Sacred Heart College Yarrawonga

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We acknowledge and pay respect to the peoples of the Yorta Yorta Nation, including the eight clan groups, as the traditional and ongoing custodians of the land on which we gather today and we recognise that it continues to be sacred to them. We Hail them: As guardians of the earth and of all things that grow and breed in the soil; As trustees of the waters – the seas, the streams and rivers, the ponds and the lakes and the rich variety of life in those waters. Commitment to Child Safety

Sacred Heart College Yarrawonga is committed to the safety and wellbeing of all students at the College. As a Catholic school, we are entrusted with the holistic education of the child, in partnership with parents, guardians and caregivers who are the primary educators of their children. Sacred Heart College will implement the Child Safe Standards to ensure the safety and wellbeing of all students at the College and promote an organisational culture that manages the risk of child abuse and neglect.

From the Principal

Welcome to Term 3

Our Year Nine students are enjoying 33 degree temperatures as they explore Kakadu and Litchfield National Parks and take in the beautiful scenery on the Yellow Water cruise and the iconic Nourlangie Rock. This is a great experience for our students and we thank the staff that are accompanying them on their journey. Opposite, sunset cruise and Will with the croc.





Year Ten Work Experience

Our Year Ten students will engage in a week of work experience next week. Students are engaging in a range of different sectors both locally and further afield in Melbourne. This is a wonderful opportunity for our students to explore potential careers and is very timely as our students prepare to select their senior subjects. We wish them all the best as they make the most of this great opportunity. Photos are included in this newsletter.



Senior School Subject Selection & Subject and Careers Expo

The College will hold subject information sessions for students entering Year Ten and Eleven in 2024. These sessions will be held on Wednesday, 26th July and commence at 5.30pm. This will be followed by a Careers and Subject Expo, commencing at 12.30pm on Thursday, 27th July in the MPB. Representatives from universities, registered training organisations, Victoria Police and local industry will be presenting at the Expo. Both of these events are great opportunities to ask questions and enquire about the different pathways offered at the College. Full flyer attached to this newsletter.



School Dental Health Initiative

After several years in recess, the Dental Health Van will return to the College. Very soon your child will bring home some information about the program, including consent forms. It would be greatly appreciated if these could be returned to the College prior to August the 4th. If you have not received a form, contact the office or download via PAM, Daily Notices.



Building Works

The building and refurbishment works are progressing well with the demolition works completed and the framing of the new science laboratories under way. The concrete slab for the new toilets has also been poured this week.

Student Free Day

Families are reminded that next Friday, 21st July is a student free day to allow staff to complete Professional Development. This does not impact the Year Nine camp or Year Ten work experience program.

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Homework Club

Families are reminded that the Homework Club operates at the College each week.
This is a great resource for students and a free service to families. Please see attached flyer.

Update student records

It is important that student records be accurate in the College's register. As per the College' Enrolment Agreement, It is the parent's responsibility to provide the College accurate and up to date information if the student's details change. Please log on to your family's PAM account and check the information the College has regarding your child(ren), paying particular attention to medical conditions, addresses & phone numbers for both the child and the parents and emergency contact details.

Sacred Heart Students' Vegetable Journey

A group of Year 7 students at Sacred Heart College have been growing vegetables, harvesting our own crops, and making soup. With the help of our teacher Mrs Gleeson, we have learnt how to grow vegetables from seeds. We planted them in the spring and took care of them by giving them water, sunlight, and nutrients. It was fascinating to see how the plants grew day by day.

After a while, our garden was filled with different vegetables like tomatoes, zucchini, potatoes, lemons, passionfruit, spinach, carrots, silverbeet and herbs. They looked so colourful and healthy! When the vegetables were ready to be harvested, we picked them carefully and packed them up for teachers and people in our community.





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Subject Selection & Careers Expo

Wednesday 26th July

Subject Selection Information Session

5.30 to 6.30pm Year 10 2024 - SA Block

5.30 to 6.30pm Year 11 2024 - Mercy Centre

Thursday 27th July Careers Expo

12.30pm - 4.00pm (MPB Enter off Witt Street)

For Sacred Heart students, parents and carers.





















For more information contact the College on 03 5742 1300 Web: www.shcy.vic.edu.au

Where your child will aspire and be inspired.

Catholic IDENTITY

By Lucienne Camenzuli

We have just celebrated NAIDOC Week as a nation. With this in mind and Year 9 Students exploring the life and culture of the Northern Territory, we pray for the Indigenous people of Australia, to honour their nations' cultures and contributions.

Creator God.

We look at your world and praise you for the diversity all around us.

Thank you for the gift of relationships; our connection with people, animals and the land.

Help us, Lord, to see differences and diversity as strengths.

Help us to listen and understand.

Help us to love as you love, without expectation.

Guide us into right relationships with all living things.

Help us to listen compassionately, to speak humbly and to act justly.

Help us to seek peace, justice and reconciliation

Amen.

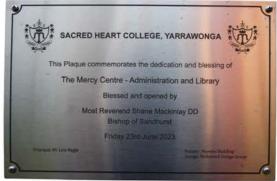
Sacred Heart Day Mass

This year we welcomed Sacred Heart Day with great anticipation.

The College celebrated a 60 year milestone in the community as well as celebrating the official opening and blessing of the newly completed Mercy Centre. As is tradition, Sacred Heart Primary and SHC College celebrated together. The success of liturgical events and celebrations like the Feast Day of the Sacred Heart rely upon strong participation, and again this year, the MPB was full to capacity. Special guests from Catholic Education Sandhurst, past College members and students, and our local community celebrated with great enthusiasm.

Faith and Justice Leaders and students from across year levels contributed alongside SHP students in leading the Mass, and it is this combination that is so unique in the delivery of this special Liturgy. Having Bishop Shane Mackinlay celebrate the Mass and bless the Mercy Centre was a highlight of the occasion. So was the Primary students' enthusiastic voices and movements to the hymns. Our thoughts were also with Father Steve in his absence and we hold fond memories of his many celebrations with us in the past.











Great new reads in the Library #9

This Summer's Secrets by Emily Barr 2023

Senara lives in a sleepy Cornish seaside village. Sleepy, until the summer tourist season, or until the owners of the gothic looking 'Cliff House' visit from the city. Despite herself Senara is dragged into the rich lifestyle of the owners, and not only falls in love, but also becomes part of an old mystery surrounding the house and the townspeople.

A Cornish thriller with love and a dark heart.



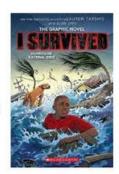
A Giant's Trek by Nick Stella 2023

Ash isn't the biggest giant, and certainly not a fearsome warrior like his twin brother Oak. Oak will take over from his father as the village chief. Ash, despite what the other villagers think, wants to learn incantation: the magic of wood, stone, water, and fire. Now that they are twelve, they must go on a dangerous trek to prove themselves as giant warriors and bring back something to help defend their village. Will they survive the vicious prowling wolves that threaten all whom live in the village as well as all the other dangers along the way?



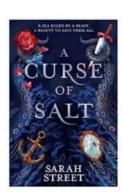
I Survived Hurricane Katrina, 2005 by Lauren Tarshis 2022

Barry Tucker's family tries to evacuate before Hurricane Katrina hits their home in New Orleans. But when his little sister gets terribly sick, they are forced to stay home. At first Hurricane Katrina does not seem so bad, but when the levee banks break, Barry is swept away. Based on a true set of events, and part of a series of Graphic Novels on modern day survival stories.



A Curse of Salt by Sarah Street 2023

A cursed king who is surrounded by legend and feared by all. A monster, a pirate, a God? The sea is feared in this kingdom but Ria's father must sail the oceans as a trading merchant. When pirates raid her father's ship Ria's family is faced with a heartbreaking demand. One of the daughters must replace the the father to save his life. Ria launches herself into the world of pirates and the 'Heartless King'. A fairytale retold.



Visit the Library to borrow any of these books.

Discover more in the Library catalogue https://library.shcy.vic.edu.au/#!dashboard

Allied Health

Over the school holidays Sacred Heart and Yarrawonga P-12 Allied Health Assistant students commenced their first 40 hour clinical placement.

With the support and collaboration of local healthcare providers Yarrawonga Health and Bentley Wood Health and Aged Care, students were able to receive a hands on experience being able to put theory into practice.

Students were paired with many types of multidisciplinary healthcare providers over the week placement which allowed them to gain an insight into future healthcare industry employment opportunities their dual Certificate IV in Allied Health Assistance, and Certificate IV in Health Services.

"Over the week placement I observed students confidence grow and really step into a professional role and work well as part of a team". Says AHA teacher Jordynn.

Payment of Digital Text Bundles for 2023

If you did not purchase the Compulsory Digital Text Bundle from the College booklist at the beginning of the year, you will be sent an invoice from the College and the charge will be added to your fees.

This is a compulsory charge for all students and should have been purchased through the booklist



Further information will be sent to families and students during Term 3 regarding the ordering of books and stationery. When, where and how.

Student Free Day this
Friday, 21st June due to
staff professional
development

REMEMBER

Key Dates

Friday 21st June: Student Free Day

Saturday 22nd: Yr 9 students are heading home

Wednesday 26th: Subject Selection see flyer

Thursday 27th: Careers Expo see flyer
Friday 4th August: Dental forms due back

Thursday 10th August: Victorian Clay Target Championships







Over the holidays and throughout the first two weeks of Term 3 we have seen some fantastic sporting achievements across the College.

On Tuesday our Year 7 and 8 students competed in rescheduled Term 2 End of Sport day in Albury/Wodonga. This was a great opportunity for these students to compete in either Netball, Soccer or Badminton.

We had some great results throughout the day however the Year 7 Soccer Team and the Year 7A Netball Team managed to win their divisions and progress through to the next stage. Congratulations to all students involved in these teams and their coaches.

A big congratulations to all Year 7 and 8 students who participated on Tuesday and a big thank you to all staff and Year 11 helpers who helped make the day happen.

Staff: Mr Flanagan, Ms Moriss, Ms Binnie, Ms Bruce, Ms Haynes, Ms Knight, Ms Sinclair

Year 11: Reece S, Sophia S, Georgia P, Xander S, Xavier M.

A big congratulations to Paige D - (Year 12) who has been performing exceptionally well for the Murray Bushrangers in the Coates Talent League. Paige recently travelled to Tasmania to play against the Tassie Devils girls team. We wish her all the best of the remainder of the season.

Last week Kiera F (Year 9) participated in the State Cross Country Championships at Yarra Glen Racecourse. In what was a challenging course and tricky conditions Kiera finished midfield and should be very proud of her efforts as we are very proud as a school. Well done Kiera.



Soccer



Netball



By Jun O'Dwyer





Paige



Keira

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Drones, Fieldcraft & Survival,
Flying (Powered & Cliding),
Community Service, STEM,
Leadership & Personal
Development

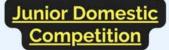


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WANT TO PLAY BASKETBALL?

REGISTRATIONS NOW OPEN





Age Groups: U10, U12, U14, U16 (Boys and Girls)

Season Start Date: Monday 7th August 2023

Duration: 10 weeks + finals

Location: Yarrawonga P-12 ECA Centre

Cost: YMBA Fee \$90 + Basketball Vic Fee of \$29 (Basketball Vic Fee Valid for 12 months)

Uniform: Singlets supplied and returned. Players wear own black shorts with no pockets

Teams: Players are pooled and teams created evenly

REGISTRATIONS CLOSE 20TH JULY 2023

To Register and for all enquiries:

Facebook: Yarrawonga Mulwala Basketball Association

Email: yarramulbasketball@gmail.com

Aussie Hoops and Senior Competition Registration dates TBC

The College newsletter is published fortnightly and is available to read on the College website:www.shcy.vic.edu.au

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by logging into you PAM account. You can also follow us on Facebook.

If you would like to add your community event to our Notices page, please either contact the College on: 03 57 421 302 or email: eleanor.haynes@shcy.vic.edu.au

