Mathematics at OLOH

Week 3, is the beginning of NAPLAN online for OLOH students in Years 3, 5 and 7.

NAPLAN tests are just one way that we assess student knowledge and are only a snapshot in time. Perhaps try one of the problems I've included in the newsletter with your child.

- Try to focus on how you might solve the problem together rather than on getting the right answer quickly.
- Find out what they already know before telling - ASK before TELL.
- Encourage your child to write something down or draw a picture that will help them solve the problem.
- Discuss why the other multiple choice answers might be there.

It is important to develop strategies for solving a range of different problems and the resilience to try things more than once. Good mathematicians change their minds when they get more information.

In Semester 1, some Year 3 students have been working on problem solving strategies and solving them, standing up, on large white boards.
I hope that all of our mums, step-mums & grandmothers had a happy Mother’s Day.

I would like to thank all the people who joined us for our Mother’s Day Liturgy and morning tea last Friday. The number of mums, grand-mothers and other special people who attended this event was fantastic. I really do hope that you enjoyed spending some time with your children both at the Liturgy and also in your child’s classroom. It was great to see how much the children loved having their mums spend time with them at school. An event like our Mother’s Day Liturgy, class visits and morning tea take a great deal of organisation in order to be successful. I would like to thank Donna Eeles, Julie Crichton, Bernadette Gaudio, Pauline Lensink, Charmaine Gillard and Ali Wallace for all of their efforts in coordinating and preparing the wonderful morning tea for all of our Mothers. Their attention to detail and creative flair made our morning tea a wonderful event.

I would also like to thank Suzie Subotkiewicz for the time and effort she put into organising the Liturgy for our Mothers and special guests. It was a beautiful liturgical service in which the children gave thanks for the love shown to them by their mothers, grandmothers and other significant women in their lives. I would also like to acknowledge School Band who were led by Robyn Windham and Christine Goodwin. I always enjoy listening to our band play at Masses and Liturgies, they do a fantastic job.

Finally, I would like to thank our teaching staff for their support in the lead up to this special day and for opening up their classrooms. I felt that the Mother’s Day event was a fantastic celebration. If you have any feedback on how we can improve our Mother’s Day celebrations, I would welcome your feedback. Please feel free to email me at: akeane@oloh.catholic.edu.au

Thank you to our Parents & Friends (P&F) Committee

I would like to offer my sincere appreciation and thanks to the wonderful and dedicated members of our P&F Committee who organised and ran the Mother’s Day Stall. The P&F Committee really do offer so much to our school community. The Mother’s Day Stall gave all of the children an opportunity to come along and purchase a small gift as a token of appreciation for their mums. It is great to see the excitement on the faces of the children when they have the opportunity to purchase a gift for their mum. Without the commitment and involvement of the parents on our P&F Committee, we would not be able to offer such opportunities to the children at our school. The P&F Committee is open to all parents and friends at the school. Being part of the P&F Committee can be a great way to meet other parents and socialise with other parents at school. Being involved and supporting the P&F with their work does not need to be a time consuming task and parents are always welcome to just help out where they can. We warmly welcome any people who would like to contribute to the work that the P&F do around the school. If you would like to know more about the P&F or would like to meet some more parents around the school, then please don’t hesitate to contact myself, the front office staff or Kathryn Hill.

Music is Fun visits Our Lady of Hope

Last Friday afternoon we had the Music is Fun Band visit our school and perform for our children. The Music is Fun Band is a very talented and entertaining 7 person band who not only perform a large repertoire of musical genres for the children, but who also teach the children about a number of different musical instruments in the process. The band had a fantastic array of costumes and invited the children to dress up in these costumes and perform with the band. The band were also highly entertaining with their vast range of “Dad jokes”. The band’s visit was part of our Performing Arts Program and I know that many of the parents who came along to watch them bopped along with the band and wanted to know if they perform at adult parties. Thank you to Robyn Windham for her organisation of the concert and also for supporting our children in preparing to perform with the band.

Extra Curricula STEM Program at Our Lady of Hope

This term Our Lady of Hope have engaged with an external provider, STEM Edulinks in order to provide an extra-curricular offering in the area of Robotics, Computing programming, coding and game building. Mukesh from STEM Edulinks is a qualified Engineer who has developed STEM Edulinks in order to offer hands on, real life computer engineering programs to primary school aged children.

A letter was sent home to all parents of children in Year’ 3-7 at the end of week one. This term the program will focus on Robotics and will be running every Wednesday from 3.20 pm – 4.20 pm. I have attached a direct link to the STEM Edulinks registration page if you are interested in your child joining the program. If you would like any further information about the program, please don’t hesitate to contact me.


Whole School Concert

At the end of this term we will be having our biannual whole School Concert. All children will be involved in a class item for this event and it promises to be a great evening for all of our community. The date for this concert is Thursday 5th July. Please keep this evening free. More details will be sent home in the coming weeks.

Mother’s Day quote:

“A Mother is she who can take the place of all others but whose place no one else can take.”Anonymous

God bless,
Ashley Keane
Principal
Principal’s Awards

The following students received Principal’s Awards at today’s Whole School Assembly:

Compassion:
Ava M - For using her initiative and solving problems in a caring and respectful way and always thinking of other people’s feelings.

Excellence:
Ariana T - For excellence in reading and graduating from the RAPS program.
Tara B - For beautiful handwriting and always presenting work to a high standard.
Cooper I - For taking pride in his work and working hard to complete tasks to a high level.
Maeva P - For presenting a diorama of her Inquiry Project on the Commonwealth Games at a high standard.
Hayden C - For always striving to complete difficult tasks and for seeking challenging work.
Kaela J - For writing detailed and very persuasive expositions including thoughtful reasons and rhetorical questions.
Sophie L - For a creative and detailed project in Genius Hour.
Alana P - For an interesting and creative project in Genius Hour.
Eden G - For writing a fantastic Narrative in our Literacy Lessons.
Rachel H - For being the first presenter of our class Prayer Power Points and doing a great job.
Lily S - For outstanding leadership displayed at all times in class and in the yard.

Perseverance:
Thomas S - For demonstrating confidence when identifying initial sounds in words and for persevering with learning to read these sounds.
Emily D - For working really hard in literacy lessons and moving on to the next reader box!
Mason C - For working really hard on learning your numbers and how to write them.
Julian C - Julian always tries hard during writing time and will give each task a go independently.
Bodhi W - For trying really hard in developing strategies to help remain on task and model good listening skills.
Kade J - For working hard on all tasks in the classroom and building on your word processing skills.
Zakk J - For improved effort and achievement in handwriting and overall presentation of his work.
Gabriela B - For improved organisation, dedication to completing work and showing initiative to ask for help when needed.
Harrison L - For always trying his best across all areas of the curriculum.

Relationship:
Lucas H - For always being a bucket filler for his friends, noticing when they need help or just being super friendly towards others.
Taylor E - For always being a happy and kind class member that goes out of his way to help others.
Miaa G - For applying excellent social skills in your friendship group and working effectively with others in the classroom.
Audrey B - For demonstrating good Christian values with her interaction amongst her classmates.

Principal’s Awards contd.

Responsibility:
Lily B - For always being a responsible and reliable student who shows initiative and solves problems in a caring manner.
Anabelle O - For solving problems in a responsible way and seeking help when required.
Eliza B - For showing great responsibility in being organised and running prayer times.
Kaya O - For showing great leadership in helping a classmate who was experiencing some distress.
Sienna J - For being a reliable class member who always models excellent behaviour within our school community.
Koby M - For being thoughtful of others, displaying good manners and consistently using his initiative and helping his table be organised at the beginning of the day.

JP Playground

Please be aware that there is no playing allowed on the JP playground (near the Parish Centre) after school next Friday 25th May due to work being done on the playground equipment.

Fees Reminder

Fee statements have been mailed home. Term 2 fees are due by Friday 8th June. If you have overlooked the Term 1 fees please ensure that payment is made immediately.

If you have a Direct Debit in place and you have not reviewed the amount you are paying in 2018, please do this to ensure that your payment amount is sufficient to cover this year’s fees. By now all payments made should have covered a minimum ¼ of the fees invoiced.

School Card applications are required to be made each year. This year the School Card income limit has been raised to $57,870 for a family with one child. This limit increases with each child. If you believe you may be eligible for School Card in 2018, please see Julie at the Front Office for an application form or you can apply online at: https://www.sa.gov.au/topics/education-and-learning/financial -help-scholarships-and-grants/school-card-scheme

If you are experiencing any difficulties in paying your fees, please make contact with me for a confidential discussion regarding your circumstance. Charmaine Gillard, Bursar

Uniform Reminder

From the start of next week (Term 2 Week 4), all students are required to wear their full winter uniform (not a combination of both). The link to our uniform policy on our website is: http://www.oloh.catholic.edu.au/docs/school_uniform.pdf#view=fit

The Uniform Shop will not be open in Week 7 on Monday 11th June due to the Queen’s Birthday Public Holiday.

Just a reminder to make sure that all items of clothing (i.e. jumpers, hats etc.) are labelled and any other items are also labelled (i.e. pencil cases, lunch boxes, drink bottles) so that we can return them to their owners if they make their way to the Front Office.
**Religious Education**

**Masses**

Room 15 will host Class Mass **this Friday 18th May commencing at 9.15 am.**

Our next Class Mass will be celebrated by Room 10 on **Friday 25th May 2018 at 9.15 am (Week 4).**

If you can attend, we would love to see you there!

**Pentecost Sunday**

This coming **Sunday 20th May 2018 is Pentecost Sunday**, the beginning of the Christian Church. This day celebrates when the Holy Spirit filled Jesus’s disciples with gifts of strength and wisdom (as promised by Jesus!) so that they could spread the Word of the Lord to the world. It would be great if you could join us in Mass at 9.00 am to celebrate this important event.

**Mother’s Day**

Last Sunday was Mother’s Day and it was a special time for everyone. Mother’s Day is a day in which we can focus on the great gift of motherhood.

We can celebrate the gift of our own mothers, grandmothers, great-grandmothers, aunts and the special women who model the wonderful qualities of motherhood.

It was lovely to see so many people at the Liturgy and I could see the excitement and pleasure of the students when they saw their special person.

**Sacramental News**

The following information is for the parents who have children who will be celebrating their Confirmation and First Communion this term. Next week you and your child will need to attend **ONE** of the following meetings 8to discuss the Sacrament of Confirmation.

**Tuesday 22nd May OR Wednesday 23rd May** at 7.00 pm at St David’s Church Tea Tree Gully.

Suzie Subotkiewicz

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**Skoolbag App Update**

Our school’s app, Skoolbag, has been updated with some improvements to give you more control over the content and notifications you receive. You do not need to download an update, however, you will notice some changes when using the app.

**Save Subscription Group Settings across devices** - You will be invited to set up a username and password when opening the app. These details will be saved to allow for quick access in the future. Your account details allow you to log into the Skoolbag app on different devices and see the same groups and subscription settings. After logging in, you will be prompted to subscribe to groups.

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**Important update to the way you use our SkoolBag Communication App**

- **When you next open your SkoolBag app, you will be prompted to create a SkoolBag login with your email address.**
- **Once logged in, you will be able to personalise and save your notification preferences.** All of your recent, unseen notifications are now accessible by clicking on the bell icon in the upper toolbar of your app.
- **Notices sent to the whole school will still be shown on the ‘Home’ screen, however information that relates to specific groups of users only (e.g. year groups and sports teams) will now be shown in the ‘Groups’ section.** You can modify your subscription group preferences at any time.
The children from Room 9 won the Easter Egg wrapper competition! Their alfoil balls weighed in at 486 gms. In total, we recycled 3.55 kg of alfoil! Well done everyone! Room 9’s prize was to cook using food from our Hope Grows garden. We picked some chives and made cheese and chives scones! They were delicious!
Mother’s Day Celebration
Mother's Day Celebration
Last Thursday at Playgroup we celebrated Mother’s Day. Whilst the parents chatted with one another and spent some quality time with their children, we had fun making a special gift for the mums.

A big thank you to Year 7’s Mia, Mayah, Erin and Sophie for all their help. We couldn’t have done it without them. They had great fun and enjoyed helping the children and the babies. Thanks again girls!

We hope that all the mums had a wonderful Mother’s Day.

Ali Wallace and Bernadette Gaudio
Playgroup Coordinators
Canteen

Canteen Price Increases from 21/5/18

There have been several price increases in the last few weeks from some of our suppliers. All Balfours and Vili’s products have been increased by 10 cents. Moozies and Freezepops have also been increased by 10 cents. An updated copy of the Canteen Price List for Term 2 2018 has been added to the Skoolbag App and the OLOH website.

PLEASE NOTE THAT AS OF TERM 3 THE CAMPUS CANTEEN WILL ONLY BE TAKING LUNCH ORDERS VIA THE QKR APP. The manual method of ordering via the lunch bag method will no longer be used. Students can still purchase items over the counter at recess and lunch but no meals will be available over the counter (i.e. hot dogs, sandwiches, lasagna etc). An updated copy of the Canteen Price List for Term 2 has been added to the school’s website as well as the Skoolbag App.

To download the Qkr App, follow the instructions below.

Get the Qkr App on your phone:

Step 1: Download Qkr! On your Android Phone or iPhone. iPad users can download the iPhone app.
Step 2: Register.
Step 3: Find our School. Search for “Greenwith Primary School” as we are a shared campus.
Step 4: Register your children.

or by visiting: https://qkr.mastercard.com/store/#/home

Volunteers

Thank you to the parents who attended our two recent Volunteer Induction Sessions. Please remember to complete your paperwork and return it to the office with your proof of ID documents so that we can get your applications for a Catholic Police Clearance started.

For those who have already done this, please ensure that you bring in your catholic police clearance letter and card once you receive them so that we can update our volunteer register. You will receive a DCSI clearance letter first, followed by a Catholic Police Clearance letter.

The next VOLUNTEER INDUCTION SESSION for Term 2 will be held on Tuesday 5th June at 9.00 am. You need to RSVP to the Front Office if you wish to attend.

More details about volunteering can be found on our Skoolbag App under NEWS - Volunteering.

If you have any other queries, please feel free to contact me by email: deeles@oloh.catholic.edu.au by phone 82898344 or in person via the Front Office.

Donna Eeles,
PA/WHS Coordinator
Upcoming Diary Dates

Friday 18th May
9.15 am Room 15 (Year 4) Class Mass

Monday 21st May
Uniform Shop open 8.30-9.30 am & 2.30-3.30 pm
NAPLAN Years 3, 5 & 7

Wed. 23rd May
School Banking

Thursday 24th May
9.15 am Playgroup

Friday 25th May
9.15 am Room 10 (Year 3) Class Mass
SAPSASA Boys Netball and Girls Soccer Carnivals

Monday 28th May
Uniform Shop open 8.30-9.30 am & 2.30-3.30 pm

Wed. 30th May
School Banking
School Board - combined meeting

Thursday 31st May
9.15 am Playgroup
OLOH Newsletter on school website:
www.oloh.catholic.edu.au

Friday 1st June
9.15 am Room 16 (Year 5/6) Class Mass

Saturday 2nd June
10.00 am and 1.00 pm Confirmation at St. David’s Parish

Monday 4th June
Uniform Shop open 8.30-9.30 am & 2.30-3.30 pm

Tuesday 5th June
9.00 am Volunteer Induction Session

Wed. 6th June
School Banking

Thursday 7th June
9.15 am Playgroup
2.20 pm Whole School Assembly

Friday 8th June
9.15 am Room 12 (Year 7) Class Mass
Term 2 Fees due

P&F

Thank you to everyone for their support for the recent Mother’s Day Raffle.

Congratulations to the raffle winners:

1st Prize: Vicky Chester - Endota Spa Voucher
2nd Prize: Terri Short - Entertainment Book
3rd Prize: Virginia Librandi - Wine & Gift Pack

The P&F Mother's Day Stall was also a huge success last week. The majority of items for sale were sold out on the first day of opening. A special thank you to all the parent helpers as well as the Year 7 class who also assisted on the day.

Noticeboard

The services and events contained in this bulletin are in no way connected with the school and are included in this newsletter for your information only. Parents and caregivers need to make their own enquiries and assessments about the suitability of these events and services for the needs and those of their children.

Kids Taekwondo at Greenwith and Golden Grove - Greenwith Community Centre, Tuesdays Kids 6:30 pm
Regular 7.00–8.00 pm, Golden Grove Primary School, Thursdays Kids 6:30 pm Regular 7.30–8.30 pm. Phone 0412909500, 0411265023 (Instructor Michael McVeity) or visit www.worldtaekwondo.com.au

OLSH College Term 2 Tours Tues. 29th May 9.30 am and 5.30 pm and Tues. 26th June 9.30 am and 5.30 pm. To book or request a tour, phone 8269 8800 or visit www.olsh.catholic.edu.au. Welcoming Year 7 from 2019.

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After School Sports Results

Under 9 Netball Diamonds
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14/5 OLOH Diamonds defeated by OLOH Raptors 10-0

Under 9 Netball Raptors
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14/5 OLOH Raptors defeated OLOH Diamonds 10-0
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