



Santa Clara School

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14 November 2019

IMPORTANT DATES:

Friday 15 November:
▪ Lumen Christi
Orientation Day
▪ **2:30pm Assembly**

MONDAY 18 NOVEMBER
STAFF CATHOLIC DAY –
SCHOOL & OSC
WILL BE CLOSED

Friday 22 November:
▪ 9:00am Year 4
Participation Mass
▪ **2:15pm Year 2**
Curriculum
Assembly

SUNDAY 24 NOVEMBER
OUR LORD
JESUS CHRIST,
KING OF THE UNIVERSE

TUESDAY 26 NOVEMBER
School Board & P&F AGM
In School Hall
5:00pm Sundowner
5:30pm AGM

WEDNESDAY
27 NOVEMBER
9:30am PRE-PRIMARY
GRADUATION

Friday 29 November:
▪ 2:15pm St Vincent de
Paul Hamper
Assembly
▪ **4:00pm P&F End of**
Year Family Picnic

SUNDAY 1 DECEMBER
1st Sunday of Advent

Monday 2 December:
▪ 3:30pm Keyed Up
Music Recital

FRIDAY 6 DECEMBER
○ 1:00pm Mr Win Pe's
Farewell Mass &
Assembly
○ 6:00pm Edutance
Concert & Community
Farewell for Mr Win Pe

FRIDAY 13 DECEMBER
LAST DAY OF TERM
FOR STUDENTS

A Message from Pope Francis



Today, a new impulse to the Church's missionary activity is needed to face the challenge of proclaiming Jesus.

Reaching the peripheries — the human, cultural, and religious settings still foreign to the Gospel: this is what we call the mission.

In this extraordinary missionary month, let us pray that the Holy Spirit may engender a new missionary spring for all those baptised and sent by Christ's Church.

Dear Parents / Carers / Staff and Students

We are half way through this last term. I am sure you are all busy as are we here at school. I hope this coming weekend will bring some time to slow down and recharge and appreciate each other. Go gently and enjoy your family time. Our families are so precious. May God grant you a peaceful time to reflect on our gift of family.

2020 Planning

As we enter the final part of the year, planning for the 2020 year has commenced. This process involves a combination of:

- *Balancing the educational, social and pastoral needs of our children*
- *The strategic placement of teacher resources*
- *Teacher growth and development*
- *Accommodating specific needs and adjustments for children*

JUST A LITTLE Reminder

- **MONDAY, 18 NOVEMBER:**
STAFF CATHOLIC DAY -
SCHOOL & OSC WILL BE
CLOSED
- **TUESDAY, 26 NOVEMBER:**
SCHOOL BOARD & P&F
AGM – SCHOOL HALL
5:00pm SUNDOWNER
5:30pm AGM

- *Utilising the contemporary learning spaces*
- *Projected fees and charges*
- *Curriculum priorities*
- *As well as the anticipated Commonwealth and State Grants*

Heroes

Everyone would agree that children need heroes to look up to. Heroes give us examples of what can be achieved in life. Heroes portray values and ideals

that we can aspire to. Heroes model behaviours that we know will make our world a better place.

All too often our children look to the sporting arena for their heroes. In recent times we have seen examples where this may not be the best source. I was recently outraged to hear an NRL player say "Sledging makes me a better player" and an AFL player say "I wasn't trying to hit him in the head, I was aiming for his chest." And let's not even mention the ball tampering scandal with the Australian cricket team! In the school playground, and on sporting fields, we can see these behaviours emulated because it is 'normalised' in some sporting encounters. In a country where sport is a national past-time, it is important for our young people to use discernment when looking up to sporting heroes.

Children benefit from discussions on what makes a hero. We have many sources beyond the sporting field...

- Family members and friends who have overcome adversity or who always do that something extra for others.
- People who have modelled values, or have given us encouragement.
- Those who have had a positive influence on the world - environmentalists, social activists, humanitarians, artists, servicemen and women, emergency services etc.
- The quiet achievers in our world doing the everyday little things that make for a better world.

Heroes touch our hearts and our minds, guiding us to new understandings and appreciation. Let's ensure that our children use these examples to make our world a better place.

God bless

Richard Win Pe
Principal

ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL NEWS

REPORTS

Are You Report Ready?
Please check your access NOW!

It's time to check your login for SEQTA Engage in order to access your child's report at the end of the year. If you already have an account, please login now to make sure you have the correct username and password to gain access. All reports for children in Pre-Primary to Year 6 are ONLY accessible on SEQTA Engage and will be available during Week 9, the last week of school.

Please note that reports for Year 6 students will be available on SEQTA Engage only until the end of this year, so we urge you to print off your copies as soon as they are available. Once Year 6 students have left the school your access will cease.

Any family who has not set up their account previously will have received an email earlier this year with a link prompting them to activate their account. If you have not done this, the link in these emails will have expired so you will need to contact the office to arrange to be re-provisioned. You are more than welcome to complete and return the attached reply slip to the school office.

Please don't wait until the last week of school to check your access. Use this link NOW to make sure you have no problems:

<https://santaclara.coneqt-p.cathednet.wa.edu.au/>



We have been advised by Kapture Photography that all portraits and class groups, sports and/or special team photos taken this year will be removed from their website at the end of this term in readiness for next year's photography. This is your last chance to purchase these photographs.

*Please visit www.kapture.com.au using our school code; **MKCCV9**.*

REMEMBRANCE DAY

Thank you to Mrs Armstrong and the Year 6 students for the reverent Remembrance Day ceremony they led us through on Monday.





ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY CHRISTMAS

It's coming up to that special time of year again! The time of year when Santa comes knocking and the joyous sounds of carols can be heard in the air. While most of us will be busily organising Christmas gifts and parties, it is also important to remember those around us who may not have the same opportunities to enjoy Christmas quite as much.

The St Vincent de Paul Society has again asked us to support their appeal this year. Each class will be asked to make a Christmas Hamper for a needy family in our society. By now, a note has come home with each student requesting they bring in a donation of food or a toy for these hampers. The baskets will be presented to a representative from St Vincent de Paul at the Friday afternoon Assembly on 29 November.



SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMS IN 2020

The dates for those students receiving a Sacrament in 2020 will be as follows:

Parent-Child Workshops:

Reconciliation:

Thursday, 12 March 2020
at 4:30pm

Holy Communion:

Thursday, 28 May 2020
at 4:30pm

Confirmation:

Thursday, 25 June 2020
at 4:30pm

Celebration of Sacraments:

Reconciliation:

Thursday, 9 April 2020 at 4:30pm

Holy Communion:

Sunday, 14 June 2020 at 9:30am

Confirmation:

Sunday, 2 August 2020 at 9:30am
(Celebrant: Most Reverend
Don Sproston)

Children who are Baptised and are entering Years 3, 4 or 6 in 2020 will be able to receive a Sacrament. If you wish your child to receive a Sacrament at the Santa Clara Parish, you will need to register them. Information will be available shortly regarding registration.

Collection of enrolments will occur on 7th & 14th February 2020 in the hall.

Fiona Messer
Assistant Principal

UNIFORM SHOP

OPENING HOURS DURING THE HOLIDAYS

Wednesday, 29 January 2020

From 9:00am to 12:00noon

An Invitation to Sing At Santa Clara Parish



We have music at each weekend mass in our Parish and would love to have you join in the choir at any time.



Online orders through QuickCliQ are to be in by **Wednesday, 27 November 2019** for delivery to the classroom by the end of Term 4.

OR

For Manual Orders

Pre-Primary & Year 1 2020

If ordering manually, these need to be received by **Wednesday, 20 November 2019** for pick up at the Uniform Shop.

OSC NEWS

Vacation Care

Vacation Care Program will be available **Week 7**.

- Programs will be sent out through email and hard copies will be available in the centre.
- Remember to book via our app "My Family Lounge" or email to Keren via Keren.Barry@cewa.edu.au.

For a guaranteed booking, please ensure forms are returned by Thursday, 5 December 2019.

Kind regards
Keren Barry
(Santa Clara School – St James)



Santa Clara P & F *Welcome you to the* *Family Fun Farewell Picnic*

Friday, 29 November

4:00pm - 8:00pm on the School Oval

Free Bouncing Castle and Face Painting
along with food trucks, stalls and
entertainment.

Come relax with your
family and catch up with
friends and farewell the
School Year.



This is not a supervised event.
Children must be accompanied by an adult.



Santa Clara School
Colour Fun Run

THANK YOU For Your Support

It was wonderful to see the spirit and enthusiasm that was displayed in supporting our wonderful school, and of course, the smiles on all the children's faces!!

If you haven't done so already, could you please return your Fundraising Forms to myself or the P & F box located in the school office by tomorrow.
Prizes will be ordered tomorrow evening.

Kind regards

Michelle Kinsman



Find us on Facebook:



Santa Clara Primary School P&F



In Term 1 2020, Keyed Up Music will be running after school Keyboard lessons at Santa Clara Primary School.

Prices are per lesson and Keyboard starts at \$17.55 for a group of 4. To enrol, go to
www.keyedupmusic.com.au/enrolment-form
or for more information, please contact Therese on 1300 366 243.



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School Board - Nomination Form 2020

I _____ wish to nominate for election to the Santa Clara School Board:

Signature: _____ Date: _____

(Nominations close Monday, 25 November 2019)



Santa Clara School

Parents & Friends' Association - Nomination Form 2020

I _____ wish to nominate for:

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President

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Treasurer

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Secretary

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Committee Member

Signature: _____ Date: _____

(Nominations close Monday, 25 November 2019)



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Annual General Community Meeting Reply Slip

I will be attending the Annual General Community Meeting (from 5:00pm with light refreshments in the hall and 5:30pm start) on Tuesday, 26 November 2019.

Name: _____

(Please return to school office by Friday, 22 November 2019)

Student Report Access

Pre Primary to Year 6 SEQTA Engage Parent Log-in

Dear Parents,

It is important that you please check your log in for SEQTA Engage as early as possible so that you will be able to access your child's Semester Two Report at the end of Term 4. To do this you need to go to the following site: <https://santaclara.coneqt-p.cathednet.wa.edu.au/> and use your current username and password credentials.

If you have remembered your username but have forgotten your password, please click on the Forgot your password? link and an immediate email will be sent to you. The email will expire within one hour, so please action this immediately. If you have forgotten both of these, then please contact the school and we can assist you.

Parents who are new to using SEQTA Engage are asked to complete the form below and return it to school as soon as possible. Once your account has been provisioned we will send a note home with your child letting you know when to expect an email to set up your account. This email will expire within 7 days so please, action this as soon as possible.

If you have any issues, please contact Fiona Messer who will be able to assist.

Fiona Messer

Fiona.messer@cewa.edu.au

New to SEQTA Engage!

Name of ELDEST child		Class	
Name			
Email Address			
	<input type="checkbox"/> I don't have an email address		
Please note 2 separate accounts CAN be set up for SEQTA Engage access, it is not necessary though to have a separate account for each parent. Once an account is set up anyone who has the logon details can access the information. If you wish to have two accounts set up please complete the information for BOTH parents.			
Name			
Email Address			
	<input type="checkbox"/> I don't have an email address		