



### Sacred Heart School Vision:

Nurtures the dignity and value of each person;  
 Develops a relationship with Jesus as central to  
 how we live and love;  
 Our choices and actions reflect awareness, compassion  
 and commitment to others;  
 Creates learning that is purposeful and innovative;  
 Parents, students and staff work collaboratively to create  
 a safe, supportive and stimulating learning environment

Sacred Heart School is a PBIS school

**SAFE**  
**RESPONSIBLE**  
**RESPECTFUL LEARNERS**

From the Principal,

It is with sadness that I pass onto the Sacred Heart Community, the news of Betty Walton of Tintaladra, passing. Betty's connection to Sacred Heart and the Upper Murray Community runs deeply. If any of you knew Betty, you would know her generous spirit and keen wit.

Survived by five of her six children and her wonderful grandchildren. She will be missed greatly. Our prayers are with Di Walton (LSO and daughter to Betty), Errol Obran (former LSO and a grandson to Betty) and the whole Walton family at this sad time. Vale Betty.

*Dearest Jesus, who wept at the death of your friend  
 and taught that they who mourn shall be comforted,  
 grant us the comfort of your presence in our loss.*

*Send Your Holy Spirit to direct us  
 lest we make hasty or foolish decisions.*

*Send Your Spirit to give us courage  
 lest through fear we recoil from living.*

*Send Your Spirit to bring us your peace  
 lest bitterness, false guilt, or regret take root in our hearts.*

*The Lord has given.*

*The Lord has taken away.*

*Blessed be the name of the Lord.*

*Amen.*

### **Back to onsite learning stages:**

PLEASE NOTE:

It is imperative that all parents/carers read the "Back to Onsite Schooling Letter sent to parents via email on Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> May regarding return to school.

In the **first stage**, students in Foundation, Grade 1 and Grade 2, will return to school from Tuesday 26 May.

In the **second stage** of our return to onsite schooling, all other year levels will return to school from Tuesday 9 June.

For those students of Essential Workers and vulnerable children, the existing model of onsite schooling will remain in place during the two-week period from Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> May to Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> June.

The current process that we are using to enable parents and carers to indicate the days or part-days for which onsite schooling is required will continue for this two-week period.

All other students in those year levels will continue learning from home until Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> June.



Once a year level has returned, all students will be expected to attend school as normal. This means if you choose to keep your child/children home after their year level has returned to onsite schooling, we can no longer support their learning from home. Please see the end of the Philotimo for posters that will be on display at school, as part of your child's return to school. It is important that you familiarise your child prior to return.

### **Term 2 Parent Support Group Meetings**

Parent Support Group Meetings will continue to be conducted in week 10 of this term on the 16<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> of June. Meetings will be held with strict hygiene and social distancing guidelines, please check your allocated meeting time and contact the school office on (02) 6076 1138 to change the time if it does not suit.

We are giving four weeks' notice to aid in scheduling for families. Please contact the office by 26<sup>th</sup> May 2020 to arrange an alternate time if required.

### **Important dates:**

**Monday 25<sup>th</sup> May 2020:** The Victorian Government has allocated the 25<sup>th</sup> of May to every school in Victoria as a pupil-free day, to support all school staff to prepare for the transition back to onsite learning.

**Monday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2020:** Queen's Birthday public holiday.

Please hold your loved one's closer tonight, we never know how long we have together.

With blessings,

Zoe

# CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) RESTRICTIONS REMAIN IN PLACE

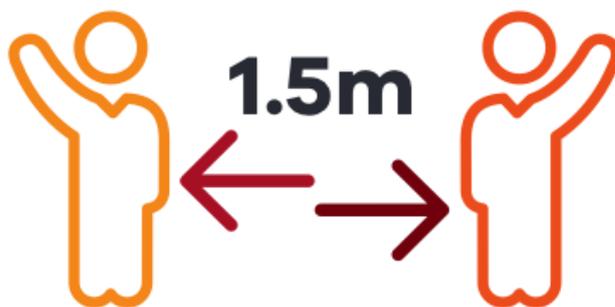
**If you are unwell, please stay at home.**

The greatest risk of transmission of coronavirus (COVID-19) is between adults. Please follow these physical distancing measures:

- avoid gathering in a group inside or around the school



- keep 1.5m between yourself and other adults



- avoid handshakes and hugs



- wash your hands regularly.



# CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) RESTRICTIONS REMAIN IN PLACE

**If you are unwell, please stay at home.**

**Please do not enter if you have any of the following symptoms:**

- fever
- shortness of breath
- flu-like symptoms such as coughing, sore throat or runny nose.



# **CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) RESTRICTIONS REMAIN IN PLACE**

**Please not drink directly from  
drinking fountains.**

Students should bring their own  
water bottle for use at school.

Taps may be used to refill  
water bottle.

