



# Immaculate Heart News

## Term 2 Week 7, 2021

### From the Principal

Already here we are at the end of Week Seven, for Term Two.

This term has been incredibly busy since it's commencement. Our ANZAC Day ceremony out on the lawn in front of the hall was lovely, our Year 3, 5, 7 and 9 students have completed their NAPLAN testing, we have had our Whole School Cross Country Carnival and many year levels have participated in incursions and excursions. There has been plenty going on across the college campus as per usual!

We are currently working hard on redeveloping our Master Plan for the College which is extremely exciting and our Secondary Campus build has commenced. The earthworks, sand and concrete pads have been completed and brickwork will commence during this month. We have engaged a town planner and traffic management company whose assistance has been invaluable in making changes to our main carpark traffic flow and placing in much needed markings to maximise car parking bays. They are now assisting us to design a functional car park and traffic flow system over in the Early Learning car park, which is now our priority.

After many months of scrupulous hard work, we had our Department of Education Registration Visit on Wednesday this week. The regulators were on campus for most of the day and were not only impressed with whom they interacted, both students and staff, but were also extremely complimentary with their comments relating to the calibre of curriculum and pastoral care programs that have been recently implemented at our College. They were inspired by the level of commitment and dedication shown by all staff members involved in the panel discussions and were enthusiastic about the future plans for Immaculate Heart College moving forward.

I would also like to extend a very warm welcome to all of our new students and their families, who have joined our community this term! Please enjoy a peaceful long weekend.

Warm Regards,  
*Mrs Meika Gough*  
Principal

## COLLEGE COMMUNICATION STANDARDS

One of our key aims in College Administration is striving to improve communication amongst the IHC Community. As communicated early in Term 1, please note the correct channels to ensure you are heard, by the right person, in a timely fashion.

- **PASTORAL CARE, ACADEMIC QUERY or APPOINTMENT REQUEST? (Tier 1)** Your first contact should ALWAYS be your child's PCG or class teacher (**by SEQTA message or email**)
- **FEEL YOU NEED FURTHER ESCALATION? (Tier 2)**  
If you feel like your concern has still not been fully resolved, and needs escalation, please contact the appropriate member of our Senior Leadership Team. If they can't resolve the situation, then **the member of the SLT will escalate the matter to the Deputy Principal/Principal.**
- **PRINCIPAL REFERRAL (Tier 3)** If after these steps have been followed and **then** an interview with the Principal is required, a representative from College Administration will contact you to arrange an ap



### OUR 2021 IHC SENIOR LEADERSHIP TEAM

Principal – Mrs Meika Gough

Deputy Principal – Mrs Susan Shaw

Head of Early Learning (ELC PK-2)  
Mrs Elodie Fantoni

Head of Junior School (Yr 3-6)  
Mrs Alison Brown

Head of Middle School (Yr 7-9)  
Mrs Kim Hughes

Head of Senior School (Yr 10-12)  
Mrs Skye Hannd

## TERM 2 DATES TO NOTE...

### WEEK 8

#### Mon 7<sup>th</sup> June – WA DAY Holiday (College closed)

Tues 8<sup>th</sup> – Y6 excursion to Parliament House

Wed 9<sup>th</sup> – K&PP Farm Incursion

Fri 11<sup>th</sup> – Y7B and 9 Music Excursion

**Fri 11<sup>th</sup> – IHC School Feast Day (Whole School Mass & Procession in the church 12.30pm onwards)**

### WEEK 9

#### Year 10 Subject Selection starts

Sem 1 Instrumental Workshops all week

Fri 18<sup>th</sup> – Secondary Parent Assembly 11.30am

Fri 18<sup>th</sup> – Y1 Primary Assembly 2pm

### WEEK 10

#### SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR (all week)

Thu 24<sup>th</sup> – WA Police Pipe Band visit

Fri 24<sup>th</sup> – Y2 Wanneroo Museum Excursion

Fri 24<sup>th</sup> – Y3-6 Whiteman Park (Good standing)

Fri 24<sup>th</sup> – Y10 Construction Futures Centre Excursion

### WEEK 11

#### Year 10 Subject Selection Due

Tues 29<sup>th</sup> – Y3/4 Laser Quest Incursion

Tues 29<sup>th</sup> – T2 Good Standing Day (Secondary)

Wed 30<sup>th</sup> – SCHOOL PHOTOS (Day 1)

Thu 1<sup>st</sup> July – SCHOOL PHOTOS (Day 2)

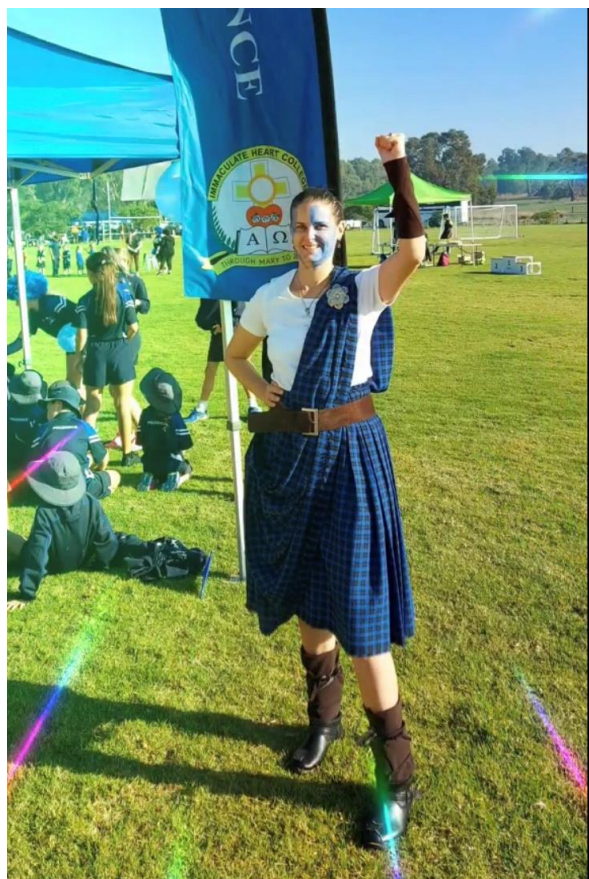
Fri 2<sup>nd</sup> – Y8 Guildford Potters Excursion

Fri 2<sup>nd</sup> – Whole School NAIDOC Incursion

**Fri 2<sup>nd</sup> – LAST DAY OF TERM (Reports issued)**

**Mid Year 3 week Break!!**

## From the HPE Department



Grove for winning the Staff Cookoff with her awesome cake stall fundraising a total of \$2000

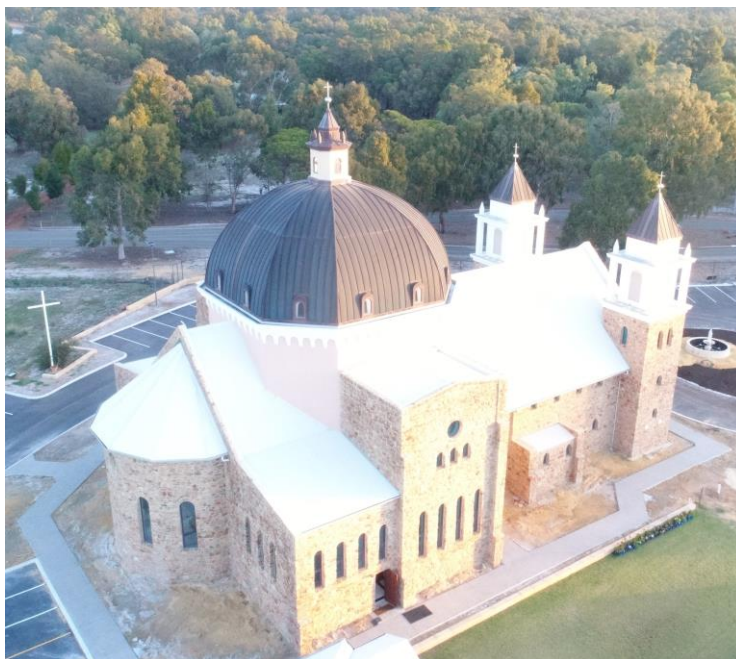
## Our Lady of the Visitation Parish – Mass Times

**Saturday Vigil:** 5.00pm (4.30pm Rosary) St Catherine's, Gingin  
6.45pm IHC College Hall

**Sunday:** 7.30am St Anne's, Bindoon  
9.30am (9am Rosary) Virgin of the Revelation Shrine, Bullsbrook  
11.30am IHC College Hall (Extraordinary Form)

## From the Theology Department

The Divine Mercy Church will be opened this Sunday, 6 June at 10:45AM. It has been a project 10 years in the making; involving much community effort. The Archbishop will be consecrating the Church building for God and all are welcome to attend and witness this historic event.



"Fight and you may die, run and you'll live"... Prudence was victorious! Winners of the 2021 Cross Country, they well and truly ran for their "FREEDOM!" with winning parent/staff mascot, Mrs Renee "Braveheart" Rushton! She won a \$30 Slater Gartrell voucher for her efforts. Congratulations to all who participated on Friday 21 May, earning points for your factions, and also to Mrs mean spag bol, contributing to the Student Council's for Good Standing Day events.



## From the IHC Board...

Dear IHC Community,

On Wednesday, Immaculate Heart college welcomed the Registration Team from the Education Department. The team stayed for most of the day which was very positive and productive. It is good to have another registration behind us!

This Sunday the historic event of the Dedication of the Divine Mercy Church will take place. After many years of fundraising and the work of many skilled craftsmen, this amazing Church will be officially opened! The Archbishop will preside over the Mass and many people are expected to attend. It will be a day of great joy for the Parish and the College Communities.

Kind regards from the Board of Directors.

*Mrs Doris Anastasiades*  
The Board of Directors

## Year 6 MasterChef Competition

For the past month, the Year 6 students have been learning how to write procedures. They have applied their knowledge of procedural writing into writing recipes that were required for the MasterChef competition. Under the guidance of Mr Nic Campbell and the supervision of Mrs Rushton and Mr Raju, the Year 6 students undertook the challenge of cooking up a variety of dishes. They were judged on teamwork, cleanliness, presentation and taste by judges made up of IHC Staff. The expression on both students and the judges' faces speaks for themselves. Thanks are extended to Mr Campbell for his guidance and Mrs Rushton for her continued support and for artistically taking photos of the judges at their finest moment.



## Commemorating The 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of The Battle of Crete

Immaculate Heart College was represented at The Battle of Crete Wreath-laying Ceremony on Sunday 30 May at the State War Memorial in Kings Park.

This historic event was particularly significant as this year marks the 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of The Battle of Crete and The Greek Campaign. In addition, the anniversary of the genocide of the Hellenism of Pontos was commemorated.

The contingent that represented IHC at this event was made up of two IHC Board members, Dr Angela Evangelinou-Yiannakis and Mr Peter Hewitt, and two staff members, Mr George Anastassiadis and Mr Nino Raju, who are also part of the Languages Committee at IHC, where Modern Greek and Latin are taught.



The **West Australian Modern Greek Language Teachers' Association Inc. (WAMGLTA)** is once again offering its annual **WAMGLTA Speak Greek in June Competition**. This year, the competition has a special focus: The 200<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of The Greek War of Independence.

This competition is open to all school-aged children (Pre-primary to Year 12) who are undertaking formal studies in Modern Greek. It opens on Tuesday 1 June and concludes on Saturday 3 July. All details pertaining to the competition are included in the attached flyer, along with the Entry Form.

Please direct any queries to the WAMGLTA Chair, Dr Angela Evangelinou-Yiannakis, at: [WAMGLTA.Inc@gmail.com](mailto:WAMGLTA.Inc@gmail.com)

## COLLEGE UNIFORM UPDATE!!

We are continuing to work with Lowes (our uniform supplier) and the College community to find solutions to some common issues we all face, order to establish best practices for a College uniform we ALL love!

Some recent updates...

- ✓ Trialling of navy AND white socks, for boys and girls
- ✓ Black leather (polishable)sport/school shoes allowed
- ✓ Students' choice to wear shorts or trackpants in Winter terms, on sports days
- ✓ Boys have the option of Formal Shorts, or Trousers, across all terms.
- ✓ Blazers still compulsory, but don't have to wear to and from school, or in PCG, if it is a warmer day.