

Holy Child Primary School NEWSLETTER

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Welcome to this week's Newsletter.

Holy Child Primary School is the parish primary school of Dallas, which serves the suburbs of Coolaroo, Meadow Heights, Dallas, Upfield, Campbellfield and parts of Broadmeadows.

The Josephite Sisters established Holy Child Primary School, Dallas, in 1965 (Parish Reg). The Josephite ethos of pastoral care and community involvement are the hallmark of the Holy Child community.

St. Mary MacKillop, in full, Saint Mary Helen MacKillop, also called Saint Mary of the Cross, (born 15 January 1842, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia - died 8 August 1909, North Sydney, New South Wales, Australia and canonized 17 October 2010. St Mary MacKillop's Feast day is 8 August.

We are proud that Holy Child Primary was the first in Australia to start a children's Mary MacKillop group!

Let us show this love in our acts bearing with one another, forgiving and forgetting.

– Mary MacKillop
Australia's first Saint



Upcoming Events

Tuesday 18 July

Grades 3/4 Swimming

Session 1: 11.45-12.30 - 3/4 SS & Split 3/4 EC

Session 2: 12.30-1.15 - 3/4 SW & Split 3/4 EC

Friday 21 July

Grades 3/4 Swimming

Session 1: 11.45-12.30 - 3/4 SS & Split 3/4 EC

Session 2: 12.30-1.15 - 3/4 SW & Split 3/4 EC

Tuesday 25 July

Prep Excursion to LUME Melbourne and National Gallery of Victoria

Friday 28 July

100 Days of Prep Celebration

Wednesday 2 August - Friday 4 August

Grades 5/6 Camp

Friday 18 August

Student Free Day, Professional Learning Day

Thursday 14 September

3:45pm to 6:00pm

Student Led Learning Conferences

Friday 15 September

8:45am to 12:45pm

Student Free (Last Day of Term)

Student Led Learning Conferences

NOTICES

GATES OPEN 8:30AM

GATES CLOSE 3:40PM



School begins 8:45am sharp



Lunch 10:50am to 11:40am



Recess 1:40pm to 2:15pm



School ends 3:20pm

Children playing outside the school grounds, before and after school, are not supervised until 8.30am before school and up to 3.40pm after school. Many children are going to the Jack Culpin Car Park\Reserve and Gibbs Reserve, before and after school, to wait for their parents' drop-off and pick-up. We are not able to supervise your children in these areas.

Please ensure that your children are collected from the School Grounds in Area 1. If your child is not collected by 3.40pm they are to be collected from the Reception Foyer.

SUNSMART

Australia has one of the highest rates of skin cancer in the world.

In Victoria, from September through to the end of April, average UV levels are 3 and above, which is when UV radiation can damage skin and eyes and lead to skin cancer. When the UV Index is 3 and above:

1. **Slip** on sun-protective clothing
2. **Slop on** SPF30+, broad spectrum, water resistant sunscreen - put it on 20 minutes before you go outdoors and every two hours afterwards
3. **Slap** on a hat - that protects your face, head, neck and ears
4. **Seek** shade
5. **Slide** on some sunglasses - make sure they meet Australian Standards.

Holy Child is a SunSmart School and we enforce **NO HAT NO PLAY**.

Children must wear the school hat during the break times at school.

FOOD AND DRINK

During warmer weather, DRINK MORE WATER

As the weather warms up it is important that our children drink regularly.

Children will need a clearly named and refillable drink bottle.

Please do not send food that needs re-heating.

Due to health and safety, we are unable to heat children's food at school.

During cooler weather

As the weather cools, ensure children are appropriately dressed for cold rainy days and if they are wearing a beanie or gloves that they are navy blue or black.

Beanies are available for purchase at the School.



IMPORTANT DRIVEWAY REMINDERS

DO NOT park your car in front of this gate and shed. This impacts any cars trying to turn out or back out of the car park.



THIS is the only gate to exit from (turn your vehicle left out of). Remembering our driveway is a one way 'drive through' driveway

THREE important reminders

- In the morning and the afternoon drivers are to move as far down the driveway as they can. You must be aware of other vehicles driving behind you.
- Children must get into and out of the car on the **passenger side** of the car (**NOT** the door behind the driver!) as this will stop students from walking between two cars.
- School bags **must** be inside the car with students and **not** in the boot of the car.

Please remember these reminders for the safety of all as we begin Term Two.

Thank you,
Mr Alan Smith and Mr Guy Toomey

Outside School Hours Care

at Holy Child Primary School - Dallas

At Camp Australia, we provide tailored enrichment to children before school, after school and on their holidays. Our engaged educators foster a safe, inclusive environment where the children can relax, have fun and grow.

To find out more information on Holy Child Primary School - Dallas's fees and policies, visit <https://www.campastralia.com.au/schools/details/A3E3>

Fees accurate as of February, 2023

Fees and Times

Program	Times	Recurring (full Fee)	Recurring (after max. CCS*)	Casual (full Fee)	Casual (after max. CCS*)
Before School Care	06:45 AM - 08:45 AM	\$20.66	\$3.10	\$23.66	\$6.10
After School Care	03:15 PM - 06:00 PM	\$28.34	\$4.25	\$31.34	\$7.25

Program	Times	Early (full Fee)	Early (after max. CCS*)	Late (full Fee)	Late (after max. CCS*)
Rocketeers Vacation Care	06:30 AM - 06:00 PM	\$60.00	\$9.00	\$70.00	\$19.00

Casual Bookings

Casual Booking notice: none
 Casual Cancellation notice: 2 days in advance
 No minimum number of bookings

Rocketeers Late Booking Fee

Late booking fee applies if a booking is made with less than 7 day's notice. Bookings made at least 7 days in advance of the session day are charged the early fee.

Child Care Subsidy* (CCS)

The Child Care Subsidy can provide up to 85% off your fees. Your eligibility is determined by your family's annual adjusted taxable income, the type of childcare you use, and your activity level. To find out if you're eligible, contact Centrelink on 13 61 50.

Recurring Bookings

Recurring Booking notice: 48 hours in advance
 Recurring Cancellation notice: 7 calendar days in advance
 Minimum number of 2 bookings made at the same time, as recurring booked days over 2 or more weeks.

Sick child? No charge

No matter the cancellation rules, we operate a standing policy that there is no charge for a sick child. Simply let us know when cancelling a booking outside the cancellation window, provide a doctor's certificate and there will be no fee charged.

Your
OSHC.

Book now: www.campastralia.com.au



Details of all fees, terms and conditions are available at www.campastralia.com.au
 Need Help? Our Customer Care Team are available 5am-9pm AEST on 1300 105 343

Uniform List

Uniforms are purchased from the School Uniform Shop only
Open: Tuesday and Thursday from 8.30am to 9.00am

SUMMER UNIFORM

Girls

School dress
School windcheater or jacket
White socks / black shoes
School hat

Boys

School grey shorts
School gold s/s polo
School windcheater or jacket
Grey socks / black shoes
School hat

WINTER UNIFORM

School pleated trousers
School winter tunic
School gold polo top (long sleeve)
School windcheater or jacket
White socks / black shoes
School hat

School grey long trousers or grey shorts
School windcheater or jacket
School gold polo top (long sleeve)
Grey socks / black shoes
School hat

SPORTS UNIFORM GIRLS and BOYS

Summer

School windcheater or Jacket
School navy shorts
School team colour t-shirt
White socks / runners

Winter

School navy shorts or school tracksuit pants
School long sleeve team colour t-shirt
White SOCKS / RUNNERS

OPTIONAL EXTRAS

School bag
School fleeced raincoat/jacket
School beanie

Uniform Order Form

Date _____

Student's Name _____

Gender F M

Year Level _____

UNIFORM ITEMS	SIZE	COST	ORDER	AMOUNT
School Windcheater	4-10	\$45.00		
School Windcheater	12-18	\$50.00		
School Jacket	4-10	\$55.00		
School Jacket	12-20	\$60.00		
Short Sleeve School Polo Top	4-10	\$30.00		
Short Sleeve School Polo Top	12-16	\$35.00		
Short Sleeve School Polo Top	S - L	\$40.00		
Long Sleeve School Polo Top	4-10	\$35.00		
Long Sleeve School Polo Top	12-L	\$40.00		
School Hat/ School Beanie		\$15.00		
School Bag		\$40.00		
School Raincoat	6 - XL	\$60.00		
Boys				
School Grey Long Trousers	4-10	\$45.00		
School Grey Long Trousers	12-18	\$50.00		
Grey Shorts	4-10	\$20.00		
Grey Shorts	12-18	\$25.00		
Girls				
Girl's Summer Dress	4-10	\$50.00		
Girl's Summer Dress	12-20	\$55.00		
Girl's Winter tunic	4-10	\$60.00		
Girl's Winter tunic	12-18	\$65.00		
Girl's Pleated Pants	4-10	\$50.00		
Girl's Pleated Pants	12-20	\$55.00		
Sport				
Sport – Navy Shorts	4-16	\$25.00		
Sport – Navy Shorts	SM -3XL	\$30.00		
Sport – Navy Track Pants	4-10	\$40.00		
Sport – Navy Track Pants	12-20	\$50.00		
Sport – Team Colour T-Shirt	4-14	\$20.00		
Sport – Team Colour T-Shirt	16 – 3XL	\$25.00		



Preloved Uniforms

FOR SALE

Prices start from \$5.00

*See Mrs Grace Marchione
in the Uniform Shop*



Adult, Community and
Further Education



*Banksia Gardens
Community Services*



Skills for Work and Study Food Handling



Are you interested in the Food Handling? Do you need support to enrol and finish your study? LOOK NO FURTHER!

This FREE introductory course will help you to build the skills needed to work and study in the hospitality industry, and support you to gain work or qualification.

THIS COURSE WILL FOCUS ON:

- Follow Hygiene Procedures and Identify Hazards
- Report Any Personal Health Issues
- Prevent Food and Other Item Contamination.
- Prevent Cross Contamination By Washing Hands

STARTS

**Monday 17th July - Monday
31st July
3 sessions
9:15am to 12:15pm**

FOR MORE INFO:

Contact Van or Melissa
0478 544 193

myoung@hcdallas.catholic.edu.au

Holy Child Community Hub
227 Blair Street, Dallas





Foundation
House

The Victorian Foundation
for Services of Parishes Inc.

Healthy Wellbeing Program

Foundation House would like to invite you to attend the Healthy Wellbeing and Mental Health Program for Iraqi and Syrian families. Together we will talk and learn more about wellbeing and ways of looking after ourselves. We will share wellbeing resources in your language.

Be Positive

Be strong

Taking care of
yourself

Be active

Spend time
with others

**FREE
Childcare
provided**

Feeling
helpful

Every Wednesday from the 19th July to the 30th August
10am

For more enquiries contact Jwan Takian on 0438484943 or Melissa and Van at the Hub!

Phone: 0478-544-193

Email: myoung@hcdallas.catholic.edu.au

COMPUTER CLASSES



FREE!

WHEN: TUESDAYS

TIME: 9:15AM TO 12:15PM

WHERE: HOLY CHILD COMMUNITY HUB

**COST: FREE (REGISTRATION
NEEDED)**

TERM 3 - 11TH JULY TO 12TH SEPTEMBER

Build confidence for the
workplace

- How to communicate online with workplaces
- How to use phone apps
- Setting up professional accounts



ENGLISH CLASS

2023 TERM 3 - LARGEST ENGLISH CLASS OF THE
YEAR WITH 9 ENROLMENTS

JOIN US IN THE HUB EVERY FRIDAY!



NELLA
OUR ENGLISH
TEACHER





Penola
CATHOLIC COLLEGE
EST. 1995

JOIN US FOR A COLLEGE TOUR



Term 3

Tues	11	Jul	6pm	Glenroy
Thurs	20	Jul	6pm	Broadmeadows
Tues	1	Aug	9am	Broadmeadows
Thurs	3	Aug	9am	Glenroy
Mon	14	Aug	9am	Glenroy
Thurs	24	Aug	6pm	Glenroy
Thurs	7	Sep	6pm	Glenroy

Term 4

Weds	25	Oct	9am	Glenroy
Thurs	9	Nov	6pm	Broadmeadows

GLENROY CAMPUS
Year 7-8
35 William Street,
Glenroy VIC 3046

BROADMEADOWS CAMPUS
Year 9-12
29 Gibson Street,
Broadmeadows VIC 3047

Real Life Learning.

To register visit
penola.vic.edu.au



DISCOVER MERCY OPEN DAY

Meet our Principal, explore the facilities and chat with our students and staff.

Wednesday 9 August 2023 9.30am and 6.00pm

Sunday 13 August 2023 10.00am

760 Sydney Road, Coburg - Entry via Gate 1
Presentation and tour takes approximately 90 minutes.

Book online or call 9319 9299.
mercycoburg.catholic.edu.au

Looking for a new job opportunity?

BECOME A KINDERGATEN INCLUSION SUPPORT WORKER

- No qualifications required
- Free and on-the-job training
- Work during school hours & terms
- Support children's inclusion in the kindergarten program

TO FIND OUT MORE
CALL THE NSEYC
OFFICE
ON 9306 1662

