

# OLW NEWS 2019

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Dear Parents & Families,

Thank you to the parents who attended the working bee last Friday afternoon. We had a fantastic group of helpers and were able to complete many jobs to ensure that our facilities remain in excellent condition.

#### FRED HOLLOWS HUMANITY AWARD

Last Monday I had the pleasure of attending the Award presentation where Sebastian from Year 6 was presented with a Fred Hollows Humanity Award in recognition of his work in supporting and raising funds for many different charities. Sebastian is exceptionally community minded and is always thinking of ways to support the less fortunate in our community and is a wonderful role model in our community.



#### **PREP 2019 ORIENTATION**

Our final Prep 2019 Orientation will take place this Tuesday December 3 from 9.30am – 11.00am. Our new Preps have settled in very well having spent many sessions in the classrooms, as well as taking part in Phys Ed, Art & Library and a mini Sports Carnival and are looking forward to 2020!

#### **OLW STORY OF THE FIRST CHRISTMAS**

On Wednesday December 11 at 7.00pm

all students will be involved in the telling of the story of the first Christmas. We will be gathering



in the Church, where selected students from each class will act out the story, whilst all other students will lead the singing of the songs that make up the different parts of the Christmas story. Information about costumes or dress will be sent home with each individual grade.

#### **PARENT & FRIENDS RAFFLE**

The Parents & Friends are still taking donations to add to their Mega Christmas Raffle so if you know of anyone who is able to donate prizes or a voucher to be included in the Mega Raffle draw please let either the P & F or the School Office know. All donations of gifts will be greatly accepted. Gifts are currently being wrapped by the P & F and will be on display in the school office.

Attached to today's newsletter are a book of raffle tickets. Tickets are \$1.00 each or \$20 for the book of tickets. We would be most grateful if you could sell as many tickets as possible, as this is our last fundraiser for the year. The Draw takes place on Wednesday December 11 at our OLW Story of the First Christmas.

#### **SUMMER SPORT**

Summer Sport concludes this THURSDAY with a HOME game against Kingsbury Primary School. Cricket will be played at Kingsbury Primary School. All matches commence at 2.00pm this week. Please note the change of day and match time. Supporters are most welcome.

Enjoy the week!

Kevin Burke

# WORD OF THE WEEK

Congratulations to everyone who found out that bizarre means 'very strange or unusual' or 'peculiar'.

Our word for this week is:

#### TRANQUIL

Find out it's meaning and see if you can add this word to your vocabulary over the next week!

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# KINGSBURY OUT OF SCHOOL HOURS CARE

## LATELY AT OSHC...

We are getting very excited in the lead up to both the festive season and school holidays, and have been busy organising lots of fun activities and events. After a discussion with the children we've decided to change things up a bit and have an outdoor Christmas celebration this year with a barbecue, delicious desserts, festive games and maybe even a visit from Santa himself! We're holding this on the last After Care session of the year, Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December at 1:30pm so we have a nice long afternoon to celebrate!

On Monday we will be releasing all the information for our Summer Holiday Program today, Monday  $2^{nd}$  of December, so please keep an eye out for our posters around the school or pick up an information pack from the OSHC room.

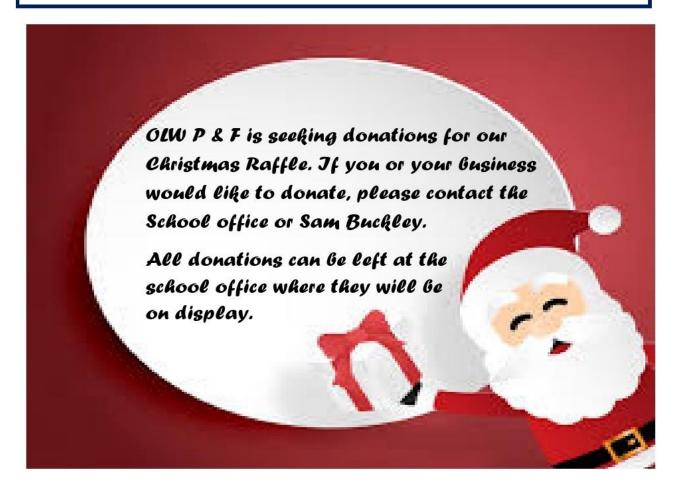
Bookings are essential for both the Christmas party and Holiday Program, so please arrange your booking as soon as possible!

Our Junior Leader this week is Charlize for her excellent manners and positive attitude. Well done, Charlize!



We want to give a big shout out to Kevin and Jake for all their help in the kitchen over the last few weeks! Kevin's looking forward to making some more challenging recipes in future, including meat pies next week!

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
BREAKFAST	Toast and cereal	Toast and cereal	Blueberry muffins	Toast and cereal	Waffles
AFTERNOON TEA	Massaman chicken curry	Mac and cheese	Sausage sizzle	Yogurt icy poles	Spring roll lettuce wraps
ACTIVITY 1	Bookmark making	Cooking: White choc berry cakes	Stitching	Jewellery making	Outdoor colour scavenger hunt
ACTIVITY 2	Cricket	Bocce	Basketball	Capture the flag	Tail tiggy
FREE PLAY IDEAS	Play Upwords or Uno,	write a letter to a cele	brity, draw yourself as	a superhero, do the Le	go 20-brick challenge.



# SUMMER 2020 HOLIDAY PROGRAM

#### MONDAY 6™ JANUARY BRING THE BEACH TO KINGSBURY

WITH A SPECIAL FISH AND CHIP LUNCH!
Why travel when we can bring the
best of the beach to us? Join us
for beach volleyball, a sandcastle
building competition, water play,
fish and chips and more!



# TUESDAY 7TH JANUARY WHEELS DAY

Bring your helmet and bike or scooter and participate in races and fun games around the school. Be sure to watch out for pedestrian crossings, kangaroos and the highway patrol!



### **WEEK ONE**

#### WEDNESDAY 8™ JANUARY JUNIOR MASTERCHEF DAY

Participate in cooking activities, games and the famous Mystery Box Challenge. No previous cooking experience required! Who will be crowned our first Junior MasterChef for 2020?



#### THURSDAY 9™ JANUARY ENVIRO-BUILDERS DAY

Today we're embracing our creativity, team work skills and passion for the environment by spending the day building an entire city – all out of recycled materials!



WITH A VISIT FROM REPTILE ENCOUNTERS!

ADDITIONAL FEE: \$6

Learn to how to find water in the desert, make a water-tight bush shelter, and learn essential first aid skills. To top it off, you'll get to experience real Aussie wildlife with a visit from Reptile

Encounters!



#### WEEK TWO

#### MONDAY 13™ JANUARY WATER AND MESSY PLAY DAY

Beat the heat with an epic day of water play! Take a break in between battles to join in some messy and sensory activities including mud clay moulding and splatter painting. Messy clothes? No worries - a bit more water play will sort you out!



#### TUESDAY 14™ JANUARY VIDED GAME DAY

WITH A VISIT FROM ULTIMATE GAMES!

ADDITIONAL FEE: \$6

The Ultimate Games bus is coming to school, fully loaded with over 12 video gaming consoles and heaps of games to choose from! All this plus human Pac-man and our own gaming tournaments throughout the day. It'll be a video gamer's paradise!



### WEDNESDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY ZONE BOWLING EXCURSION

ADDITIONAL FEE: \$10

Back by popular demand, we've got two games of bowling at Zone Bowling in Keon Park! Once back at the program, we'll have an assortment of our favourite activities!



#### THURSDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY CHOOSE YOUR OWN ADVENTURE

Even we don't know exactly what we'll get up to on this day, because it's all up to you! Activities and challenges throughout the day determine where you go and what you do next! What we do know is that it will be heaps of fun!



#### FRIDAY 17™ JANUARY WATERMARC EXCURSION

ADDITIONAL FEE: \$6

Bring along your swimming gear and join us for some fun in the pools and a play on the Zero Depth Playground. If you're feeling up to it, face your fears on the Pipeline or Tantrum Alley waterslides!



# MONDAY 20™ JANUARY

THE KINGSBURY MARKETPLACE

Attention all enterprising entrepreneurs! Do you have a secret talent or a creative flair? Join together with your friends to create a stall at our very own marketplace! Create your own products on the day, or organise a raffle or entertainment act, and we'll give you Kingsbury Bucks to spend on the day!



### TUESDAY 21<sup>51</sup> JANUARY IMAX AND MELBOURNE MUSEUM

ADDITIONAL FEE: 58

In a special 2-for-1 excursion, we're starting off with a wander around the beautiful Melbourne Museum. After lunch, we're heading into IMAX for an aweinspiring 3D film experience;



#### WEEK THREE

WEDNESDAY 22<sup>ND</sup> JANUARY KINGSBURY'S TRIP TO JAPAN

WITH AN AWESOME KARATE LESSON!
ADDITIONAL FFE: \$6

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Today we are off on an imaginary
trip to celebrate all things
Japanese, including cherry
blossoms, sushi, hiragana
(Japanese writing) and Pokémon!
To top it all off, we're even
learning karate from a master
sensei!

#### THURSDAY 23<sup>10</sup> JANUARY BOUNCE EXCURSION

ADDITIONAL FEE: \$10

Don't forget to eat your breakfast this morning! You'll need as much energy as you can get, because we've got not one, but TWO funfilled hours of trampolining at



#### FRIDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY Party Day

WITH A SAUSAGE SIZZLE LUNCH!

It's nearly the end of the holiday program and the start of a brand new school year, so what better way to celebrate than with a party?! Fun games and prizes throughout the day, and a sausage sizzle lunch provided.



#### WEEK FOUR

### MONDAY 27™ JANUARY CLOSED

FOR THE AUSTRALIA DAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY



#### TUESDAY 28™ JANUARY HOYTS EXCURSION

ADDITIONAL FEE: \$6

Our holiday program isn't complete without a trip to HOYTSI Join us to see the latest blockbuster movie "The Vayage of Doctor Dolittle"! Before and after the film we'll spend some time at the program making our own talking animal a sock number!



#### WEDNESDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY OLW CLOSURE DAY PROGRAM

FULL DAY PROGRAM WILL RUN IF

BOOKINGS ARE SUFFICIENT
Back to school for Grades 1-6 at
Kingsbury. Before and After Care
offered as normal.



#### THURSDAY 30™ JANUARY OLW TESTING DAY PROGRAM

FULL DAY PROGRAM WILL RUN IF BOOKINGS ARE SUFFICIENT

Before and After Care offered for Kingsbury kids as normal.



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# Parish of Our Lady of the Way Kingsbury

Presbytery: 13 Green Ave, Kingsbury, 3083



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Mass Timetable

Saturday – Vigil Mass: 6.00PM

Sunday: 8.00AM and 10.00AM

Weekdays: 10.00AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday from 5.15 to 5.45PM

Rosary Monday to Saturday: 9.30AM

Divine Mercy Chaplet After Mass Daily

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Friday from 9.00 to 9.30AM

Baptisms and Marriages by appointment: Please ring 9462 1221

*Entrance Antiphon:* To you, I lift up my soul, O God. In you, I have trusted; let me not be put to shame. Nor let my enemies exult over me; and let none who hope in you be put to shame.

Communion Antiphon: The Lord will bestow his bounty, and our earth shall yield its increase.

Readers for Sunday Mass

1<sup>st</sup> Dec 6pm J Conway 8am Sr Julie-Anne 10am A Crupi 8<sup>th</sup> Dec 6pm M Smyth 8am B Bowlen 10am B Hayes

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

1st Dec 6pm A Lamb & Volunteer required 10am I Lowe & Volunteer required 8th Dec 6pm k Zanini & Volunteer required 10am D Austin & Volunteer required

**OLW Church Cleaning Roster** 

7<sup>th</sup> Dec J McGoon T McGree J O'Mahoney

21<sup>st</sup> Dec Professional Cleaners

**OLW Sacristy Linen Laundering Roster** 

1<sup>st</sup> Dec Elspeth Garbellotto

8<sup>th</sup> Dec Lan

27<sup>th</sup> Nov: Church Account \$820.00

Presbytery Account \$591.00

Mass: 10.30 Mon Funeral and Rosary

Sat 30<sup>th</sup>: 6pm mass. Please remember Emily & Fredrick Brown and family members on their anniversary.

*Change of address – number only:* Our number was previously 13 Green Ave. Courtesy of the Council, we are now 9C Green Ave Kingsbury.

Friar Alessandro at St Patrick's Cathedral: You are invited to an evening of Christmas music & readings with internationally acclaimed Franciscan singer Friar Alessandro. Friar is on his first ever tour to Australia and will be accompanied by Vivian Choi (piano) and the Artes Christi Choir & Orchestra. Entry is free or by donation with all donations supporting the Vinnies Christmas Appeal. Date and Venue: Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> Dec 7.30pm, St Patrick's Cathedral Melbourne. Bookings essential via <a href="www.voicefromassisi.org.au">www.voicefromassisi.org.au</a> There is also a parish sign-up sheet at the rear of the church.

#### Christmas dates & times:

Nov 30 & Dec 1: Anointing of the sick at all masses.

Dec 18th: Rite of Reconciliation 7pm.

Dec 24th: Carols 6.30pm. Mass 7pm & 10pm

Dec 25th: Mass 8am and 10am

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