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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

At the beginning of this week, after announcements from the State Government and Catholic Education WA, our school welcomed back all students. It is so good to have almost everyone back at school, with those who are still away being supported by their classroom teachers. Before and after school has certainly been a lot busier however, it is great to see families putting the safety of our children first, even if it is taking a little longer than usual to drop off or pick up. I continue to ask for your patience during this time. I need to make it very clear to families that if you are dropping your children off in the morning and using the drop off area that you need to remain in your car. Staff are available to collect your children from the cars and take them into the school. If you want to get out of your car, then park in the carpark and walk your children to the gate where they will be collected by staff members. Again, I reiterate, there is no reason to get out of your car. There is no indication from Health officials regarding when parents will be allowed back on the school site, but we are looking forward to the day that this happens. We continue to ask for your cooperation and understanding during this time.



Last Monday morning our new Year 6 senior leaders were announced to our school community. Congratulations to Seelvia and Azaria who will be our senior leaders for this term. I am sure they will do an outstanding job leading our student community. On Friday morning, they led our new assembly format which took place over the school PA. We will continue to follow this format until we are able to gather as a school community. I would like to thank Seelvia and Azaria who did a fantastic job. I would also like to thank Mrs Caridi and Mrs Smith-Webb for coordinating this event.

A few parents have asked me about the Sacramental programmes that were to have taken place this year. As I mentioned in a much earlier communication to families, First Reconciliation, First Eucharist and Confirmation have all been postponed. We still have no indication of when or if these sacramental celebrations will take place this year however, as soon as we get some information, we will inform you of the arrangements.

The school has launched its own Facebook page. This is different to other Facebook pages that exist within the school community. We will be using this page to share some of the great things that happen in our school as well as alerting families to events that are taking place. Families are welcome to follow our page.

I would like to remind families that the wearing of a school uniform is a non-negotiable aspect of being part of our school community. It is very pleasing to see most of our students wearing the correct uniform and I am sure families will continue to support the school to ensure that this continues. If your child needs to be out of uniform for any reason, I would ask that you inform your child's classroom teacher to let them know the reason why this is the case and

the length of time it will take to rectify the matter. I am noticing a great deal of variation when it comes to hair styles. I include the following from our school uniform policy:

All children with hair longer than shoulder length are required to tie it up (e.g. in a ponytail). Extreme hair styles are not permitted. The hair is to be restrained by elastic band, only royal blue or white ribbons / scrunchy to be worn with the summer and winter uniform.

Boys who are choosing to have very long fringes are asked to make certain that it is away from their eyes. Again, I ask for your cooperation in this matter.

Please all stay safe and healthy.

Mark Powell
Principal

Person of The Week



This week's Person of the Week winner is:

Dana Andacic



Dana is a friendly student who exhibits a positive attitude towards her learning. She approaches each task with enthusiasm and completes all work to a high standard. Dana follows the rules and routines of the classroom and encourages others to do the same. During group activities, Dana interacts with her peers with kindness, positivity and encouragement. She displays compassion and empathy for her peers, comforting them when they are upset. Dana continually strives to display our school values of respect, honesty and community. Congratulations on receiving this prestige award Dana.

Congratulations!

Merit Awards

These week's Merit Certificate winners are:

PPB	Evie Budworth
PPW	Britanny L'eveille
1B	Jeevith Pandiarajan & Wesley Abbott
1W	Chelsea Noble
2B	Saanvi Bangera & Tony Nguyen
2W	Kaylyn Nguyen & Vianca Yaneza
3B	Isabel Fernandes & Taneka Mirchef
3W	Dylan Manyange & Lucas Troughear
4B	Ruby Williams
4W	Elijah McGrath & Mwamba Nonde
5B	Indyana Makhouta & Ivana D'Andrea
5W	Anton Boksich-Nicholls, Martin Le & Nicholas Lombardi
6B	Luca Vecchio & Setayesh Yaqubi
6W	Krish Kumar & Omar Quijano



Birthday's

The following celebrated a birthday this week

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

Mitchell Palmer 6B	Travis Clatworthy 5B	Jake Jones 4B
Akira Phan 3W	Benedict Kariapuram 5W	Mason Lim 2B
Dashini Pratheepan 5B	Shaurya Kandhol 1W	Mason Thompson 1W
Anthony Vu 4B	Irin Siby 3W	Nathan Nguyen 5B



Faction Points

Maali House:	352
Foley House:	236
Francis House:	307
Noonan House:	303



Term Dates 2020



Term 2	28 April – 3 July
Term 3	20 July – 23 September
Term 4	13 October – 11 December

Dates to Remember

DATES TO REMEMBER

1 June – Public Holiday – WA Day
10 – 11 June – School Photo Day

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.

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Search @GoodShepherdLockridge

Talent Quest 2020

All you need to do is create a video on your phone or tablet that is no longer than 2 minutes long.

Entries are due between 8- 26 June.

VIDEOS WILL BE SHARED WITH THE ENTIRE YEAR GROUP.

For more information on guidelines, please check seesaw announcement from Mrs Reedman.



A message from our Year 6 Leaders

Term 2 New School Senior Leader!

This term, the teachers have chosen new senior leaders. The new senior leaders are: Seelvia Prajapati and Azaria Odundo.

Here is what they think about their new role in Good Shepherd. Azaria Odundo: I feel fantastic about being senior leader because it's a new experience to be term 2 senior leader. I haven't done much because I was just chosen, but I know I will do a great job teaching kids the right way to behave. I would like to thank the teachers who voted for me and my family for being there for me. I would change the school to be a better place, even though it already is. I will help make kids be a better person and be a great role model.

Seelvia Prajapati: I am really shocked for being chosen as senior leader, I was expecting my day to be normal but then I get chosen as senior leader! I would like to thank the teachers that voted for me, I would also like to thank my mum and dad for being there for me. I feel like since I am senior leader, I will be a good role model.

-Seelvia Prajapati and Azaria Odundo.



Please Help Support Harper-Roy & Wesley

Hi everyone,

In winter it can get very stormy and cold and we think about people who don't have a warm home.

We can help homeless people a little bit by giving new warm socks, comfy beanies and cosy mittens.

You can message our mum for EPIC places to drop off the warmest things on Earth - 0415 589 319.

Thanks very much for helping (but don't worry if you can't because it's been a weird year)

♡ From
Harper-Roy and
Wesley



Sustainability – Eco Warriors

Connect with Nature at Home

The WWF have released a list of activities to help keep the family entertained at home. Here is the Link: <https://www.wwf.org.au/news/blogs/connect-with-nature-at-home-this-weekend#gs.6dfwf4>



Uniform Shop

Only online orders are available until further notice. Please download the Uniform order form from our website, fill in the items you require along with the **sizes**. (*please see link below*)

There are a few options available for processing payments:

- The updated Uniform Order Form has the option for you to fill in your credit card details for orders to be processed by Mrs Aden. Simply fill in this form and send it to the office (via your child or email)
- Send the order form along with the correct money in an envelope marked UNIFORM SHOP to the office
- Email the order form and make payment over the phone. Please call the school office number during **uniform shop hours** and your call can be transferred to the Uniform Shop

All orders that have been received will be processed, packaged, and sent home at the earliest convenience with your child via their class teacher.



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



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

Canteen

Recess orders will be accepted from all students in Kindy to Year 6 until further notice. We ask parents to write their order on an envelope and place the correct money to avoid handling change.

The Canteen Menu for Terms 2 & 3 is available on our Website.

<http://web.gsl.wa.edu.au/assets/Uploads/Canteen-Menu-2020-Winter-term-2-4.pdf>





WEEKLY SPECIAL

\$5.00

25th, 27th, 28th May


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Hot Chicken & Mayo Roll

Choc/Strawberry/Banana Milk

The P & F Page!

Icy Pole Day!



Our beautiful children are back, and the P&F will be supplying each student with a Berri Quelch Frozen Fruit Stick (Icy Pole) on Monday, 25th May (Kindy B to Year 6) and Friday, 29th May (Kindy W).

Buon Appetito Bambini

Camp Australia

So we can care for all students at your school, we do recommend families register an account with us and always book in advance. Why register? To attend our care, parents/guardians must register their child with us by completing an online enrolment form via our parent portal. It's very important that parents/guardians fill out all compulsory enrolment documentation for their child and notify us of any medical conditions, illnesses and other, to ensure the health and safety of all children in our care.

Families can register for free at <https://pp.campaustralia.com.au/account/register-contacts>

