Prayer for Justice

Father, you have given all peoples one common origin.
It is your will that they be gathered together
as one family in yourself.
Fill the hearts of mankind with the fire of your love
and with the desire to ensure justice for all.
By sharing the good things you give us,
may we secure an equality for all
our brothers and sisters throughout the world.
Amen.

Fair Funding for Catholic Schools

Catholic students receive, on average, 20 per cent less government funding than students in government schools. When fees from parents are included, Catholic schools operate on around 90 per cent of the cost of education in a Victorian government school.

There are three main principles for funding of Catholic schools:

- Additional funding to Catholic schools is needed to close the gap between Catholic schools and government schools.
- Government funding must keep pace with the cost of educating a child in a government school.
- Fair funding for students with disability and special needs is essential, so that all students, regardless of the school they attend, receive funding to meet their needs.

The Australian Government has passed legislation through the House of Representatives to enact school funding and regulatory reforms for Australian schools.

In recent weeks, letters from Catholic school parents to their local Members of Parliament have made a positive difference to how the Government has responded to Catholic education’s requests for more information.

The Senate is now considering the legislation. As a Catholic school parent you can influence this process by writing to your Senators. Contact details for the Victorian Senators can be found on http://www.cem.edu.au/funding/what-can-I-do/

Questions you may wish to ask the Victorian Senators can be found in the attached Sample Letter to the Senators.

Government funding for Catholic schools must keep pace with the increasing costs of education. By writing to your Senators, you will be helping to secure funding for Catholic education in the future.

To read more about school funding, including the latest information about the current government funding review, follow this link http://www.cem.edu.au/funding/

Regards
Brian Martin
Principal
Sample Letter to the Senators

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Dear Senator

I am a parent of one of 200,000 students attending a Catholic school in Victoria, making up close to a quarter of the total school population in our state.

The Senate is likely to debate the Australian Government’s school funding and regulatory reform legislation during the last two scheduled sitting weeks of this parliament.

When you consider the Australian Education Bill 2013, there are three questions I would like you to think about:

1. How will school fees be affected?
2. How much of the new funding will be allocated to future increases in teacher and staff salaries?
3. What will it cost Catholic schools to implement the red tape being imposed by Canberra and will it duplicate existing accountability mechanisms?

Despite the fact that, on average, each Catholic school student in Victoria receives around 20 per cent less funding than a government school student, my Catholic school provides an outstanding education that develops well-rounded young people and helps them to reach their full potential. As a parent, I need to be sure that I will be able to afford to choose a Catholic education for my child in the future.

I would also be very concerned if my principal was forced to run our school according to rules set by Canberra which risk standardising education rather than responding directly to the unique needs of our community.

I look forward to your reply.

Yours sincerely

Parent
Address
Suburb
Funding facts

Catholic education is committed to distributing funding to best meet the needs of Catholic students, schools and communities.

Catholic schools in Victoria educate more than one-in-five Victorian students, and is the sixth largest schooling system in Australia. Both the Australian and Victorian governments are important providers of funding for Catholic schools along with families who contribute to the costs of Catholic education through fees and fundraising.

Source: 2012 DEECD February Census.

Average net recurrent income per student, 2010

* A portion of interest expenses on school borrowings have been deducted from Government Recurrent Grants.

Source: My School 2010.
School Closure Days
Monday 13 June – Queen’s Birthday Public Holiday
Closure day 4 will be on Monday 31 October (Melbourne Cup Eve)
Please register your interest with Camp Australia if care is required (this service will be offered depending on numbers).

School Tours
The next school tour will be on Thursday 16 June from 2.30pm to 3.30pm.

School Calendar
The 2016 School calendar may be downloaded by following this link http://www.shoakleigh.catholic.edu.au/calendar.html

Parent Handbook
The Parent Handbook may be accessed ONLY by following this link http://www.shoakleigh.catholic.edu.au/private.html. There is no link on the website.

School Newsletter
Email addresses for new families have been entered onto the school system. Please provide an email address to the school to receive newsletters, if you have not already done so on your enrolment form. The school office email address is office@shoakleigh.catholic.edu.au

Fee Statements
Please note that all Term 2 fee statements have been emailed to parents/guardians. Receipts are also emailed once payment is confirmed.

PREP ENROLMENTS FOR 2017
Applications for enrolment for Prep 2017 at Sacred Heart Primary School are now open and will close on June 26th 2016. If any current families have a child to attend next year please send in your enrolment form by this date. We wouldn’t want your place to go to another applicant.
For more information, application forms or details of school tours etc. please contact the school office on 8574 4500. Our next school tour is on Thursday 16 June at 2.30pm

Holiday / Vacation Care with Camp Australia
Sacred Heart Oakleigh will be offering onsite Vacation Care in addition to our current Before and After School Care service with Camp Australia. Vacation Care will be commencing on Monday, 27th June, 2016.
Fees are as follows:

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As per normal child care services, rebates will also apply

This is a trial for the next two school holidays. If we achieve the minimum numbers we will be able to continue this service. Please see flyer further in newsletter.

IMPORTANT - Please make sure your child is collected on time after school either by yourself or a nominated carer – School finishes at 3.20pm each day.
It is important that children are collected on time after school. Teachers/staff have meetings on Tuesdays and Wednesdays to attend immediately after school and it is difficult when there are children left whose parents/carers have not collected them. We understand that there may be an occasion when you are a little late due to unforeseen circumstances and ask that you advise the school office on 8574 4500. It should not be a regular occurrence. Students may be sent to After School Care (Camp Australia) at parent expense, located in the Mora Avenue building, if not collected by 3.30pm and you will need to pick them up from there. This is to ensure the safety of all students.
Playgroup Begins at Sacred Heart

Dear Parents,
Earlier this year I invited you and your preschool child to establish a playgroup in our school community. I am pleased to announce playgroup will be at 2pm on Friday afternoons in the school hall / the heart, starting in Term 3.

If you would like more information please contact Sherilyn Mangalino on qt_she@yahoo.com or 0411 137 509, or drop by on a Friday afternoon from 15 July.

At this stage playgroup is only available to siblings of children already in the school.

Regards
Brian

Community Calendar 2016

Fri 10 Jun 2016
Newsletter Released
School Closure Day
Mon 13 Jun 2016
Queen's Birthday
Tue 14 Jun 2016
5/6 orienteering excursion at Jells Park
School Banking
Wed 15 Jun 2016
7pm - 7:30pm Parish council
Thu 16 Jun 2016
Paraliturgy - Prep / JF 3:00pm
2:30pm - 3:30pm School Tours
7pm Michael Grose Family Wellbeing night
Fri 17 Jun 2016
Interschool Sport Gala Day
2:30pm - 3:20pm 2nd Hand Uniform Shop Open
Sun 19 Jun 2016
11:30am SH Eucharist ceremonies
2pm SH Eucharist ceremonies
Mon 20 Jun 2016
2:30pm - 3pm Assembly Eucharist
Tue 21 Jun 2016
Reports out
School Banking
Thu 23 Jun 2016
Red Assessment out
Term overviews out
Fri 24 Jun 2016
Parent Association Thank you
A sincere apology to the Mothers’ Day stall organisers Lisa Matusewicz and Priscilla Hansen and the many volunteers as we forgot to thank everyone for their effort and contributions in the PA newsletter. Without everyone’s contribution this event would not be able to run and be such an integral part of Mothers’ Day. – Noura

Please note: SCHOOL CONCERT - TUESDAY 13 SEPTEMBER 7.00PM AT SACRED HEART GIRL’S COLLEGE

Newsletter Released
10am PA BBQ
1:30pm End Term 2 Students finish
Holidays
Mon 11 Jul 2016
Students Return
2:30pm - 3pm Assembly - 5/6JH
Tue 12 Jul 2016
Red assessments back
School Banking
Fri 15 Jul 2016
Newsletter Released
Tue 19 Jul 2016
School Banking
Thu 21 Jul 2016
PA Meeting 7.15pm
Sat 23 Jul 2016
5:30pm SH Confirmation Commitment Mass
Mon 25 Jul 2016
2:30pm - 3pm Assembly - 3/4EP
Tue 26 Jul 2016
School Banking
7pm - 8:30pm SH Confirmation Parent night @ HR
Wed 27 Jul 2016
7pm - 8pm School Education Board
Fri 29 Jul 2016
Newsletter Released
A Message from the Mothers’ Day Stall Co-ordinators
Sacred Heart Mums enjoy receiving gifts on Mothers’ Day morning and it is made even more wonderful because of the special gifts the children have especially selected from the schools Mothers’ Day Stall. We acknowledge and appreciate the personal time several ladies gave to make items for the stall. A sincere thank you for the beautiful selection of crafts created and donated by Nana Thelma Berger who made and painted the bookmarks and soaps, Christina Conforti who handmade the cards and Courtney Shaw who handmade the lavender heat-bags. The lavender was donated by Klava. All beautiful items that added a little something special to our stall this year.

Similarly, we could not offer this event without the support of the volunteers who helped with the stall, including Rachel who helped set up the stall tables and Francis, Stav, Gayathri, Cindy, Bianca, Nicole, Jenny, Lisa, Fran, Annette, Angela and Haria for serving at the stall.

Thank you to all our helpers who donated their time and fabulous skills.
- Lisa & Priscilla

24 JUNE 2016
DRAVET AWARENESS FUNDRAISER
Afternoon Tea
Members of the local community are gathering to support one of our own. Our aim is to raise awareness of this disease whilst fostering community spirit and raising funds for this very worthwhile cause.

Children with Dravet syndrome do not outgrow this condition and it affects every aspect of their daily lives

For more information or to register to attend this event or make a donation, please use the trybooking link below.

Dravet Syndrome Awareness Day is 23 June 2016. As this disease personally impacts our community through an ex-student and her family, members of the Sacred Heart community are warmly invited to attend Afternoon Tea on the 24th of June 2016.

Contact Details:
Kate Noone 0411 078 980 cbennett43@bigpond.com
Lisa O’Driscoll 0418 422 003 martyllisa@bigpond.com
Hi there to all Sacred Heart families! I’m Caitlin, I am from Camp Australia Out of School Hours Care, I just wanted to let you guys know of a few exciting things that are going on at OSHC in the next few weeks!

We had an awesome time at the Pupil Free Day program on Thursday, 9th June. There were almost 40 of us there on the day, and we did some amazing activities; face painting, tie dyeing, lots of cooking, making our own shops and more games than you could count! We LOVE running the Pupil Free Day programs and we were so happy we got the numbers for the Thursday program, even if we did not quite get the numbers for the Friday.

The bookings have opened up for Holiday Club, and we are really glad to see so many of you will be joining us these holidays!!! Just a few little important pieces of information in regards to Holiday Club (as I have received many questions on these topics):

- **What time do you open and close on Holiday Club days?** The Holiday Club program will run daily from 7am-6pm (the same times Before School Care opens and After School Care closes).
- **Do you need minimum bookings for Holiday Club to run?** Holiday Club will run these holidays AND next holidays regardless of numbers. However, the numbers will effect whether we continue to have a Holiday Club at the school, so please try to book in, as we would love to see it continue here!
- **Who will be the staff members running Holiday Club?** The staff members working in the holidays is largely dependent on the number of bookings. Caitlin will definitely be working everyday in the holidays, and we will be seeing Kahlil, Jordyn, Merv, Eva, and Vineetha’s familiar faces! :)
- **What will you do at Holiday Club?** Every day at Holiday Club has a different agenda - we have two excursions, and many incursions! Not to mention the countless games, Cooking Club activities, craft activities and sports we will do!
- **Do I need to book for Holiday Club, or can I just show up on the day?** Bookings are really, really, really extra important for Holiday Club, because they have a big impact on our staffing arrangements, the activities we offer, and arrangements for our incursion and excursion providers, so, if you are interested in your child attending, please book in!
- **Can children from other schools attend Sacred Heart Oakleigh Holiday Club?** Of course we would love to have children from other schools - the more, the merrier! We definitely create a warm atmosphere here, and would love to make some new friends from other schools in the area!
- **What clothes should be worn at Holiday Club?** Practicality is the key - we would recommend runners, warm clothes (packing an extra jacket is a good idea), and clothes to move around in (particularly for those excursion days which may involve lots of movement!).
- **What should I pack for my child to attend Holiday Club?** The main thing to pack is food - we do a lot of running around, so a healthy snack and lunch is important. We do not provide breakfast during Holiday Club, but we do provide afternoon tea/snack as usual. Important: please pack your child's medication, doctor signed Action Plan and medical documentation if they have a medical need (eg. allergy, asthma, anaphylaxis, etc).

***** NOTE TO PARENTS OF MEDICAL NEEDS CHILDREN: Please ensure that you pack medication (eg. Epipen, Ventolin, etc), and an Action Plan signed by a doctor, WITHOUT THESE, WE LEGALLY CANNOT HAVE YOUR CHILD IN OUR CARE! Please let us know if your child is attending Holiday Club and does not usually attend After/Before School Care, as we will organise the required medical documentation so you are able to complete it more quickly when you drop off your child. *****

You can see more of what we will be doing at [www.campaustralia.com.au/holidayclubs](http://www.campaustralia.com.au/holidayclubs) and please book in via the Parent Portal.

Thanks everyone - be sure to come see me in the OSHC area or contact me on 0401 188 896 with any questions about our programs and services.

- Caitlin and the Camp Australia Team :)

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This year’s School Concert is dedicated to music through the decades.

Please add this event to your diary (if you haven’t already)

**Tuesday, September 13th 2016**

7pm at Sacred Heart Girls’ College, Oakleigh

More information about this night and what will be required for each class regarding costumes and props will be sent home towards the end of the term.

**PLEASE SEE ATTACHMENTS:**
Vacation Care at Camp Australia,
Traffic & Parking Safety Guide,
Creative Music Band Project,
National Male Health Week,
What’s Happening at MYFS,
Football Star Academy School Holiday Camp,
Melbourne Sports Institute Camp – Monash University Clayton Campus,
GESAC Basketball School Holiday Camp.
Come for a day, every day or anything in between

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No illegal parking in these red zones.
WANT TO PLAY IN A SCHOOL BAND?

The Band project is a weekly, 30 minute band rehearsal to be held here at school. Expressions of interest are now being accepted from students who can read music, including quavers/eighth notes. Interested students need to be self-motivated and reliable in attendance.

Students will:
- Develop ensemble skills in a fun performance environment
- Develop confidence and enhance performance ability
- Participate in school band performances in front of audiences

The Band Project is free of charge to Creative Music students whilst a small subscription fee is charged to non-Creative Music participants. An audition process will be implemented to select suitable student applicants.

Creative Music for Schools is one of Melbourne’s largest and longest running instrumental tuition schools. We are excited to offer a band program at your school. Please fill in the form below to enable Creative Music to provide you with additional information about this band program.

Expressions of interest must be received at Sacred Heart Primary’s office (Oakleigh) no later than Friday 17 JUNE

Please include the following information:
- Your name: .................................................................
- Your child’s name: ........................................, date of birth: ........
- Instrument: ............. The length of time your child has been learning their instrument: ...........................................
- Your phone number/s: (1) ........................., (2) .........................
- Email: .........................................................................
National Male Health Week

Health Elements - Living with purpose, building on health.

Dr Norman Swan is a multi award winning broadcaster and journalist. He is best known as the producer and presenter for the Health Report on ABC Radio National, Health Minutes on ABC NewsRadio, ABC Television’s Tonic and as co-host of Life Matters on ABC Radio National and as a reporter on Four Corners.

Monash males are invited to celebrate Men’s Health Week and learn more about leading a healthy lifestyle from Dr Norman Swan.

Come along on Thursday the 16th of June from 3.30pm to enjoy other activities including:

✔ Fitness demonstrations
✔ Martial arts demonstrations
✔ Expo tables
✔ Cooking demonstration
✔ Healthy refreshments

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL FOR DR SWAN

REGISTRATION:
Please book for Dr Swan’s presentation by Friday 10 June 2016 on 9518 3555 or email customerservice@monash.vic.gov.au

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CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE OR CALL TESS FOR MORE INFO + HOW TO PURCHASE TICKETS.

MONASH YOUTH FILM FESTIVAL IS BACK AGAIN IN 2016! DO YOU WANT TO MAKE THIS Year’s FESTIVAL BIGGER + BETTER THAN EVER? THEN JOIN OUR COMMITTEE. WEEKLY MEETINGS WILL COMMENCE ON TUESDAY 19 JULY, GO FOR THREE MONTHS + BE HELD AT MYFS GLEN WAVERLEY.

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