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MASS TIMES

Holy Rosary – Hamelin St

Saturday's 6pm Sunday's 10am

Weekday Masses – Tues - Sat 9am

St Francis Xavier – Strickland Rd

Sunday – 8.30am

CALENDAR

SEPTEMBER 2019

Mon 9	Learning Conversations - 2.20pm – 7.20pm
Tue 10	Art Gallery Excursion (Gr 4)
Tue 10	Wide Open Road Optometry Visit
Tue 10	School Board Meeting
Wed 11	Learning Conversations - 2.20pm – 7.20pm
Fri 13	Pupil Free Day – Staff PD
Mon 16	Division Athletics
Tue 17	Digital Technologies Expo – 12 – 1.30pm
Wed 18	Footy Colours & Crazy Sock Day
Wed 18	Energy Breakthrough Sausage Sizzle
Thu 19	Moz's Monster Music Performance (Gr 3–6)
Fri 20	Whole School Mass – 10am
Fri 20	Last Day Term 3 – 2.15pm dismissal

OCTOBER 2019

Mon 7	First Day Term 4
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<https://www.facebook.com/holyrosaryprimaryschoolwhitehills/>

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY – TERM 4

Please note these dates are for your own forward planning only, and may be subject to change. Confirmation will be made as soon as possible.

Fri 11th Oct – Our Lady of the Rosary Feast Day & Grandparents and Special Friends Day

Wed 30th Oct – Bendigo Cup Day – Public Holiday

Mon 18th Nov – Pupil Free Day – Learning Conversations

Fri 29th Nov – Pupil Free Day – Staff PD

Wed 18th Dec – Last Day Term 4

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

This week we have Learning Conversations in full swing. Once again these meetings are an important cog in our communication and reporting program. I urge families that may not have made an appointment to do so for Wednesday. In addition to these conversations families of children in Grade 3 and 5 will also have the opportunity to receive their child's NAPLAN results. It is important that a conversation with the teacher takes place, ensuring these are placed in context with other data available. NAPLAN results need to be collected by parents.

This Friday 13th September we have a Pupil Free Day. Staff will be participating in a day led by Catholic Education Office staff, looking at recontextualising teaching of our Catholic Faith. As our world continues to grow and develop at such a fast pace it is important that we are able to reflect and teach with this reality.

Our School board will meet this Tuesday and discuss our recent joint school board meeting at Catherine McAuley College where the demographics of Bendigo and surrounds made for an interesting overview of school provision.

Well done to the Grade 6 Basketballers and their coaches, Mrs Taylor and Mr Zera, who had such a great day. I was extremely proud of the children who were so thoughtful of one another and able to include each other. When someone is unable to play because they are injured and your classmates write letters with suggestions for how they can still be included I think we're all doing a good job!

Thanks to all children who represented our school during Term 3! It certainly is a busy time and can sometimes make for lots of disruption, however it was great to see the way in which everyone was able to play for fun and continue to do their best.



The Grade 3 excursion to Halls Gap was a great success. It was a long day but from all reports very entertaining. Thanks to Mr Scott, Miss Gillett, Mrs Ellis, Mrs Wharton and Mrs Antoniadis who were up and about early in the morning and spent the day ensuring everyone had a great time



Paul Wilkinson
Principal

SCHOOL NEWS

TERM 3 PARENT TEACHER LEARNING CONVERSATIONS

<https://pam.hrwhitehills.catholic.edu.au/Login/Default.aspx>

Bookings for the Term 3 Parent Teacher Learning Conversations are open and can now be made using your PAM account. These conversations will discuss Learning Portfolios and children's progress and learning goals.

This term, we have made some subtle time changes to accommodate a variety of needs. This will see the Learning Conversations run over two days from 2:20pm – 7:20pm. Children will be grouped together for the last hour of the school day and will complete a range of activities.

If you make an appointment during the school day, you are welcome to collect your child at the conclusion of your Learning Conversation in order to go home.

Dates for the Term 3 Learning Conversations & student locations for collection:

Monday 9th September

- Foundation – Grade 4: Ted's Shed
- Grades 5 & 6: The Rosarium

Wednesday 11th September

- Foundation: The Rosarium (Music, Art & STEM)
- Grades 1 – 6: Foundation Classrooms



All families are strongly encouraged to make a booking for their child/ren (please only one booking per child). If you require any assistance in booking your Learning Conversation, please speak to the Office or Mrs Carter.

Catholic Identity

HARTE	McAULEY
McCARTHY Saturday 26 th October (6pm)	FRAYNE Saturday 23 rd November (6pm)

FOOTY COLOURS / CRAZY SOCK DAY & SAUSAGE SIZZLE

WEDNESDAY 18th SEPTEMBER



FOOTY COLOURS/CRAZY SOCK DAY

For a gold coin donation, students are invited to wear their favourite team colours (can be any code - football, netball, soccer, etc.) and their craziest socks. All donations will go towards the Holy Rosary Community Care program. Donations can be made using the attached form or made on the day.

SAUSAGE SIZZLE

The Grade 5 Energy Breakthrough Teams are also hosting a Sausage Sizzle Fundraiser for lunch on Wednesday 18th September. Funds raised through the Sausage Sizzle will go towards buying uniforms and equipment for the Energy Breakthrough event in November. Please place your sausage sizzle order by Monday 16th September.



WIDE OPEN ROAD OPTOMETRY

Wide Open Road Optometry will be visiting Holy Rosary tomorrow, Tuesday 10th September. In 2018, they provided eye examinations for all students within our school with parent consent.

This year, their focus will be to tend to the Foundation students and students who are new to Holy Rosary.

However, if you have concerns for your child's vision feel free to call into the office for more information and to pick up a consent form.

COMMUNITY CARE BREAKFAST PROGRAM- REUSABLE PLASTIC CUPS NEEDED

Hello Everyone. We would like to again say one BIG thank you for all of the donations of Milo and Vegemite that flooded in after our call out last term. This term we are chasing donations of a different kind. We are after **reusable plastic cups** (approx. 250ml) for our Milos. Please do not buy any, however if you have any lying around that you would like to get rid of, we will take them. Thank you in advance. - *Community Care Team*

DIGITAL TECHNOLOGY EXPO

Have you ever wondered what your children learn in Digital Technology? Well here is your chance to find out! On Tuesday 17th September we will be holding an open classroom in the library from 12pm until 1.30pm. Work from Foundation to Grade Six will be on display.

Come along and have a go at programming Bee-bots and creating code using Blockly. You will also have a chance to view the Holy Rosary entry into the Language Film Festival that the Grade 5 students have been working on.

Hope to see you there! – *Mrs Holdaway*



CHILDREN'S CHATTER MATTERS



Ten activities will be provided each term focusing on key areas of oral language supporting literacy, learning and socialising. Feel free to adjust these activities according to your child's grade level.

If you have any questions you can contact Peta Mazurak, Ed. Speech Pathologist through the School's Special Education Coordinator, Mandy Antoniadis. Good luck and most importantly enjoy this very special time with your child.

9. Pragmatics and Social skills - Focus: Describe ways of making and keeping friends, including how actions and words can help or hurt others

Check out the following youtube clip with your child - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NLm2BuW73m4>

Follow the guided questions. Discuss whether there are times when this has happened to them, how did they feel/ how did their friends respond? What could they do so they are more respectful next time?

The movie "Inside Out" is an excellent one to watch with your child. It looks closely at emotions and what we might need to do to get along with others. It's great social skills movie to review with your child.

STUDENT NEWS

HAPPY BIRTHDAY



Students who are celebrating their birthdays this week are; Ebony Garner & Charlotte Gibson. Happy Birthday to you and we hope you have a wonderful day.

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK



Students of the Week	
FBG	Leni McRae & Mitchell Nurse
FJO	Flynn O'Connell & Sahara Middleton
FTT	Willow Keeble & Tahlia Mullane
1MM	Maddie Marchment & Isaac Plant
1WZ	Imogen Schultz & Callen Murton
2LC	Maisie Illott
2MC	Xavier Cook
4DC	Caitlin Watson
4JT	Sophie O'Connell
5JE	Ruby Bice
5MG	Matilda Meersbergen
6ST	Clementine Edwards
6TC	Kaelin Marshall
ASC	Ethan Kerville

P&F NEWS

CANTEEN WEEK 9 & 10:

A reminder that for the last two week's of this term, canteen day will be Thursday!

We are in need of volunteers for these days so if you are usually unable to lend a hand due to other commitments, but have a few spare hours on a Wednesday morning or Thursday afternoon.

UNFORTUNATELY, IF WE ARE UNABLE TO GET ANY VOLUNTEERS FOR THESE DAYS, OUR CANTEEN WILL BE UNABLE TO RUN AND WILL NOT OPEN.

CANTEEN VOLUNTEERS

Have you been thinking about volunteering in our school Canteen but not sure that you have what it takes? Good news! You don't need any special culinary skills; just a friendly can-do attitude and a Working with Children Check!

A typical canteen volunteer can expect the following tasks when they come in:

ORDERING DAY (usually Thurs 9 - 11am) (toddlers welcome)

- checking paper bag orders and counting money
- reading out orders to be tallied by Lindy
- putting sauces, forks & serviettes in bags
- putting bags in class groups
- writing pastry orders/wraps/sandwiches on bags

PREPARATION/COOKING/BAGGING DAY (usually Friday morning 9am - 12pm)

- making sandwiches and wraps, coleslaw, fruit cups
- putting nuggets onto trays
- putting pastries in bags
- bagging biscuits
- bagging popcorn
- dishes
- bagging orders once all food is ready (11am)
- handing class tubs to students (you often get to see your child at this time)

All tasks are directed by Lindy.

WINDOW SALES (usually Friday 1:30-2:30) (toddlers welcome)

- serving children at canteen window (chance to see your child at this time)
- easy amounts (all prices are either 0.50c or \$1)
- lines are monitored by yard duty teacher
- putting away dishes

All tasks directed by Lindy.

BOOKCLUB – ISSUE 5

We had one order placed for Issue 5 with no name or class. The order has arrived but we don't know who to send it home to! If you have not received your order (or a note to say your items are on backorder) please see the school office.



PIE DRIVE

Thank you to all those families who placed orders for our Pie Drive. Orders can be picked up from 2.30pm on Thursday 12th September 2019.

The Elmore Bakery

SPORTS NEWS



GET INVOLVED IN TABLE TENNIS

The Bendigo & District Table Tennis Association is seeking interested persons to participate in both the Juniors and C Grade Pennant.

All interested persons are welcome to attend a Practice Evening at 7pm on Wednesday 25th September at the BTTA Stadium 140 Victoria St Eaglehawk.

JUNIOR PROGRAM: The Junior Program is open to beginners and experienced players for fun and learning to improve table tennis skills. The program runs four times a year in line with school term and is open to Girls and Boys up to 18 years of age.

- Starts first Friday of Term 4 and runs each Friday between 6pm-8pm during the term.
- Wear a pair of rubber soled 'non marking' runners. Balls provided. Bring your own bat or loan equipment available.
- Registration \$5 per school term (including insurance cover). Subs \$3 per Friday night

C GRADE PENNANT: The C Grade Pennant competitions run Thursday nights over two seasons, summer starts first week of school Term 4 and to the end of Term 1 the following year, winter starts first week of school Term 2 and to the end of Term 3. No matches during school holidays.

- Playing time is around 7:30pm-10pm.
- Wear a pair of rubber soled 'non marking' runners. Balls provided. Bring your own bat or loan equipment available.
- Registration Adults \$60 & Juniors \$35 per season (including insurance cover)
- Playing fees: Adults \$5 & Juniors \$3 per night.

FOR MORE INFORMATION: Juniors contact: Deb Wright 0418 123 041 deb.wright10@gmail.com

C Grade Pennant Contact: Gary Fitzgerald 0425 792 933 gary@myexpression.net.au

REGISTER NOW FOR TERM 4 STARTS OCT 7

GIANT Tennis

TENNIS COACHING

for all ages and standards

tiny GIANTS
3-4 yrs
Tennis based games & activities
40 minute sessions - \$100*

little GIANTS
5-7 yrs
Beginner level
1 hr sessions: coaching & matchplay - \$100*

GROUP lessons
3-5 Students
Groups based on age & standard
40 minute lessons - \$140*

SEMI-PRIVATE lessons
2 Students
Any age & standard
40 minute lesson - \$25ea

PRIVATE lessons
1 Student
Intermediate-Advanced level
40 minute lesson - \$50

NEW! GIANT adults
Group coaching for adults of all standards
1hr sessions - \$150*

CARDIO + kids
Tennis based fitness for adults of all standards, run to a high energy soundtrack
PLUS tennis fun and games for pre-school aged children... followed by morning tea!
\$15 per session (adult+child, extra child \$5)

* Lessons (other than Cardio+Kids) are completed on a term basis - prices shown are based on a 10 week term.

SOUTH BENDIGO TC
MAIDEN GULLY TC
STRATHFIELDSAYE TC
CASTLEMAINE LTC

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HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES



Eligible families can receive CCS, meaning your out of pockets costs could be less than advertised!
Lightning Reef Primary School 74-88 Holmes Road, North Bendigo



CANTEEN ROSTER

Term 3, 2019



DATE	TIME	VOLUNTEER	
SEPTEMBER			
WED 11 th	9am - 11am	Nicole Barlow	Volunteer Needed
THUR 12 th	9am -11:45am	Kara Gladstone	Volunteer Needed
THUR 12 th	1:30pm - 2:30pm	Natasha Connor	Emily Roberts
WED 18 th	9am-11am	Briony Johnson	Volunteer Needed
THUR 19 th	9am-11:45am	Volunteer Needed	Volunteer Needed
THUR 19 th	1:30pm-2:30pm	Volunteer Needed	Volunteer Needed

FOOTY COLOURS/CRAZY SOCK DAY & SAUSAGE SIZZLE ORDER FORM

Student Name:		Class:	
		Quantity	Subtotal
Casual Clothes Day Donation			
1 x Sausage & Apple or Orange Juice Box Meal Deal (\$4.00) (Please circle your preferred juice flavour)			
Individual Sausages (\$2.50 each)			
TOTAL ENCLOSED:		\$	

Please hand your order to the Office by Monday 16th September