

BRIGHT Star



Term 3 | Newsletter 1



FROM THE PRINCIPAL

WELCOME BACK!

Welcome back to our existing families and to our new families a very warm welcome to our school community. We hope you are refreshed and ready for another busy term ahead. The students have returned with excitement, smiles on their faces and classrooms have been buzzing with activity. The staff returned to a day of professional learning where the continued focus was on the Science of Learning and embedding this into our practice and planning. Our dedicated teams participated in a variety of sessions to upskill themselves in Literacy, Numeracy and best teaching practices to enhance our students' learning.

TERM 3 VIRTUE

This term we focus on the school Virtue of Joy. Joy at Corpus Christi is characterised by positive emotions and a sense of belonging. We celebrate the little and big achievements of our friends around us. Students will focus on celebrating, success, encouragement and positivity in the first five weeks of this term.

OLYMPIC SPIRIT

As many households around the world are tuned in to the Olympic Games, it is a wonderful opportunity to discuss with our children the important lessons we can learn from these amazing athletes. We witness resilience, determination, gratitude, joy and disappointment, just to name a few emotions. A huge congratulations to former student, Maddison Brooks, who is representing Australia in womens hockey at her first Olympic Games. Her determination and achievements are such an inspiration to our students.

SUPPORTED LEARNING

This week students from Prep to Grade 6 began their morning intervention groups. The Learning Hub has been a busy space for these students and I thank families for their support in getting students to school slightly earlier. These intervention groups are an example of our whole school approach to teaching and learning where students do not miss out on core learning time within their classrooms. We look forward to another busy term of learning experiences and activities.



PRAYER & REMINDERS

Almighty God,
We give you our school.
We give you all the teachers and staff who work here,
We give you all the children who learn here.
We pray our school will continue to be a place of great discovery, adventure and creativity.
May it be a place where we love to learn and where we learn to love,
A place where everyone is respected and all are deeply valued.
We ask all this through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.



PARKING

Bignell Street & Alma Street pick up lanes

- Please remain in your car when picking up students. This allows for ease of traffic flow.
- If your child is not at pick up please keep moving through and circle around.

Top Alma Street car park

- We have 2 disability car parks and kindly ask that these are left for our families who require them both before school and after school pick up.



UNIFORM

- The students are looking so smart in their uniforms. We ask that students wear the uniform correctly and with pride. Please refer to the uniform policy or ask your child's teacher if unsure of what is required.




CANTEEN

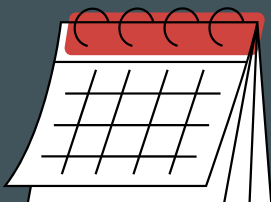
- The school canteen Kipli Kitchen will reopen on Wednesday 14th August. A new look menu and more information to come next week.

SCHOOL CALENDAR





KEY DATES



TERM 3

22 JULY – 27 SEPTEMBER

August

19-23 Book Week (+ book fair)
21 Book Week parade
12-16 Catholic Education Week

September

16 - 17 Parent Teacher Conferences
18 Athletics Carnival
23 - 26 Grade 6 Canberra trip
27 Sports Colours Day

THIS FORTNIGHT AT A GLANCE

TUESDAY 6 AUGUST

Faith Sharing Session 4

3.30pm - 6pm

WEDNESDAY 7 AUGUST

Bush Kinder

9.30am - 12pm

Faith Sharing Session 4

3.30pm - 6pm

FRIDAY 9 AUGUST

Grade 5/6 Sport & Drama

All day

TUESDAY 13 AUGUST

Grade 4 Science Week

visit to Mackillop

9am - 11am

THURSDAY 15 AUGUST

KG Bush Kinder

12pm - 2pm

FRIDAY 16 AUGUST

Grade 5/6 Sport & Drama

All day

WELLBEING



Tuesday the 30th July 2024 was International Day of Friendship. This day emphasises the importance of friendship as a means of fostering peace, harmony, and understanding among people and cultures worldwide. This day encourages us to appreciate the friendships we have and to make new ones. It is a chance to understand that friendships can cross borders, cultures and languages.

[Click here to learn more about the International Day of Friendship](#)



Wellbeing Wednesdays

grade 1, 2
3 and 4

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| WED 7TH AUG | MAKE A CHAIN OF STRENGTH | |
| WED 14TH AUG | GUIDED IMAGERY MEDITATION | |
| WED 21ST AUG | MAKE A THANK YOU CARD | |
| WED 28TH AUG | DECORATE A MINDFUL STONE | |
| WED 4TH SEP | FUNNY FACE COLLAGES | |
| WED 11TH SEP | EMOTION ARTWORK | |
| WED 18TH SEP | SMILING MIND MEDITATIONS | |

TERM 3, RECESS TIME - 11:10AM
LOCATION: TO BE CONFIRMED
THEME: MINDFULNESS

MAKE today GREAT

SUSTAINABILITY



the garden of JOY

On Friday students from Grade 3-6 had a wonderful time working together to fill the garden beds in the 'Garden of Joy' which Mr. Brighella built over the holidays to celebrate our 100 days of school. It was a fun and hands-on experience as they learned about compost, worms, and alpacas! A big thank you to the family members who came to support and help with the garden - your involvement made the day even more special for our students!



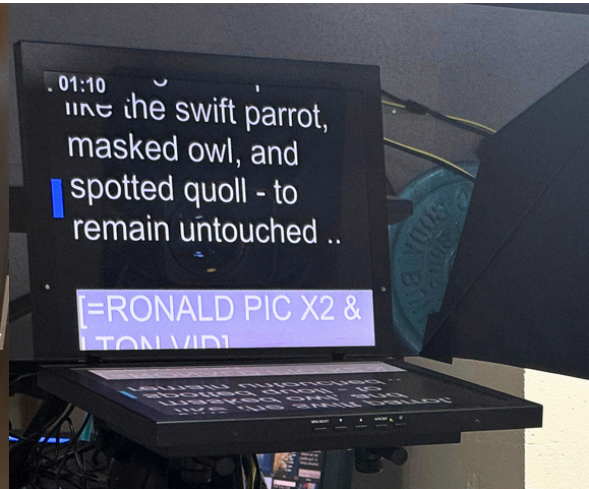
OTHER NEWS



stop motion excursion



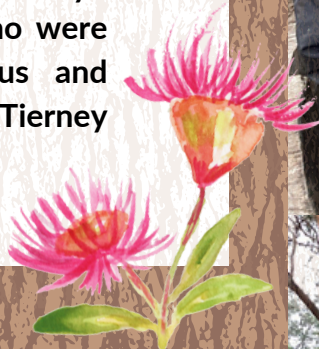
At the end of last term, the CC Univeristy Stop Motion group visited the Southern Cross Austereo studio in Hobart, to see how green screens are used in real life. We were lucky enough to have a look around the radio and television studios and we saw how they record and broadcast stories across different areas of Tasmania, the rest of Australia and overseas. It was interesting to see how the storage of stories in the archives has changed throughout time. Some of us were also able to do a reading of the news using the prompt reader - not as easy as it looks!

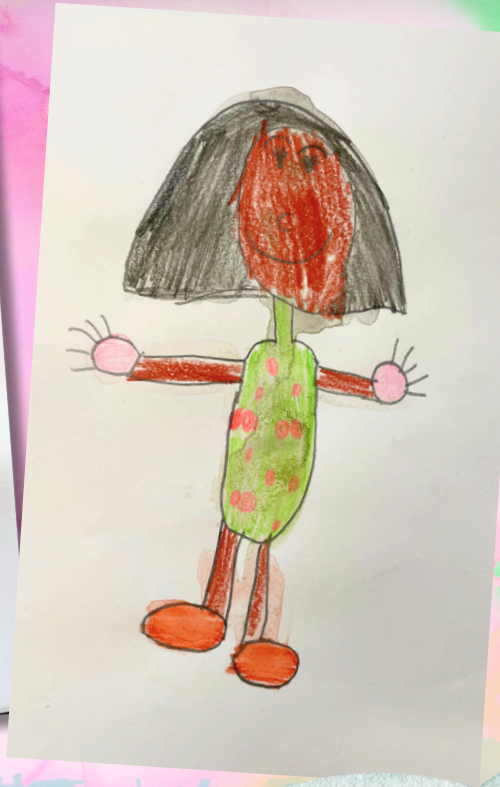


KINDERGARTEN



We loved welcoming our families to play with us in the Nature Play Space last week. The mud kitchen, digging pit and ropes were popular choices, as well as roasting marshmallows over the fire. Thank you to the families who were able to join us and thanks to Mrs Tierney for supporting the afternoon.





In Visual Art, Prep has been working on self-portraits. We drew them in grey lead and then coloured them using watercoloured pencils.



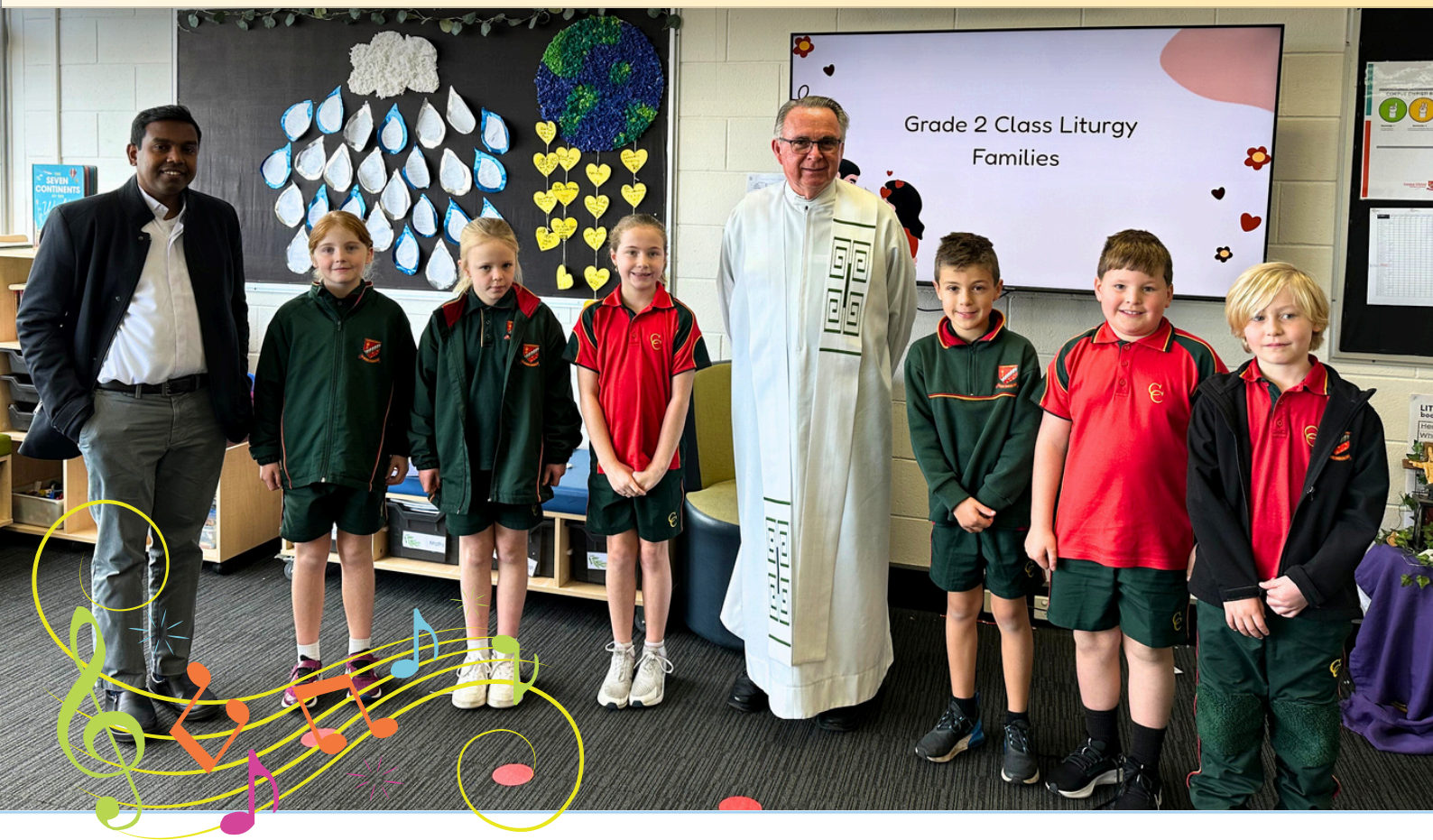
GRADE ONE



Grade 1 children have enjoyed learning about, and exploring NAIDOC Week. We have created art, engaged in drama and role play, and read stories from the Dreamtime.



GRADE TWO



Last Friday, we welcomed Fr Mark and Fr Kasun to our class Liturgy. The students were respectful, reverent and welcoming. The students had the opportunity to sing two prayer songs 'One Holy Family' and 'A Life of Love'. We prayed for our families and families all around the world.



GRADE THREE



Grade 3 really enjoyed their time participating in some 'Theatre Sports' this week. In this the children participated in whole class activities to encourage them to respond to verbal prompts both verbally and physically. Each prompt ensured much laughter and a great time had by all!

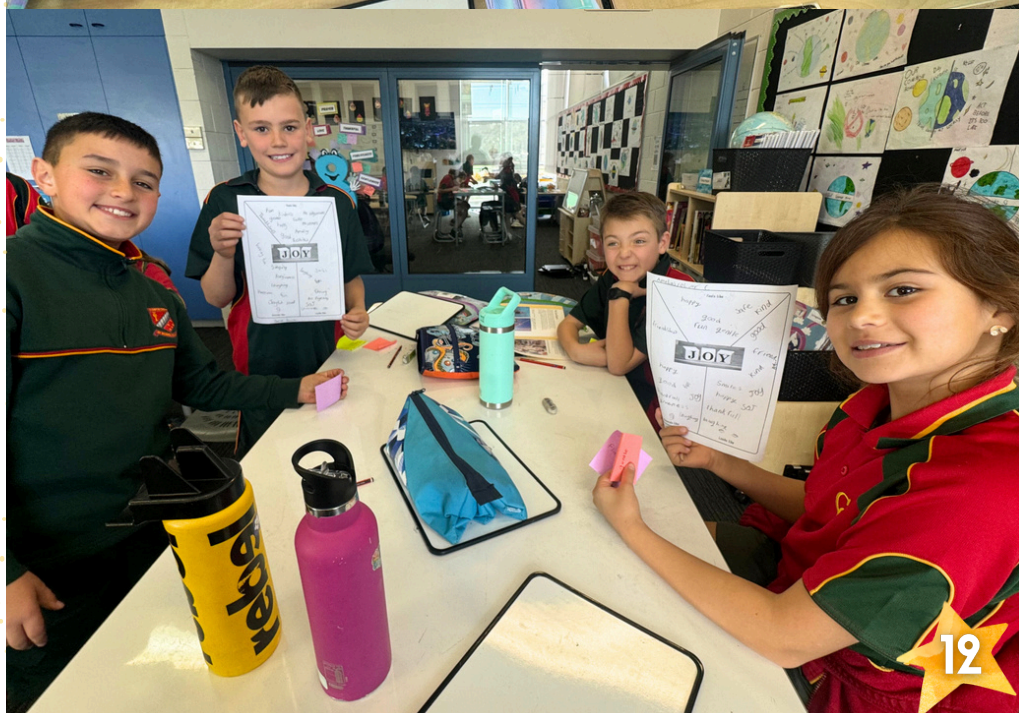
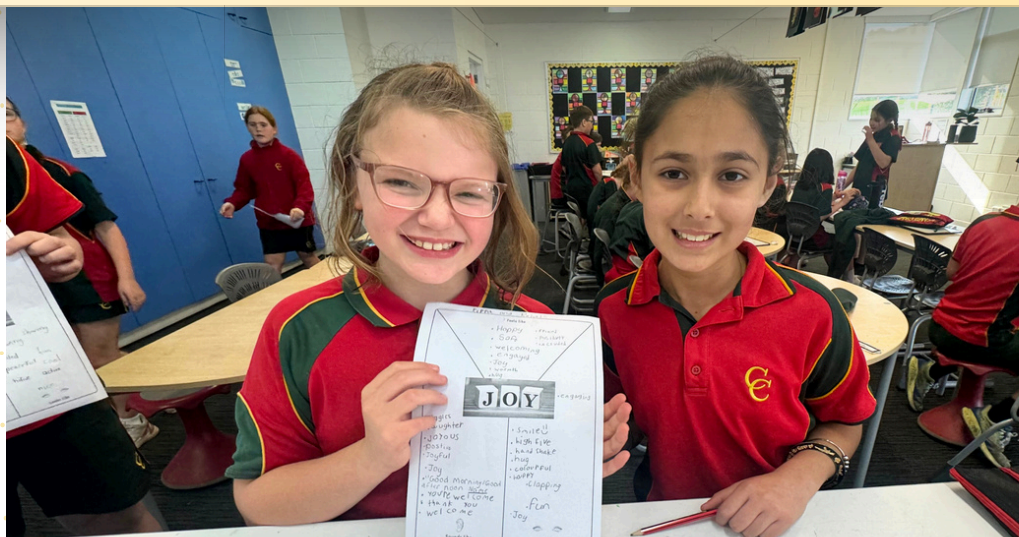


GRADE FOUR



Grade 4 have started the term by looking at what brings us joy and how we bring joy to other people. We completed a Y chart about what joy feels like, sounds like and looks like in our classroom and school. This term, we are trying to bring joy to other people through what we say, what we do and how we treat others.

Joy



GRADE FIVE



Last week Grade 5 welcomed Mr Dobson from Marine And Safety Tasmania (MAST) to provide our students with all the important safety checks and requirements to help us to stay safe in and around the water.



GRADE SIX



On Tuesday, the Year 6 students competed in the Potato Olympics. Each potato represented a country which we will be exploring further throughout the course of the 2024 Olympic Games. The students measured the weight, height and width of their potato as well as how far it rolled when it was dropped. We compared the measurements in groups of three to award a gold, silver and bronze medal. Fun was had by all!



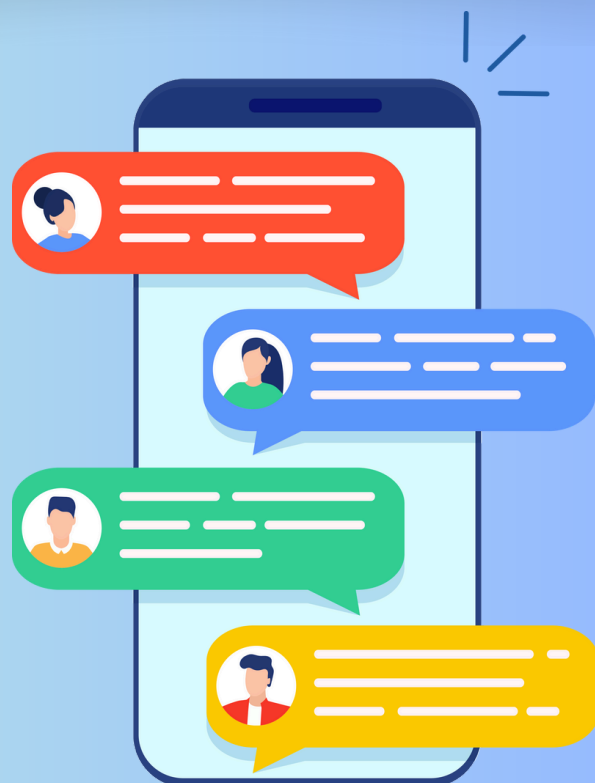


WAY TO GO!

We would like to congratulate Heidi Lambert on making the National Club's Team for Level 5 gymnastics. The top 6 gymnasts were chosen to compete on the Gold Coast later this year, with Heidi managing to take out first place. Awesome work Heidi and good luck!

GET IN TOUCH!

At Corpus we would like to recognise the achievements of all of our students who work hard to achieve state representation in any sporting field. As we look to celebrate the hard work, dedication and achievement academically throughout our school, we would equally like to celebrate the same in sporting based pursuits. If your child has been selected to represent as state and you are happy to have this celebrated via our newsletter, please email justin.brasnja@catholic.tas.edu.au with the details and we will feature them in our next available newsletter.



SPORTS



JSSATIS 3/4 & 5/6 BASKETBALL TEAMS



COMMUNITY



Setup for SUCCESS

BIRTH TO 5 PROGRAM

BREAKFAST CLUB

7.45am-8.10am every morning
in the Corpus Christi Hall 



AFTER SCHOOL Chess

EVERY MONDAY 3-4PM STARTING JULY 29

suitable for all levels and experience, new players more than welcome!



\$40 FOR AN 8 WEEK PROGRAM

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Icing on the Cake

LANGUAGE DEVELOPMENT
Group Program

An interactive group program for pre-school
aged children and their parents.

Building **language and pre-literacy skills**
through book sharing!

8 Sessions

During the day at the SPT Clinic (110 Elizabeth St)

INCLUDING:

- Individual pre-program consultation
- 6 group sessions
- Post-program feedback and report session with practical advice on language & pre-literacy development.

Cost \$125 per session

REGISTER your interest BELOW



FINAL Hobart Cyclo-cross Come & Try

No commitment, No pressure
and No experience required

Event Details:

- 10:30am - 11am
- Sunday August 11th
- Old Rosny Golf park, Rosny Hill Rd, Rosny Park, 7018
- Register @ ridenation.com.au



Welcome back to *The Heart*

We welcome Old Scholars, past staff and members
of our College community to visit us and join a tour
of present day Sacred Heart.

Walk the halls, reminisce, connect with familiar
faces and enjoy afternoon tea and a chat.

Saturday 10 August 2024 - 2.00pm - 4.00pm

Starting in MacKillop Court - Follow the Signs



Update your
details so we can
stay in touch

Sacred Heart College
2 Cross Street New Town
6279 4090 | admin@shc.tas.edu.au



Hello! Dan here.

I'm a music teacher.

I have been tutoring students at Corpus Christi since Term 1
It has been a privilege!

When: Friday 3:30pm onwards

Instruments: Flute, Clarinet, Saxophone, at all skill levels

Where: Corpus Christi School Grounds

Fees: \$25 for 20 min lesson | OR | \$30 for 30 min lesson

Contact: danslackman@gmail.com