



## Issue #9

### Important Dates

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#### NAIDOC Week

Monday 10 June 2024

#### Refugee Week

Monday 17 June 2024

#### Last Day of Term 2

Friday 5 July 2024

#### First Day of Term 3

Monday 22 July 2024

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### Upcoming Events

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#### Assembly Earth Care Squad

Date: Thursday 6 June

Time: 2:00pm - 3:00pm

Venue: St Gabriel's School -  
Enfield

#### Class Mass Reception

Date: Thursday 13 June -

Monday 30 November

Venue: St Gabriel's School -  
Enfield

#### Assembly P.E.

Date: Thursday 27 June

Time: 2:00pm - 3:00pm

Venue: St Gabriel's School -  
Enfield

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### FROM THE PRINCIPAL - YEAR 6 JUMPERS

The Year 6 jumpers have arrived!

Considerable research emphasises the importance of rites of passage for children. I believe that we should look for opportunities to acknowledge and celebrate important milestones for students as part of our commitment to Student Agency. One such moment is the arrival of the Year 6 jumpers. It is clear to see the pride our St Gabriel's take in wearing their jumper but more than this we have been speaking about how as Year 6's they have a responsibility as leaders and to care for younger students. I asked four Year 6 students to share how they felt, and I am delighted to share their reflections below:

*"This jumper is the mark of my anniversary and achievement. It represents that I am no kid. I am a leader, a person of status and responsibility. It is now my job to lead and help the little kids, as a good leader and a responsible leader." -Martin*

*"The jumper feels like an achievement to me and gives me responsibility to be a good role model to all the younger children" -Mika*

*"You know school is kind of like a video game. You start your journey learning the basics of the game and earning this jumper is like achieving the final reward - beating the game...you feel happy, but you don't know if your adventure is finished. Or is it?" -Kelvin*

*"This jumper is like an achievement of all the things I have done over the years, and it symbolizes leadership and growth." -Madi*

## National Simultaneous Storytime 2024



National Simultaneous Storytime 2024 was held at St Gabriel's on Wednesday 22nd May. It is held annually by the Australian Library and Information Association. Every year a picture book, written and illustrated by an Australian author is read simultaneously in libraries, schools, preschools, family day care, family homes and many other places around the country. Celebrating its 24th year, it aims to promote the value of reading and literacy.

The picture book chosen for 2024 is **Bowerbird Blues** by award winning illustrator, writer and designer Aura Parker.

Here is the link for more information: <https://www.illustrated.com.au/>

Thanks to Miss Dina Staffiero for her organisation of this event.



## CATHOLIC IDENTITY AND MISSION

### WAY TO GO Road Safety and Education Program

St Gabriel's School is working in partnership with the Department of Infrastructure and Transport (DIT) to deliver a Road Safety Program to our Students and improve road safety in the area. Other outcomes include improving student wellbeing and fitness.

Part of the program includes obtaining data from students, parents and teachers about road use and road safety matters,

Below is a link to an online survey for parents that is anonymous and will assist DIT in preparing the most suitable program for our community.

*Parent Survey Way To Go Road Transport Program link:*

<https://apps.dit.sa.gov.au/survey/index.php/161469?lang=en>

Please take the time to complete this online survey.

Regards,

*Bernie Meixner*

APRIM

## Religious Dimensions

### ***Vinnies Winter Appeal***

There are many ways we can respond to the needs of others. St Vincent DePaul society works to minister to the seven works of corporal mercy.

The works of Corporal Mercy include:

To feed the hungry, to give drink to the thirsty, to clothe the naked, to give shelter to travellers, to visit the sick, to visit the imprisoned.

The Vinnies Winter Appeal invites us to act like Jesus and to help all people who are made in God's image. When we help others, we help Christ. We live out our mission to love others and to love God.

Next Friday 7th June is the Feast of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus. This would be an ideal time to support Vinnies by donating non-perishable food items, warm clothes that are no longer needed but still in good conditions or toiletries.

Any donations are most welcome.

## Feast of the Sacred Heart



The Sacred Heart of Jesus was the inspiration for Fr Jules Chevalier to begin an order of religious men called the Missionaries of God's Love. Chevalier then recruited the help of Marie Louise Hartzler to begin an order of women called the Daughters of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart.

The Daughters founded our school and this important link makes the celebration on the 7th June most significant for our school.

Our school will participate in activities with students from OLSH college before celebrating Mass in the Sacred Heart Centre (the Gym) at 11.30 am.

Parents are most welcome to attend this Mass.

There is much symbolism in the Sacred Heart Iconography.

**The heart** represents Jesus' loving heart, pierced by the sins of Humanity but still beating for all people.

**The flame** represents the burning fire of God's love for us.

**The crown of thorns**, circling the heart represents Christ's suffering that he willingly accepted to show his ultimate love for us.

**The Cross** is the ultimate symbol of Christ's self-giving love. It represents suffering but also triumph.

Combined, these symbols reveal God's love for all humanity and what we can enjoy by being followers of Christ.

## Sundays Gospel Reading

The reading for this Sunday which celebrates the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

**Mark 14:12-16, 22-26**

*A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark*

On the first day of Unleavened Bread, when the Passover lamb was sacrificed, his disciples said to Jesus, 'Where do you want us to go and make the preparations for you to eat the passover?' So he sent two of his disciples, saying to them, 'Go into the city and you will meet a man carrying a pitcher of water. Follow him, and say to the owner of the house which he enters, "The Master says: Where is my dining room in which I can eat the passover with my disciples?" He will show you a large upper room furnished with couches, all

prepared. Make the preparations for us there.' The disciples set out and went to the city and found everything as he had told them, and prepared the Passover.

And as they were eating he took some bread, and when he had said the blessing he broke it and gave it to them. 'Take it,' he said 'this is my body.' Then he took a cup, and when he had returned thanks he gave it to them, and all drank from it, and he said to them, 'This is my blood, the blood of the covenant, which is to be poured out for many. I tell you solemnly, I shall not drink any more wine until the day I drink the new wine in the kingdom of God.'

After psalms had been sung they left for the Mount of Olives.

### **GOSPEL CHALLENGE**

- What does the Text say?
- What is the message?
- What is Jesus asking his followers to do or be?

## **WHAT'S HAPPENING IN OUR COMMUNITY - YEAR 6'S**

Our Year 6 students have been working hard under the guidance of James Meston (CEO) to develop and publish their Podcasts. Students have worked with support to refine their scripts and create engaging and sometimes hilarious radio segments. Keep an eye on the ARCH D Radio Spotify in the coming weeks to tune in to our students' fantastic broadcasts.

On Friday next week three selected students will travel to the Catholic Education Office to represent our schools and network with other students that are excelling in the world of Podcasting.

### **Demi Wood & Matthew Burness**

*Year 6 Teachers*



## **EARTH CARE SQUAD**

Our members are trying to keep the garden in good shape and keep the yard looking tidy.

New plants have gone in the Nature Playground.

We are asking all children to keep their rubbish in the correct bin and help with recycling.

All children will help at some point with soup making for Sr Janet Mead's Day Centre for Homeless persons. When it is your child's turn, they will receive a letter to take home with suggested ingredients for families to donate. If you can help that will be useful.

## **COMMUNITY GROUP NEWS**



*Join us for a*  
**MOVIE  
NIGHT**

JOIN THE ST GABRIEL'S COMMUNITY GROUP FOR A FREE  
SHOWING OF SONIC THE HEDGEHOG IN THE GYM

**SATURDAY 22 JUNE**

6:30PM - 8:30PM

MOVIE TO COMMENCE AT 7:00PM

PLEASE RSVP VIA QKR! OR THE FRONT OFFICE BY 20 JUNE

YOU'RE WELCOME TO BRING ALONG YOUR OWN BEANBAG.

POPCORN AND A SELECTION OF TREATS AT THE CANDY BAR  
ARE AVAILABLE TO PURCHASE ON THE NIGHT

Please come along and join the fun. There will be popcorn and other snacks to be purchased by cash on the night.

RSVP through QKR or the front office by 20th June.

Event details:

*Date: 22nd June Saturday*

*Time: 6:30pm - 8:30pm*

*Venue: The Sacred Heart Gym.*

## OSHC

Check out what OSHC has planned for the July Vacation Care:

Vacation Care July 2024

## FINANCE

To find out more about the School Fees and School Card, click the link below:

[School Fees & School Card 2024](#)

### **Fee Remission for 2024**

Parents/caregivers experiencing financial difficulties are encouraged to apply for fee remission ASAP. Please email [accounts@sgs.catholic.edu.au](mailto:accounts@sgs.catholic.edu.au) for a fee remission form or collect from the School Office if you wish to apply.

We assure parents/caregivers that all details provided will be kept strictly confidential.

If you are having difficulty with meeting your fee obligations or have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact Alison Boyce (Bursar) or Mark Simpson (Principal) on 8216 9900.

Thank you,

**Alison Boyce**

[accounts@sgs.catholic.edu.au](mailto:accounts@sgs.catholic.edu.au)

Direct Ph: 8216 9902

# GENERAL INFORMATION

## Illness

If you or your child are suffering from any respiratory symptoms, coughing, sneezing etc. we ask that you please do not come to school until you are well. Thank you for your support in this matter.

## Student Attendance

You are reminded to ring the school/leave a message or Seesaw the teacher on the day your child is not attending school - please include the reason for non-attendance.

We'd be grateful if this could be done prior to 9am. Thank you for your support in this matter.

Please be aware that on our school website, there are key documents in relation to keeping all children in our school community safe from harm; physically, mentally and emotionally.

- **Catholic Archdiocese of Adelaide Safeguarding Children and Young People Policy**
- **Cybersafety: Keeping Children Safe in the Connected World**

## Labelling

Please check and ensure that your child's jumper/jacket, hat, drink bottle and small plastic containers are labelled so that they can be returned to them.

## Uniform

**Please note that uniform will be sold at the office on MONDAYS, TUESDAYS AND WEDNESDAY. If using QKR - every day. Other days by appointment.**

TERM 2 - STUDENTS ARE TO BE WEARING THE WINTER UNIFORM

Please ensure that your child is wearing black laced up shoes with their everyday uniform.

Sneakers are not to be worn for everyday uniform and only to be worn with sport uniform

## Clearview Snack Bar - Lunch Menu

Lunches can be ordered by using the Qkr! app - see below or purchasing paper bags and writing your child's name, class and order on the bag with money enclosed. These can be left at the office or given to your child's class teacher.

To view the 2024 uniform price list & policy and the 2024 lunch order menu, click the gallery below:

SANDWICHES		HOT FOODS	
<i>Wk: Wednesday and Wednesday</i>			
Vegetarian sandwich	\$3.90	Ham and Cheese (limited stock)	\$6.90
Ham sandwich	\$4.50	Hot Roast Chicken Roll w/white sauce	\$6.50
Chicken sandwich	\$4.50	Meat Pie (limited stock) with sauce	\$4.50
Egg sandwich	\$4.50	Steak Roll with white sauce	\$4.90
Chicken sandwich	\$4.50	Ham and Cheese	\$6.20
Ham and Cheese sandwich	\$5.00	Ham and Cheese Roll	\$5.50
Chicken and Cheese sandwich	\$6.00	Ham and Cheese Roll	\$5.50
Ham, Lettuce and Tomato sandwich	\$6.50	Pastry with Vegetarian Sauce	\$4.90
Tom, Lettuce and Tomato sandwich	\$6.50	Pastry with Vegetarian Sauce	\$6.00
TOASTED SANDWICHES		ASIAN/VIETNAMESE FOODS	
Chicken	\$3.90	Fried Rice (Beef, Pork, Ham, Carrots, Peas) 2.90 pack	\$5.90
Ham and Fried Egg	\$3.90	Fried Beef (on Bun)	\$1.20 each
Ham and Cheese	\$3.90	Spring Roll - Chicken or Vegetarian	\$1.50
Chicken and Tomato	\$4.50	Cold Rolls - Chicken or Roast Pork with Lettuce, Carrot, Mint, Rice Noodles 2.90 pack	\$7.00
Chicken and Cheese	\$6.00	Steamed Samplings - 2 per pack with soy sauce	\$4.50
DRINKS		Vietnamese Rolls (fresh roll)	
Orange or Apple Flavourmax juice	\$3.00	Tofu (vegetarian), Roast BBQ Chicken or Roast Pork	\$7.00
Flavoured Milk - Strawberry or Chocolate (200ml)	\$3.00	Your choice of Eggless, Cucumber, Carrot, Cucumber and Chilli (optional) and soy sauce	
Water (500ml)	\$1.50		
FOOD SUPPLIED BY: <b>Clearview Snack Bar and Laverie</b> 254 Hampstead Road, Clearview Telephone: 08 8262 1128		SALADS, SNACKS AND DESSERTS	
INFORMATION: Plain lunch bags can be purchased from the supermarket. Use one bag per child. Please wrap money and do not put more than \$10.00 in bag for each child. Emergency bags available at the office.		Jelly and Fruit Lab	\$2.00
		Chicken, Cucumber, Cucumber and Ham	\$6.00
		Fruit Salad Lab	\$2.50

	QUANTITY	SIZE	PRICE	TOTAL
<b>SUMMER UNIFORM</b>				
SHIRT - Short sleeves		Sizes: 4,6,8,10,12,14,16,18	\$25	
SHORTS - Grey		Sizes: 4,6,8,10,12,14,16	\$20	
SUMMER DRESS - Navy		Sizes: 4,6,8,10,12,14,16	\$55	
SUMMER DRESS Q (wider fitting) size 6			\$65	
SUMMER DRESS Q (wider fitting) sizes 10 & 14			\$65	
SUMMER DRESS Q (wider fitting) sizes 16 & 18			\$65	
<b>WINTER UNIFORM</b>				
TROUSERS - Navy		Sizes: 4,6,8,10,12,14,16	\$26	
TROUSERS - Grey (double knee)		Sizes: 4,6,8,10,12,14,16	\$32	
SHIRT - Long sleeves		Sizes: 4,6,8,10,12,14,16,18	\$28	
WINTER PINAFORE		Sizes: 4,6,8,10,12,14,16	\$70	
WINTER PINAFORE Q (wider)		6,10,14	\$70	
<b>UNISEX UNIFORM - ALL YEAR</b>				
JACKET - Zip up		Sizes: 4,6,8,10,12,14,16	\$60	
SOCKS - Embroidered Logo		Sizes: 13-3, 12-6, 2-8	\$8	
SPORTS POLO TOP		Sizes: 4,6,8,10,12,14,16	\$30	
SPORTS POLO TOP LONG		Sizes: 4,6,8,10,12,14, 16, 18, M	\$35	
SPORT SHORTS - Navy		Sizes: 4,6,8,10,12,14,16	\$22	
SPORTS TRACKPANTS - Navy		Sizes: 4,6,8,10,12,14,16	\$36	
BUCKET HAT - Reversible		Sizes: 6, 8, M, L	\$15	
SCHOOL BACKPACK			\$45	
BEANIE			\$10	
			TOTAL	

UNIFORMS CAN BE PURCHASED IN PERSON - Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays. On QKR app - everyday and by special arrangement with office staff.

**UNIFORM - SUMMER**

**TERMS 1 AND 4**

Blue regulation check dress with collar and short sleeves.  
Navy blue zip jacket with logo  
Navy blue trousers  
Grey shorts or long grey melange trousers  
Medium blue long sleeved shirt with logo  
White socks with dress  
Grey socks with shorts  
Black lace up shoes - flat heels  
Blue ribbons or scrunchies  
Hair clips - blue/neutral brown

**SPORT UNIFORM**

Navy blue sports shorts with logo  
Navy/red polo shirt with logo  
Navy/red long sleeved polo shirt with logo  
Navy blue zip jacket with logo  
Navy blue track pants with logo  
White socks or striped sock from Uniform Shop  
Preferably white sneakers

**UNIFORM - WINTER**

**TERMS 2 AND 3**

Blue regulation check pinafore/skirt  
Navy blue zip jacket with logo  
Navy blue trousers  
Grey shorts or long grey melange trousers  
Medium blue long sleeved shirt with logo  
Navy socks or tights with pinafore  
Grey socks with shorts/trousers  
Black lace up shoes - flat heels  
Blue ribbons or scrunchies  
Hair clips - blue/neutral brown

**HATS**

Hats are reversible in Navy/rose colours  
Navy Beanie with logo

**SCHOOL BAGS (optional)**

School back packs with logo are available.  
All uniform is available at School (Black shoes, navy socks and tights to be purchased outside school.)



# ADVERTISEMENTS

**HELLO MAEVE**

*Hi, I'm Maeve* I am a passionate photographer who wants to capture the magic in your blissfully ordinary moments. Little loves, big loves and everything in between. I can't wait to spend some time turning your treasured moments into memories you can hold on to.

**CWL CRAFT & CUPPA CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS CRAFT WORKSHOP**

**Thursday, 19<sup>th</sup> December**  
**10.30am to 2pm**

**Good Shepherd Centre**  
**Fairview Terrace, Clearview**  
 (entrance behind the Church of the Good Shepherd)

**School-aged children only and must be accompanied by an adult. Children will take home whatever they make.**

**Gold coin donation**  
**BYO Lunch – drinks will be provided.**

**Love to see you there**  
**Bronwyn, Linda & Anne**  
 (and lots of helpers)

**SAITALIAN COMMUNITY LANGUAGE SCHOOL**

**Register today!**  
 Scan the QR Code to complete online form and register your interest.

**Starting soon in 2025!**  
 Starting coverage in Term 1 of 2025, an Italian language and culture program will be offered through the South Australian Italian Community.

**The Best of its kind...**  
 The first of its kind for the Italian community, the Italian Language Experience Program will be offered through the South Australian Italian Community.



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**MOUNT CARMEL COLLEGE R-12**

## Transition Day

Transition Day for all 2025 Year 7 students will be held  
 Wednesday 30 October (all day)

## Helpful Contacts/Links for families

## QKR App – resolved with Android phones



The Android Phone issue has now been resolved, parents/users can now download the App from the Google Play Store.