Prayer for the Holy Year of Mercy (adapted)

Lord Jesus Christ,
You have taught us to be merciful like the heavenly Father,
and have told us that whoever sees you sees Him.
Show us your face and we will be saved.
You are the visible face of the invisible Father,
of the God who manifests his power above all
by forgiveness and mercy:
Send your Spirit and consecrate
every one of us with its anointing,
so that the Jubilee of Mercy may be a year of grace
from the Lord, and your Church.
   Pope Francis

Holy Year of Mercy

Dear Parents and Carers,

Pope Francis has named this Church year as the Extraordinary Jubilee Year of Mercy. Jubilee Years events normally occur every 25 years. They feature special celebrations and pilgrimages, calls for conversion and repentance, and the offer of special opportunities to experience God’s grace through the sacraments. Extraordinary holy years, such as the Holy Year of Mercy, are less frequent but offer the same opportunities. The last extraordinary jubilee was called by St. John Paul II in 1983 to mark the 1,950 years after the death of Jesus. John Paul also led the last holy year, known as the Great Jubilee in 2000.

When announcing the year, Pope Francis said, “Let us never tire of asking for forgiveness.” He has described his papacy as a “kairos” of mercy, a New Testament term meaning a privileged moment in God’s plan. He said the time is ripe for the message of mercy. “I am convinced that the whole Church, which has much need to receive mercy, will find in this jubilee the joy to rediscover and render fruitful the mercy of God.”

The special Holy Door of Mercy was opened at the Vatican by Pope Francis. The opening of the holy door at St. Peter’s in 2015, was the first time in history that two Popes were present at the doors opening. Pope Francis asked that a special holy door be opened in every diocese across the world and to nominate the door that will be known as a door of mercy. St Patrick’s Cathedral in Melbourne has our closest special Holy Door of Mercy.

The logo and the motto (above) together provide a fitting summary of what the Jubilee Year is all about. The motto Merciful Like the Father (taken from the Gospel of Luke, 6:36) serves as an invitation to follow the example of the merciful Father,
who asks us not to judge or condemn but to forgive and to give love and forgiveness without measure.

This Holy Year of Mercy represents the journey each of us must make in this life. The Holy Doors represent mercy from the Father for all who make the choice to walk through them. The doors that can hinder us and stop us from moving forward must be opened, especially the doors of a closed mind or heart. In order to step through either the physical or mental doors we face when we are dealing with others, we must do so with both mercy and kindness. It is through our ability to open the door to someone else that we will be able to show mercy and to receive it. The choice is ours.

The Extraordinary Jubilee Year of Mercy runs from 8 December 2015 to 20 November 2016. The motto for the year, ‘Merciful like the Father’, serves as an invitation to follow God’s example by offering acts of love and forgiveness to others in place of judgment or condemnation.

Regards
Brian Martin
Principal

Parents of Year Six Students - IMPORTANT
Please be advised that enrolments for Year 7 students for 2017 will close for all Catholic Colleges on Friday 26 February. If you have not already enrolled your child in a secondary school it is very important that you do so immediately. It is advisable to apply to a school of second choice as all applicants are not assured of a place and success is dependent on the number of places on offer and the number of applicants.

Parents of Year Five students should start visiting schools soon and consider the options for secondary school for your child. Open day dates for secondary colleges will be published in the newsletter as they become available. Alternatively please contact secondary colleges directly - Sacred Heart Secondary College 9568 5488; Salesian College 9831 9550.

SCHOOL TOURS FOR 2017 ENROLMENTS
Tue Mar 1
9:15am – 10:15am
School Tours
Wed Mar 16
9:15am – 10:15am
School Tours
Thu Apr 21
9:15am – 10:15am
School Tours
Mon May 16
9:15am – 10:15am
School Tours
Tue May 31
9:15am – 10:15am
School Tours
Thu Jun 16
2:30pm – 3:30pm
School Tour

ENROLMENTS FOR 2017
Enrolments are now open for 2017. Applications close at the end of June. Enrolment forms and information packs will be available on these days.

Current Families Enrolment of Siblings in Sacred Heart School
Please collect an enrolment application form from the school office or download from our website. Please return it to the school office by the end of Term 2. If you know of any families who wish to enrol in our school, or if you have another child who will be attending Sacred Heart next year, please pass on this information.

Bread for the Hungry
We are hoping to establish a support network to support families in the school who could benefit from free bread once a week. We require volunteers on a Thursday evening to collect bread from a local baker, bag the bread and drop off at the school. The school will then arrange for distribution. If you would like to know more information or if you are able to help, please contact the school office or speak to myself. – Brian
**School Hats**
In Term 1 and Term 4 students are required to wear a **red legionnaires’ hat** when outside, including coming to and going home from school.

The rule is *No hat No play* which means that if a child does not have a hat, they cannot play in the yard and must spend time in the shade. You may purchase a new hat from the school office for $8.00 if your child has lost his/her hat.

**Top tips on sunscreen @ school - Important notice from Sunsmart**

Teachers at school are not expected to apply sunscreen to students but SunSmart does ask that schools have strategies in place to help remind children to apply sunscreen before they go outside. Regular use of sunscreen has been shown to reduce the incidence of melanoma and squamous cell carcinoma, both in the short and long term. Choose SPF 30 or higher broad spectrum, water resistant sunscreen.

- Make sure it is within its use-by date and is stored below 30 degrees. It is best to apply a generous amount of sunscreen to any exposed skin around 20 minutes before going outdoors. Sunscreen should be reapplied every TWO hours even if the stated level of water resistance is 4 hours.
- Children BYO SPF 30 or higher broad spectrum, water resistant sunscreen – one that suits their skin.
- Store sunscreen with lunchboxes and/or hats so when children grab their food or hat before going outdoors, they will also be reminded to slop on sunscreen.
- If sunscreen is kept in the cooler section of the lunchbox, it will be cold when applying - especially nice on a hot day. By the time the food has been eaten, the sunscreen should have had time to bind to the skin.

**ADMINISTERING MEDICATION – NOTICE TO PARENTS**

- Children who are unwell should not attend school.
- The administration/office staff or teacher on Sick Bay duty will be the staff responsible for administering prescribed medications to children.
- Non-prescribed oral medications (e.g.: head-ache tablets) will only be administered by school staff if sent in with specific written instructions from parents.
- All parent requests for staff to administer prescribed medications to their child must be in writing on the form provided FROM THE OFFICE and must be supported by specific written instruction from the medical practitioner or pharmacist including the name of the student, dosage and time to be administered (original medications bottle or container should provide this information).
- All student medications must be in the **original containers**
- Consistent with our Asthma policy, students should carry an asthma inhaler with them.
- No medication is to be kept in the classroom or left in school bags
- Parents must take medication to the office.

**Playgroup Expression of Interest:**

Dear Parents
We are considering having a playgroup in the hall one morning a week for pre-school aged children. If you are interested, please email me the following details to principal@shoakleigh.catholic.edu.au

- Your Name
- Your child’s name and age
- Your Email address
- All days that you are able to make playgroup (the more days you include gives us more options)

We will base the playgroup morning based on the availability of the hall as well as the most popular with pre-school parents.

Regards

Brian
8 March
School Photos – Envelopes will be sent home next week. **Summer school uniform** is to be worn on photo day even if your child has sport on this day. You may send your child’s runners with them but black school shoes are to be worn for the photos. Portrait photos will be taken of all students as well as class photos. Sibling photos may also be ordered. You may place your order online this year with the code on the envelope so you do not have to return an envelope unless you are paying by cash or cheque. **Instructions for ordering photos is attached. There is no obligation to purchase photos.**

**CSEF application form and information** for holders of Health Care /Pensioner Concession / Temporary foster parents or Veterans Affairs Gold Card – eligible parents may claim $125 per year for Camps, Sports and Excursions per child which will be paid to the school. – You may also collect an application form from the school office. Please see form and instructions further in the newsletter.

**Creative Music Band Project** – please see form and application further in the newsletter to find out how your child can join the Sacred Heart School Band.

**Creative Music Classes** – held here at school – please complete form further in newsletter if you would like your child to participate in keyboard, guitar, piano or drums lessons.

**School Education Board AGM:**
The School Education Board (SEB) AGM is an open meeting for all parents. Please feel free to attend without the fear of being co-opted in for a position on the SEB. This is an opportunity to hear how the school has fared over the last 12 months. **The AGM will be on Wednesday 9 March at 7pm in the staffroom.**

A **School Education Board Nomination form** is attached to this newsletter with a description of the Board’s duties. Should you be interested in joining our School Education Board please complete this form and return it to the school office or collect a form from the school office. **Nominations close on 25 February 2016.**

**CAMP AUSTRALIA OSHC NEWS**
Hello Parents, Guardians and the Sacred Heart Community! Hoping you are all settling into Term One! It’s Caitlin here, from Camp Australia - Out of School Hours Care. We have been doing some fantastic things over in the OSHC Room, we have been welcoming our new Foundation friends, and starting the new year with new crafts, games and activities.

I just wanted to let you all know that we are trying to get the numbers to be able to run a Pupil Free Day program on Friday, 11th of March. The day would run from 7am-6pm, and would be jam packed full with awesome activities. To run this day, we need a minimum number of 18 children booked in. If we have not reached this number of bookings one week prior to the 11th of March, we will give notice, so that you are able to make other arrangements, and, of course, you will not be charged. To book, please visit the Parent Portal at [www.campaustralia.com.au](http://www.campaustralia.com.au), and I ask that you book ASAP, so that we are able to gauge how likely it is that the day will go ahead - we are really, really hoping it will!!!

I also wanted to give notice that on the final day of Term One (Thursday, 24th of March), the children are let out at 1pm. We run an Early Finish program for this day - so After School Care will run from 1pm-6pm (usual closing time). This day **DOES NOT** require minimum numbers, and is just an extended After School Care program, so you can book in at [www.campaustralia.com.au](http://www.campaustralia.com.au). Please note, if you have a permanent/regular booking for your child on Thursdays, their name WILL be on the roll, for this day - please contact Camp Australia or access the Parent Portal to cancel a booking!

Finally, just a reminder to please register your child for Camp Australia’s services. Remember, there are sometimes those unavoidable situations where you might be unexpectedly running late to collect your child from school, and they may be sent to us! Also, please remember that if you would like to book, or cancel a booking, you can manage all your bookings and invoices online.

If you have any questions at all about the services we provide, please don’t hesitate to call or text me on 0401 188 896.

**Thanks so much for all your cooperation :) - Caitlin and the Camp Australia Team.**
**Classroom Cuisine** - please access link via school website to order healthy lunches on Mondays and Thursdays each week.

Classroom Cuisine is an ‘online tuckshop’ service available on Mondays and Thursdays only and is ordered online. Orders will be taken up until 8:30am on the morning. The lunches are then delivered to the school by 10:45am. For all the information you will need to access this service, how it all works and how to order, the web address is [www.classroomcuisine.com.au](http://www.classroomcuisine.com.au)

Classroom Cuisine - “Even though people can order on our site on ‘the morning of the day’ it is lovely if we can ‘encourage’ people to be organised and not leave it to a ‘last minute panic’ - especially on the first day! Our service is On-line, our Cut Off really is 8.30am! and to make sure we don’t make mistakes - we don’t take ‘manual/phone/email orders for those who "would’ve, if they could've, but couldn’t because.....! This may sound harsh for the disorganized minority, but it means we can provide a great service, where we’ll be known as the lunch order people who do it really well and get it right!” – Classroom Cuisine

The school office will not be able to help with any queries/issues with the service, if you have a problem please email Classroom Cuisine direct and they will reply promptly.

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

The events until the end of term are on page 6 of the newsletter

**Parent Handbook**
The Parent Handbook may be accessed ONLY by following this link [http://www.shoakleigh.catholic.edu.au/private.html](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

**CareMonkey**
As a parent you will have received an email from the CareMonkey system inviting you to enter the details for your child / or an update reminder in an electronic medical form. To ensure your privacy the information provided will only be accessible by the relevant staff for your child. There is only one primary carer’s email address associated with each child. You will automatically be sent additional reminders on a regular basis until the care profiles are complete. Once the care profile is complete, the emails will stop. Please feel free to contact the school office, Jan Morice or Brian Martin if you have any questions. You can also visit the CareMonkey website for more information: [www.caremonkey.com](http://www.caremonkey.com)

**Skoolbag app** – see instructions further in the newsletter.

**Please see advertising attachments at end of newsletter:**

Maria Tenace – Naturopath
Upcoming Walk for Monash Children’s Hospital
Invitation to launch of Oakleigh Community Action Plan
Classroom Cuisine Menu
Grasshopper Soccer Term Programs
**Sacred Heart Calendar 2016**

**Fri 12 Feb 2016**
9am - 11am Interschool Sport Match 1
Newsletter Released

**Mon 15 Feb 2016**
Enrolments for 2017 open

**Tue 16 Feb 2016**
School Banking

**Wed 17 Feb 2016**
Foundation Testing
7pm - 8pm Parish Council

**Thu 18 Feb 2016**
6pm - 8pm Yr 1/2 Picnic Night

**Fri 19 Feb 2016**
9am - 11am Interschool Sport Match 2
2:30pm - 3:20pm 2nd Hand Uniform Shop Open
6pm - 8pm Yr 3/4 Picnic Night

**Mon 22 Feb 2016**
2:30pm - 3pm Assembly Yr 6 Investiture

**Tue 23 Feb 2016**
School Banking
7pm - 8:30pm Foundation Information Curriculum Night

**Wed 24 Feb 2016**
Foundation Testing

**Thu 25 Feb 2016**
7pm - 8:30pm Reconciliation Family Night SH

**Fri 26 Feb 2016**
9am - 11am Interschool Sport Match 3
Newsletter Released

**Sat 27 Feb 2016**
5:30pm - 6:30pm Reconciliation commitment Mass SH

**Tue 1 Mar 2016**
9:15am - 10:15am School Tours
School Banking

**Fri 4 Mar 2016**
Gala Day Interschool Sports
2:30pm - 3:20pm 2nd Hand Uniform Shop Open

**Mon 7 Mar 2016**
2:30pm - 3pm Assembly

**Tue 8 Mar 2016**
School Banking
School Photos

**Wed 9 Mar 2016**
7pm - 9pm School Education Board AGM

**Thu 10 Mar 2016**
Newsletter Released

**Fri 11 Mar 2016**
CLOSURE Day – Staff PD

**Sun 13 Mar 2016**
Catholic Education Week Begins

**Mon 14 Mar 2016**
Labour Day Public Holiday

**Tue 15 Mar 2016**
PA Subway Lunch
School Banking

**Wed 16 Mar 2016**
9:15am - 10:15am School Tours

**Thu 17 Mar 2016**
Mass St Patrick’s Cathedral
St Patrick’s Day
7pm - 8pm Literacy Family Night F-6

**Fri 18 Mar 2016**
9am - 11:30am House Cross Country
Warrawee Park Oval, Oakleigh
2:30pm - 3:20pm 2nd Hand Uniform Shop Open

**Sat 19 Mar 2016**
Catholic Education Week
PA Mother Daughter Camp

**Sun 20 Mar 2016**
PA Mother Daughter Camp
Palm Sunday

**Mon 21 Mar 2016**
2:30pm - 3pm Assembly

**Tue 22 Mar 2016**
School Banking

**Wed 23 Mar 2016**
Combined Schools Day - Easter Focus
Red assessment folders out
Term overviews out

**Thu 24 Mar 2016**
Newsletter Released
11:45am - 12:15pm Easter Story Assembly
1:00pm End Term 1 Students finish

**Fri 25 Mar 2016**
Good Friday
Holidays

**Sat 26 Mar 2016**
Holidays
Holy Saturday

**Sun 27 Mar 2016**
Easter Sunday

**Sun 3 April 2016**
Daylight Savings Ends

**Mon 11 Apr 2016**
Start of Term 2 Students Return
2:30pm - 3pm Assembly welcome back
School Education Board: So what is it and what does it do?

The School Education Board (SEB) is a team of representatives (parents / carers / interested parties) from the school and parish community whose role is to provide advice on educational matters relating to the school and parish. The SEB informs and supports Fr John and myself in making key decisions in the life of the parish and the school. Ultimately with the goal of improving student and school outcomes and experiences. It also provides a necessary link between the parish priest, principal, teachers and the school community.

The SEB works on projects or helps resolve issues within our community. Some of the recent works have included:

- seeking solutions for traffic management
- working on policies such as homework and behaviour management
- advising on school fees and levy setting
- investigating and recommending communications tools for the school community e.g. phone apps, portals, calendar and newsletter content
- providing valuable advice on topical community issues that affect our school e.g. community health centre
- school beautification plan
- Community building including ‘The Heart’ Coffee Shop

The benefits of being on the SEB are varied. For some board members membership is about having a voice in the education of the students in the school or a greater understanding of the school and its operations. For others it’s about having an option to be involved afterhours and others about having a sense of self-satisfaction and pride in achievements. For others it’s about forming working relationships and connections with other members, staff and the parish. Whatever the reasons there is often a sense of purpose and fulfilment by being a board member.

The School Education Board (SEB) AGM is on open meeting for all parents / carers. Please feel free to attend the AGM later in the term without the fear of being co-opted in for a position on the SEB. This is an opportunity to hear how the school has fared over the last 12 months and a little on how the SEB functions.

If you are interested in finding more out about the SEB or applying to be a member, a SEB Prospective Member Brochure can be downloaded from the school website or collected from the school office. Alternately you can contact one of the existing SEB members. Applications close on 26 February. Is this the way you can contribute to our school community?

Current SEB Members

Fr John Magri (Parish Priest)  
Jan Morice (School Deputy Principal)  
David Cochrane (Secretary)  
Josie Broad (Parents Association nominee)  
Renea Johnston (Parent member)

Brian Martin (School Principal)  
Kate Borg (Chair)  
Russell James (Deputy Secretary)  
Nicky Predl (PA elect 2016)  
Michelle Gardiner (Parent member)
Maximise your participation in your child’s education by joining the School Education Board.

The Sacred Heart School Education Board is made up of interested parents and teachers who review and discuss the issues that affect the life of our school. The Annual General Meeting of the School Education Board will be held on Wed Mar 9, 2016 in the school staff room at 7pm. All positions will be made vacant and we are calling for nominations from people interested in being more involved in their children’s education. Please obtain a role description and nomination form from the office. Nominations will close on 25 February.

**SACRED HEART SCHOOL EDUCATION BOARD**

**NOMINATION FORM**

Name of Nominee

Contact ph. no. for the Nominee (H)_____________ (M)_____________

Children at the school (1) _______________________ Class ______ (2) _______________________ Class ______ (3) _______________________ Class ______ (4) _______________________ Class ______

Reasons for Nomination

Please include your experiences that would enhance your position as a member of the School Education Board.

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Signature of the Nominee: ________________________________

Seconded by: Name:_______________________________ ph. No. (H) _______________________________

Signature _____________________________ (M)________________________________

Children at the school (1) _______________________ Class ______ (2) _______________________ Class ______ (3) _______________________ Class ______ (4) _______________________ Class ______

Reasons for supporting the above nomination:

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FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE
INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

Every Victorian child should have access to the world of learning opportunities that exist beyond the classroom. The Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund helps ensure that no student will miss out on the opportunity to join their classmates for important, educational and fun activities. It is part of making Victoria the Education State and the Government’s commitment to breaking the link between a student’s background and their outcomes.

CAMPS, SPORTS & EXCURSIONS FUND (CSEF)

School camps provide children with inspiring experiences in the great outdoors; excursions encourage a deeper understanding of how the world works and sports teach teamwork, discipline and leadership. All are part of a healthy curriculum.

CSEF will be provided by the Victorian Government to assist eligible families to cover the costs of school trips, camps and sporting activities.

If you hold a valid means-tested concession card or are a temporary foster parent, you may be eligible for CSEF. A special consideration category also exists for asylum seeker and refugee families. The allowance is paid to the school to use towards expenses relating to camps, excursions or sporting activities for the benefit of your child.

The annual CSEF amount per student is:
• $125 for primary school students
• $225 for secondary school students.

HOW TO APPLY
Contact the school office to obtain a CSEF application form or download from www.education.vic.gov.au/csef

MORE INFORMATION
For the CSEF application closing dates and more information about the fund visit www.education.vic.gov.au/csef
CAMPS, SPORTS AND EXCURSIONS FUND (CSEF) APPLICATION FORM

School Name ___________________________ School REF ID ___________________________

Parent/legal guardian details

Surname ____________________________________________

First name ____________________________________________

Address ____________________________________________

Town/suburb ___________________________ State _________ Postcode _________

Contact number ____________________________

Centrelink pensioner concession OR Health care card number (CRN)

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☐ Foster parent* OR ☐ Veterans affairs pensioner

*Foster Parents must provide a copy of the temporary care order letter from the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS).

Student details

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I authorise the Department of Education and Training (DET) to use Centrelink Confirmation eServices to perform an enquiry of my Centrelink customer details and concession card status in order to enable the business to determine if I qualify for a concession, rebate or service. I also authorise the Australian Government Department of Human Services (DHS) to provide the results of that enquiry to DET.

I understand that:

• DHS will use information I have provided to DET to confirm my eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund and will disclose to DET personal information including my name, address, payment and concession card type and status.

• this consent, once signed, remains valid while my child is enrolled at a registered Victorian school unless I withdraw it by contacting the school.

• I can obtain proof of my circumstances/details from DHS and provide it to DET so that my eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund can be determined.

• if I withdraw my consent or do not alternatively provide proof of my circumstances/details, I may not be eligible for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund provided by DET.

• information regarding my eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund may be disclosed to the Victorian Department of Health and Human Services and/or State Schools Relief for the purpose of evaluating concession card services or confirming eligibility for assistance.

You are able to request access to the personal information that we hold about you, and to request that any errors be corrected, by contacting your child’s school.

Signature of applicant ___________________________ Date ______ / ______ / ______
CSEF ELIGIBILITY

Below is the criteria used to determine a student’s eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund (CSEF).

Criteria 1 – Eligibility

To be eligible* for the fund, a parent or legal guardian of a student attending a registered Government or non-government Victorian primary or secondary school must:

• on the first day of Term one, or;
• on the first day of Term two;
  a) be an eligible beneficiary within the meaning of the State Concessions Act 2004, that is, a holder of Veterans Affairs Gold Card or be an eligible Centrelink Health Care Card (HCC) or Pensioner Concession Card (PCC) holder, OR
  b) be a temporary foster parent, and;
  c) submit an application to the school by the due date.

*A special consideration eligibility category also exists. For more information, see: www.education.vic.gov.au/csef

Parents who receive a Carer Allowance on behalf of a child, or any other benefit or allowance not income tested by Centrelink, are not eligible for the CSEF unless they also comply with one of (a) or (b) above.

Criteria 2 – Be of school age and attend school in Victoria

School is compulsory for all Victorian children aged between six and 17 years of age inclusive.

For the purposes of CSEF, students may be eligible for assistance if they attend a Victorian registered primary or secondary school. Typically, these students are aged between five and 18 years inclusive.

CSEF is not payable to students attending pre-school, kindergarten, home schooled, or TAFE.

Eligibility Date

For concession card holders CSEF eligibility will be subject to the parent/legal guardian’s concession card being successfully validated with Centrelink on the first day of either term one (27 January 2016) or term two (11 April 2016).

Closing Date

Parents are encouraged to lodge the application form by 29 February 2016, so that payments can be made from March 2016. However schools can accept parent applications up until 03 June 2016.

PAYMENT AMOUNTS

CSEF payment amount

The CSEF is an annual payment to the school to be used towards camps, sports and/or excursion expenses for the benefit of the eligible student.

• Primary school student rate: $125 per year
• Secondary school student rate: $225 per year

The CSEF is paid directly to your child’s school and will be allocated by the school towards camps, sports and/or excursion costs for your child.

For ungraded students, the rate payable is determined by the student’s date of birth. For more information, see: www.education.vic.gov.au/csef

Year 7 government school students who are CSEF recipients are also eligible for a uniform voucher. Secondary schools are required to make applications on behalf of parents so please register your interest at the school.

HOW TO COMPLETE THE APPLICATION FORM

1. Complete the PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN DETAILS section.
   Make sure that the Surname, First Name, and Customer Reference Number (CRN) details match those on your concession card. You will also need to provide your concession card to the school.
   If you are claiming as a Foster Parent or a Veteran Affairs Pensioner, you will need to provide a copy of documentation confirming your status as a temporary Foster Parent or provide your Veterans Affairs Pensioner Gold card to the school.
2. Complete the STUDENT/S DETAILS section for students at this school.
3. Sign and date the form and return it to the school office.

CSEF payments cannot be claimed retrospectively for prior years.

Queries relating to CSEF eligibility and payments should be directed to the school.
Dear parents and students,

Sacred Heart Primary School PHOTO DAY IS 8/03/2016
School photo order envelopes have been or will be distributed to every student and it is important that the order instructions (below) are followed.

ONLINE ORDERING Your child’s school photos are now available for secure online purchase, please note if you are ordering online, you do not need to return an envelope to the school

4 EASY STEPS TO ONLINE SCHOOL PHOTO ORDERING

Step 1: Easy Access Link: Click on this link if you are using a supported device: Click Here

- OR - Go to www.advancedlife.com.au before photo day and enter your school code [Z2K F4C HVH]

Step 2: Enter your student’s details

Step 3: Choose the package that best suits your needs (all orders will be returned to the school for collection)

Step 4: Pay for the photos via the shopping cart (upper right corner of the page)

Please Note: Late fees will apply once orders are closed (5 days after photo day)

FAMILY / SIBLING PHOTOS No envelope required if ordering online

4 EASY STEPS TO ONLINE SCHOOL PHOTO ORDERING

- Go to www.advancedlife.com.au before photo day and enter your school code [Z2K F4C HVH]

- Family/Sibling photo orders online close on 6/03/2016

- Orders can be placed by returning an envelope up until photo day with cash or cheque enclosed

ORDERING USING AN ENVELOPE

ENVELOPES WILL BE HANDED TO EACH CHILD, PLEASE SEE THE SCHOOL OFFICE IF YOU HAVE NOT RECEIVED ONE

Step 1: Student Details: Complete the student details section on the front of the order envelope.

Please use black or blue pen.

Step 2: Purchase Details: Complete the purchase details on the front of the envelope.

Step 3: Payment Method: Select your payment method.

Credit Card – Online Only at www.advancedlife.com.au

Cash – Please enclose correct money – no change is given under any circumstances

Cheque – Make payable to Advancedlife Photography with your name & address on the back of cheque

Please allow 60 days for your cheque to be finalised - a $25 fee will apply to any dishonored cheque payments

Please feel free to contact us via email or phone should you have any queries in regards to your child’s school photo order.

info@advancedlifevic.com.au or 03 9852 1133

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WANT TO PLAY IN A SCHOOL BAND?

The Band project is a weekly band rehearsal to be held here at school from 3.00pm - 3.30pm. Expressions of interest are now being accepted from students who can read music, including quavers 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 of $6 per session applies to non-Creative Music participants.

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.

I wish to enquire about the School Band Project

School: ______________________________

Parent’s Name: ___________ Student’s Name: ________________

Grade Level: ___ Date of Birth: _______ Instrument: __________

Musical Experience: ____________________________

Address: ______________________________________

Email: ___________________ Phone: _______________

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Creative Music for Schools

Learn guitar and piano/keyboard AND DRUMS here at SACRED HEART PRIMARY SCHOOL

Guitar, keyboard/piano and drums lessons are now being offered during school hours in 2016. Limited places available.

Lesson Suitability:
Keyboard: - prep - grade 6
Guitar: - grade 1 - grade 6
Drums: - grade 3 - grade 6

SPECIAL NOTE:
15% group lesson discount for new students is offered in term 1 or 2 in 2016 where the completed form below is returned to the Sacred Heart School office by FRIDAY 19th FEBRUARY.

CREATIVE MUSIC FOR SCHOOLS is one of Melbourne’s largest and longest running instrumental tuition schools. In 2016 we are pleased to announce the option for instrumental lesson to be offered BOTH during and after school hours, with the addition of DRUMS to the choice of instruments for lessons, including a student band participation option. (see The Band Project) in this week’s newsletter).

- Creative Music offers stimulating and enjoyable lessons designed to instil confidence and enhance the student’s achievements in all aspects of learning. Our experienced teachers are skilled in dealing with the particular needs of students at all levels of musical ability. Students are encouraged to learn to read music and perform on their chosen instrument.

- Regular school concerts, biannual reports, certificates and ensemble participation are just a few of the features of the program. Instrumental hire or purchase available at competitive prices. More details are on our website www.creativemusic.com.au

- Lesson costs are from $16.20 per lesson and fees are payable by the term or instalments. Please return the slip below to the Sacred Heart Primary school office by FRIDAY 19th FEB. Our office will then contact you shortly after this date.

- Contact Samantha at Creative Music for Schools on 9818 2333 for further details.

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I wish to enquire about the School Music Program at Sacred Heart Primary School- Oakleigh

Parent’s Name: .............................................. Student’s Name: ..............................

Grade Level: ...... Date of Birth: ......../......... Musical Experience: ..............................

Address: ............................................................................................................... Postcode

Phone: Home: ................. Mobile: .............................. Work: ..............................

Instrument: .............................................. Email: ......................................................

Office Use: Return slip date 10% discount Term 1 or 2 in 2016
Upcoming Walk for Monash Children's Hospital

The fourth annual Upcoming Walk for Monash Children's Hospital is raising funds for the new Monash Children's Hospital. The event will be hosted on Sunday 6th March 2016 at Jells Park, Wheelers Hill and we need your help to make it successful.

The Victorian Government provides a good health service - it’s philanthropy that makes it great. Australians and especially Victorians have a strong and generous history of philanthropy in paediatric healthcare. We need to raise funds to make this a special place for children and their families to receive the very best healthcare they need.

We are anticipating that over 2,000 people will be in attendance and we need your school's help in promoting this wonderful event.

Through your support of this event your school will be helping to make a real difference in the lives of thousands of young patients and their families. The money raised from this event is vital in helping the new Monash Children's Hospital deliver outstanding outcomes for Victoria's sick children and their families.

For more information please email Georgina Heaslip or call 9594 2735

Hi, my name is Maria Tenace. I am one of the parents at Sacred Heart Primary School, Oakleigh. I would like to let you know about a service that I am providing in our local area. I am a degree qualified Naturopath. Naturopaths provide health management for both acute and chronic health issues.

Naturopaths approach health issues holistically, creating individualised health plans that consider both the body, mind and emotions when treating a condition or illness. Naturopathy can be used in combination with mainstream medicine. I use nutritional medicines, herbal medicines and flower essences in my therapy. I also provide lifestyle and nutritional counselling. Naturopaths can treat many different conditions. Common conditions treated are Irritable Bowel Syndrome (IBS), Gynecological conditions (such as PMS, Menopause), Fatigue, Stress, Depression, Anxiety, Insomnia, Skin conditions (such as Acne, Eczema) and Thyroid issues.

Please feel free to give me a call to have a confidential chat about your health concern.

I am currently practising at SunnyBrook Health Clinic, 553A North Rd, ORMOND.
Please contact me on 0409 446966. You can also email me at mariathenaturopath@outlook.com
You are warmly invited to the launch of the ‘Oakleigh Community Action Plan’

Date: Monday 29 February 2016    Time: 6.30pm-8pm
Location: Monash Seminar & Training Centre (1a Atherton Road, Oakleigh)

- Hear about how the plan was created and how you can get involved!
- Join us for some light refreshments and an opportunity to ask more questions and to get more information.

To RSVP, please contact Council:

📞 9518 3555    or    📧 customerservice@monash.vic.gov.au

To find out more about the plan, visit

LUNCH ITEM ONE
Greek Style Salad with Feta and Olives (GF)
Brown Rice & Mixed Bean Salad (GF)
Pic'n'Uni Box – Vegetarian (GF)
Pic'n'Uni Box with Ham (GF)
Sushi - Teriyaki Chicken Hand Rolls (2)
Sushi - Cooked Tuna Hand Rolls (2)
Sushi - Avocado Hand Rolls (2)
Sushi - Cucumber Hand Rolls (2)
Sushi – Vegetarian Hand Rolls (2)
Cheese and Bacon Roll
Cheese and Vegemite Scroll
Supreme Pizza Roll
Topped with Only Cheese Roll
Margherita Pita Pizza
Ham and Pineapple Pita Pizza
Fresh Tomato and Italian Herb Pita Pizza
Spinach & Feta Pita Pizza
Ham, Cheese and Tomato Sandwich
Ham and Cheese Roll
Gluten Free Ham & Cheese Sandwich (GF)
Chicken & Salad Roll
WRAP Ham & Salad (GF)
Simple Salad Roll
Vegemite Sandwich
Mild Salami and Salad Roll
Cheese and Salad Roll
Beetroot and Salad Roll
Roast Beef, Fruit Chutney, Cheese and Lettuce Roll
Wholegrain Cheese and Tomato Sandwich

LUNCH ITEM TWO
Fresh Fruit Combo
Freshly chopped Watermelon Pieces
Freshly chopped Strawberries with Green Grapes
Apple with Lemon Juice, Brown Sugar & Cinnamon
Chopped Carrot, Cucumber, Red & Yellow Capsicum
Lightly Steamed Corn Wheels & Broccoli pieces
Cherry Tomatoes with Tasty Cheese & Rice Crackers
Whole Banana with Chocolate Dipping Sauce
Cranberry Freedom Foods Bar (GF)
Choc Chip Cookie
Iced Chocolate Cake
White Choc & Sultana Cookie
Hedgehog Slice
Fruit Bun
Cup Cake
Blueberry Muffin
Apple & Cinnamon Cake
Finger Bun with Sprinkles
Evia Yoghurt with Raspberry Coulis (GF)
Evia Yoghurt with Blueberry Coulis (GF)
Evia Yoghurt with Mango Coulis (GF)
Tzatziki dip with Rice Crackers
Avocado dip with Rice Crackers
Spring Onion dip with Rice Crackers
Gluten Free – Munchy Apple & Cinnamon Clusters
Extra Juicy Apple Juice
Extra Juicy Orange Juice
Nippy’s Chocolate Milk
Cobs Popcorn, Lightly Salted
Cobs Popcorn Slightly Sweet, Lightly Salted

LUNCH ITEM THREE/ SNACK
Extra Juicy Apple Juice
Extra Juicy Orange Juice
Nippy’s Chocolate Milk
Cobs Popcorn, Lightly Salted
Cobs Popcorn, Slightly Sweet, Lightly Salted
Freshly Chopped Orange Segments
Whole Banana with Chocolate Dipping Sauce
Apple with Lemon Juice, Brown Sugar & Cinnamon
Chopped Carrot, Cucumber, Red & Yellow Capsicum
Freshly chopped Watermelon pieces
Lightly Steamed Corn Wheels & Broccoli pieces
Cherry Tomatoes with Tasty Cheese & Rice Crackers
Cranberry Freedom Foods Bar (GF)
Blueberry Muffin
Fruit Bun
Apple & Cinnamon Cake
Choc Chip Cookie
Cup Cake
Iced Chocolate Cake
Hedgehog Slice
White Choc & Sultana Cookie
Finger Bun with Sprinkles
Evia Yoghurt with Raspberry Coulis (GF)
Evia Yoghurt with Blueberry Coulis(GF)
Evia Yoghurt with Mango Coulis(GF)
Tzatziki dip with Rice Crackers
Avocado dip with Rice Crackers
Spring Onion dip with Rice Crackers
Gluten Free – Munchy Apple & Cinnamon Clusters

For more information check out our website - www.classroomcuisine.com.au
**Real soccer FUN for boys and girls aged 2-12!**

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**TERM PROGRAMS**

**PROGRAMS RUN FOR 8 WEEKS**

ALL YEAR ROUND DURING SCHOOL TERMS

**MINI CLASS (2-3yrs) & PINT CLASS (4-5yrs)**: A fun, non-competitive introduction to soccer for 2-4 year olds.

**INTRO TO MICRO Class (5-6yrs):** & **MICO CLASS (5-8yrs):** Grasshoppers will learn new ball skills and be introduced to the fun of the ‘Big Game’ where they will play 4v4 and 5v5 games.

**MICO PLUS class (8-12 yrs):** Focuses on skill development, game awareness & teamwork in preparation for ‘Big Game’ soccer. Children play the 6-weeks per Term Big Game!

**VENUES**

MONASH UNIVERSITY CLAYTON (SATURDAY - ALL PROGRAMS)
(Western Rd, Clayton)

VERMONT SECONDARY COLLEGE SUNDAY - ALL PROGRAMS)
(Morack Rd, Vermont - on Synthetic Soccer Pitch)

SUNWAY PRIMARY SCHOOL
(TUES - MICRO & MICO+ & SAT PINT, INTRO, MICRO & MICO+)
(Kirton Rd, Ashburton)

MOUNT WAVERLEY SEC COLL (WEDNESDAY - MICRO & MICO+)
(Senior Campus corner Gordon and Seaford Sts, Mt Waverley)

OAKLEIGH INDOOR SPORTS (THURSDAY - MICRO & MICO+)
(4 Railway Avenue, Oakleigh)

WAVERLEY MEADOWS PRIMARY (FRIDAY - MICRO & MICO+)
(1127 Columbia Dr, Wheelers Hill)

**For full venue times and prices visit www.grasshoppersoccer.com.au or call 1300 520 720**

Grasshopper Soccer also runs Holiday Clinics and Birthday Parties

Grasshopper Soccer provides a fun introduction to soccer whilst improving motor skills, coordination, fitness and self-confidence. Kids who are already soccer-mad will improve their skills and have loads of fun. Join anytime during school terms!

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**COME AND TRY SESSION!**

**BOOK TODAY!**

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