Newspaper scandals and what we can do about it.

For years I have deplored the practices of Rupert Murdoch’s press empire so I have been interested in what has been happening in the phone hacking scandal in the UK. But I have to be careful. The French have a saying – you can become what you oppose. My interest in knowing what happened, why and how, must have limits. The people who treat other people’s privacy with contempt should still have their privacy respected, even if they don’t deserve it. Otherwise we can become like the people we condemn.

The situation is more than how the media should act. They will only act like that if we buy their papers, click on their headlines for the racy stories. The issue revolves around why people should be given respect. It is certainly not because they deserve it. If that were so we would all find ourselves on tricky ground some time in our life.

People are respected because they are made in the image and likeness of God. When we believe this we act with courtesy and sensitivity; we respect privacy; we don’t gloat over people’s failings, we give people a chance to change; if needs be, we try to hear their side of the story in difficult situations. Imagine a society that operated like this. Wouldn’t that be a great community in which to rear your children. We can begin to make it so – simply by treating everyone we meet with respect.

_Loving God, you have made each of us in your image and likeness. Give us the wisdom of your Spirit, that we may treat each other with the love and respect that your Son Jesus showed to all. We ask this in his name confident that you will hear us.__

Sr Kym Harris osb

“God is stronger than the world which opposes God’s teachings”
St Mary MacKillop – 28.6.1874

Dates For Your Diary

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Sacred Heart Catholic school acknowledges the traditional owners of country throughout Tasmania and their continuing connection to land, sea and community. We pay our respect to them and their cultures, and to the elders past and present.

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Dear Parents/Carers

SACRED HEART WILL BE OPERATING AS NORMAL TOMORROW

Parents, you may have heard through the media that IEU (Independent Education Union) members in Catholic Schools around Tasmania may be participating in a four hour work stoppage tomorrow, Wednesday, 2nd July.

Parents and students are advised that some members of our staff will be participating, however, all classes will be running as normal throughout the day.

All our buses will be travelling to/from school along the normal bus runs at the normal times.

All students are expected to attend school as normal.

FEAST OF THE SACRED HEART
Last Friday, we celebrated the Feast of the Sacred Heart with a community Mass in St Joseph’s Church. The Mass was prepared by Grades 3 and 4, who did an amazing job with hymns, readings and other preparation. Every class provided some great Sacred Heart artwork that was displayed around the walls of the church. We are very grateful to Fr Greg for celebrating our Feast Day Mass and to all who joined in this celebration.

ST JAMES CONCERT BAND
Part of our Feast Day celebrations included a concert featuring the St James College Band. The band had over forty children in it playing a wide range of instruments. Our children really enjoyed the concert and we are very grateful to St James for providing us with this great performance.

MUSIC ASSEMBLY ON THIS WEEK
This week, we will once again have our End of Term Music Assembly. It will take place in our school hall at 12pm this coming Thursday.

All the classes are participating and the following items will be performed:

Grade 5/6 are playing 'Ode to Joy' with recorder and speaking a 'School Rap'
Kinders are singing 2 songs
Prep are playing percussion and may also sing a song they recently sang at an assembly.
Grade 4 are playing Claire de la Lune with recorder and xylophone.
Grade 3 are playing xylophone, recorder and singing 'Jam like that'
Grades 1 /2 are singing with Year 5/6 boys. 'Can't wait to be King'
Grades1 /2 are also playing xylophone/Marimba and doing a dance, 'Rock the Roc'

All parents and family members are most welcome!

DANCEFEVER SKIPPING
This Friday, we will be having class skipping workshops run by DanceFever. Yes, DanceFever are now running a Skipping Program around Australia. Sacred Heart will be one of the first schools to take part in this program in Tasmania.
DanceFever have employed the current World Champion Skipper, Jake Eve, and he will be part of the DanceFever Skipping Team coming to Sacred Heart this Friday.

All children are asked to wear their school sports uniform to school this Friday.
GRADE 6 STUDENTS ON AIR AT HUON FM
Yesterday Jordan Coleman, Maeghan Jernigan, Lily Oates and Maireade Brennan visited Huon FM radio station and took part in a live broadcast promoting all the exciting things happening at Sacred Heart. They talked about the Feast of the Sacred Heart, The St James College Concert Band, DanceFever Skipping, their recent visit to the TSO performance and also, the Grade 6 Melbourne Trip. What a great job they did, speaking confidently across the airways.

MUSIC TUTORS
Can you play a Musical instrument?
Are you interested in doing some volunteer work teaching children how to play a musical instrument?
Do you know someone, perhaps a relative, friend, grandparent who may interested in teaching a musical instrument at Sacred Heart?
If you do, please contact Mr Luch Brighella via the school office.

WHAT WENT WELL

Grade 4 attended the St John’s Richmond musical. They thought it was great! Thanks for organizing this visit Miss Pearce.

Assembly was a great opportunity to recognize students receiving awards & also see some great class items. Great MC work by Lawson Grey and Fraser Johns from Grade 6.

Grade 5/6 Info Night on Melbourne Trip & iPad program was very well attended. Thanks to all the families who attended and to teachers, Mr Grey, Mr Kinder and Miss Longey who organized the evening.

The State Cross Country was held at Symmons Plains last week with seven of our students attending. Congratulations to Lukas Ford, Josh Bradley, Ethan Lovell, Jack-Ross McMullen, Tim Mitchell, Will Tinker and Mackenzie Ford who all represented Sacred Heart really well. Special thanks to staff and parents who assisted.

END OF TERM
This Friday is the last day of Term Two. Thank you to all within our community who have helped to make it a wonderful term.
Best wishes for a great holiday and I look forward to seeing everyone at the start of Term 3.
Have a great holiday!
Luch Brighella
Principal

Dads Day Out
On Saturday a number of families from Sacred Heart Catholic School participated in a community event led by Leigh Oates. Leigh runs the Dads Day Out program that allows time for Dads to work and have fun with their kids while getting together with other fathers in the community. It is run once a month and this month it was held at Sacred Heart to build an additional shelter as part of the Aboriginal Campsite. It was fantastic day with Leigh cooking wallaby stew and billy tea. He show the group how to source and collect stringy bark for the out side of the shelter as well as how to attach it to the frame. It was a great chance for Leigh to share Tasmanian Aboriginal Culture as well as to allow men to spend time with each other and their kids. If you are interested in participating in Dad’s Day Out please contact the school and we will put you in touch with Leigh.
**Merit Certificates**

Campbell Scanlan  Great sentence work (oral language)
Connie Donato  Successfully completing multilit!
Alfie Cullen  Allowing others to shine during our Golden Time!
April Burgess  Her clever thinking in all she does.
Charlotte Cox  Being a superb role model to others.
Lewis Burgess  His contributions during maths activities.
Blake Doyle  An enthusiastic attitude during science activities.
Mitchell Wylie-Avery  Being a Super student by being respectful and showing lovely manners to others.
Oscar Thorpe  Fantastic observations of our class bean seeds.
Philip Nichols  His commitment, reliability and selfless attitude towards breakfast club.
Sophie Burgess  Her leadership, maturity and care for others on our buses.
Milo Burgess  His leadership, maturity and care for others on our buses.
Will Ford  His leadership, maturity and care for others on our buses.
Lily Oates  His leadership, maturity and care for others on our buses.
Olivia Bittner  Her outstanding work in our Federation unit and dedication to learning.
Cade Swanson  Always being a generous learner and giving 100% to everything he does.
Ruben Dowling  Showing increasing perservance.
Nelson Bleatman  Working really hard to improve his hand-writing.
Mathew Walker  Trying really hard to listen and follow instructions.
Joel Green  Staying focused and working hard during guided reading.

**Congratulations to the following students on receiving 50 Joey stickers**

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**Well Done!**
Sacred Heart Move Well Eat Well Rap: Tap Into Water

This week we've been learning over 5 days
How to Eat and Play the Hawthorn Way
When you need a drink, you really ought'a
Tap Into Water, Tap Into Water

At Sacred Heart we've made a good start
We do exercises as part of our school day
They keep us fit for our work and play
No Hokus Pokus – we really Can focus!
Tap into Water, You really ought’a

Led by Ms D., we're becoming more healthy
At 10 our fruit break helps our brains stay awake
After Huff and Puff, when we're thirsty enough
We rehydrate and then we feel great
Tap into Water, You really ought’a

Too much fizzy just makes you dizzy
Your body don’t need the sugar, and artificial colour
Lots of salt and fat makes you lazy on the mat
Turn off your TVs – Come On – it's easy!
Exercise is fun And gives you energy!

So eat a Rainbow on your Plate and be more healthy mate
Stick some carrots in a dip, and give water a sip
Eat fruit and veggies raw
And your body’ll ask for more
They’re natural, full of vitamins and minerals
As Grandma used to say
An apple a day keeps the Doctor away

So at Sacred Heart, keep doing your part
Tap into Water, Tap Into Water
You know you really ought’a, you know really ought’a (fade...)

27.7.14
KERMANDIE JUNIOR FOOTBALL CLUB

RAFFLE
1. Port Huon Sports Centre - All facilities Family Pass for a month
2. Port Huon Sports - Centre Family Pass Swimming Pool for one month
3. Kermandie Hotel - Meal Voucher Sass Room for 2
4. Huon Valley Hardware - $50 Voucher
5. BP Geelvastin - Seat Cover
6. Geelvaston One Stop - Family Pizza
7. Starwberri Blonde - $25 Voucher
8. Kermandie Hotel - Bottle of Wine
SKOOLBAG APP
A GREAT FORM OF COMMUNICATION VIA MOBILE PHONES

Sacred Heart has a great new communication App that parents can download to their iphone or android phone for free.

**This App will enable you to receive:**

- The weekly newsletter straight to your phone.
- Alerts about anything happening at our school.
- Parent notices ie Canteen, uniform shop etc
- Notification of events that are coming up.
- **Emergency alerts or bus notifications.**

**You can also use Skoolbag to send the school:**

- Notification if your child is absent.
- Photos
- Changes to your/students personal information.
- An email

To download your free Skoolbag App just go to the App Store and Type in **Sacred Heart Catholic School Geelveston** into the search bar and the skoolbag App will appear. Just download from there in the usual manner. The Sacred Heart App will then appear on your phone ready for you to use. Click the ‘more’ button on the bottom right of the app then ‘setup’ the areas you would like notifications from.

Once you have started using Skoolbag let us know what you think. Perhaps you could send us an email via Skoolbag!

We have attached a Skoolbag flyer with more information to this newsletter.
Skoolbag is a mobile App for your school to communicate directly to both parents and students. It works through both smart phones and smart devices (such as iPads and Android Tablets). Ideal for:

- School, free push notification alerts
- School events
- School newsletters
- School documents
- School RSS feeds
- School social media (Facebook, Twitter)

How To Install Skoolbag On Your Smartphone

**iPhone & iPad Users**

1. Click the "App Store" icon on your Apple device.
2. Type your school name in the search, using suburb name will help.
3. If iPhone, you will see your school appear, click "Free" then "install".
4. If iPad, change the drop list to "iPhone Apps", your school will then be visible, click "Free" then "Install".
5. When installed click "Open"
6. Select "OK" to receive push notifications, when asked.
7. Click the "More" button on the bottom right of the App, then "Setup".
8. Toggle on the Push Categories that are applicable for you.

**Android Users**

You must first have signed up with a Google Account before installing the app.

1. Click the "Play Store" button on your Android Device
2. Click the magnifying glass icon at the top and type in your school name, using suburb name will help.
3. Click the school name when it appears in the search.
4. Click the "Install" button.
5. Click "Accept" for various permissions (please note, we do not modify any of your personal data on your device).
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Don’t forget to like us on Facebook! Like

Find out more at www.skoolbag.com.au
2014 Netball Holiday Clinics

The Southern Tasmanian Netball Association invites students from Grade 3 to Grade 7 to participate in the Netball Holiday Clinics for 2014.

The program will be conducted by experienced coaches and aim to provide skill development, fitness, improved game knowledge, general enjoyment of the game and match play.

Clinic Dates:
- Autumn School Holidays: Wednesday 30th April, Thursday 1st and Friday 2nd May
- Winter School Holidays: Wednesday 9th Thursday 10th and Friday 11th July
- Spring School Holidays: Wednesday 1st, Thursday 2nd and Friday 3rd October

Location: Creek Road Netball Centre/Aroma Sports Stadium

Time: 9am – 12pm for all grades

Cost: $25 per session or $50 for 3 sessions of the one clinic

- Bring your own drink bottle, hat and snack
- Participants will work at grade levels

Enquiries, contact Philip Stoneman Ph. 62380760 Fax: 6238 0477 Email: ntc@dha.asn.au

A confirmation email will be sent to you once we receive your registration form.

Name
Address
Parent/Guardian Name
Number
School
Grade
Club team
DOB
Email Address
What day(s)
Wednesday
Thursday
Friday
Payment Method
Cash on arrival
ETT to 037005 133826
Cheque payable to STM

Vacation Care Program July 2014

WEEK ONE

Monday 7 July
ZORB Ball and Inflatable Soccer Pitch
Have fun being spun around inside a big inflatable plastic ball
Try your balance and soccer skills on an inflatable soccer pitch

Cooking classes for morning tea

Tuesday 8 July
Can you find the Treasure?
Follow the clues to find the treasure and win the prize!

Make a sand piper

Wednesday 9 July
Woody’s State and Play
Explore a morning of skating and a relaxed lunch at Woody’s State and Play
In the afternoon, play on the equipment or have a game of tennis, football or cricket at Parcfeild Street Park

Thursday 10 July
Soccer World Cup at Huwille Oval
Games of soccer, football and group games including all and red rover at Huwille Oval

Indoor bowling

Friday 11 July
BBQ, parks and photography day
Bring along your own camera to take photos as we visit along the Eumarella and Boardwalk!

Enjoy a BBQ lunch and play at the park

WEEK TWO

Monday 14 July
Social Circus Workshop at Huwille Town Hall
Circus skills, performance act with and games with the Social Circus
Make juggling balls
Crown costumes relay races
Delicate Mexican

Tuesday 15 July
Messy Day
Tu-dyeing
Screen-printing onto a T-shirt
Make ANZAC biscuits
Spray paint a mural
Make toast

Wednesday 16 July
Chill Out PJ Day
Wear your pyjamas
Make a movie and enjoy popcorn
Make your own board games
Build gnomes and visit home arts and crafts activities

Thursday 17 July
Construction and reuse shop
Visit the Tip Shop
Use recycled items to make ANYTHING you want, make a piece of art work or build a sculpture

Large wood and cardboard
Build a train track
Make a mobile

Friday 18 July
Crazy Colour Day
Face painting
Decoating models
Make crowns
Crazy hair colour
Park games

Easy Veggie Slice

Makes 4 serves

Ingredients
4 slices wholemeal bread 1 tablespoon polenta
4 slices lean ham 1 small onion
1 small zucchini 1 tablespoon SR flour
2 tablespoons finely chopped 2 eggs
2 tablespoons grated reduced cheese

Utensils
Chopping board and knife
23 cm round or square microwave-proof dish
Fork
Grater
Mixing bowl
Microwave oven
Measuring cups and spoons

Out the gruss off the bread. Spread toasts lightly with margarine.

Arrange spread side up on the toast. Arrange ham, onion and cheese pieces. Add eggs, mushrooms, olives and回归.