



Newsletter

Term 1

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NEWSLETTER REFLECTION



The Good Shepherd

One of the things I enjoy about arriving at work each morning, is seeing the sheep pasturing in the paddock behind the College oval. New visitors to the school, consistently marvel at our beautiful country back drop and often make similar comments such as, “Wow, not many schools are situated in such a beautiful setting as this.” My response, on occasion, has been, “Yes, it is certainly beautiful, just another day in paradise.”

As I enter my Second Holy Week and Easter, living and working in Lower Chittering, I am reminded of the teaching

given to us by Jesus, when he says, “I am the good shepherd: the good shepherd is one who lays down his life for his sheep” (John 10:11).

In this Gospel passage, Jesus is teaching his followers a number of important things. Firstly, about what is required to achieve salvation, namely to enter paradise, which he calls the ‘sheepfold’; and secondly, that in order to enter the ‘sheepfold’, He, Jesus, must “lay down his life.”

This coming Good Friday, Christian’s all over the world commemorate what God has done for His people. John 3:16, should be a Scripture passage memorised by all who call themselves Christian. “For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, (up to death, death on a cross) so that all who believe in him may not be lost but may have eternal life.” This Easter may we truly thank Jesus in our hearts for dying for us and rising from the dead, so that we may go into his sheepfold, prepared from the foundation of the world.

Have a happy, blessed and safe Easter.

Mr Lucas Hurley
Principal

Strong School Representation for Greek Independence Day

Immaculate Heart College was well represented on Sunday 26 March at the Wreath-laying Ceremony for Greek Independence Day at the State War Memorial in Kings Park. Ten students, inclusive of Head Boy, Xander Henry, and Head Girl, Margarette Ramirez, as well as other Student Leaders and their siblings, accompanied Foundation Principal, Dr Angela Evangelinou-Yiannakis, Principal, Mr Lucas Hurley, and Greek Language Teacher, Mr George Anastassiadis in representing the school on this occasion.



Year 7 students, Lachlan Moir and Imogen Blackburn, made the school proud once again with their clear and accurate articulation of the bilingual lines prepared by Mr Anastassiadis in commemoration of the heroes of the War of Independence, 1821. The impressive representation of IHC students, along with their Principal and Foundation Principal, then made their way up to the War Memorial where Xander proudly laid the wreath in honor of the occasion.

The Consul of Greece, The Hon. Mr Antonios Koliadis, and other dignitaries were quick to offer their congratulatory comments at the end of proceedings for the solemn and mature representation of our school in honour of the event.

Thanks are extended to the parents who prepared their children beautifully in their School Uniform and to those parents who drove the children to Kings Park on Sunday for this commemorative event. This effort not only shows deep respect for the Greek nation but also the strong link between Greece and Australia; bonds that have been created and maintained since The Battle of Crete, 1941. The school will be represented once again in May at the Wreath-laying Ceremony for The Battle of Crete.



Congratulations to the IHC Saints Basketball Team for your continuous success-keep up the great work!

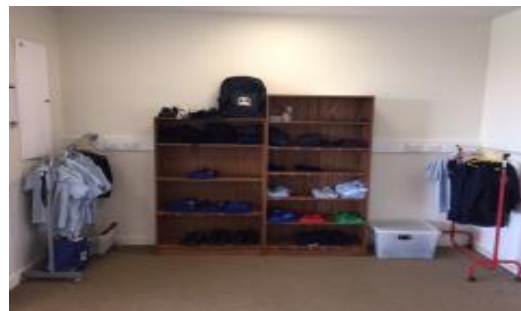
UNIFORM SHOP

Immaculate Heart College Second-hand Uniform Shop

Open by Appointment

CASH ONLY

For all enquiries please contact Marie 0423 775 416



Immaculate Heart College now offers private instrumental tuition-

Guitar, Piano & Percussion.

Should you wish your child to learn how to play an instrument please email Bianca reception@ihc.wa.edu.au

SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR

Immaculate Heart College would like to extend a huge thank you to Scholastic Book Club Coordinator, Jane Zillessen & all the helpers that assisted in making the Scholastic Book Fair such a huge success.

The amazing support from parents and students has earned the College a massive \$919!!! These will be distributed amongst all year levels as extra resources.

Should you have any enquiries please feel free to email Jane Zillessen on jfarrall@hotmail.com





**GATES OPEN FOR
BUYERS 2.00PM
GOLD COIN DONATION**

CHITTERING VALLEY MARKETS @ IHC

34 SANTA GERTRUDIS DRIVE, LOWER CHITTERING
(CNR. MUCHEA EAST RD)

SATURDAY 8 APRIL 2017

EVERY 2ND SATURDAY OF THE MONTH

2.00PM - 6.00PM

*Enjoy food from different cultures for dinner!
Food Vans and Coffee Available*

CAKES, FRUIT, VEGETABLES, HERBS,
PICKLES, PLANTS, TOYS, PHOTOGRAPHY,
CLOTHES, COSMETICS, SWAPMEET
LIVE MUSIC, CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES
and much more ...!

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Everyone
Welcome!



Easter Triduum

13/4 Holy Thursday

7.30 pm - Mass of the Lord's Supper- 34 Santa Gertrudis Drive, Lower Chittering

14/4 Good Friday

11.00 am - Stations of the Cross & 2.30 pm Solemn Ceremony of the Lord's Passion at The Catholic Agricultural College, Bindoon

Confessions from 10.00 am - 1.30 pm in the Chapel.

15/4 Sat Easter Vigil Mass

6.30 pm - St Catherine's, Fraser Street Gingin

16/4 Easter Sunday

7.30 am St Anne's, 6549 Great Northern Highway Bindoon

9.30 am Virgin of Revelation Shrine, 36 Chittering Road Bullsbrook

5.00pm IHC Chapel, 34 Santa Gertrudis Drive, Lower Chittering

Reminder-

Term 2 commences 26th April with a College Mass at 9.00am. All are invited to attend.

Sacramental Information Evening- 3rd May 7pm