEWS

Dear Parents

Next Wednesday, February 12th commencing 4.00pm, we will be conducting our Primary Parent Information Sessions. We will start in Pre Primary allowing 20 minutes per class. You need only attend the sessions for classes involving your children.

To ensure success at school, good communication between the school and parents is essential; therefore it is an expectation that all parents attend the information evening.

Important information regarding curriculum, operations, classroom expectations and opportunities will be given on the night. It is also an ideal time to acquaint yourself with our staff.

Parents are asked to bring their preferred device to log on to class dojo's to receive class messages. Students are not required to attend.

We look forward to seeing you next Wednesday. We have had a positive start to the year and look forward to a great 2020.

Please see session times below

4.00 pm	**Pre Primary**
4.20 pm	**Year 1**
4:40 pm	**Year 2**
5.00 pm	**Year 3**
5.20 pm	**Year 4**
5:40 pm	**Year 5**
6.00 pm	**Year 6**

Mrs Trudy Cox & Mrs Ali O'Halloran
Head of Primary Years 3-6 & Early Year Coordinator K-Year 2

NEW INSTRUCTION TIMES

Please be advised we have made some minor changes to the lesson times.

8:15 – 8:25	Secondary Homeroom
8:25 – 9:20	Period 1 Primary and Secondary begin
9:20 – 10:10	Period 2
10:10 – 10:30	**Recess**
10:30 – 11:20	Period 3
11:20 – 12:10	Period 4
12:10 – 12:50	**Lunch**
12:50 – 1:45	Period 5
1:45 – 2:35	Period 6

Period 1 and 5 will be 55 minutes. All other periods will be 50 minutes.

Staffing 2020

LEADERSHIP TEAM

Principal:	Steve O'Halloran
Acting Head of Secondary School:	Narelle Holtham
Acting Head of Primary School Year 3-6:	Trudy Cox
Acting Early Years Coordinator:	Alison O'Halloran
Religious Education Coordinator:	Sammantha Da Luz

ADMINISTRATION STAFF

School Secretary:	Kim Faithfull
Admin Assistant:	Katrina Scott
Bursars:	Sarah Berson
	Anna Brooks

TEACHING/CLASSROOM STAFF – PRIMARY

3YO Kindy & Kindy:	Billie Symonds
Pre-Primary:	Ali O'Halloran
Year 1:	Georgia Fahl
Year 2:	Lauren Pillera
Year 3:	Sophia Anderson
Year 4:	Alison Durmanich
Year 5:	Carey Hodgson
Year 6:	Lara Concannon

TEACHING/CLASSROOM STAFF - SECONDARY

MS 1:	Katelyn Hegarty
MS 2:	Tiahn Barrett
MS 3:	Jason Meynell
MS 4:	Rebecca Meynell
MS 5:	Tim Manser
MS 6:	Katrina Ward

SPECIALIST TEACHING STAFF – Middle School

Religious Education Yr10, 11 and 12:	Sam Da Luz
Religious Education:Yr 7, 8 and 9	Sandra Griffiths
Music, Drama and Art:	Katrina Ward
Humanities Yr 7 –10:	Rebecca Meynell
Mathematics Yr 7-12	Tim Manser
Science Yr 7-11	Katelyn Hegarty
English Yr 7-12	Jason Meynell
Health and Physical Education & Food:	Tiahn Barrett
Design and Technology Yr 11:	Narelle Holtham
ICT:	Rebecca Meynell

SPECIALIST TEACHING STAFF – Primary School

Humanities	Trudy Cox
Science	Patricia Van Dongen
Music:	Katrina Ward
PE:	Sue Jordan
RE:	Emily Holla

SUPPORT STAFF

Learning Support Co-Ordinator:	Trudy Cox
Library Technician and Curriculum Resource Manager:	Tina McMeekin
Teaching Assistants:	Helena Bassett – Yr 1
	Jessica Foster—Year 2
	Jacquie Black - Student Support
	Melissa Worthington – Kindy and Yr 4
	Samantha Williams – PP
	Rae Glancy – Kindy, 3YO Kindy and Yr 3
	Alice Hatt—High School Teacher Assistant

Staffing 2020

Aboriginal Teaching Assistant:	Anthony Narrier
Minilit	Samantha Punch/Simone Petera
Maths Intervention:	Simone Petera
AFaFE:	Kayla Bellotti
Canteen Manager:	Charmaine Radzevicius
Groundsperson:	Peter Brooks

RELIGIOUS

Parish Priest:	Father Mariusz Adamczyk
School Chaplaincy Worker and Guidance Officer:	Ilai Matangi

Pastoral Care

School chaplains are in the prevention and rescue business. They're helping students find a better way to deal with issues ranging from family breakdown and loneliness to drug abuse, stress and anxiety. They provide a listening ear and a caring presence for children in crisis… and those who just need a friend. All have a passion to improve the lives of young people.

The activities undertaken by school chaplains may include, but are not limited to:

Pastoral care

- **Providing guidance to students on issues concerning human relationships**
- **Assisting school counsellors and staff in the provision of student welfare services**
- **Providing support in cases of bereavement, family breakdown or other crisis and loss situations and**
- **Being readily available to provide continuity and on-going support for individual students and staff where necessary.**

Spiritual guidance

- **Supporting students who wish to explore their spirituality**
- **Providing guidance on religious, values and ethical matters and**
- **Facilitating access to the helping agencies in the community, both church-based and secular, with the approval of the School Principal.**

St Mary's has for some time been privileged to have Mr Ilai Matangi, as our School Chaplain.

Mr Matangi is available Monday to Friday.

If you would like more information regarding the service Mr Matangi can provide, please contact the School Office or alternatively, see your child's class teacher.

CORONAVIRUS—update February 3

Dear Parent/carer

Acting on the latest information regarding the Novel Coronavirus from the Department of Health, Catholic Education Western Australia is advising the following for all Catholic schools in Western Australia.

Please note especially the advice relating to students travelling from or through Hong Kong which has recently been updated by the Department of Health.

Students who have been in the Hubei Province of China

Students who have been in the Hubei Province of China must be isolated in their home for 14 days after leaving the Hubei Province, other than for seeking individual medical care. They are not able to attend school, school events, day care centres or residential colleges. This also applies to parents/carers, staff, contractors, visitors and volunteers on school sites and at school events.

Students returning from mainland China (excluding Hubei Province of China)

Students arriving from (including transiting through) mainland China must be isolated in their home for 14 days from the time they leave mainland China. They are not able to attend school, school events, day care centres or residential colleges.

Students returning from Hong Kong (including transiting through) prior to 1 February

Students who returned from (including transiting through) Hong Kong **prior to 1 February** are being asked to stay at home for 14 days after leaving Hong Kong.

Students returning from Hong Kong (including transiting through) on or from 1 February

Students arriving from (including transiting through) Hong Kong **on or from 1 February** not displaying any symptoms may attend school. If they develop symptoms they should not attend school and immediately seek medical advice.

Students in close contact with a confirmed case

If a student has been informed by Public Health authorities they are a close contact of a confirmed case of the Novel Coronavirus, irrespective of whether they have developed symptoms, they cannot attend school, school events, day care centres or residential colleges until their local public health unit informs them that it is safe for them to do so. This also applies to parents/carers, staff, contractors, visitors and volunteers on school sites and at school events. Evidence from the public health authority is required for the student to return to school.

The Department of Health website at https://ww2.health.wa.gov.au/coronavirus has more information on the virus and a **WA Coronavirus Hotline, on 1800 300 243.**

If your child will be away from school for the reasons outlined above, please contact the school to let us know when they were last in Hubei Province of China, mainland China or Hong Kong and to discuss any support for your child's learning while they are absent from school.

We will ensure that students' good standing is not impacted where they are absent through isolation as outlined above.

Yours sincerely

Mr S O'Halloran
Principal
St Mary Star of the Sea

2020 FEES and CHARGES - SECONDARY STUDENTS

SUMMARY OF FEES & CHARGES 2019		YR 7	YR 8	YR 9	YR 10	YR 11	YR 12
Tuition Fees							
Discounts from tuition fees for siblings - 2nd child 20%; 3rd child 40%; 4th & subsequent children 100%	*(a)*	1,677	1,677	1,677	1,677	2,000	2,000
Total Amenities, Levies & Other Charges							
(includes IT levy,excursions/incursions; insurance; student diary; Ebook licences; Ebook RE (Y8); MathSpace Y7-10)Food Technology (y7-10); SEQTA;	*(b)*	1,140	1,155	1,140	1,140	856	856
Total School Fees per student	*(a+b)*	$2,817	$2,832	$2,817	$2,817	$2,856	$2,856
Subject Elective - Woodwork						$250	
Total Family Levies - Levies are charged to the eldest child							
P & F Levy		$75	$75	$75	$75	$75	$75
Building Levy		$395	$395	$395	$395	$395	$395
School Annual		$25	$25	$25	$25	$25	$25
Total Family Levies	*(c)*	$495	$495	$495	$495	$495	$495

**HEALTH CARE CARD DISCOUNT SCHEME SUMMARY OF DISCOUNTED FEES & CHARGES - SECONDARY		Yr 7	YR 8	YR 9	YR 10	YR 11	YR 12
Tuition Fees							
Discounts from tuition fees for siblings - 2nd child 20%; 3rd child 40%; 4th & subsequent children 100%	*(a)*	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500
Other Charges							
Ebook & MathsSpace		70	85	70	70	30	30
Subject Levy - Food Technology		175	175	175	175	0	0
Subject Levy - Sport & Rec Cert III		0	0	0	0	160	160
Woodwork - Elective Subject		0	0	0	0	250	0
Compulsory SEQTA Learn		10	10	10	10	10	10
Total Other Charges	*(b)*	255	270	255	255	450	200
Total School Fees per student	*(a+b)*	$1,755	$1,770	$1,755	$1,755	$1,950	$1,700
Family Levies							
P & F Levy		75	75	75	75	75	75
Building Levy		300	300	300	300	300	300
School Annual		25	25	25	25	25	25
Total Family Levies	*(c)*	$400	$400	$400	$400	$400	$400

*** Holders of a means-tested Health Care Card and certain Pensioner Concessions Card holders are eligible for an automatic discount. Forms and details for this Scheme are available from the office or our website. Forms must be handed to the office together with your holders card. HCC holders and certain Pensioner Concession Card holders are eligible for the sibling discounts in addition to their reduced fees.*

NOTE:

FAMILY FEES ARE CHARGED TO THE ELDEST IN THE FAMILY ACROSS PRIMARY & SECONDARY

SIBLING DISCOUNTS APPLY ACROSS PRIMARY AND SECONDARY

2020 FEES and CHARGES - SECONDARY STUDENTS

AMENITIES, LEVIES & OTHER CHARGES	Years 7, 9, 10		Yr 8
Amenities	729		729
Information Techology	100		100
Excursions/Incursions Levy	31		31
Student Insurance	9		9
Student Diary	16		16
E Book Licences	40		55
Maths Space	30		30
Food Technology	175		175
SEQTA Learn	10		10
TOTAL	**$1,140**		**$1,155**

AMENITIES, LEVIES & OTHER CHARGES	Yr 11		Yr 12
Amenities	500		500
Information Technology Levy	100		100
Student Insurance	9		9
MathSpace	30		30
Student Diary	16		16
Excursion	31		31
Sport & Rec Cert III	160		160
SEQTA	10		10
	856		**856**
Elective Subject			
Woodwork	250		
TOTAL	**$1,106**		**$856**

2020 FEES & CHARGES - PRIMARY

SUMMARY OF FEES & CHARGES 2019		KG	PP	YR 1	YR 2	YR 3	YR 4	YR 5	YR 6
Tuition Fees									
Discounts from tuition fees for siblings - 2nd child 20%; 3rd child 40%; 4th & subsequent children 100%	[a]	764	1,274	1,274	1,274	1,274	1,274	1,274	1,274
Amenities, Levies & Other Charges									
(Includes compulsory IT levy; excursion/incursion (PP-6); Insurance; Intrepica (3-6); SEQTA (5-6); Mangahigh (3-6)	[b]	232	417	417	417	445	445	455	455
Total School Fees per student	[a+b]	$996	$1,691	$1,691	$1,691	$1,719	$1,719	$1,729	$1,729
Total Family Levies - Levies are charged to the eldest child									
Building $237 K; P-6 $395		237	395	395	395	395	395	395	395
P & F Levy $45 K; P-6 $75		45	75	75	75	75	75	75	75
School Annual $25		25	25	25	25	25	25	25	25
	[c]	$307	$495	$495	$495	$495	$495	$495	$495
****HEALTH CARE CARD DISCOUNT SCHEME**									
SUMMARY OF DISCOUNTED FEES & CHARGES - PRIMARY		**Kindy**	**PP**	**YR 1**	**YR 2**	**YR 3**	**YR 4**	**YR 5**	**YR 6**
Tuition Fees									
Discounts from tuition fees for siblings - 2nd child 20%; 3rd child 40%; 4th & subsequent children 100%	[a]	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300
Other Charges									
Resource Fee (Intrepica (3-6))		n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	12	12	12	12
Resource Fee (Mangahigh (3-6))		n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	16	16	16	16
SEQTA (5-6)		n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	10	10
Total Other Charges	[b]	0	0	0	0	28	28	38	38
Total School Fees per student	[a+b]	$300	$300	$300	$300	$328	$328	$338	$338
P & F Levy		45	75	75	75	75	75	75	75
Building Levy		90	90	90	90	90	90	90	90
School Annual		25	25	25	25	25	25	25	25
Total Family Levies	[c]	$160	$190	$190	$190	$190	$190	$190	$190

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3 Year Old Pre-Kindy	1,200	*per annum*
Other Charges - Insurance; School Annual	34	
Total Per Annum	$1,234	*per annum*

Fee Concessions & sibling discounts do not apply to the 3 Year Old program

NOTE:

FAMILY FEES ARE CHARGED TO THE ELDEST IN THE FAMILY ACROSS PRIMARY & SECONDARY

SIBLING DISCOUNTS APPLY ACROSS PRIMARY AND SECONDARY

2020 FEES & CHARGES - PRIMARY

Other Charges:	KG	Yrs pp – 6	Yrs 3-4	Yr 5-6
Amenities	163	272	272	272
Information Technology Levy	60	100	100	100
Excursion/incursion levy		36	36	36
Insurance	9	9	9	9
Intrepica (Literacy Planet - Resource fee)			12	12
Mangahigh – Resources Fee			16	16
SEQTA Learn				10
TOTAL	232	417	445	455

SECONDARY ASSISTANCE SCHEME

YEARS 7 TO 12
YOU MAY BE ELIGIBLE FOR UP TO:

$350

towards school expenses

DO YOU HOLD A:
- **CENTRELINK HEALTH CARE CARD**

(OR)
- **CENTRELINK PENSIONER CONCESSION CARD**

(OR)
- **VETERANS' AFFAIRS PENSIONER CONCESSION CARD**

Applications Close
Thursday 9 April 2020

Ask School Reception for More Information

St Mary Star of the Sea Catholic School

ADVERTISED VACANCY

GROUNDSMAN/HANDYMAN—PERMANENT

Applications are invited for the following position at St Mary Star of the Sea Catholic School, Carnarvon.

To commence 16th March 2020

Full-time – 38 hours per week, 48 weeks plus 4 weeks annual leave

Must have own vehicle with tow hitch and hold a current Drivers' Licence.
Applicants must apply online for a Dept of Education Police Clearance at https://www.education.wa.edu.au/ncchc.
The successful applicant will also be required to apply for a Working With Children card.

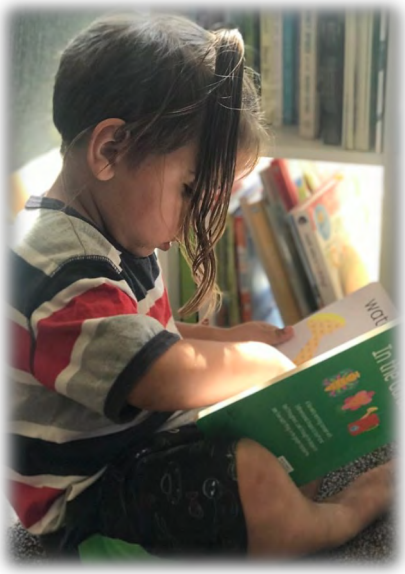
Application including current CV and the names and contact numbers of 3 referees can be made in person at St Mary's School office or by posting to:

The Principal
Mr Steve O'Halloran
P.O. Box 772
Carnarvon 6701

Applications close 21st February 2020.

Aboriginal Families as First Educators Playgroup (AFaFE) is a play-based program that offers an engaging, interactive and fun-filled learning environment for Aboriginal children and their families. Children aged 0-4 and their families are actively supported by a Playgroup Facilitator and Family Liaison Officer in the Abecedarian Approach Australia (3a), a play and learn strategy that encourages one-on-one interactions with caregiver and child. Emphasising the model of "families as first educators".

We have had a superb year in 2019 painting, reading, building, constructing, creating, growing, laughing exploring, imagining, singing, dancing!
If you or an aboriginal family you know could benefit from such a program, please contact the school office for further information.



Welcome to all returning families and those new to our school community!

Mark your diary!

The P&F Association **Annual General Meeting** will be held Thursday 13 February at 2.45PM on the paved area outside the Years 2 – 4 classes (just below the outdoor stage). Children are welcome to stay and play on the grassed area while the AGM is on and we will have fruit platters for their afternoon tea.

All committee positions will be declared vacant and I invite anyone interested in joining the committee to nominate. The positions are:

- President
- Vice President
- Secretary
- Treasurer

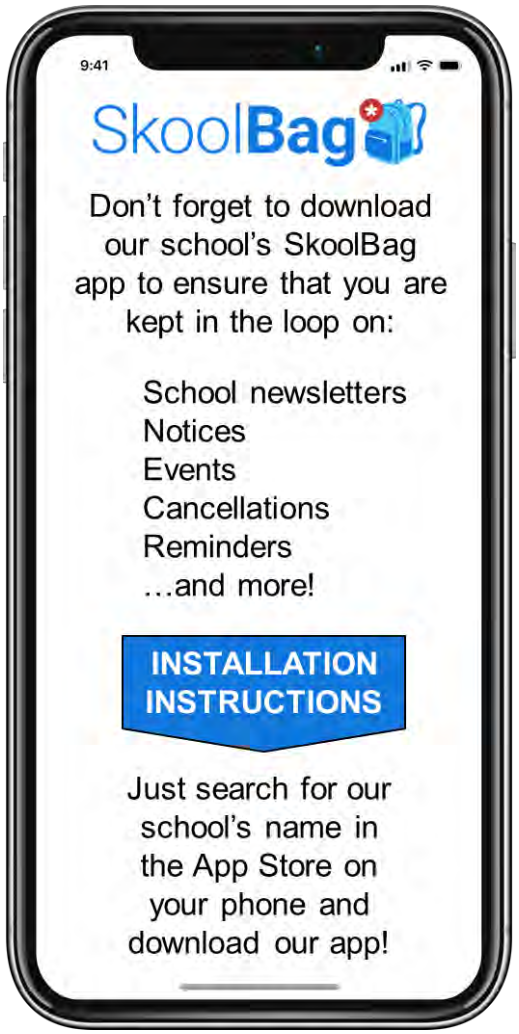
To nominate or if you would like to discuss further please contact myself or Mr O'Halloran through the school office.

If you are unable to attend the AGM you can still nominate for a position.

Keep in touch!

The best way to stay connected with the P&F is through our **Facebook** page and the weekly school newsletter.

Michelle Lawer, President



St Mary Star of the Sea Catholic School Carnarvon

2020 Enrolment

3 year old pre-Kindergarten to Year Twelve

Please contact the school on 9941 1328 for an enrolment form or visit the school website at www.smsc.wa.edu.au

SEQTA

Engage Learn

***SEQTA Learn* and *SEQTA Engage* are now available as apps!**
Bring SEQTA's functionality to your mobile device, plus a few extras:

Never miss a thing
Receive push notifications whenever there's something you need to know about.

Hassle-free authentication
Login by scanning or tapping a secure code no username or password required!

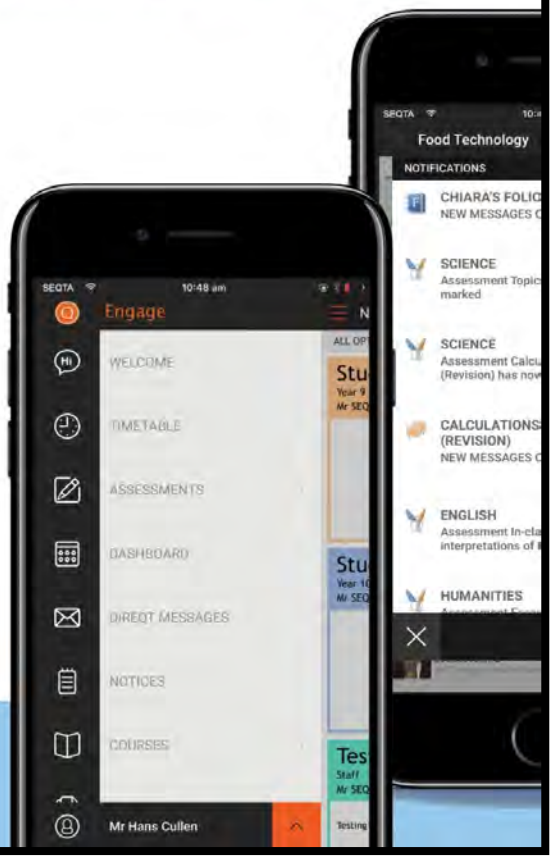
Keep it secure
Enable fingerprint locking to ensure that only you can access the app.

Other functionality

The SEQTA apps build on the existing capabilities of *SEQTA Learn* and *SEQTA Engage*, so you'll be able to:

- View upcoming assessments and submit work
- View marked assessments and teacher feedback
- View and search your courses and lessons
- Take notes and make task lists
- View pastoral care information
- Track upcoming homework
- View unresolved absences
- Send and receive direqt messages
- Interact with students, teachers, and parents in forums
- View relevant school notices
- Access academic reports
- View and colour your timetable

...and much more!



If you have any questions, please contact...

The school administration office on 99411328

The address it is
https://smsc.coneqt-p.cathednet.wa.edu.au/

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An Education Horizons Group company

The Uniform Shop is open from 2:15pm to 3:15pm every Tuesday and Thursday for all your uniform needs.
During **Week 1** the shop will be open every day.

Lost Property

There is a large amount of lost property currently outside the School Library, including jumpers, drink bottles, hats and lunch boxes—all with no names.

Please take the time to check out anything that may be yours.

Thank you.

Kiss and Drop

Friendly reminder— the roundabout is to be used for picking up and dropping off students only.

This is a "No Standing" zone.

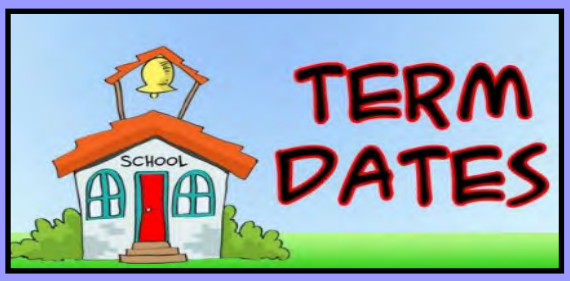
If you are collecting your child from this area, please remind your child/ren to be waiting in order to avoid congestion.

Thank you

Term Dates 2020

Term 1, 2020
First Day of Term 1—Monday 3rd February
Last Day of Term 1—Thursday 9th April

Term 2, 2020
First Day of Term 2—Tuesday April 28th
Last Day of Term 2—Friday July 3rd



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Stay up to date with what the School News and what's happening around School by liking and following our FaceBook page. Head on over to

'St Mary Star of the Sea Catholic School'

and like our page on Face Book.

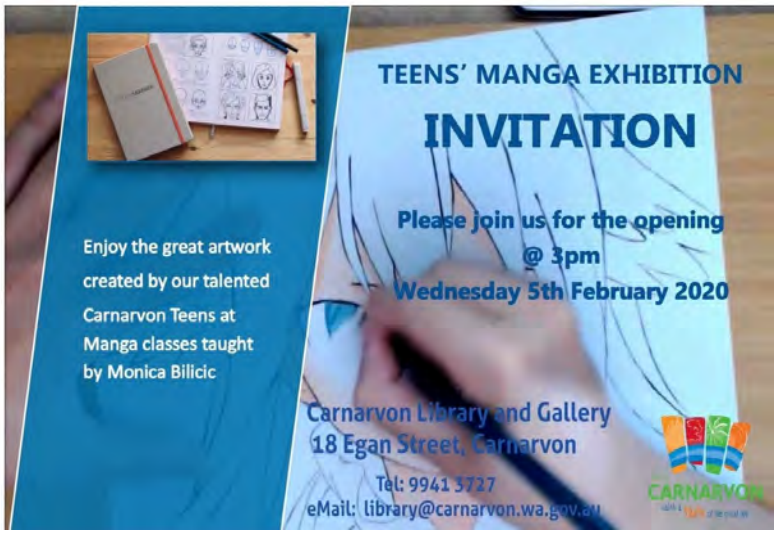
Homework Classes

Commence Thursday February 6th…

Homework classes have now commenced and are scheduled every Tuesday and Thursday after school.

Please see the School Office for application forms.

NEWS Community News



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REMOTE TENNIS SERVICES AUSTRALIA

Term 1 2020 Enrolments are being taken now!
We cater for all ages & standards under 3 years to Adult.
With classes starting at just $13.75 a week, spaces are filling fast!

Programs on offer:
- ANZ Hotshots
- Group Lessons
- Squad Lessons
- Private Lessons
- Tennis in Schools
- Corporate Groups
- Equipment Service & Sales

Term 1 Begins SUNDAY Afternoon
8th March 2020* - 4 Week Program
*Programs are subject to enrolment numbers.
Classes may be combined or cancelled. Enrolments are taken on 1st in best booked basis.
*Invoices issued at 1st session - Payments not received by due date may result in removal from Program.

ANZ Hot Shots
Tennis Schools

Got a group of friends who want to play together? Not a problem, let us arrange a time that suits!
Spaces Available SUNDAY Only. To secure your spot please contact us via email.
All coaching staff are Tennis Australia / ATPCA Qualified & Endorsed.
*Programs are subject to enrolment numbers. Classes & days may be combined or cancelled. Enrolments are on 1st in best booked basis.

What's on offer @ SCTA Carnarvon - Term 1 2020

Class Type	Time	Cost (GST inc)	Ages	Schedule
Tiny Tackers Red Ball	30mins	$13.75	3-4yrs	2:30-3:00pm
Orange Ball Hotshots	1 hour	$19.25	5-7 yrs	3:00-4:00pm
Green Ball Hotshots	1 hour	$19.25	8-11yrs	4:00-5:00pm
Yellow Ball Groups	1 hour	$19.25	12-16yrs	5:00-6:00pm
Adult Group	1 hour	$19.25	17yrs+	6:00-7:00pm
Private Lesson	30mins	$44.00	N/A	Subject to availability
Private Lesson	1 hour	$77.00	N/A	Subject to availability

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Junior Memberships to the Carnarvon Tennis Club are included in your 1st Invoice for the year - $20.00 *(once off annual payment)*

Membership to CTC allows unlimited Court use and access (Courts 7 & 8 for Juniors) & aids CTC in supporting Coaching & other programs
SCTA encourages all of our Clients to Support CTC by becoming Members in 2020 & beyond.

MENTAL HEALTH FIRST AID Australia

BECOME A MENTAL HEALTH FIRST AIDER

to support friends, family members, colleagues and others

About 1 in 5 Australian adults experience a common mental illness each year. Mental Health First Aid (MHFA) training will teach you practical skills to support someone with a mental health problem. Make a real difference to people in your community.

STANDARD MHFA TRAINING BENEFITS

KNOWLEDGE	CONFIDENCE	DE-STIGMATISING	SUPPORT
Improves knowledge of mental illnesses, treatments and first aid actions.	Increases confidence in providing first aid.	Decreases stigmatising attitudes.	Increases the support provided to others.

"I enjoyed learning the skills to be an MHFaider. The content was interesting and the facilitators made me feel at ease, even with the more sensitive content." - Georgia

LEARN PRACTICAL FIRST AID SKILLS

- Recognise common mental health problems
- Provide initial help using a practical, evidence-based Action Plan
- Seek appropriate professional help, and
- Respond in a crisis situation

This is a 12-hour educational course, not a therapy or support group.

DATES Wed 4th & Thur 5th March
TIMES 8.30am - 4.30pm
COST Free
VENUE Carnarvon Hospital Outpatients Centre
FACILITATOR/S Nicole Ebner, Burchell Drage

HOW DO I SIGN UP?

Email nicole.ebner@health.wa.gov.au
Phone 0899416600

For more information, visit mhfa.com.au/courses @MHFA_Australia @mentalhealthfirstaid

MENTAL HEALTH FIRST AID Australia

BECOME A MENTAL HEALTH FIRST AIDER

is pleased to provide Mental Health First Aid (MHFA) training for staff

About 1 in 4 Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people experience a common mental illness each year. Mental Health First Aid training will teach you practical skills to support a person with a mental health problem. Make a real difference to the people in your community.

MHFA TRAINING BENEFITS

KNOWLEDGE	CONFIDENCE	DE-STIGMATISING	SUPPORT
Improves knowledge of mental illnesses, treatments and first aid actions.	Increases confidence in providing first aid.	Decreases stigmatising attitudes.	Increases the support provided to others.

"Really impressed. I am confident that my team gained a lot of knowledge and have already put this into practice in their daily work-life" - Sharmila

LEARN PRACTICAL FIRST AID SKILLS

- Recognise common mental health problems in Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people
- Provide initial help using a practical, evidence-based Action Plan
- Seek appropriate professional help, and
- Respond in a crisis situation

This is a 14-hour educational course, not a therapy or support group.

DATES 26th & 27th March
TIMES 8.30 - 4.30
COST Nil
VENUE Kennedy Room, Carnarvon Health Campus
FACILITATOR/S Burchell Drage, Nicole Ebner

HOW DO I SIGN UP?

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MENTAL HEALTH FIRST AID Australia

BECOME A MENTAL HEALTH FIRST AIDER

to support young people aged 12 to 18.

About 1 in 4 young Australians experience a common mental illness each year. Youth Mental Health First Aid (MHFA) training will teach you practical skills to support an adolescent with a mental health problem. Make a real difference to the young people in your community.

YOUTH MHFA TRAINING BENEFITS

KNOWLEDGE	CONFIDENCE	DE-STIGMATISING	SUPPORT
Improves knowledge of mental illnesses, treatments and first aid actions.	Increases confidence in providing first aid.	Decreases stigmatising attitudes.	Increases the support provided to others.

"I found the course to be truly beneficial and useful to me as I interact with secondary school students on a daily basis. I have gained the necessary tools to recognize and help those in need." - Luca

LEARN PRACTICAL FIRST AID SKILLS

- Recognise common mental health problems in young people
- Provide initial help using a practical, evidence-based Action Plan
- Seek appropriate professional help, and
- Respond in a crisis situation

This is a 14-hour educational course, not a therapy or support group.

DATES Tue 7th & Wed 8th April 20
TIMES 8.30am - 4.30pm
COST Free
VENUE Carnarvon Hospital Outpatients Centre
FACILITATOR/S Nicole Ebner & Burchell Drage

HOW DO I SIGN UP?

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Government of Western Australia
Department of Justice

Aboriginal Justice Program

GET HELP WITH IDENTIFICATION, FINES & DRIVERS LICENCE BUSINESS

The Aboriginal Justice Program is holding an **OPEN DAY** **"one-stop shop"** where you can get services to help you with identification, fines and drivers licence and Centrelink business.

GWOONWARDU MIA, Carnarvon

Wednesday 5 February 2020 9.30am – 3.30pm

Thursday 6 February 2020 9.30am – 3.30pm

Who will be at the Open Day

- **Registry of Births, Deaths and Marriages** – Need identification? Want to check if you and your children's births are registered? Register births!
  Birth Registrations FREE
  *Apply for Birth, Death and Marriage Certificates **$50.00** *Change of Name **$176.00**
- **Sheriff** - For queries on fines and make arrangements for time-to-pay.
- **Department of Transport** – Apply for driver's licence, WA Photo (ID) Card, driving assessments, hand in number plates, find out if you have lost your licence or are under suspension and other information about licensing services.
  *Theory Test **$19.60** *Learner's Permit **$99.30**
  *Log Book fee **$9.45** *WA Photo (ID) Card **$44.00**
- **Department of Human Services - Centrelink** – help with identification requirements for licensing and apply for Medicare Cards & Tax File Numbers.
- **Community Services** - Real Futures – Community Development Program (CDP) & Aboriginal Family Law Services (AFLS)

If is IMPORTANT to bring along your bank card or cash to pay for Birth Certificates, Photo Cards, Learner Permits and Driver Licences and as much other ID as you can:

- Birth Certificate
- EFTPOS/Credit Card
- Medicare Card
- Centrelink Card
- Proof of Age Card/WA Photo Card
- WA Construction Card
- Working with Children Card
- Bank statement, any official letter or bill from a Government agency or current employer with your residential address and is no more than 6 months old.

***Payment ($$$) to pay for Birth Certificates, WA Photo Cards, Learner Permits and Driver Licences *BSB Number and Bank Account Number for payment arrangements for fines**

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FAMILY SERVICES
where people matter

"EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST"

MENTAL HEALTH FIRST AID COURSE

Centacare Family Services Carnarvon will be holding a Mental Health First Aid course in March 2020 for the community of Carnarvon.

This 12-hour course outlines the risk factors, prevalence, impact and interventions for recovery from mental illness.

Cost: $100 – includes manual and light refreshments

For enquires and registration call Larry on 9941 4070.

Government of **Western Australia**
Mental Health Commission

Mental Health Commission

Invites you to

Trauma Informed Care and Practice

Thursday 13th February 2020 (Day 1)
9:00am to 4.30pm

Presented by
Grace Oh & Mark Lowery
Workforce Development, Mental Health Commission

Venue: TBA

Details: This workshop aims to assist individual workers and agencies to begin to implement trauma informed care and practice. This workshop will:

- Provide an overview of different types of trauma
- Describe the links between AOD, mental health issues and trauma
- Describe the impacts of trauma
- Explain the principles of trauma informed practice and care
- Provide participants with an opportunity to consider how to implement trauma informed care and practice in their agency and as an individual worker

This workshop is not intended to provide information about how to undertake specific trauma counselling

This training is free-of-charge and will be fully catered

Enquiries: Mark Lowery on 6553 0271 or
mark.lowery@mhc.wa.gov.au