



20 May 2022

**Vision Statement:** Good Shepherd Catholic School is an inclusive community growing together in faith by living our Catholic values and beliefs. We are guided by catholic Gospel teachings of Jesus Christ, in partnership with parents, caregivers, parish and the wider community. Our school is dedicated to fostering life-long learning through educational excellence encapsulating the spiritual, cognitive, emotional, social and physical development of the child.

### Principal's Message

Dear Parents and Caregivers of Good Shepherd Catholic School

Congratulations to our Year 3 and Year 5 students who have completed all their NAPLAN tests. The official test window closed today with an allowance for catch-up tests next week. This extension has been allocated due to the number of student absences over the testing period.



Just a reminder that if your child tests COVID+ you are required to log the test on the Self Reporting Portal. For household close contacts the daily RAT including a photo with the date written on it is required EVERY MORNING before coming to school.

This also needs to be logged on the COVID-19 Self Reporting Portal via this link :

<https://cewa-collections.powerappsportals.com/COVID-19-Self-Reporting-Form/>

If your child is a close contact and you log this on the COVID-19 Self Reporting Portal via the above link, the school office will be in contact with you to supply you with additional RAT's for the daily testing required for close contacts to attend school.

This afternoon Mrs Caridi and the following Year 6 students participated in The World's Greatest Shave. Thank you to Mrs Caridi for organising this event and thanks to all who volunteered their time to help make it happen.

Donations are still welcome via : <http://my.leukaemiafoundation.org.au/goodshepherd2022>



Hendrix Maes	Harper-Roy Abrahams
William Taylor	Levi Hudson
Harrison Thomas	Ethan Collins
Jack Simon	Ethan Lim
Archie Morris	Antonino Di Angelo
Mwamba Nonde	Lincoln Charlesworth
Ethan Lembo	Raoul Vecchio
Che Vecchio	Oliver Van Lierop
Ruby Williams	Luca Lazzaroni
Lylah O'Meara	James Long
Jasmine Ani	Tina Nguyen
Annaliesse Mirchef	Mrs Caridi

As a community we congratulate these students for their selfless act and fundraising efforts for research into, and support of those with, blood cancer. Losing your hair may seem like a small thing, but for those who lose it because of their cancer treatment, this symbolic gesture is huge and greatly appreciated... well done to the community on the massive commitment to raising over \$10,000.

Enjoy your weekend and we look forward to welcoming you back on Monday for Week 5.

Lisa Deans  
Principal



## School Values



Our Catholic Values underpin all of our 6 school values.  
This year our School is focusing on our school value...



### Respect

We value ourselves, our faith, others, their property and the environment.

## Faction Points

<b>Francis House:</b>	<b>262</b>
<b>Noonan House:</b>	<b>220</b>
<b>Maali House:</b>	<b>187</b>
<b>Foley House:</b>	<b>219</b>



## Birthday's



The following celebrated a birthday recently.

We wish them a very **HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**

*These will be acknowledged at our Monday assembly*



Kaylyn Patani KB  
Ifeanyichukwu Victor 1W  
Akira Phan 5W

Xavier Florias PPB  
Jake Jones 6W  
Manveer Khanchi KB

Sunday Phimpha 5W  
Anthony Vu 6W  
Mason Lim 4B

## Term Dates 2022



<b>Term 2</b>	Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> April – Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> June
<b>Term 3</b>	Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> July – Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> September
<b>Term 4</b>	Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> October – Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> December

### Pupil Free Days

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June (WA Day) & Friday 1<sup>st</sup> July  
Monday 15<sup>th</sup> August  
Monday 7<sup>th</sup> November

## Important Dates to Remember

*Subject to change, based on Covid-19 advice*

First Holy Communion Workshop	24 <sup>th</sup> May
P&F Mother's Day: 8 am	27 <sup>th</sup> May
1W Assembly	27 <sup>th</sup> May
First Holy Communion	28 <sup>th</sup> May
Cheeseburger Day	2 <sup>nd</sup> June
1B Mass – 11.15 am	3 <sup>rd</sup> June



## Facebook Page

Good Shepherd Lockridge has its own Facebook Page. Please like our page and follow us as we begin to use this social forum to update you on information and current events happening within our wonderful school. Search **@GoodShepherdLockridge**



## Message from Year 6 Senior Leaders

Hello everyone, we hope you have a wonderful week and enjoyed the assembly this Friday. Many children from year 6 and Mrs Caridi have raised a lot of money for The Greatest Shave, now they all look a bit funny! This week on Monday we had a gymnastics lesson from The GYM WARRIOR, we learned new tricks, it was heaps of fun. Shirya and Stephanie



Fun Fact - Did you know that a guy called Doctor Friedrich Ludwig Jahn was the first person to invent gymnastics.

## Library News



As you know the Premier's reading challenge has commenced and I have some frequently asked questions below that may be of interest.

Can I read to my child and does this book count? Yes, you can read to your child and enter this book into the Premier's Reading Challenge reading log.

I have entered the school as "Good Shepherd Catholic Primary School", is this correct? No, please use the tab **Good Shepherd Catholic School** when registering your child. You can edit the school details in your child's profile.

Can I use books from home? Yes, you can use any type of books from your local library, from our library, take home readers, audio books as well as comic books, graphic novels, magazines, online articles, and even song lyrics.

Please come and see Helen Tomazin in the library if you have any queries about the Premier's Reading Challenge. Thank you, Helen Tomazin, Library Technician

## Premier's Reading Challenge

Join the adventure! We encourage you to join us in unlocking the wonderful world of reading for your children. Help them to join the Premier's Reading Challenge. Will they fly above the clouds, dive into the ocean, or jump into a rocket ship? All students from Kindergarten to Year 6 are challenged to read 12 books by 9 September 2022.

You can help your children sign up via the website, choose their own avatar and log all the books they read over the course of the Challenge. Weekly prizes will be awarded to students who log a book that week, with major prizes drawn when the challenge ends.

Books don't have to be in English – children are encouraged to read books in their first language. There are extraordinary tourism prizes to be won each week.

[Sign up](#) your children on the website to begin their magical journey.

**When signing up, please use the tab "Good Shepherd Catholic School"**

If you have any queries, please come and see Mrs Tomazin in the library.



## COVID-19: Talking to your children



You will find a lot of information in the media about COVID-19 which may create concern about how your child is managing, what they know and what they think.

This website provides a lot of information for families to assist with conversations with your children : [COVID-19 & Australian children | Raising Children Network](#)

## Eco Warriors – Sustainability

### Trash Free Tuesday

While every day should be trash free, Tuesdays at Good Shepherd are special days where we focus on reducing our waste from our school lunches. Please see chart below for more information.



## Canteen

Recess orders will be accepted from all students in Kindy to Year 6. We ask parents to write their order on an envelope and place the correct money to avoid handling change. The Canteen Menu is available on our Website.

<http://web.gsl.wa.edu.au/our-families/debbies-deli/>

## Uniform Shop

The following items are out of stock at the uniform shop:

- Size 2 - Rugby shorts
- Size 2 - Track pants
- Size 2 - Jumpers

As soon as we receive stock a message will be sent to families via sms or newsletter.

Please also note that in addition to the above items ZIP JACKETS of all sizes are out of stock and will not be available in the near future. Children in Pre-Primary to Year 6 are allowed to wear Jumpers instead of the Jackets.



Uniform Shop Trading Hours	
Tuesday	8:15am – 9:15am
Friday	2:15pm – 3:15pm



<http://web.gsl.wa.edu.au/stewardship/school-uniform/>

## P&amp;F Page

## MOTHERS DAY

## BOOK NOW

Only 1 week to go until our Mothers' Day Morning Visit!

We look forward to seeing you all next Friday morning.

Don't forget to book your attendance for catering purposes.



[Mother's Day Morning Tickets, Good Shepherd Catholic School, Kiara](#) | [TryBooking Australia](#)

*When: Friday 27 May 2022*

*Time: 8am -8.40am*

## HELP REQUIRED



To enable the P&F to run successful events, we require some extra help from our school community.

If you are available to assist with Mother's Day set up on Friday 27 May 2022 from 7.30am, please contact [gsl.pnf@gmail.com](mailto:gsl.pnf@gmail.com) or Holly Vecchio on 0424 529 329.

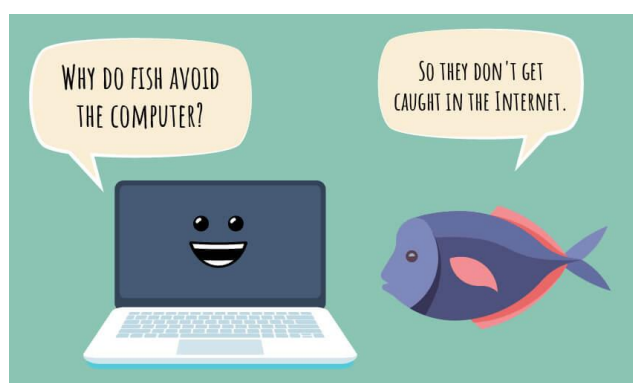
Remember dads, Father's day isn't too far away and your help to give our mums a special morning would be much appreciated.

## UPCOMING EVENTS



The P&F have some exciting ideas in the pipeline and can't wait to share them with you! Be sure to check back next week for more information.

## CONTACT US



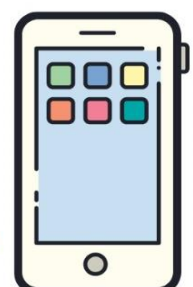
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## Mercedes College



## The Council for Catholic Women Perth

### Understanding John's Gospel

The Council for Catholic Women Perth warmly invite you to hear Dr Mary Coloe PVBM at two free events in Perth. Mary is a Presentation sister and a professor of New Testament Studies at Yarra Theological Union. Her primary focus in teaching and writing is the Gospel of John. An inspiring and informative speaker, Mary explores John's positive message that affirms life and speaks to the heart of human desire. RSVP by Thursday 9 June to Kerry at [kerrymacfarlane2@gmail.com](mailto:kerrymacfarlane2@gmail.com)/ 0400 886 835. All welcome

*The Passion Gospel of John* - Friday 10 June 6-8.30pm at James Nestor Hall Catholic Education Office 50 Ruislip St West Leederville, WA. Gather at 5.30pm for light refreshments.

*Understanding The Woman at the Well Story* - Saturday 11 June 9.30am -12 noon at Treacey Hall, Iona Presentation College Junior School Campus. Enter from 43 Victoria Street, Mosman Park (Next to Playing Courts and opposite Cafe).

