From the Acting Principal

I cannot believe we are in the last week of Term 2, half way through the year! I am very proud of all our students who have continued to put in a huge amount of effort in everything they do. Students have been involved in the ANZAC Day March, Book Week, cross-country, NAPLAN, Feast of the Sacred Heart celebrations, Lego and Robotics workshops and much much more. We have also celebrated many achievements as students move through sight words, colours, reading levels and make representative sports teams.

This week we are celebrating National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Week. The theme this year is, ‘because of her we can.’ Let us reflect on all the wonderful and strong women that have played and continue to play, active and significant roles in our lives, our community and our country. Students will be participating in NAIDOC activities over the week and taste testing emu, crocodile and kangaroo sausages on Wednesday. On Wednesday afternoon at 2pm, we will hold a NAIDOC liturgy. All are welcome to attend.

I would like to sincerely thank Mrs Fagan and Mrs Haig for teaching the Year 5/6 class over the last 4 weeks. You have done a brilliant job keeping the students working hard. We are still in the process of employing a teacher and I will let you know as soon as someone has been appointed.

A huge congratulations to Guilbari Rynne and Kellie Brain for making the South West Queensland Under 12s Rugby Team. Fantastic effort girls.

Hope you all have a happy & safe holiday.
Miss Crawford.

School Newsletter

As I announced in last week’s newsletter, we are launching a new school newsletter and school App next term. Our newsletter will be available in hard copy or digital form. Can you please fill in the attached form and return to the school ASAP so we are aware of how you would like to view the school newsletter in Term 3. It will also be available on our school App.

Behaviour Promotions

Congratulations to the following students on their promotion to Level 1 & Level 2. The following students have met the Behaviour Policy requirements:

Level 1: Porsha King-Traill
Level 2: Chloe Tuckwell, Gabrielle Ryan, Caileb Thorpe & Sam Bourke

Behaviour Celebrations Wednesday 12-1pm

Level 1 students only will need to bring Party food and can wear Free Dress.

Level 2 students are doing a Dance Competition and play out door games.

Level 3 students are doing Lego, colouring in and handball.
**Congratulations Students**

**Awards:**
- Prep 1 – James Wharton-McKellar for great work in learning his sight words.
- Yr 2/3 – Aleena Martin for putting in a great effort in all tasks.
- Yr 3/4 – Ella Partridge for an added effort in handwriting.
- Yr 5/6 – Jacob Russell for his effort in digital technologies assessment.

**Uniform** – Gulbari Rynne for wearing her uniform with pride.

**Birthdays** – Connor Hatchman (28th)

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**Sacred Heart Student Protection Contacts**

Students Protection Contacts are:
- Mrs Kathleen Fagan (Teacher/Librarian)
- Mrs Carolyn Crick (Admin Officer)

**Student Safety**
To ensure the safety of our students, parents who are dropping morning tea or lunch off after 8:30am need to drop it into the office please. Students should not be entering the carpark to pick up lunch. Thank you for your understanding around this safety issue.

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**YEAR 6 CAMP FUNDRAISER**
Spread the word.
Friendly Grocer are running a Money Board fundraiser for Year 6 Camp. Tickets are $100 each. There are 8 prizes to be won. “You have to be in it to win it” This will be drawn on Saturday 30/06/18

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**Diocese of Toowoomba Catholic Schools**

**TEACHER AIDE**

**SACRED HEART PARISH SCHOOL CUNNAMULLA**

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**Diocese of Toowoomba Catholic Schools**

The Diocese of Toowoomba Catholic Schools has a vacancy:
- 30 hours p/w | Fixed Term
- From 16 July to 7 December 2018
- The Teacher Aide provides support to teachers in preparing and delivery of activities
- A current Blue Card is required for this position or a willingness to apply for one
For more information please contact the school on (07) 4655 1486

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**Winter Uniform**
As the weather starts to cool down it is important to ensure that your child/children are wearing the correct winter uniform. The common infringements include incorrect shoes and jumper/track pant colours. If you are having any difficulties with your child’s school uniform please contact the school office to discuss.

Winter Uniform items include:
- **Jumper**: Bottle green
- **Skivvies**: Bottle green, gold or white
- **Track pants or leggings for girls**: Bottle green
- **Shoes**: Black leather shoes or black joggers

Sister Maureen has some second hand Winter Uniforms for sale in the old Convent.

Opening Days and hours
- **Wednesday, Thursday & Friday** – 9am – 12pm
- **Tuesday** – 9am – 3pm

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**Church Times**

**July**

- Sunday 1st – Eucharistic Service @ 9am
- Sunday 8th – Eucharistic Service @ 9am
- Sunday 15th – Mass @ 5.30pm
- Saturday 21st – Mass @ 5.30pm
- Sunday 22nd – Mass @ Eulo 9am
- Sunday 29th – Eucharistic Service @ 9am

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**Coming Events**

**Term 2**

**June**

**Week 11 NAIDOC Week**
- Monday 25th – Music – Mr Sloan
- Wednesday 27th – Behaviour Celebrations – 12-1pm
- Wednesday 27th – Assembly – 8.45am
- **Wednesday 27th** – NAIDOC Liturgy 2pm
- **Wednesday 27th** – LAST DAY OF TERM 2

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**Term 3**

**July**

**Week 1**
- Monday 16th – Term 3 begins
- Friday 20th – Assembly – 8.45am

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**Parliament and Civics Education Rebate (PACER)**
Australian Government assistance for National Capital Excursion

Dear Parents,
The Year 6 Students from the Sacred Heart School Cunnamulla will soon be undertaking an Educational tour of the national capital. While on this tour they will participate in a variety of educational programmes focused on Australia’s history, culture, heritage and democracy.
The Australian Government recognises the importance of all young Australians being able to visit their National Capital as part of their Civics and Citizenship education.
To assist Families in meeting the cost of this excursion the Australian Government is contributing funding of $60 per student under the Parliament and Civics Education Rebate program (PACER) towards those costs. The rebate is paid directly to the school upon completion of the excursion.
The Year 6 students of Sacred Heart Cunnamulla would like to thank the Australian Government for their support of this program. Some of the places the Year 6 Students will be visiting are Parliament House, Australian War Memorial, National Museum of Australia, Royal Mint & Old Parliament House.
We hope that the excursion to Canberra is a rewarding experience for all our Year 6 students.

Yours Sincerely
Miss Pollyanna Crawford
Acting Principal
28 June 2018

Dear members of the Sacred Heart School community

I am pleased to announce the appointment of Miss Pollyanna Crawford as Principal of Sacred Heart School, Cunnamulla from the start of 2019. As you know Polly is currently the Acting Principal at Sacred Heart and has led the community very capably in this role.

Polly is very well qualified and experienced for this role. She holds a Bachelor of Education from Queensland University of Technology and a Graduate Certificate in Religious Education from Australian Catholic University. Polly is no stranger to rural and remote locations having taught in Mitchell and previously in Cunnamulla, as well as held the position of Assistant Principal Religious Education at Inglewood and Cunnamulla. Polly’s experience also extends to a period of teaching in a remote indigenous community in the Northern Territory. Polly is committed to the provision of the very best educational opportunities to the students of Sacred Heart School.

I take this opportunity to thank Father Peter Doohan, Parish Priest and Suzanne Cavanagh, Senior Education Leader in supporting Polly’s application for this position. I also sincerely thank the staff, parents and wider community for the welcome given to Polly in her move to Cunnamulla and for the ongoing support of Polly in the principal’s role.

I am sure that you will join with me in congratulating Polly on her new appointment.

Yours sincerely

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Dr Patrick Coughlan
Executive Director, Catholic Schools
Diocese of Toowoomba
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