



# School Newsletter

Term 4, Week 1

October 13, 2021

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## IMPORTANT THINGS TO REMEMBER

### Term 4, Week 2

Monday 18th October

Tuesday 19th October

Wednesday 20th October

Thursday 21st October

Friday 22nd October

Year 12 Graduation Assembly

Year 12 Mass and Graduation Dinner

ACM Meeting 7pm

Wadjiny 1:30pm

PS Assembly hosted by Year 1

PS Disco

### Week 3

Friday 29th October

Sock-tober Parade



### Week 4

Monday 1st November

Thursday 4th November

Friday 5th November

VISN Orientation

First Reconciliation Parent/Child Meeting 6:30pm

PS Assembly hosted by Year 2

World Teachers Day



## FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

Dear Parents, Teachers and Friends,

Welcome back to school for what promises to be another exciting and challenging term. In a little over 8 weeks the children will be finishing for the year. That makes the next two months critical in their education as they revisit prior learning and reinforce outcomes that may have been difficult to achieve earlier. Asking questions and seeking clarification from teachers is critical if children are to make progress.

### FAREWELL YEAR 12

At the end of this week, we farewell Tayissa, Helen, Tess, Tessa and Tara who will be leaving our school community to venture forth in life. All the girls have been wonderful ambassadors for St Mary's over the journey and I would like to thank them for their contribution to school life. Three of the girls, Tayissa, Tara and Tess, began their schooling at St Mary's and will ultimately finish at St Mary's. There will be a final assembly for the girls next Monday, and a Graduation Mass and Dinner on Tuesday evening.



### PRIMARY ASSEMBLY

The first primary assembly for this term will be held on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> October in the school hall beginning at 2:00 pm. All are welcome.

### MOBILE PHONES AT SCHOOL

A reminder to all parents that mobile phones are not to be brought to school. If your child requires to bring their phone to school they are expected to take their phone to the school office and collect it at the end of the day. Students who are found with mobile phones on the school grounds will have them confiscated for an indefinite period of time.

### YEAR 10 UNIFORM CHANGE

As from the beginning of 2022, the Year 10 students will have the option of wearing the senior secondary school uniform or the regular secondary uniform.

God Bless.

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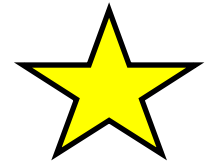
Steve O'Halloran  
Principal

# INTERSCHOOL ATHLETICS CARNIVAL 2021

## Congratulations to all our Primary School Students who completed in the Interschool Carnival!



Rank	House	Points
1	CCC	1737
2	SMS	1217
3	J.U.S.S COMBINED	1110
4	CCS	691



### Individual Champions

#### Year 1 Girls

3rd Place Angelina Ho 5 points

#### Year 2 Girls

3rd Place Amanda Bentley 5 points

#### Year 3 Girls

3rd Place Koleti Tonga 13 points

4th Place Indigo McKennay 11 points

#### Year 4 Boys

3rd Place Nate Soltoggio 13 points

4th Place Glenn Jordan 8 points

#### Year 4 Girls

3rd Place Jorja Hibbert 8 points

4th Place Madeline Bentley 5 points

Heidi Land 5 points

Cassie Capewell-Randall 5 points

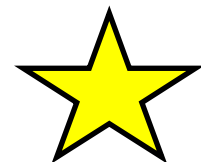
#### Year 6 Boys

4th Place Ethan Howard 5 points

Jake Munro 5 points

#### Year 6 Girls

1st Place Jannali Randall 34 points

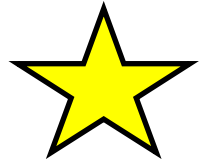


Interschool Athletics Carnival

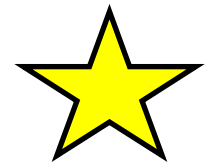


# Neon Disco 22<sup>nd</sup> October

**Place: School Hall**  
**K - Yr2 from 5pm - 6pm**  
**Yr3 - Yr6 from 6pm - 7pm**  
**Cost \$5**  
**Sausage sizzle**  
**Juice box**  
**Special treat**  
**&**  
**Glowstick**



ST MARY'S \$7  
*Frappé Fridays*  
*Numbers are Limited: 1st Come, 1st Serve*

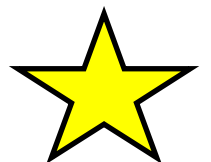
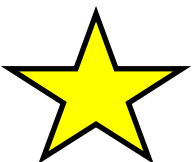


Available for 7-12 and Staff

7-9: Chocolate Only

10-12 + Staff: Coffee or Chocolate

Must place order in the MiniLit Room on Monday - Thursday mornings to receive on Friday Lunch. No orders taken on Fridays!





**ST MARY STAR OF THE SEA  
CATHOLIC SCHOOL**

**2022 KINDY TO YEAR 12  
ENROLMENTS NOW OPEN**

FOR MORE INFORMATION  
PLEASE DOWNLOAD AN APPLICATION FORM TODAY  
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EMAIL: [ADMIN@SMSC.WA.EDU.AU](mailto:ADMIN@SMSC.WA.EDU.AU)  
OR PHONE 99411 328

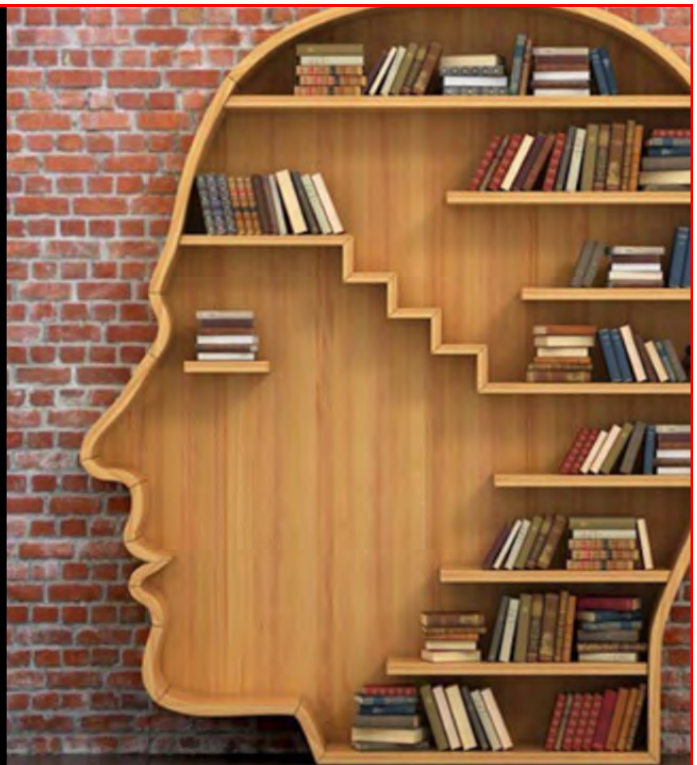
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**HIGH SCHOOL  
STUDY CLASS**

EVERY TUESDAY  
AND THURSDAY  
FROM 2:40PM TO  
3:40PM

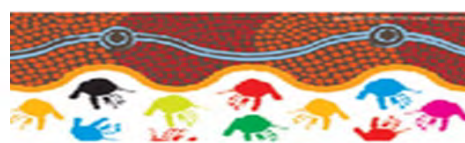


Aboriginal Families as First Educators Playgroup (AFaFE) is a play-based program that offers an engaging, interactive and fun-filled learning environment for Aboriginal children and their families.

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 are planning a superb year with painting, reading, building, constructing, creating, growing, laughing, exploring, imagining, singing and dancing!

If you or an aboriginal family you know could benefit from such a program, please contact the school office for further information.



## LOST PROPERTY

There are a number of jackets, lunch boxes and sports clothes in the lost property shelves outside the library— if your child is missing something, please ask them to go and check this area.

Please also remember to write your name on items of clothing— especially jackets!



The Uniform shop  
is open  
Tuesdays and  
Thursdays 2.15-3pm.



## ABSENT STUDENTS

Parents and guardians are reminded that all absentees must be documented either in the form of a signed note, email notification, SMS or the Absentee form via Seqta app. Your note should include the child's name, Year level, reason for absentee, dated and signed by the parent or guardian.

Please note—we still require written notification even if you have advised the school verbally. If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact the School on 9941 1328.

## INSTRUCTION TIMES

08:00	School gates open
08:15	Primary & Secondary commences
08:25 - 9:20	Period one commences
9:20 - 10:10	Period 2
<b>10:10 - 10:30</b>	<b>Recess</b>
10:30 - 11:20	Period 3
11:20 - 12:10	Period 4
<b>12:10 - 12:50</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
12:50 - 1:45	Period 5
1:45 - 2:35	Period 6

Students who arrive at School after 8.15am will need to sign in through the Administration Office.

## CARNARVON School Dental Therapy Clinic

The Carnarvon Dental Therapy Clinic has now closed and will re-open on Monday 25th October till Friday 19th November.

In the case of a dental emergency, please contact private dentist—99411882 or the hospital dental clinic on 99416690.



## Jewellery, Hair & Make-Up Reminder

A reminder of our school policies regarding jewellery, hair and make-up.

*No bangles, brooches or rings. Small religious necklaces are permitted. Any of these items of jewellery worn to school will be kept safely and returned to your child at the end of the school day. Only one pair of stud earrings or sleepers is permissible, to be worn in the lower lobes only. All other forms of body piercing are NOT acceptable.*

*Hair should be worn off the face. No hair colours. Shoulder length hair must be tied back. This applies to both boys and girls.*

*Make-up and nail varnish is not acceptable. Students will be asked to remove make-up and nail varnish. Nail extensions are also not permitted. Long nails are discouraged at school and must be taped when participating in PE.*

# DON'T FORGET!



 SCHOLASTIC

## Book Club

orders are due:

**FRIDAY 22<sup>ND</sup> OCTOBER**



## Term 4 Registrations Open Now!



Join up for fun, fitness and friendship!  
All our coaches are qualified by Gymnastics Australia.

Head to our Facebook page to sign up or email [gascoynegc@gmail.com](mailto:gascoynegc@gmail.com)

WAG Levels 1-3 and a Recreation Class available.

New Location - at the Baden Powell Hall  
5 Shallcross St, East Carnarvon

