KOBE GUSTOWSKI
Kobe Gustowski is the Mindful Student for Kindergarten. Kobe always strives to do his best particularly when faced with a challenge. He persists with tasks and is always prepared to change his thinking when trying to solve problems. He asks questions when he needs to clarify his thinking and composes questions for others to solve. He has a keen sense of fun and often finds humour in a variety of situations, but settles quickly when he needs to refocus. He is always kind and caring towards others and is popular with his classmates. He always listens to others and contributes to class discussions. He enjoys learning and always seizes opportunities to discover new things.

ISABELLA DWYER
We have chosen Isabella Dwyer as Mindful Student of the Month for a number of reasons. Isabella is mindful both in the way she treats others and in her approach to learning. She has an extremely kind nature, always willing to help others both in the classroom and on the playground. Isabella will put the needs of others before her own every time. This kind nature allows her to work with a wide range of people and we never have a complaint about her! Isabella has proven to us that she is ready for Stage 2 next year. Her growth in maturity since the beginning of Stage One last year is amazing! She is now an independent learner. She willingly ask questions to clarify her thinking and listens to and acts upon any feedback given to her. Isabella is an absolute delight to have in Stage One and we congratulate her on her Mindful Student of the Month Award!

STAGE 2 - ZOE O’HALLORAN
Stage 2 are awarding Mindful student of the Month to Zoe O’Halloran. Zoe displays a lot of the attributes we admire in our Mindful students. She enjoys working with different people and expanding how she thinks to accommodate the ideas of others. Zoe always strives for accuracy in her work and is always willing to listen to constructive advice on how to further improve her work. She willingly asks questions to clarify her thinking, especially when it comes to expanding her vocabulary. We would like to congratulate Zoe on her achievements and encourage her to continue taking responsible risks to further her learning.

STAGE 3 - NICHOLAS JONES
We see evidence of Nick using, and continuing to develop the Habits of Mind on many occasions in both academic and social situations. Nick, at times, can be somewhat impulsive, however through discussion and reflection he now values the power of developing the habit of meta-cognition, applying prior knowledge and thinking and communicating with clarity in order to share his ideas. In the classroom Nick exhibits evidence of these habits developing time and time again. The one aspect of Nick’s disposition that highlighted the need for Nick to receive this award is his ability to listen with empathy and understanding. The development of this Habit enables Nick to always be aware of the needs of others and to be an outstanding role model, by displaying, reminding and encouraging others to always show behaviour that is appropriate.
Father Bernie's Farewell Mass
Friday 13th November at 10.00am

Please join us this Friday, 13th November at 10am to celebrate Fr Bernie’s Farewell Mass. We would also like you to join us afterwards in the church foyer for morning tea.

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OPEN DAY/ MULTICULTURAL DAY
Friday 4th December

12.00-1.00pm - Visit our classrooms and look at the work the children have been doing on Multiculturalism

2.00-3.00pm - Please join us for our special assembly where we join and celebrate all the cultures in Sacred Heart Community
Dear Parents and Friends,

Our final term continues to be busy, with many major events scheduled:
13th November - Father Bernie’s Farewell Mass
27th November - Final Kinder Orientation Day
4th December - Multi-cultured Day
10th December - School Concert
11th December - End of Year Mass
14th December - Year 6 Graduation

OPEN DAY/MULTI-CULTURAL DAY - FRIDAY 4th DECEMBER
On this day we celebrate the diversity in our school. Many of our classes have visitors meeting with the children.

Early Stage 1 - Grandparents have talked about their heritage to students
Stage 1 - Identified international links in class and families
Stage 2 - Speaker on Indigenous plants and their use
Stage 3 - Stories involving refugees

In class our students have been sharing their family history and stories, artefacts, cultural differences:
Early Stage 1 have been looking at family journals. Origins in Early Stage 1 are from Indigenous, New Zealand, Philippines, Cuba, Germany and Spain.
Stage 1 Exposition brochures on countries of origin.
Stage 2 have concentrated on ‘Indigenous’ difference in Australia. They have been studying how the Aboriginal people identify with the land.
Stage 3 have been looking at our Christian mission around refugees and asylum seekers. Discussion around the benefits of multiculturalism is ongoing. Africa, Scotland, India, Philippines reflects our multicultural make-up in Stage 3.

In Art, Mrs Puckeridge has had each class making a ‘God’s eye’ - patterns with colours that will produce an artwork reflecting each child’s individuality. Aboriginal children have also identified their mobs and locality within Australia.

Friday 4th will be an ‘OPEN DAY’ from 12.00-1.00pm, where parents are welcome to look at the work children have done in their classrooms. At 2.00pm we will hold a special assembly, celebrating together, our differences and union.
‘The Landing at Gallipoli’

The rising sun was looking over the beach waiting for action. One by one each country stepped ashore, each battalion took caution of where to step. Death was waiting to attack. The word FIRE! was carried from one side to the other by the wind. The diggers dug like dogs as if they were trying to find a bone. BANG! BOOM! the guns screamed. The blood of fellow mates bloomed as red as the poppies.

Each night felt longer and scarier.

Each night heaven said hello to another soul.

But one night, the war was still as a statue until someone yelled “retreat!” Suddenly it wasn’t still, it was like a volcano erupting. The blasting bullets were like fire works that burst in the blood moon sky. It went on and on and on...

Lots of sleepless nights had passed. At the last second, I jumped for my life, but it was too late.

Turkey had demolished us all

By Amy O’Halloran
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**MERIT AWARDS**

**STAR AWARDS**
## COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES
### SACRED HEART PRIMARY P&F

**Present:** Glen White, Lisa Corcoran, Elizabeth Ellison, Helen Bowyer, Annette Figgis, Wayne Murphy, Jacki Jenkins, Patrick Stephen, Jodie Oliver, Bill Hardman, Kylie Barac, Kerrie Rudd

**Apologies:** Alison Golden, Jo Kohlhagen Amanda Hardman.

**Date:** 4\textsuperscript{th} November 2015  
**Time:** 6:32pm

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| 1.1        | Reading and confirmation of previous minutes  
Resolved to accept the Minutes of the August 2015 meeting  
Moved: Lisa Corcoran  
Seconded: Wayne Murphy |           |          |
| 1.2        | Business arising from previous minutes  
Nil |           |          |
| 1.3        | Previous Actions  
Review of P&F Constitution  
14/07/15: No action. Will get onto it before the next meeting  
04/08/15: No action  
01/09/15: Put on hold until after the fete  
04/11/15: To be held over until 2016. Action transferred to 2016 P&F committee | 2016 P&F Committee | Ongoing |
| 2.0        | Treasurer’s Report |           |          |
| 2.1        | Resolved to accept the Treasurer’s Report for the month of October 2015  
Moved: Elizabeth Ellison  
Seconded: Kerrie Rudd |           |          |

Fete profit $16,868.82!  
For interest we counted $17,432.95 on the night. Well done to all involved.  
The fete committee decided to donate the $125 profit from the Star Wars exhibition to the Black Dog Institute as a thank you for attending.

| 3.0        | Principal’s Report |           |          |
|            | Helen provided news what has been happening throughout the school and upcoming events including: |           |          |
|            | - Thank you for farewell gift and retirement dinner. It was a great night |           |          |
|            | - Father Bernie’s farewell Mass is being held on 13\textsuperscript{th} November. Senior students from Sacred Heart, Mater Dei Primary and Mater Dei College will be attending. All parents are welcome |           |          |
|            | - SHK has been successful in our application for a $3,000 gardening grant. These funds will be used to install pumps to access water from the underground tanks |           |          |
|            | - Stage 2 are working on planting medicinal and edible indigenous plants in the garden |           |          |
|            | - 27\textsuperscript{th} November – Final Kinder orientation. Approx 40 enrolments. |           |          |
|            | - 4\textsuperscript{th} December – Multi-cultural day |           |          |
|            | - 7\textsuperscript{th} December – Year 6 Day |           |          |
|            | - 10\textsuperscript{th} December - School Concert |           |          |
• 11th December – End of Year Mass
• Research facts traditional classroom techniques v Hattie’s theory

For a full report on the current progress of the school and upcoming events please see the newsletter.

4.0 Canteen Report

Lunch wallets have been purchased back from Holy Trinity
All going well

5.0 Uniform Shop Report

Kerrie Rudd has now been appointed as Uniform Shop Manager
Liaising with MDP with regards to suppliers
Possibility of having a one stop shop for uniforms at the school next year
A huge thank you to Amanda Hardman for all her effort in the uniform shop

6.0 School Council Representative Report

Gardening Grant
Helen Bowyers retirement dinner
$15k v $20k P&F contribution. A decision will be made at the November meeting

7.0 General Business

Calendar of Events for 2016
A range of events were discussed for 2016 including Outdoor movie night, walk-a-thon, and Pie drive. It was decided that the following events would be pencilled in.
  Term 1 – Easter Raffle
  Term 1 - Term 2 – Family portraits
  Term 2 – Trivia Night (Silent Auction, Art Show)
  Term 3 – Disco
  Term 4 – Melbourne Cup Day Luncheon, MTC
  TBA – Bunnings BBQ

2016 P&F Committee
Calling for nominations for the following Executive Positions
President, Vice President, Secretary, Vice Secretary, Treasurer

Survey for review of school uniform
Samples of new uniforms to be presented at 1st meeting 2016.
Parent survey will follow

Discussion regarding purchase of an electronic sign for the front of the school. Will be discussed further in the new year.

8.0 Fete Report

Very successful night: Profit $16 868.82
Thank you to the whole school and wider community for their support.
Special mention to all stall holders and volunteers for their contribution. A lot of who didn’t get to experience the fete with their families.
Thank you to Kate Bower for organising external sales of raffle tickets at malls, markets etc
Thank you to the 2015 P&F and Fete Committee for all their effort.
We are seeking feedback, both good and areas for improvement. Please email through to sacredheartkooringalpandf@gmail.com.

9.0 New Actions

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Meeting Closed: 8:15pm

Next Meeting: Tuesday 1st December 2015, 6.30pm

Drinks and Nibbles provided. New faces are always welcome.
**DIARY DATES 2015**

**TERM 4**

**November**
- 13th Farewell Mass for Fr Bernie 10am
- 13th Second Kinder 2016 Orientation
- 18th-20th Stage 3 Canberra Excursion
- 27th Final Kinder 2016 Orientation

**December**
- 4th Open Day/Multicultural Day
- 10th School Concert 2pm
- 11th End of Year Mass @ 12.30pm
- 14th Year 6 Graduation @ 12.30pm
- 16th Last Day of School

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**UNIFORM SHOP ROSTER**

**WEEK 7**
- Wednesday 18th Nov - Jody Oliver

**WEEK 8**
- Wednesday 25th Nov - Jacki Jenkins

**WEEK 9**
- Wednesday 2nd Dec - Sue Hanrahan

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**ALL FEES ARE DUE TODAY 11/11/15 UNLESS ARRANGEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE.**

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**BOOKCLUB DUE 19/11/15**

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**2015 Fete - Feedback**

The P&F Committee would like to thank the community for supporting our 2015 Fete. We are looking for any feedback you may have, both good and areas for improvement.

Please email your comments to sacredheartkooringalpandf@gmail.com

2015 P&F Committee

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**CANTEEN ROSTER TERM 4**

**November 11th, 12th & 13th**
- Wed - Jo Everett
- Thu - Amanda Hardman
- Fri - Lisa Merrett & Helen Ryan

**November 18th, 19th & 20th**
- Wed - Alicia Rose
- Thu - Jo Lynch
- Fri - Shannon Curtis

**November 25th, 26th & 27th**
- Wed - Jaclyn Moore
- Thu - Sue Hanrahan
- Fri - Janet Moriarty & Ali Bartlett
Extend OOSH at Sacred Heart Catholic Primary School

SUMMER HOLIDAY PROGRAM BOOKINGS ARE OPEN!

Booking deadlines:
Book for December by Friday 27 November
Book for January by Monday 21 December

We have heaps of fun activities planned these school holidays and can’t wait for you to attend! Participate in an epic egg drop challenge, make your own burlap pillow, and play lots of sport including cricket and basketball! Join in on all this and more at Extend’s Summer Holiday Program.

To check out what’s on visit our website at extend.com.au and book via the Parent Portal.

Good News! - From Term 1 2016 Extend will run Before School Care at Sacred Heart.

Operating hours and fees: Before School Care: 7.00am – 8.30am $20.00 permanent, $23.00 casual.
*YOU PAY BETWEEN: $7.34 - $10.00 for a permanent booking.

Our recap

This fortnight at Sacred Heart Extend we made hovercrafts using balloons and cds, completed our Extend a Hand placemats for Meals on Wheels and celebrated our Star Wars Day. For Star Wars Day we made chocolate light sabers and “used our force”. We also made our own puppets out of felt and put on our own puppet show. Favourites have been playing chess and celebrity heads.
The children also enjoyed our bubble art activity which made unique artworks. A fortnightly favourite was our Chocolate Bark baking where all the children got involved.
-Eliza

Our Extend Superstars are:
Jett Morris. Jett is always involved in team play and group activities.
Mia Phillips. Mia is becoming more and more involved in programmed activities and is always energetic.

Forthcoming Activities:
16 November: Movie Day
17 November: Chess DIY
18 November: Chocolate Baking
19 November: Gluey Goo
20 November: Critter Creations

ONLINE BOOKINGS: extend.com.au
CALL OUR OFFICE: 1300 366 437
Congratulations to Mia Phillips (ES1O’C) who was baptised on the weekend at Sacred Heart.

Art News!
Last Friday at our school assembly we presented prizes to the winners of our Vincent Van Gogh Family Art Competition. We had joint winners. The Bower family with a self portrait painting and Lucas Cahill and his nanna with Starry Night. Both works were amazing. Well done to both families!

Good luck
Good luck to Wani Gwada and Bella Storer who will represent the NSW School teams in Basketball and Swimming in South Australia next week.

Media Release
26 October 2015
Local Child, Youth, Family Health mobile phone App launched

Murrumbidgee Local Health District has launched a new Child, Youth & Family Health mobile phone App to coincide with National Children’s Week from 24 October – 1 November 2015.

“Anyone with a smart phone can download the free Child, Youth and Family Health (CY&FH) App,” said Manager Child, Youth & Family Health, Nicole Myers.

The intent of the App is to provide families and other service providers with a portal for information on the variety of child, youth and family health services and key health messages for children, young people and families in the Murrumbidgee Local Health District.

Download the MLHD CY&FH App on your smartphone or tablet for information including:
- Kids and families
- Youth Health
- Child and family health
- SWISH Newborn hearing screening
- StEPS Preschooler vision screening
- Aboriginal Mums and Bubs
- Pregnancy care
Thank you so much to all involved in preparing such a beautiful night with family, friends and colleagues. A wonderful memory for me after 25 years at the best school in Wagga. Thank you for everything I have received from the Sacred Heart Community.

A beautiful cake, kindly made and decorated by a very talented Belynda Rosler.
Congratulations Michelle Cummins!!

Thank you to Michelle who has applied for a grant through the Philmac Project and has been successful, gaining for the school $3000.00 to be used in the our biodiverse garden.

This money will purchase a pump for the four underground tanks which will distribute water along our gardens at the back of the school. Indigenous (edible and medicinal) plants are also being purchased and planted by Stage 2. Stage 2 have done a lot of work in the area, preparing the gardens, weeding, digging in gypsum and mulching. Our garden acts as a learning space - children learn about native plants, bird life, salinity etc.

Thank you Michelle on your hours of work! Thank you to all the parents and children who voted for the project on Facebook - outstanding result!