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Term 3 / Week 6



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News from Mrs Hey

Dear Parents,

We have had a wonderful few weeks of celebration with lots of wonderful learning and exciting events: Diocesan Athletics carnival, Chinese visitors, Book Week, author visit, Jarrara incursion, netball gala day, Voice of Youth cluster final, Science Day and the start of the classroom refurbishment program. It is these special events that enhance the learning of our students and we are very blessed to have an amazing group of teachers who put in the extra hours to organize and support these extra-curricular opportunities for our students. I'd like to acknowledge the parents who take the time to thank the teachers for these extras.

Kind regards,
Cathy Hey
Principal

Sports News

Congratulations to Alannah, Miguel and Kaiah who participated in the Parramatta Diocesan Athletics Blacktown Olympic Stadium last week. We are very proud of you all. Outstanding results from Kaiah placing first in both the Junior Girls Shot Put and Discus and will now participate in the MacKillop Athletics in September. Kaiah also recently participated in the 2019 NSW PSSA Athletics Selection Trials. She placed 3rd in shot put and 4th in discus and will travel to the NT also in September. Wow! Good on you Kaiah.



Family Games Night

* TONIGHT *

We look forward to seeing many of you at the Games Night tonight. A sincere thank you to Alison Kirby who has sourced many of our wonderful prizes for tonight and to the parents who have supported the event by helping with set up.

Enrolments

2020 enrolments Kindy through to Year 6

Please spread the word to neighbours, colleagues and family members to contact the office to arrange an enrolment pack.

If your child/children will no longer be attending Trinity in 2020, you are required to give 10 weeks written notice and must advise us of the new school your child will be attending.

Classroom Refurbishment

The refurbishment of the Year 6 block has started. We look forward to these learning spaces progressing in the coming weeks and will keep you posted of the updates.

Staffing

- Mrs Hayley Holt has commenced Maternity Leave. We look forward to hearing Hayley's exciting news in the coming weeks. We welcome Mrs Michelle Whatman who will be teaching Kindergarten until the end of the year.
- Mrs Mary Axiak commences Long Service Leave on Monday until the end of the term.
- I will be commencing Long Service Leave on Monday 9th September for 3 weeks. Matthew Bond will be Acting Principal and Janet Colusso will be Acting Assistant Principal until the end of the term. I look forward to returning in Term 4.








St. Dominic siblings

Reconciliations to external sibling discounts are conducted by CEDP. If your circumstances change in regards to sibling discounts please notify us immediately. Failure to do so could result in a increase in fees throughout the year and your current payment arrangement may not cover the balance of your account."

Communication

In the Tell Them From Me (TTFM) survey conducted earlier in the year, many parents commented positively on the various forms of communication used at Trinity and how these help them to feel connected to the school and their child's learning. To gather further information about this, I would like you to fill in this simple survey (2 minutes) by clicking on this link <https://forms.gle/zs6Vv29iD6DWuXas6>

Attendance

K	 81.1%	4	 78.3%
1	 83.3%	5	 82.3%
2	 80.8%	6	 71.0%
3	 73.3%		

Our school attendance for this week is 78%. Any grade who reaches 90% by the end of the term will receive a special reward. **If your child is absent it is a requirement that you let us know via skoolbag, email, written note or phone call of the reason for the absence**



What's happening at Trinity

Upcoming 2019 Dates

TONIGHT

6.30pm Family Games Night

Monday 2nd September

6.30pm For parents – Year 5 and 6 Personal Development Night

Wednesday 4th September

MADD Show at Emmaus Catholic College.

Friday 6th September

Book Club orders are due

Thur 5th & Friday 6th September

Year 6 Overnight Camp to Canberra

Friday 13th September

Stage 2 Touch Football Gala Day.

Voice of Youth

Voice Of Youth is a Diocesan speech competition that our Year 6 students participate in each year. On Thursday we hosted three local schools for the cluster final of the competition and are really proud of Jean David, Isaiah, Anna and Natarsha (reserve) who represented Trinity.



WINNER

Congratulations to Anna who gave a compelling speech on poverty.

Anna will represent our Cluster at the Diocesan Semi Final on Monday 16th September at Our Lady of Lourdes, Seven Hills.

SOCIAL JUSTICE

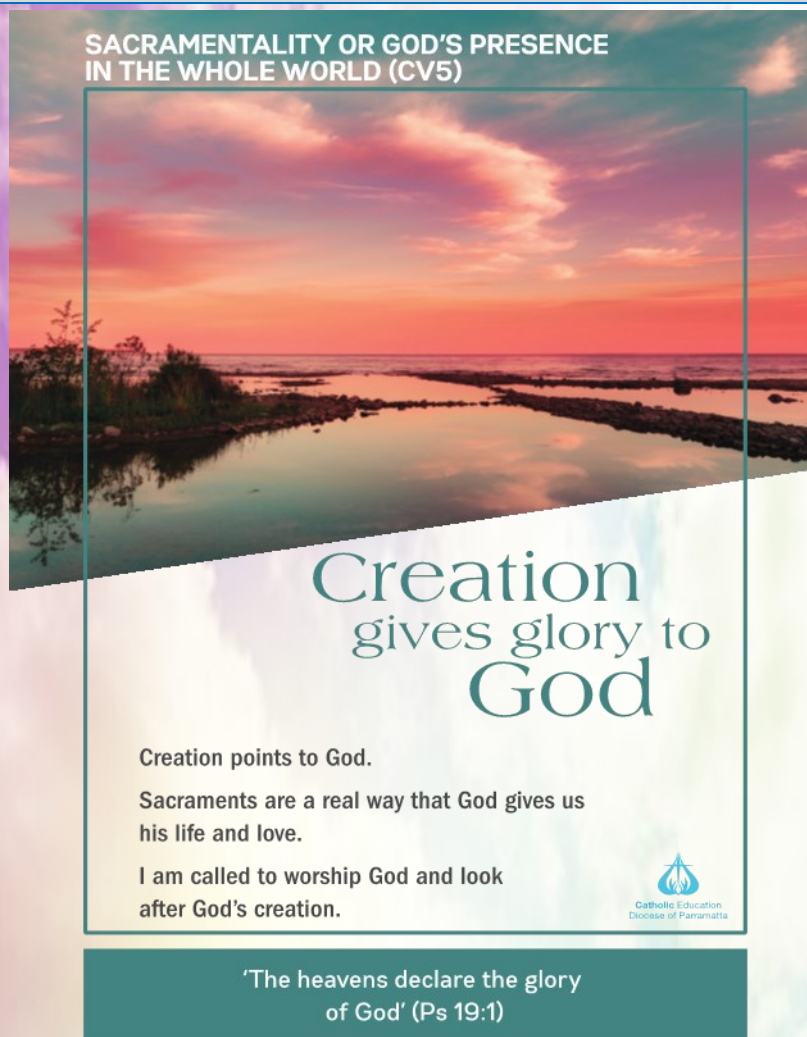


Isaiah also delivered an outstanding speech. He spoke clearly about his views on the climate crisis and showed great public speaking skills.

Congratulations on winning the Social Justice award.



Sacred Space



The order and beauty of the universe points to a perfect God, who is creator. Many facets of creation and life such as;

- The human body (physical and spiritual)
- The miracle of life
- The natural environment

Family, human friendships and love

Point to a divine and loving God who created everything out of nothing. These wonderful things point to God but it is in the Sacraments that Christ is truly present and people can most profoundly connect with God. God entrusted to humans the responsibility to be good stewards of creation, which means to look after everything in it. Humans have a responsibility to not only care for the physical environment, but also to carefully use the talents and goods that God has given to everyone.

Sacred Scripture

God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply, and fill the earth, and subdue it" (Gen 1:28)

PBS4L stands for Positive Behaviour 4 Learning.
At Trinity we agree to 3 PBS4L expectations:

We are **SAFE**
We are **RESPECTFUL**
We are **LEARNERS**

EMMAUS VISIT

Last Thursday the 22nd August, these students from - Year 1: Braxtyn G, Matilda, Braxton C, Harper, Yasmine, Charlie, Ella, AJ, and Cody. Year 2: Jack and Kayla. Year 3: Chanel and Jorjah. Year 4: Amirah and Lucinda. Year 5: Ava, Cooper, Nathaniel, Shailee, and Isaac. Year 6: Michaela along with Mrs Hey, Mrs Holt, Mrs Micallef and Miss Willoughby went to visit the Emmaus Village. This was an opportunity for the students to read, play games and talk with the older members of our community. This experience brought many smiles, laughter and joy.





CONGRATULATIONS

Kindergarten celebrated earning Ten goannas in the garden with Ooshie Day! It was so much fun





Emmaus Catholic College

A lot of sporting news to report on from Emmaus Catholic College this week. Season 2 of the PDSSSC competition ended with a few extraordinary grand finals. Firstly, well done to Mr. Ross Ashdown and his Intermediate Boys Soccer team defeating McCarthy 4-1. This is an incredible win for the boys and is good to see that there is some fine players coming up when the Opens team moves on. Emmaus Open Boys Soccer team will be competing in the NSWCCC Finals where the best 2 teams of all New South Wales Dioceses battle it out.

Congratulations to Mr Mark O'Connor, Mr. James Hamond and Mr. Jake Sultana and their Intermediate Boys Rugby League team thrashing St. Columbus 30-4. This is quite a big margin, and well done to the hard work of all those involved.



Finally, the Inter House Cup is nearly over, with Jordan House currently on top after winning the Athletics Carnival. The other houses are looking to topple them over however in Touch Football, where victories from Mamre and Cana etches them closer to the top prize/



Nicholas	6	Lucas	10
Amelia	6	Lila	10
Paige	6	Jazmin	10
Corben	6	Samy	10
Waris	6	Greta	10
Lazarus	6	Ethan	10
Mehtaab	8	George	11
Pyper	8	Charbel	12
Ella	9	Lexi	12
Sophie	9	Miguel	12
Muhammad	9	Elizabeth	12
Holly	10	Isaiah	12
Thomas	10	Limkholwe	12