

Catherine McAuley Catholic Primary School

Orange

McAuley VI

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Term 4 -Week 2 - 24th October 2018



McAuley Award Winners 2018



Whilst some may be watching the "world of Winx" this weekend, the major fundraiser for the school, the Melbourne Cup trifecta competition, is also off and running. For those not familiar with the process all families are asked to sell or buy 30 tickets (always nervous selling to the neighbours as they could have the winning ticket!!). If the numbers in your ticket are the first three horses past the post, \$2,500 is heading your way. With a little bit of recent wet weather there might be a race between the Melbourne Cup day and the finishing of the astroturf!

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*Let us pray well and
never grow weary.*

Catherine McAuley

Be Respectful



Be Responsible



Be Safe



From the Acting Assistant Principal - Robyn Petty

Mission Week: This week has been a very exciting one, with all our Mission activities taking place! Today we had a wonderful time with the "Fun Day" activities, and I think the Kinder children were totally fascinated by their first experience of these great activities. The spirit of Catherine McAuley is never more evident than when our students are doing things to raise funds and awareness of the needs of others – something Catherine McAuley dedicated her life to. Congratulations to all who worked so hard to make this week such a success, both Spiritually and financially.

Kinder 2019 Orientation: We are very excited about our 2019 Kinder children joining us this Friday for their first Orientation! They will be with us from 9:30-11:00am each Friday for the next three weeks. The Parent Information meeting for our new Kinders will take place in Kenna Hall tomorrow evening, Thursday 25th October, at 6:30pm. While our 'new' Kinders are in the classroom, our Year 6 students will be working with our current Kinders. Thank you so much to our Year 6 students and teachers for their wonderful generosity.

School Summer Uniform: It is wonderful to see our students back in their Summer Uniform, now that the weather has started to be kind to us!! ***A reminder that the summer uniform comes complete with the school hat.*** Hats are to be worn each time students are outside. Even though we are still experiencing some cool days, the weather is definitely heating up and our risk from the sun is increasing. If students forget their hat, they will be unable to play and will have to remain in designated shade areas during playtime. ***Please label your child's hat and remind them to bring their hats to school and wear them each day.***

Year 6 Canberra Excursion: Next Thursday, 1st November, our Year 6, will be heading off to Canberra for the annual overnight excursion. It is a very exciting time, and one both students and staff look forward to. There is a very high behaviour expectation placed on all Year 6 children as they represent our school in our Nation's Capital. This is both a wonderful experience and a great privilege. We wish them well for this important venture!

Whole school Assembly: We have another Whole School Assembly this Friday, 26th October. Year 2F are very excited to finish our Mission Week with their class Assembly. All parents, family members and friends are invited to join Year 2F at 12:30pm in Kenna Hall.

OSCH at McAuley: Just a reminder that our Out of School Hours (OSCH) facility is available for all primary school students of Orange both before and after school each week day and runs from our Sacred Heart Campus in Byng Street. We are incredibly lucky to have this wonderful facility, with its relaxed setting, great afternoon tea, option of outdoor and indoor play has seen all children attending this facility, happy and engaged. After school care is currently on offer from 3:00pm – 6:00pm Monday to Friday, and before school care from 7:00am - 9:00am. For any information on McAuley OSCH please call Amy or Renai on 0439631686.

Arriving Late: It is an expectation at McAuley that students will arrive at school before the first bell at 8.55am. Supervision in the playground commences at 8.35am, with students arriving at school prior to this time expected to move to the seating area outside the Staffroom and remain seated until supervision begins. Should students arrive late for school, they need to report to the School Office before going to class. Please be respectful of the limited time we have with your children, and our need to make the most of the time we have with them by making sure they are at school in time for the bell.

Have a wonderful week,

Robyn Petty



Focus of the week

**We wear our uniform respectfully and
are responsible for our belongings!**

Mission Week Mass

Thank you to Year 5 for preparing such a beautiful Mission Mass last Thursday. Thank you to all of our students for showing respect in the church and to those families who were able to attend.

Mission Week Activities

Thank you for your continued support for this week's fundraising activities. I look forward to seeing some CRAZY socks on Friday. [Mission Activities Note](#)

All Saints Day Mass at James Sheahan

On Thursday 1st of November our students from Years 3-5 will be travelling to James Sheahan to celebrate All Saints Day. They will participate in a Mass followed by a range of activities provided by the Sheahan teachers and students. This will be followed by a BBQ lunch. Students will need to pack their drink bottle and recess. They are to wear their sports uniform. Students must return the [permission note](#) if they are to attend.



SACRAMENT OF FIRST RECONCILIATION

Thank you to those parents who have enrolled their children for the sacrament of Reconciliation.

If you would like your child to receive this sacrament please ensure that you fill out an online enrolment form ASAP as enrolments are already closed. You can find the enrolment form at orangesacraments.org.au



WE ARE ALL CALLED TO BE SAINTS Sisters of the Immaculata Youth Rally

We thank Fr Greg and the Sisters of the Immaculata Mission Team for their work with our students last week and the inspiring Youth Rally.

I was pleased to hear stories of contemplation and forgiveness from our students and was very proud of those Year 6 students who were able to attend the Rally. What a wonderful message the team brought to our students, challenging them to take up the call be saints.

From the Acting Religious Education Coordinator

Camille Da Silva Tavares

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Thirtieth Sunday In Ordinary Time Year B

Gospel

Mark 10:46-52

As Jesus left Jericho with his disciples and a large crowd, Bartimaeus (that is, the son of Timaeus), a blind beggar, was sitting at the side of the road. When he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to shout and to say, 'Son of David, Jesus, have pity on me.' And many of them scolded him and told him to keep quiet, but he only shouted all the louder, 'Son of David, have pity on me.' Jesus stopped and said, 'Call him here.' So they called the blind man. 'Courage,' they said 'get up; he is calling you.' So throwing off his cloak, he jumped up and went to Jesus. Then Jesus spoke, 'What do you want me to do for you?' 'Rabbuni,' the blind man said to him 'Master, let me see again.' Jesus said to him, 'Go; your faith has saved you.' And immediately his sight returned and he followed him along the road.

REFLECTION

In this Sunday's gospel reading, we meet a man (Bartimeaus) who in spite of his blindness can see what many people with good vision cannot see. And because of his 'spiritual sight', his physical sight is given to him. How often are we blinded in our faith? How many times do we rely on reading glasses and walking canes?

It is very easy in today's busy world, not to see clearly, to be blinded, to be led astray. Bartimaeus shows us, in today's Gospel, that true faith does not need eyes to see, just a heart that believes. Can we close our eyes and open our hearts to God? Is our faith alone eyes enough to follow Jesus down that road?

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1. CHILDREN NEED A MINIMUM OF 8 TOUCHES DURING A DAY TO FEEL CONNECTED TO A PARENT.
If they're going through a particularly challenging time, it's a minimum of 12 a day. It could be as simple as, the straightening of a collar, a pat on the shoulder or a simple hug.



2. EACH DAY, CHILDREN NEED ONE MEANINGFUL EYE-TO-EYE CONVERSATION WITH A PARENT.
It is especially important for babies to have that eye contact, but children of all ages need us to slow down and look them in the eyes.



3. THERE ARE 9 MINUTES DURING THE DAY THAT HAVE THE GREATEST IMPACT ON A CHILD:

- * The first 3 minutes right after they wake up
- * The 3 minutes after they come home from school
- * The last 3 minutes of the day before they go to bed



WE NEED TO MAKE THOSE MOMENTS SPECIAL AND HELP OUR CHILDREN FEEL LOVED. ❤️

KINDERGARTEN 2019 ORIENTATION



Kindergarten Orientation 2019 starts this week.

Dates and Times Below:

Parent Orientation Evening

Thursday 25th October 6:30pm - 7:30pm - Kenna Hall

Student Orientation

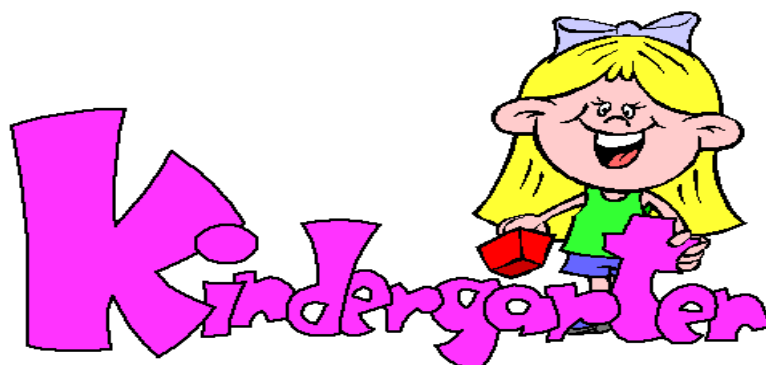
9:30am - 11:00am

Friday 26th October

Friday 2nd November

Friday 9th November

See you at school!



Merit Awards



Leah Turner	Eden Lyons	Zoe Taberner
Lincoln Hainsworth	Aimee Neich	Abhi Biju
Digby Luelf	Ava Eyles	Taylah Newman
Macklin Everett	Abel Tom	Riya George
Eleanor Crump	Paityn Klaare	Zac McGovern
Toby Dover	Ruby Davison	Imogen McGarity
Peyton Taylor	Mason Everett	Julia Loecker
Lara Cheney	Thomas French	Sage Fabar-Robey
Finn Rogers	Matilda-Rose Cheney	Travis Wright
Lewis Vaughan	Bailey Gardiner	Cory Griffiths
Billy Dean	McCallum Cole	Jack Bingham
Gabrielle Cain	Beau Jeffery	Will Wythes
Aiden McGuiness	Noah Lyons	Caiden Hoy
Atticus McGuire	Grace Dickinson	Mia Fabar-Robey
Vittorio Manca	Nate Gillespie	Cameron Crump
Ava Sutton	Domenic Belmonte	Zak Wright
Harry Shaw	Bede Marriage	Freya Bieniek
Kai Plante	Darcy Kelly	Eliza Brooking
James Weston	Adelaide Graham	Harry Dean
Cooper Eatell	Tess Hazzard	Rohan Gardoll
Luke Stevens	Wendy Ou Yang	Georgie Wishart

PERSONALISED LEARNING
that builds responsibility
and capacity



**LEARNERS
GROW TO
AUTONOMY
THROUGH
PERSONALISED
SUCCESS**

Model of Christ-Centred Learning Awards

For Term 4 we will award students for the 'Blue' area of MCCL. This area is to do with personalised learning. **"Learners grow to Autonomy through Personalised Success".** ***Congratulations to the following students who received awards from their teachers in Week 1:*** Elsie Vial, Ivy Healey, Millie Bunting, Lacey Omrod, Xanthe Gardner, Joshua Newman, Ellie Munday, Lilli Duffey, Lynk Wright, Jennifer Harrison, Ruby Dover, Ava Elmes, Ryder Tilston, Liam Fraser, Mia Milne, Riley Allen, Oliver Taberner, Sage Annis-Brown, Harry Munro, Poppy Wishart and Hayley Norris.

MCCL Facilitator

McAuley Health Blog #2

Eat Together, Be Healthy Together!



With our hectic family schedules and the convenience of readily available grab-and-go foods, eating well can be challenging at times.... but eating together as a family can be a great strategy for improving health and encouraging healthy eating habits.

Getting back to the basics of a wholesome family meal creates a comforting ritual for everyone to enjoy. Kids appreciate the predictability of a structured routine and it's a great opportunity for parents to catch up on the day's events.

When meals together are prioritised, it's more likely that family members will eat a variety of healthy foods such as fruits, vegetables and grains. They're also far less likely to consume poor quality (high calorie/low nutrient density) snacks.

Family meal times are also an ideal opportunity to introduce kids to new foods and for parents to role model positive health behaviours such as hydration, variety, balance, and portion control. They're also a great way to encourage social skills such as conversation and interaction, as well as mindfulness techniques.

Sharing this time together as a family can be a fun and interactive event! Here are some ideas:

Turn off the distractions (TV, PC, phone, games console) and take turns in talking about the best parts of your day instead.

Involve your kids in meal planning by letting them decide on what's for dinner (within reason), or alternate between every family member's favourite dish.

Share the meal preparation and get the kids involved so they learn about healthy meals and healthy eating habits.

Use meal times to celebrate special events or milestones such as birthdays, merit awards, great sportsmanship, or even tidying up a bedroom. Allow the 'star' to sit at the head of the table for that particular meal.

Let your child(ren) invite a friend for dinner to make the time for fun and special.

Keep the dinner table clear of all negativity including lectures, arguments and/or sibling rivalries.

Eating is about so much more than the nutritional value we derive from it. Meal times should be relaxed, pleasurable and most importantly, a time to connect with the people we love the most. Use this time to eat well together, and your body (and your family) will thank you for it!!

Cherie Rivas

Catherine McAuley Parent & Partner in Health & Wellness.



Monday to Friday

Before School Care: 7:00 - 9:00 am

Permanent booking \$12.00

Casual booking \$14.00

**Nutritional breakfast included*

After School Care: 3:00 - 6:00 pm

Permanent booking \$20.00

Casual booking \$24.00

**Afternoon tea provided which includes seasonal fruit and a snack*

Vacation Care: 8:00 am - 6:00 pm

\$45.00 for the first child \$35.00 for each additional child

**CCS applicable to eligible families reducing out of pocket expenses.*

Enroll online at: <https://mcauleyoshc.hubworks.com.au>

For further information and to receive a booking pack contact 0439 631 686 or email mcauleyoshc@centacarebathurst.com.au



CYMS JUNIOR CRICKET CLUB REGISTRATIONS ARE NOW OPEN TO REGISTER PLEASE GO TO:

[https://playcricket.com.au/club-finder/
clubdetails?
Id=4640&postcode=ORANGE%20NSW%
202800&disablity=1,2,4,8,16](https://playcricket.com.au/club-finder/clubdetails?Id=4640&postcode=ORANGE%20NSW%202800&disablity=1,2,4,8,16)

or go to : playcricket.com and search for
clubs in Orange 2800

For further information please contact
CYMS Junior Cricket Club at:

cymsjcc@gmail.com.au



Happy Birthday



Happy Birthday to the following students who have birthdays this week

*Nate Kenney
Ethan Wasow*

James Meade

Taylah Newman

Lucy Baker

Tuckshop Roster



Tuckshop Roster—Commencing Monday 29th October to Friday 2nd November 2018

Day	9:30am	10:30am	11:30am
Monday	-	-	N Livermore
Tuesday	K Cain	-	S Cain
Wednesday	-	-	M Gersbach / H Moon
Thursday	-	T Gardiner	A Meade
Friday	A Moody / T Fieldus	B Scuito / N Day	A Cantrill / N Weston

upcoming EVENTS

Thursday 25th October

Kinder 2019 Parent Orientation Evening 6:30pm

Year 6 Students to Fr Rob Galea Event

Friday 26th October

Mission Activity - Crazy Sock Day

2F Assembly 12:30pm

Kinder 2019 1st Orientation Morning 9:30am-11:00am

Monday 29th October

Naidoc March

Wednesday 31st October

Naidoc Eisteddfod

Thursday 1st November

Combined Schools All Saints Mass 9:30am at JSCHS

Year 6 Canberra Excursion

Friday 2nd November

5H Assembly 12:30pm

Year 6 Canberra Excursion

Kinder 2019 Orientation Morning 9:30am - 11:00am

Responsible Pet Ownership Program Kinder, Year 1 & Year 2

Interesting Fact of the Week

Squirrels can remember the hiding places of up to 10,000 nuts.



Catherine McAuley Catholic Primary

Mass Times

St Mary's Church - Saturday 6:00pm

- Sunday 9:30am

St Joseph's Church - Sunday 8:00am

- Sunday 6:00pm

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