

Dear Students, Families, Staff and carers,

Learning literacy through Information and Communication Technology

I wanted to share with you a lovely image of our R/1 students sharing the brand new set of laptops in use of our 8 Reception/Year 1 Classes. We were in the situation in which all students in Years 2-6 had been provided with their own laptop. Unfortunately, we didn't have any left for the Year 1 and Reception students. The teachers and students were begging for some laptops the same as the older students. I reached out to our friends at @AusSchoolsPlus and asked for support from their #CrisisAppeal and requested a grant of \$10,000. They generously responded by granting us this money. Accordingly, each of the classes will share these laptops on one or two days each week. If you look closely at these photos you can see the engagement in the faces of the children and that each child is completing a different task. As a school we are absolutely committed to promote literacy. However, we do not throw out the baby with the bath water. We favour a proper balance between screen time and books.



My colleague Professor of Education Pasi Sahlberg (University of NSW) sent me the link to his latest research into the use of technology. Interestingly, Pasi found that there are growing inequities in access to technology in terms of computers and internet access. We wish our students to have the best of both worlds.

“ There is a disparity between the students with access - some students cannot afford the latest devices and internet access and this poses challenges when schools increasingly expect them to access online resources. ”



KERRY WHITE
Principal

WE'RE
HAVING A



COFFEE CART!

MONDAY MAY 18TH
&
FRIDAY MAY 22ND

CHEEKY GRIN COFFEE WILL BE OUT FRONT TO CAFFEINE YOU DURING YOUR MORNING DROP-OFFS FROM 7:30AM

Staff and parents can access Coffee Cart which will be located inside the school near the big wooden cross (back of hall).

Parents cannot go any further on the school grounds at this stage unless to the front office or advised.

School vs Covid-19

What does being back at school after Covid-19 mean to you?

“I am happy to be at school so I can learn and be good” said Arjan, R/1GT.

“I get to see more of my friends and learn” said Mai-Anh, 4BP.

“I was happy to come back to school to see my friends” said Rachel, 2PN.

“I was looking forward to coming back to school so I could write in my book” said Zahra R, 2PN.

“I love to read to Mr Coad so it was good to be back at school” said Hayden, 3KC.

“I can see my friends and teachers again. When I got an email at home it was overwhelming because it all came at once. At school you get in stages and that makes it easier to get my work done” said Ethan, 5/6HM.

“The tasks get explained to you more at school and it’s more fun at school because I get to see my friends” said Nicky-Rose, 5/6AE.

I like going to school after COVID-19 because you get to talk to talk to your teachers straight away if you need help instead of emailing them and waiting for their answer. Seeing your friends face to face is really nice because if you message them online they might not be there at the same time and you can’t have a conversation” said Michelle, 5/6HM.

“I get to actually see my friends and catch up on work that I’ve missed and it’s sometimes a little hard to do work at home, but if you concentrate, then you are able to succeed” said Nhu, 4GM.

“I’m happy because I get to see my friends because I was lonely at home” said Ann, 4GM.

“Really excited because I can re-learn again and I get to be with my friends and have fun with all of my friends” said Jasmine, 4GM.

“Seeing my friends and not having to email them, just being able to see them” said Isabelle, 4GM.

“It feels safe here and the teachers make us wash our hands and keep our distance. I can do my work” said Sampann, 4GM.

“I’m more happier because at home I used to get bored and fight with my brother” said Manseerat, 4GM.

“It is fun because I can hang out with my friends. I haven’t seen them in weeks” said Chelsea, 4GM.

“It’s much more exciting at school now that everyone’s back because now I don’t have to be bored at home” said Aiden, 4GM.

“It feels good to be back and we need to stay safe and healthy” said Darcy, 4GM.

“It feels really good. When I was at home in quarantine, it felt like I wasn’t. I felt like I was at school the whole time” said Jake, 4GM.

INTERNATIONAL COMPETITIONS AND ASSESSMENTS FOR SCHOOL 2020

If you wish your child/ren to participate in ICAS - International Competitions and Assessments for School 2020 please complete the form below. Please return the registration form to the office with the entry fee/s by **Friday 29 May 2020**.

*Please note that this is only for students in Year 2 upwards
Digital Technologies is only for Student in Year 3 upwards*

I give permission for my child to participate the ICAS—International Competitions and Assessments for School 2020.

Student Name: _____

Class: _____

Year level: _____

Parent name: _____

| | Subject | Test Date | Entry Fee |
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| | Digital Technologies | Monday 24 August | \$15.95 |
| | Science | Monday 17 August | \$15.95 |
| | Spelling | Monday 31 August | \$15.95 |
| | English | Tuesday 25 August | \$15.95 |
| | Mathematics | Tuesday 1 September | \$15.95 |

Registration and payment may also be completed through the QKR app.





Term 2 Week 3

Parents & Friends NEWSLETTER 2020

TERM 2

Happy Mother's Day

Thank you to Luisa, Angela and Ms Hong for helping at the Mothers Day Gift shop on Friday. It went very well along with our new online gift purchasing through QKR.



CONGRATULATIONS to the Mother's Day Gift Pack winners

- Lisa Berry
- Renee Warren
- Amanda Tarrant



P&F Community

Currently we are doing things a little differently as there are parent restrictions. Fundraising events are on hold until further notice.

For Further Information

Call or Email Luisa or Adam

Phone: 8250 6616

EMAIL: pandf@holyfamily.catholic.edu.au

Please be aware that to volunteer in the P&F or for any school events, class support and excursions, you do need a current Catholic Police Check clearance.

To get your Catholic police clearance. Apply in the Office or click on the link below

[Volunteers Induction Pack](#)

Fill in the form and return to office with 100 points of ID for your Police Clearance



Parking Around Schools

Due to the chaotic nature of traffic around schools at peak times, streets can be an extremely dangerous place for children.

Young children have not yet fully developed their cognitive abilities and therefore their perception, judgement and awareness of potentially dangerous situations is not adequately developed to enable them to cope with the road traffic.

Children are not easily visible and often act impulsively, which means if you are driving around a school take special care, to ensure we keep our children safe. Remember that children copy grown-ups - encourage good road sense by watching them closely and leading by example.

5 Helpful Tips for School Zones

As parents and caregivers we have a great responsibility to ensure children stay safe in school zones. We also play a key role in educating children about road safety. Here are 5 helpful tips for safety in school zones:

1. Allow enough time to take your child to the school gate safely and without rushing.
2. Always observe parking signs and speed limits in and around school zones. They are designed to keep your child safe.
3. Talk about signs and traffic lights with your child. Identify and discuss places where it is safe to get out of the car and cross the road.
4. Teach your child how to cross the road using the 'stop, look and listen' process – stop at the kerb, look and listen for traffic and then decide whether it is safe to cross.
5. Park a few streets away and walk your child to school. This is also good exercise and helps teach your child road safety rules.

Behaviours to Avoid

- Speeding
- Double parking
- Parking too close to an intersection
- Parking across driveways
- Parking too close to pedestrian crossings



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Common Traffic Signs

The City of Salisbury has implemented a comprehensive traffic management and parking scheme in the streets surrounding your child's school to help make it a safe place.

Going against the road rules places not only your child's life at risk, but those of others. Tragedies can occur if care is not taken to abide by these rules. Below are some explanations of signs that are placed around schools to ensure your child stays safe.



No Parking Signs

Drop off and pick up only. You must not queue or wait here. The driver must remain with the vehicle.



No Parking Signs

The same rules apply as the previous 'No Parking' sign, however, the rules only apply during the times and days shown on the sign.



No Stopping Signs

You must not stop in a 'No Stopping' area at anytime. Drop off and pick up is not allowed even for the briefest



Yellow Kerb Lines

An unbroken yellow kerb line is a no stopping line and therefore the same rules apply as for a 'No Stopping' sign.



Bus Zone Signs

You must not stop within a bus zone at any time. This zone is only available to public buses.



Obstruct Driveways

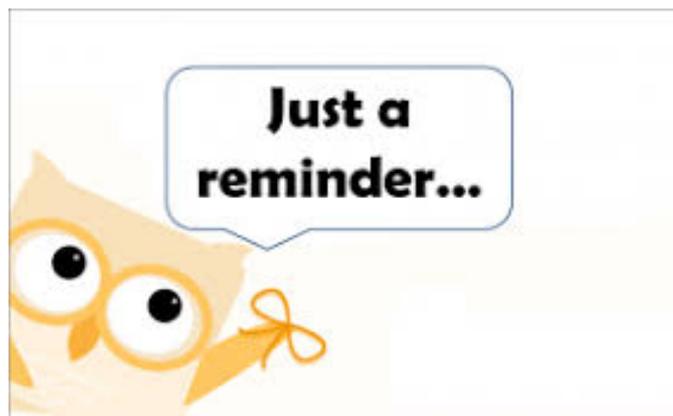
A vehicle must not obstruct an entrance way or crossing point to a property, even if it is your own.

Reserves, Footpaths & Verges

It is an offence to drive or park on a reserve, footpath or dividing strip and could cause an accident, injure a pedestrian or damage property.



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| FEES | Tuition Fees for Term 2 have been invoiced |
| STATEMENTS | Statements available upon request in Term 2 |
| COVID-19 FEE REMISSION | Form available from our website under "Parent Resources" or use this link ; and at the front office. |
| PAYMENT METHODS | We still accept all methods of payment including cash . QKR App can be used for Fees and OSHC too. |
| UNIFORM SHOP OPEN | Monday - 8.30am to 9.30am Wednesday - 2.30pm to 3.30pm Thursday - 8.30am to 9.30am |
| ENTERTAINMENT BOOK | See pages following. All digital. 12 months commences from date of purchase. |
| SCHOOL TIMES | 8.50am - School Day Starts 10.20am to 10.40am - Recess 12.40pm to 12.50pm - Lunch Eat Time 12.50pm to 1.30pm - Lunch Play Time 3pm - School Day Ends |



FROM THE APRIM

Last Sunday, was Mother's Day, here are some of Pope Francis's thoughts on Mothers. "So, Let's remember with appreciation all mothers, even our mothers in heaven particularly throughout the world at this time of the [coronavirus] pandemic."

"To be a mother is a great treasure through their sacrifices, mothers assist in helping society to overcome its self-centred tendencies, as well as its lack of openness, generosity and concern for others."

"Mothers, are often taken advantage of because of their availability. Not even the Christian community values them properly, despite the eminent example of the Mother of Jesus."

"All of us give credit to our mothers for life and many other things, but not always are they listened to or helped in everyday life. In this sense motherhood is more than childbearing; it is a life choice entailing sacrifice, respect for life, and commitment to passing on those human and religious values which are essential for a healthy society."

"This maternal martyrdom, consists of a mother's ability to offer herself in silence, prayer and total surrender, "without any fanfare," to her motherly duties. A mother's sensitivity "to all that threatens human life and welfare is a source of enrichment for society and the Church," observing how it is common in moments of difficulty to encounter the tenderness, dedication and moral strength of our mothers."

"Mothers, often give the first roots of the faith, the ones that permeate deepest; without them not only would the faithful be lost, but also a good part of the deepest fire of our faith".

We need to thank all mothers for what they are and for all that they give to the Church and to our world."

Pope Francis concluded his midday address by recalling that Mother's Day is celebrated in many countries today. "I wish to remember with gratitude and affection all mothers, and entrust them to the protection of Mary, our mother in heaven." He remembered too "the mothers who have gone to the other life and accompany us from heaven." Then addressing his global audience, Francis asked people to spend a moment in silence and "let each of us remember our own mother."

MICHAEL URDANOFF
APRIM



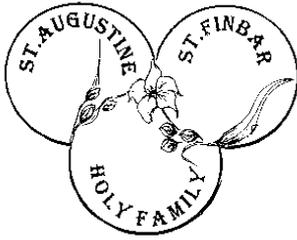


MOTHER'S DAY

We would like to say thank you to the following:

- Our parents and friends committee for organising the purchase of the Mother's Day gifts;
- A special thank you to Luisa for organising the Raffle (*congratulations to the winners*) and the selling of the gifts under unusual circumstances. Due to Covid-19 Luisa had to make all the gifts available for sale through the QKR App, with the left over gifts being sold from the hall;
- To Angela, Hong and Luisa for helping sell the left over gifts;
- To our parents and carers for their understanding and ability to adapt to the changes.





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SALISBURY CATHOLIC PARISH**

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**SUNDAY MASS TIMES
*Orario delle Messe***

(Masses & Liturgical
Services temporarily
suspended until
further notice
- to mitigate the spread
of the Coronavirus)

**17th May 2020
SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
(Year A)**

WELCOMING NEW ARCHBISHOP

Dear Parishioners and Friends,

This is a moment of Great Joy for the Archdiocese of Adelaide as we welcome our new Archbishop, Most Reverend Patrick O'Regan as the 12th Bishop of Adelaide and the ninth Archbishop. On behalf of everyone in Salisbury parish, I would like to warmly welcome Archbishop Patrick O'Regan to the Archdiocese of Adelaide. Australian Catholic Bishops Conference President Archbishop Mark Coleridge said Bishop O'Regan has "shown himself to be a man of unusual gifts, one of which is his deep sense of pastoral care for the people entrusted to his care and another of which is his quirky sense of humour". The Installation Ceremony for our incoming Archbishop will take place in St Francis Xavier's Cathedral at 10.30am on Monday, May 25th, the Solemnity of Our Lady Help of Christians, Patroness of Australia. Because of the circumstances around COVID-19, most of us won't be able to participate in the ceremony in person, but we will have an opportunity to watch the livestreaming of the ceremony.

What is the role of a Bishop? By definition, a bishop is one who enjoys "the fullness of the sacrament of order" (Decree on the Bishops' Pastoral Office in the Church, 15) and the office of bishop is the primary pastoral office of the local Church, the diocese. The role of the bishop is a series of dynamic interrelationships. On the one hand, the bishop has the pastoral care of the particular church entrusted to him, while, at the same time, he is responsible with the other bishops for the apostolic mission of the Church (CCC1560). The bishop is both the sign of unity within a diocese as well as a minister of unity between the local church and the universal church under the authority of the Pope, successor of St. Peter. The Eucharist, celebrated by the bishop, witnesses, in a most significant way, to the Church gathered around the altar, with the one who represent Christ, the Good Shepherd and Head of his Church (CCC1561).

Despite all the restrictions, this special moment in the history of the Archdiocese of Adelaide affords every family in the archdiocese, an opportunity to participate in celebrating the arrival of a new Bishop. Remembering that the family is the domestic church and the foundation of all understanding of what it means to be Church; the following are a few suggestions for families to celebrate our faith, our new Archbishop and our identity as the domestic Church:

- (1) Watch together the livestreaming of the installation ceremony happening in cathedral. Explain to children about what is happening
- (2) Share the family faith story. Talk about the importance of your Catholic faith to your family's life. Share the story of the diocesan faith story by researching the history of your parish or of the diocese.
- (3) If possible as family, write a welcome letter to the new Archbishop. Smaller children could draw a picture of their family and send it to Bishop Patrick.
- (4) Each night at the family meal, pray for the new Bishop.

Blessings and good wishes

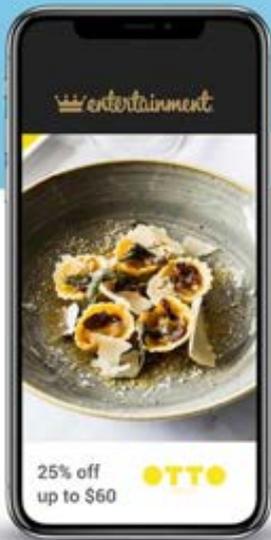
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Please see next page for further information.

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*Please contact us by 1st May 2020.



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Bookclub cont'd

UNIFORM SHOP

Winter Uniform is as follows:

GIRLS:

- Pinafore (Reception to Year 4);
- Skirt (Years 5 & 6);
- Cream blouse with logo;
- Tie;
- Red Jumper
- Black knee hi socks or black tights.



BOYS:

- Black trousers with Holy Family logo;
- Long sleeved striped Holy Family shirt;
- Tie;
- Red Jumper;
- Black socks with Holy Family stripe.



SPORTS: (Boys and Girls)

- Holy Family trackpants;
- Holy Family zip jacket (optional);
- Holy Family striped polo shirt;
- White sport socks with Holy Family stripe.

**Winter uniform
is required for
Terms 2 and 3,
and is now
available from
the Uniform
Shop.**

Changes in the Uniform Shop - *due to Covid-19*

To keep in line with the current "Social Distancing" requirements and virus concerns we have had to implement some changes in the Uniform Shop as follows:

- Number of people in the shop not to exceed 4 customers;
- Uniforms can be purchased using the QKR App but CANNOT be returned or exchanged, please ensure you know correct sizing prior.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

School routines:

- **SCHOOL START** - School starts at 8.50am, children must be under supervision of adults at all times. Yard Duty begins at 8.30am, if they arrive earlier they need to attend OSHC;
- **LATE ARRIVALS** - If your child is later than 8.50am they **must** sign in at Student Reception;
- **SCHOOL FINISH** - School finishes at 3pm if you **cannot** collect your child by 3.10pm, they need to go to OSHC;
- **PICK UP/DROP OFF SAFETY** - Please use the Kiss and Drop Zone and **DO NOT** drop off your children in the car parks or park in Disabled Zones ... it is illegal;
- **SAFETY** - Please don't walk on the driveways, use the footpaths, don't walk in or out of the vehicle entry/exit gates;
- **LABELLING** - please label all removable clothing (ie. jumpers, jackets, hats), label school bags, drink bottles, lunch boxes and anything else your child may bring;
- **PERSONAL ITEMS** - No toys, electronics or sports equipment to be brought to school (laptops available for lease Years R-1 and provided for Years 2-6, sports equipment available from class teacher);
- **NUT FREE** - A reminder we are a **nut free** school. This includes but is not limited to Nutella, Peanut Butter and some muesli bars.
- **STAFF CAR PARK** - The inside carpark is for STAFF only.
- **GATES** - All gates are locked everyday at 9.15am and re-opened at 2.15pm. During these times you must come through the front office and sign in.

Laptops

The laptops are a great tool for the students. Here are a few tips for looking after them:

- No food or drink near the laptop;
- Store in a safe and dry area;
- Use in a dry area (ie not near sinks or wash areas);
- Do not run or walk with the laptop in the open position;
- Do not run with the laptop;
- Always ensure the protective cover is on and not tampered with.






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