



# LIWARA CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

13 December 2019

*When you are watchful, where do you find God in your everyday life?*

## IMPORTANT DATES

EOY MASS 9:00AM 13 DEC

CHRISTMAS CAROLS 2PM 13 DEC

FIRST DAY 2020 STUDENTS 3 FEB

NETBALL MEETING 5 FEB

OPENING MASS 7 FEB

During the season of Advent we are preparing for the birth of Jesus. We can use this time to prepare ourselves as Catholics too.

Advent is a time of waiting. During this busy time at home create a new kind of self-discipline to appreciate the present moment and look to the future with peaceful anticipation.

Do something nice for someone every day. It might be an encouraging word, a phone call, a note of appreciation or a little act of kindness.

Get rid of grudges. Use Advent as an opportunity to let go of any anger or resentment that you might be holding onto.

Pray for patience. If you find yourself becoming anxious or upset, ask the Lord for the gift of patience. Then make a conscious effort to be a more patient person.

Dear Families,

As the 2019 school year draws to a close it is time to reflect on another busy, successful year at Liwara Catholic Primary School. The children and the staff have worked hard and achieved so much throughout the year. Enjoy spending time together with your child reading through their Semester Two Report on the SEQTA Engage Portal and create lasting memories looking through their individual Work Folio. Thank you to the Liwara Community and All Saints Parish for continuing to work together so closely for the benefit of our children.

To all the families who are leaving Liwara, their youngest child might be graduating, or you are moving house and have chosen a new school for your children, thank you for being a part of our community and for the many contributions you have made during your time here. I wish you all the best.

Congratulations to our Year Six leaders whom we are all extremely proud of and recognized them at the Thanksgiving Mass on Tuesday night. I spoke about their individual and shared achievements and I congratulated them on their perseverance and determination in achieving their goals. Congratulations go to our two Christian Leadership Award recipients, Madison Rocca & Caitlin White.

I have included the names of the Classroom Teachers and Education Assistants for 2020 in this edition. Please keep in mind that this is the Staffing Lists as of Friday 13 December and to be aware that any unforeseen circumstances may occur between now and the beginning of the 2020 School Year. The 2020 Class Lists will be posted on the classroom doors and on boards in the undercover area on the first day of Term One. It is my wish that students and families begin the year with fresh eyes, hopes and expectations.

If you would like an individual parent meeting to discuss your child's report, staff will be available on Tuesday 17 December 9.00—10.15am. Please email your child's class teacher to schedule a meeting time.

God Bless

Andrea Millar  
Principal



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# *CLASSROOM TEACHERS & EDUCATION ASSISTANTS 2020*

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>PRE KINDERGARTEN</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Ms Alberta Bodeker, Mrs Bronwyn White /Mrs Priscilla Marklew –Woodford</i></p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>KINDERGARTEN</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>K GREEN - Ms Alberta Bodeker, Mrs Bronwyn White, Mrs Priscilla Marklew</i>  <i>K RED - Mrs Karen Weston, Mrs Victoria Walker, Mrs Nadia Jurey</i></p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>PRE PRIMARY</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>PP GREEN - Ms Olivia Homer, Mrs Belinda Bywater</i>  <i>PP RED - Ms Lisa Lenzo, Mrs Tracy Pearce</i></p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>YEAR ONE</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>1 GREEN – Mrs Sarah Carberry</i>  <i>1 RED - Mrs Andrea Shilkin</i></p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>YEAR TWO</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>2 GREEN - Mrs Tracy Lewis</i>  <i>2 RED - Mrs Marita Burston / Mrs Anne-Marie Kelsall</i>  Yr 1/2 EA: Mrs Shirley Van Rullen</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>YEAR THREE</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>3 GREEN – Mrs Paola Dawe</i>  <i>3 RED – Mrs Karen Swift</i></p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>YEAR FOUR</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>4 GREEN - Mrs Andrea Rattray</i>  <i>4 RED - Mrs Amanda McCabe</i></p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>YEAR FIVE</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>5 GREEN - Mr Barry mcGilloway</i>  <i>5 RED - Mrs Kel Biggar</i></p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>YEAR SIX</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>6 GREEN - Mrs Federica Huntington ( nee Longo )</i>  <i>6 RED - Mrs Remy McGavigan</i></p>

# 2020 PUPIL FREE DAYS & IMPORTANT DATES

## TERM DATES 2020

- Term 1 Monday 3 February – Thursday 9 April inclusive.
- Term 2 Monday 27 April - Friday 3 July inclusive.
- Term 3 Monday 20 July – Friday 25 September inclusive.
- Term 4 Monday 12 October – Friday 11 December (TBC)

## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAYS / PUBLIC HOLIDAYS 2020

- Term 1 Thursday 30 January - Staff Professional Development Day*  
*Friday 31 January - Staff Professional Development Day*  
*Monday 2 March - Labour Day*  
*Tuesday 24 March 1/2 Day Closure 12:30pm—3:00pm Parent/Teacher Interviews*  
*Friday 10 April - Good Friday*
- Term 2 Monday 27 April - Anzac Day*  
*Tuesday 28 April - Staff Professional Development Day*  
*Monday 1 June - Western Australia Day*  
*Tuesday 2 June – Staff Professional Development Day*
- Term 3 Friday 24 July – Staff Professional Development Day*  
*Friday 25 September – Staff Professional Development Day*
- Term 4 Monday 12 October – Staff Professional Development Day*

These days are provided for in all Catholic school calendars to facilitate professional development programs for staff.

Our Pre-Primary students once again entertained the residents at St John of God in Subiaco with their interpretation of the Nativity Story. Each year our students spend many hours practising and preparing for the 'big' day when they perform at St John of God. I have included a message from the Director of Mission Integration, Jennifer Healey below.

*Dear Mrs Graffin and Ms GC*

*Thank you for the beautiful presentation of the Nativity by the Pre Primary students. It was such a delight to have the children here and they brought much joy to many people. I appreciate the effort in preparing the children and performing here at this time of year. I am sorry the drop off was complicated but you all made a lovely entrance via the lifts!*

*Please pass on my thanks to all involved.*

*Wishing you every blessing for Christmas and the New Year.*


*Kind regards*

*Ms Jennifer Healey*


**Jennifer Healey | Director of Mission  
Integration  
St John of God Subiaco Hospital**

### Greenwood students perform nativity play at hospital


December 18th, 2019, 02:43PM | Written by Staff Writer | Joondalup Times | [View](#)




© Liwara Catholic Primary School Pre-primary students. Pictures supplied




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Aussies born before 1962 with private health cover need to know this

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ARTICLE PRINTED IN THE JOONDALUP TIMES



Liwara Catholic Primary School Pre-primary students.

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THANK YOU TO SHANIA & JASHAN'S GRANDMOTHER FOR DONATING THIS BEAUTIFUL MAP OF ITALY.

THE MAP WAS BROUGHT BACK TO PERTH, ALL THE WAY FROM VENICE TO BE DISPLAYED IN OUR ITALIAN ROOM FOR OUR STUDENTS.





Netball Information Meeting  
Netball Information Night for Liwara Netball Club  
Week 1 Term 1 Wednesday 5 February  
7:00pm Ahern Centre



Registrations will happen soon after this date.

Please email any expressions of interest to our Secretary Megan Finlay at [liwaranetball@gmail.com](mailto:liwaranetball@gmail.com) by Friday 20th December so we have your details to send out any necessary information.



***Thank You!***

We would like to thank all of the Liwara families for your generous and kind donations to the St Vincent de Paul Christmas Appeal. You have made a difference within our community.

-The Year 6 Social Justice Ministry-

## Sustainability for the Liwara Community

Wow! What a fantastic year for sustainability at Liwara. This year, the school Green Team have worked very hard to reduce our school waste footprint. They have helped to introduce Waste Wise sustainability initiatives such as our multi-sort bins and have planted vegetables, and harvested seeds sustainably, which will see Liwara into 2020 and beyond. Thanks to our Liwara P&F, our school is a Greenbatch school. We expect even more exciting developments in our school partnership with Greenbatch in 2020.

### Special Announcement

At our last certificate assembly, Liwara was presented with a certificate for our successful Woolworths Junior Landcare Grant application! Students from the Green Team welcomed two representatives from Woolworths who presented the school with a certificate, a lovely new garden trowel and fork as well as a fresh bag of potting mix for our new sustainable garden.



With grant funds, we shall soon erect two sustainable garden beds outside the Year 2 classrooms. To help make the gardens sustainable, we will firstly set up a Junior Primary worm farm to be fed by our Year 1 and 2 students' food scraps. We shall also collect run-off water from the Year 1 and 2 air conditioning units each day to water the new garden beds. Next year, the Green Team and helpers from Year 1 and 2, will grow and harvest vegetables to be used by the school canteen. We shall also investigate the success of different crops so that we select plants that will sustain the garden beds into the future. So, stay tuned everyone, because 2020 is sizing up to be another wonderful year for sustainability at Liwara!

I would like to take this opportunity to thank Mrs Andrea Millar, the Liwara school staff and our wonderful P&F association, whose continued support of sustainability initiatives make a real and tangible difference for the entire Liwara school community. I look forward to seeing this develop further during the 2020 school year. Wishing everyone a very safe Christmas and New Year as well as a relaxing holiday break.

Warm regards,

Mr Greenhill

**Keep living sustainably this Christmas holiday break Liwara! Be the change that you want to see in the world! Working together, we really can make a difference to our planet!**



**Tuesday 24 March 2020**

**This will be a half-day due to Parent-Teacher Interviews.**

**Students will need to be collected at 12.00pm.**

**There will be no lunches available from the canteen.**

**More information will be advertised early next year.**

# GENERAL SCHOOL NEWS

## Achievement Certificates

PPG Lucy Croghan Ebony Pertile

PPR Luca Pavlovich, Blaise Maxwell, Leila Spivey

1G Whole Class

1R Elijah Reiger

2G Kynan Magorian

2R Ashley Higgle

3G Beth Johnson, Ruby Deurloo

3R Larissa Friedlieb

4G Izabel Pylarinos

4R Zac Carmignani

5G Taylor Beresford-Peirse, Dylan D'Souza

5R Mackenzie Scott

6G Dylan Towart

6R Hayden Fitt

## T4 Citizenship Recipients



### All Saints Catholic Church

PARISH PRIEST: FR ELVER DELICANO

ADDRESS: 7 LIWARA PLACE, GREENWOOD WA

TEL: 9447 6225 FAX: 9246 2692

MOB: 0435 173 454 (*for Urgent pastoral needs only*)

PARISH EMAIL ADDRESS:

[greenwood@perthcatholic.org.au](mailto:greenwood@perthcatholic.org.au)

PARISH OFFICE OPENING TIMES: MONDAY,  
WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY 10:00AM TO 3:00PM

MASSSES: Mon-Fri 9.00am

Saturday 9.00am & Vigil – 6pm—Sunday 7.30am,  
9.30am, & 5.30pm (anointing every 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of  
month) Reconciliation: Saturday 9.30am-10.00am  
and 5.00pm - 5.30pm or by request.

**All Saints Parish 24:7 Greenwood Youth Group**

For all youth in Years 6-12

Every Sunday night 6.30-8pm @ the Ahern Centre  
(Liwara Catholic Primary School)

For more info call Lynn 0452 413 942 or

Lionel 0405 107 841

## UNIFORM SHOP

### Uniform Shop

#### January Opening Hours

Thursday 30 January 2020

8:00 - 10:00am (shop open  
and express paid pick up  
service)

4:00 - 6:00pm (shop open,  
no express pick up).



Government of Western Australia  
Child and Adolescent Health Service  
WA Country Health Service



# Triple P - Positive Parenting Program®

**A FREE program that teaches practical and effective ways to enhance family relationships and manage common child behavior issues.**

## Who is this program for?

Parents, carers and/or grandparents of a child aged between 3 and 8 years.

## What is involved?

**Seminar Series** – 90-minute talks on:

- children's behavior – the tough part of parenting
- raising confident children
- raising emotionally resilient children.

**Discussion Group** – small, 2-hour groups:

- misbehaving
- fighting and aggression
- bedtime routine
- hassle-free shopping with children.

**Group Triple P** – 8-week parenting course.



## Program details:

Group Triple P (7 week Program), Craigie Lesuire Centre Tuesday's -  
9.30am - 11.30am

18th February - 31st March 2020

Seminar Series, Craigie Lesuire Centre  
Monday's 9.30am - 11.30am

16th, 23rd and 30th March 2020

Discussion Group - Dealing With Disobedience, Craigie Lesuire Centre Wednesday 9.30am  
- 11.30am, 25th March 2020

## Please note:

Unless there is a crèche advertised, only babies under the age of 6 months can attend this group. However, we welcome babies who need breastfeeding during the session. DO NOT bring hot food and drinks for safety reasons.

Visit [www.healthywa.wa.gov.au/parentgroups](http://www.healthywa.wa.gov.au/parentgroups) for more information.



## SERVICES AT LIWARA

### UNIFORM SHOP

### OSHC

THURSDAY

8.15am - 9.00am

Please direct all enquiries to

[sales@jfe.net.au](mailto:sales@jfe.net.au)

Order Forms available on website

Full payment is required on ordering. Orders will be dropped off at your child's class.

3 Year Old Pre Kindy - Year 6

Before & After School Care

Vacations Care

Contact Centre Supervisors

**0477 994 123**

**BOOK NOW**



### ABSENTEE

Click on the Absentees Icon on the Liwara School Website or leave a voice message on the school number 9448 3811

ext1 before 8:20am

*Leave the child's name, class and a brief description for the absence.*

*Please do not reply to the computer generated absentee text sent to you if your child is not at school. We do not receive it.*

### CANTEEN

*Please include your child's class colour (Red or Green) when you are ordering your children's lunches online. This will reduce the time taken to process your order. Thank you.*

*Term Four Canteen Volunteer Awardee*

*Kerrie Serrano*

*Please take the time to look at the Quick Click menu*

<https://quickcliq.com.au/>

## YOUTH MINISTRY



### 24:7 Newsletter Blurb

What an amazing weekend we had at ACYF! We started it off with a beautiful Welcome Mass at the All Saints Saturday vigil with pilgrims including, the MGL sisters from the Amazing Race fame and 24:7 Osborne Park along with our own youth group pilgrims.

It was great to see all of us read at Mass as well as have dinner together and thank you to the Parish to allow us to celebrate with them!

As we began our journey to ACYF, we arrived to our first Plenary session as were met with an incredible atmosphere as nearly 6000 young Catholics came together. It was a crazy three days filled with fun, prayer, learning and friendships and we can't wait until we get to go to the next one in 2021!

Many thanks to the parish for their incredible assistance in getting us to ACYF. This experience will last a life time.

This week is our final week of youth group, and we are celebrating with a tie dye fight!!! We will also be having our Christmas party so please bring a plate of food to share and come along to celebrate the incredible year that we've had!

God bless,

Anthony

24:7 Greenwood Youth Minister

[www.247youthministry.org](http://www.247youthministry.org)



### SCHOOL TIMES

Pre Kindy & Kindy 8.45am—2.45pm  
(doors open at 8.40am)

Pre Primary—Year Six 8.40—3.00pm  
(doors open at 8.30am)

# Merry Christmas to All



**Greenwood Dental Therapy will be Closed for Christmas Holidays/Break:**

Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> Dec....for EMERGENCIES ONLY please call North Beach DTC 9448 4566 (AM) Marmion DTC 9447 1275 (PM)

Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> Dec....for EMERGENCIES ONLY please call Hudson Park DTC 9342 4217

Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> Dec 2019 to Friday 24<sup>th</sup> Jan 2020....for EMERGENCIES ONLY please call Warwick General Clinic 9447 8011

Mt Henry General Clinic 9313 0552

Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> Jan to Fri 31<sup>st</sup> Jan....for EMERGENCIES ONLY please call Halidon DTC 9409 6362

## OUR MISSION

We gather as a community of believers in a Catholic environment to develop in each child a sense of wonder of learning.

With the essential support of parents, our Mission is *to empower children to be faith filled, confident and fully rounded, life-long learners.*

## OUR VISION

Our Vision is a community with strong connections where every student has a sense of belonging, feels safe and is known by name and need.

As our motto suggests, we strive to be a place of *Strength in Community.*



**ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
**PARISH PRIEST: FR ELVER DELICANO**  
TEL: 9447 6225 Check for further details on the General School News page.