

OLMC Newsletter

Term 3 Week 3 August 1st 2024

Principal's Message

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Dear Parents,

It has been a wonderful few weeks for our school community with many exciting celebrations across the school. I have really enjoyed seeing so many parents, grandparents and other families members spending time with us and continuing to build that strong sense of community. Grandparents Day was an overwhelming success with the church and classrooms bursting at the seams all morning. The First Eucharist celebration on Sunday was absolutely beautiful and the children were so reverent as they received the Sacrament for the first time. Yesterday I had the absolute pleasure in joining the preps in celebrating 100 days of school. Their joy and excitement was priceless. None of these things are possible without the dedication of our wonderful staff and the support of families. This is what OLMC is all about!



















In the coming weeks we will celebrate two whole school Masses and I invite you to join with us for these. The Feast of St Mary of the Cross Mackillop is on the 8th August with Mass beginning at 12pm. On the 15th August we celebrate the Feast of the Assumption with Mass at 9:30am. I will go into further details about these important feast days over the coming weeks.



Happy birthday to the children who are celebrating their special day this week. May they feel the love of family and friends and the blessings of our Lord.

Emma Brndusic	Kaius Cacioli	Jaxon Purton
Max Shalders	Mackenzie Pedder	Tyler Bishop



This Sunday we celebrate the 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time. The Gospel comes from John 6: 24–35. "I am the bread of life," Jesus tells the people. "Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty." He is offering the people himself. He is the imperishable bread that nourishes and sustains imperishable life.

Jesus makes us the same offer. He offers himself to us in every one of our relationships: family, friends, strangers, enemies, those who agree with us, and those who disagree. In every situation and each day of our life we choose the bread we will eat, perishable or imperishable. In so doing we also choose the life we want. So I wonder, what bread will we eat today?

Please be reminded that the school is closed on Monday 12th August for staff professional learning. I have asked Village OSHC to run the service on the day so if you are interested please let them know. I have asked them to send me a survey I can send to you as an expression of interest.

As communicated earlier this week, Melissa our wonderful bursar in the office, will be on long service leave for 3 weeks. It is definitely the term for leave as Nelson will be away for two weeks from Monday and I will take leave from the 26th August until the 9th September. While I am away Nelson will be Acting Principal. I will send you a reminder before I leave.

God bless,

Julie

School Fees should have been finalised by July 31 unless a payment plan is in place.

Thank you to those families who have settled their accounts. Please contact the school office should you have any questions about your fees. Thank you.





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Prep B	Victoria Scerri	For her kindness and thoughtfulness towards others in the classroom. Victoria will go out of her way to ensure everyone feels welcome and included and will always check on someone who is upset.
Prep R	Noah Alwyn	For actively engaging himself in class discussions and activities, and demonstrating greater confidence when working independently.
1/2BR	Rowan Griffiths	For displaying resilience when returning to school after a long family holiday. Rowan has shown that he can continue to confidently contribute to class discussions. We are happy to have you back!
1/2AZ	Jessica Browning	In recognition of your positive mindset and determination to achieve your learning goals, it's wonderful to see how you apply the feedback you receive. Keep up the great work, Jessica!
1/2R	Billie Thompson	For using the disposition of determination when working with Mr Tom on her reading skills and challenging herself with to have a go! Congratulations Billie, keep up the great work!
3/4CT	Olivia Lethlean	For editing and producing detailed writing pieces and for displaying kindness towards her classmates.
3/4D	Pippa Kilkenny	Pippa has actively engaged in the class novel "Matilda." She has been able to identify characteristics of each of the main characters and explain their actions. Keep up the great work Pippa.
3/4H	Emma Brndusic	For applying the learning disposition of self motivation and working with so much enthusiasm in her learning tasks. Well done Emma!
5MP	Bella Scerri	For asking clarifying questions and taking on feedback to improve her learning and focus. Great work Bella, keep it up!
5SB	Liam Grech	For using the disposition of determination and a growth mindset to adjust to the changes in our classroom well and being really focused on completing the set work.
6C	Austin McMahon	In recognition of the positive attitude he always displays in the classroom. He is a diligent and self motivated learner who strives to do his best in all areas. Keep up the fantastic work Austin.
6FP	Zoey Armstead	For being a consistent role model of the Three R's and always being ready to challenge herself when working on tasks.

Diversity & Wellbeing News

CYBER SAFETY PROJECT

Parents are invited to join special guest experts as they explore a diverse range of topics pertinent to raising children in a digital age.

There are 2 remaining webinars in our 2024 suite.

Webinar 5 - 'Building Digital Resilience' with Ash Manuel Tuesday 3rd September

Webinar 6 - 'My First Mobile Device' with Luca Gennai Tuesday 22nd October

https://cybersafetyproject.com.au/parents

OR scan the registration QR code in the foyer

REPLAY AVAILABLE!



2nd August Pyjama Day

2nd August No canteen today

8th August Whole School Mass 12noon (St Mary of the Cross Mackillop)

12th August School Closure Day

15th August Whole School Mass 9.30am (Feast of the Assumption)

19th August Book Week Parade23rd August Fathers Day Stall

26-28 August Year 5/6 Camp

30th August Fathers Day Celebration

13th September School Disco

20th September Term 3 ends at 1.30

23rd October Sacrament of Reconciliation for Year 3s

12th December Year 6 Graduation

17th December End of school year at 1:30pm

PTFA News

PYJAMA DAY Friday August 2nd

TOMORROW Children can wear their favourite Pjs to school for a gold coin donation.

FATHER'S DAY STALL - Friday August 23rd

Gifts will range from \$1-\$10. Bring a shopping bag and your money to class on the day to shop at the Father's Day stall for dad or even Grandpa!

FATHER'S DAY CELEBRATION - Friday August 30th

All Father's and significant others are invited to enjoy a light breakfast and fun activities at school in the morning with their child/ren.

SCHOOL DISCO - Friday September 13th

Details to come....

If you are able to help out with any of these events that would be much appreciated. Please fill out our helper form here https://forms.gle/Evmk3k4Wz3gFTU5x6



PYJAMA DAY

Friday 2nd August
*gold coin donation
Come to school dressed in your cosy PJs

2024 TERM DATES

Report Student Absences

absent@olmcsunbury.catholic.edu.au





We are pleased to advise that OLMC now has **Centrepay** available for fee payments.

If you have a Centrelink account you can set up a deduction for School fees by one of the following ways:

*via your Centrelink online account via MyGov

*using the Express Plus Centrelink mobile app

*by contacting the Agency

The minimum Deduction amount for Centrepay is \$10.

For further information, please contact Melissa Bonavia at the School Office.

Term 1:

Start: Monday 29th January

Finish: Thursday 28th March (1:30pm finish)

(Easter March 29– April 1)

Term 2:

Start: Monday 15th April

Finish: Friday 28th June (1:30pm finish)

Term 3:

Start: Monday 15th July

Finish: Friday 20th September (1:30pm finish)

Term 4:

Start: Monday 7th October

Finish: Tuesday 17th December (1:30pm finish)

OLMC BELL TIMES

8.50am First bell/move to class

11.00-11.30am Recess time

1.30pm Eating time

1.40 - 2.20pm Lunch time

3.15pm End of school day



Our Lady of Mount Carmel Canteen Roster - Term 3 2024

2 nd August	No Canteen	30 th August	Tracy Kilkenny Chris O'Neill Danni Bekker
9th August	Jess Pedder Danni Wadden Sohani Douglas	6 th September	Nat Grant Hedley Duhau Danni Spiteri
16 th August	Nicole Petrie Lucy Evans Shanie Duhau	13 th September	Jazz Stevens Nikki Munslow Vacancy
23 rd August	Emma Clements Mel O'Neil Travis Mckay		

Thank you for volunteering to help in the canteen, it would be impossible without you. Please arrive at the canteen at 10.00am your assistance will be required until around 2.00pm. If you have long hair please tie it up and remember to sign in at the office with your current WWC.

If you are unable to attend your rostered day please SMS Sylvana on 0412429600 as soon as possible so a replacement can be arranged.

I look forward to seeing you all.

Sylvana Doricic

No Canteen Friday August 2nd





INTRODUCING CLICK & COLLECT

A fast and convenient way to shop for your Our Lady of Mount Carmel School uniform on-line.

Shop on-line - collect next day trading On-line store link:

https://noone.com.au/school/our-lady-of-mount-carmel-primary-school/shop

How Click & Collect works

Discover click & collect, the convenient and quick way to shop from Noone.

Shop on-line, place your order and one of our friendly staff will contact you when your order is ready for collection. Please allow up to 24 hours for your notification.

We'll get everything ready for you, so all you need to do is come in-store to collect your order, or home delivery is also available for your convenience.

Shop on-line

Type the school link into your browser:

https://noone.com.au/school/our-lady-of-mount-carmel-primary-school/shop Add the items to your cart that you would like to purchase via Click & Collect.

2. Choose Click & Collect options

Choose Click & Collect options or choose Australia Post option for home delivery. Click & Collect next trading day from the Salesian College On campus store or

Australia Post 7 - 10 working days for delivery

Our retail staff are available to assist you with your uniform requirements at the location listed below

Campus Store Salesian College 1 Macedon Street Sunbury Vic 3429 Phone: 9740 4831

Email: salesian@noone.com.au

Trading Hours

Monday 8.00am – 12.00pm Wednesday 8.00am – 12.00pm

Friday 9.00am – 12.00pm and 1.00pm – 5.00pm





OFFICIAL UNIFORM SUPPLIER TO **OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL PRIMARY SCHOOL**

PRICE LIST VALID TO 30TH JUNE 2025

Uniform	Sizing	Price
Pullover - Bottle	55-75	\$80.50
	80+	\$83.95
White short sleeve shirt Classic	29-42	\$35.50
White short sleeve shirt Tailored	4-20	\$35.50
White long sleeve shirt Classic	29-42	\$38.50
White long sleeve shirt Tailored	4-20	\$38.50
Academic Trouser - Navy TROUS134	4-18	\$42.95
Tailored slacks - Navy Wool Blend	4-16	\$66.00
Academic Shorts – Navy SHORT120CH	4-16	\$29.95
Tailored Shorts - Navy Wool Blend	4-14	\$55.50
Dress - Green/white check	4-18	\$50.50
Tunic – Green check	4-18	\$65.00
Short sleeve polo top - Bottle/Gold	4-14 & XS-2XL	\$29.00
Long sleeve polo top – Bottle/Gold	4-14 & XS-2XL	\$32.00
Sport Shorts - Bottle	4-18	\$25.50
Skort – Bottle	4-16	\$27.00
Track pant with cuff - Bottle	4-16	\$31.95
Track pant straight leg- Bottle	4-16	\$31.95
Softshell Jacket - Bottle	4-14 & XS-M	\$69.95
Qtr Zip Top	4-14 & XS-2XL	\$59.95
Rugby top - Bottle/Gold	4-14 & XS-2XL	\$70.00
Bucket Hat – Bottle/Gold w logo	XS, S, M, L	\$18.50
Legionnaires Hat – Bottle w logo		\$17.50
Slouch Hat – Bottle w logo	XS, S, M, L	\$19.50
Beanie – OLMC Pom Pom	OSFA	\$24.95
Backpack with logo		\$59.95
Library Folio - Bottle		\$13.95
Art Smock - Bottle or Navy		\$23.00
Ankle Socks – 2Pk		\$14.95
Knee Hi socks - Navy		\$10.50
Cotton Tights - Navy		From \$23.95

Uniform is available from the Salesian College Sunbury campus Uniform Shop

Salesian College Uniform Shop Trading Hours:

Monday 8.00am - 12.00pm Wednesday

8.00am – 12.00pm 9.00am – 12.00pm and 1.00pm – 5.00pm Friday

9740 4831 Ph:

All prices are subject to change without notice

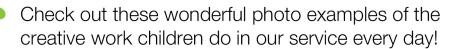


Book online at VillageOSHC.com.au | Book 24 hours in advance for the best price!

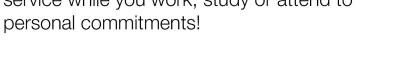


We're inviting children of all ages to spring into a fantastic Outside School Hours Care service with VillageOSHC!

Join us in Term 3 as we head outside and get active for the spring, eat delicious healthy snacks, and make new lasting friendships over the term!



Enjoy VillageOSHC's affordable and convenient service while you work, study or attend to









HAVE YOU SEEN THE OLMC RECYCLING CENTRE?

IT'S LOCATED IN THE SCHOOL OFFICE FOYER.

WE ARE NO LONGER COLLECTING BREAD TAGS

BUT ARE STILL COLLECTING OLD PENS AND TEXTAS,
USED BATTERIES, ANY ORAL WASTE PACKAGING AND MEDICINE
BLISTER PACKS.

Lets do our bit and help save the planet—it's easy, just collect these items and drop them in at our Recycling bins









YEAR 7 2026 APPLICATIONS



Salesian College Sunbury

TO PARENTS OF STUDENTS CURRENTLY IN GRADE 5

Here at Salesian College Sunbury we are proud of our relationship with Our Lady of Mount Carmel. We work together to provide a quality Catholic education to the young people of Sunbury and surrounds. We celebrate life and faith, prepare students to contribute positively, and provide opportunities to achieve excellence.

We would love to see you as part of our Salesian family. Did you know that now is the time to apply for a place at Salesian College Sunbury in Year 7 2026? Applications are being accepted and close on Friday 16 August 2024.

Visit our website, or click here to apply. The online application form can be started, saved, and completed at any time. I invite you to visit our College website for all other information.

Our website also features a virtual tour where you can explore what makes us so unique and 'A Home that Welcomes'.

First round interviews for Year 7 2026 places will be conducted in early September 2024 and offers will go out on Friday 18 October, with acceptances due Friday 8 November 2024. An interview booking link will be supplied to all applicants soon after the closing date.

If you require further information, please contact our College Registrar (03 9744 0000 - option 4).

Mark Brockhus Principal - Salesian College Sunbury





CATHOLIC SCHOOLS, ONE COMMUNITY



Furever Friends: A Dog Care Workshop

Thinking of adding a furry friend to your family? Learn all about responsible pet ownership from the experts. A fun, family friendly event with lots of helpful hints and giveaways!

> Monday 26 August, 5pm-6pm **Sunbury Library**

Book your free ticket at humelibraries.vic.gov.au/Whats-on







