



28 August 2020

**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

This week we began to experience the first signs that winter is leaving us, and that spring is on its way. Having a little extra sunshine and a lot more warmth has certainly helped to lift the mood around our school. However, with the arrival of warmer weather comes the removal of jumpers and, unfortunately, an increase in lost property. Our lost property box is full and now overflowing. Please check to see if your child is missing their jumper as we have many of them in the lost property box. Could I also ask that you check to make certain that your child's jumper has their name on it? Many of the items in lost property are not named, which is very frustrating when you are trying to find the right owner.



As I mentioned in last week's newsletter, the students are preparing for our upcoming Faction Athletics Carnival. Mr Blatchford is working with the students to ensure that they are ready and raring to go. Our Athletics Carnival will need to have very strict restrictions so that we can abide by physical distancing requirements. As frustrating as this might be for parents, we must continue to do what we, as a school, have been instructed to do. It is our hope that all parents will do the right thing and follow these directions when we explain them, both before the carnival and on the day. We look forward to your cooperation.



We are now past the halfway mark of Term 3. It is a timely reminder for parents to contact their child's classroom teacher to check their child's progress. It is important that parents keep in frequent contact with their child's teacher and all our staff are happy to meet to discuss student progress. It is important that parents make an appointment. This ensures that teachers can be properly prepared.



Please continue to keep our Year 4 students in your thoughts and prayers as they make their final preparations before receiving their First Eucharist.

I hope you all have a very relaxing weekend and a successful week ahead.

Mark Powell  
Principal

## School Values



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



### Community

*We encourage strong partnerships with families to help foster children's development*

## Birthday's



The following celebrated a birthday this week.

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

*These will be acknowledged at our Monday assembly*



Saanika Bangera KW

Lyla Mosbergen-Smith 6W

Valerie Szeto 3B

Teresa Thomas 1B

Jared Menezes 2W

Cris Remiter 6W

Chelsea Noble 1W

Qeshaun Pereira KW

Mrs Atkinson

## Faction Points

**Maali House: 1587**

**Foley House: 1107**

**Francis House: 1348**

**Noonan House: 1263**



## Term Dates 2020



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

## Important Dates to Remember

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

- Year 3 – 6 Jump & Throws Thursday 17 September
- Faction Athletics Carnival Friday 18 September
- First Holy Communion Saturday 19 & Sunday 20 September



## A message from our Year 6 Leaders



This week has been a normal week and we have had nothing on. In two weeks we have the sports carnival, so we are all training hard and getting ready. Currently at assemblies parents are not allowed to come but we hope that changes. Thank you and have a nice weekend.

Yours Sincerely

Siannah and Timothy

## Altar Server Training

**Matthew 19:14; Mark 10:14; Luke 18:16** Let the little children come to me; Do not stop them for it is to such that the kingdom of heaven belongs.

It has come to my attention that some children are quite keen to help out more during school Masses as Altar Servers. I spoke to the Church and Father Al has recommended Terry Le-Cerf, a parish member for over 25 years and acolyte who has run altar server training many times in the past. Terry has Working with Children Clearance and programs prepared to educate the willing children. You can meet him at any Saturday evening Mass.

**When:** 4 sessions on a Friday 4-5pm at the church see dates below...(days/dates/times can be changed)

Concluding with a weekend mass (depending on Covid-19 restrictions, either Saturday 6pm, Sunday 8am, 9.30am or 5pm)

**Dates:** Friday October 16<sup>th</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup>, 30<sup>th</sup> and November 6<sup>th</sup> : ***Please note these days/dates/times are flexible*** so please let me know if you have commitments and would prefer a different day or time Terry who runs the training is available as required.

After the children complete Altar server training, they will be added to our Altar server roster and serve at our class Masses and can also choose to attend weekend Masses to serve also.

**Who can sign up?** Years 4-6, girls or boys

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INTENT TO ATTEND ALTAR SERVER TRAINING Please return **before End of Term 3: September 23<sup>rd</sup>**

Please either return this Slip to the office or Mrs Barlow. Then go to the Church on October 16<sup>th</sup>, 4pm for first session.

Student: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Contact Number: \_\_\_\_\_

I would prefer a different day/time (i.e.Thursdays4.30pm):  
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If you have any questions please contact Mrs Barlow in person or email the office and they will forward it onto me. [admin@gsl.wa.edu.au](mailto:admin@gsl.wa.edu.au)

## 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



## Uniform Shop



Online orders are available please download the uniform order form from our website, fill in the items you require along with the sizes. (please see the link below)

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



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

## Canteen

**WEEKLY SPECIAL**

**\$5.00**

Week 7

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**Chunky Angus Meat pie with Sauce and Apple, Blackcurrant or Orange Juice**

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 for Term 3 & 4 is available on our Website.

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



## 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>

## The P&F Page!

### Upcoming Events

Fund Raising	Friend Raising	Meetings
<b>Bunnings Sausage Sizzle</b> Sunday, 30 <sup>th</sup> August	<b>Father's Day Stall</b> Week 7 (Term 3)	<b>P&amp;F Meeting</b> Tuesday, 8 <sup>th</sup> September

# Supporting our School

Thank you to everyone in Kindy to Year 2 who participated in the after school Auskick Skills training sessions with Mr B on Friday's. We hope you all had a great time and learnt some valuable skills.



# \$150

The Parents and Friends of Good Shepherd were happy to help Mr B and staff in donating a celebratory Sausage Sizzle to finish off a fantastic football season to our Junior School and Families.

## Bunnings - Fundraiser

**BUNNINGS**  
warehouse  
245 Collier Rd, Bayswater

**Sunday, 30th August**  
7am till 4pm

**sausage sizzle**

**Proceeds Support**  
**Good Shepherd Catholic School**  
**Parents & friends**

Please come and support our amazing school by purchasing a sausage sizzle and/or drink. We hope to see you there!

## Father's Day Stall

**GOOD SHEPHERD**  
**PARENTS &**  
**FRIENDS**

**Father's**  
**Day Stall**

**WEDNESDAY, 2ND SEPT (KB)**  
**FRIDAY, 4TH SEPT (KW - YR6)**

**\$3 PER GIFT**  
**SCHOOL HALL**

DON'T FORGET YOUR REUSABLE BAG!

## P&F Meeting

**All Welcome**  
**Tuesday**  
**8th Sept @ 7.30pm**  
**School Staffroom**

## How to Contact Us



Search Facebook for:  
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Email GSL P&F: [gsl.pnf@gmail.com](mailto:gsl.pnf@gmail.com)

## Servite College

**Servite**  
**College**

**OPEN**  
**DAY**

**17 September**  
**9.30am-11am**

**Book at [servite.wa.edu.au](http://servite.wa.edu.au) 9208 0900**