



COMING UP AT OLSH...

JULY 2022

Tue 26	NEW DATE - Division Football Carnival
Wed 27	Sacrament of Reconciliation – 10.15am
Fri 29	Foundation '100 Days Smarter'

AUGUST 2022

Mon 1	Ablaze – Ulumbarra Theatre (Gr 5/6)
Tue 9	Advisory Council Meeting
Fri 12	Cluster Athletics
Sat 13	Sacramental Presentations
Mon 15	Feast of the Assumption Mass – 9.30am
Mon 15 – Fri 19	National Science Week
Mon 22 – Fri 26	Book Week
Wed 24 – Fri 26	Year 3/4 Camp
Mon 29	'Things Are Changing' Parent Night

SEPTEMBER 2022

Sun 4	Father's Day
Wed 7	Elmore Field Day PEG Out Day
Mon 12	Division Athletic
Wed 14	Cluster Science Day
Fri 16	Last Day Term 3

OCTOBER 2022

Mon 3	First Day Term 4
Tue 4 – Thu 6	Elmore Field Days
Tue 18 – Thu 20	Year 5/6 Camp



From the Principal ...

Dear Families,

Thanks to all of those people who were able to get along to our Learning Conversations last week. They provide a great form of communication between school and home that isn't quite possible through a school report. If you missed out but would like to catch up with your child's teacher then please message them directly to work out a time that is mutually agreeable to both of you!!

With Lizzy Forbes being absent last week, we will work out a new schedule for those parents with a child in the Year 3/4 class in the next week or so.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Next Wednesday, we have two of our learners, Ivy Hayes and Nathan Nzegwu, participating in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. This sacrament provides a beautiful opportunity for these children to consider those aspects of their lives where they could make some slight improvements and to ask God to support them in these endeavours. Our Year 3/4's will be accompanying them to the Church for this. Please keep Ivy and Nathan in your prayers at this time.

MASKS IN SCHOOLS INFORMATION

I have sent home communication from all the education sectors in relation to the wearing of masks in school settings. Whilst the government is not mandating the wearing of masks, the governing education bodies in our state highly recommend that all students over the age of 8, get back into the habit of wearing a mask whilst they are inside. This becomes a choice for each family to consider. We have plenty of masks at school for those students who don't have access to them at home.

DIVISION FOOTBALL AND NETBALL

Please note that the date for Division Football has been **changed to Tuesday 26 July**. A note was sent home with details for students involved. This is still being held at Kennington Primary School. Please note that parents are responsible for getting their children to and from the venue.

Congratulations to our girls who came second in the Division Netball Competition yesterday. From all reports they had a great day and played magnificently.

Our Lady of the Sacred Heart School promotes the safety, wellbeing and inclusion of all children.

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COVID IS PRESENT

We are currently going through, what appears to be, our most significant period of being impacted by COVID. Presently we have both staff and students away from school as a result of becoming infected. This serves as a reminder to continue testing, even though we might be feeling fine! Thank you all so much for your consideration of others in our school, by keeping your children home when they are experiencing any flu or COVID like symptoms.

100 DAYS OF SCHOOL

A huge congratulations to our Foundation students, who next Friday celebrate 100 days of being at school. This will be acknowledged on Friday 29th July with a '100 Days Smarter' celebration. It is just incredible to see the rate at which they are learning and improving with all aspects of school life. Keep up the great work Nate, Bessy, Reece and Myah!

Have a great week everyone!

Craig Simpson (Principal)

School News



Sacraments 2022

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Sacrament of Reconciliation

will occur Wednesday 27th July at 10:15 am
at OLSH Church after Mass.

We pray for Ivy Hayes and Nathan Nzegwu
as they receive the Sacrament for the first
time.

The school Community are most welcome.



Cleaning Product Drive!

We have decided to continue into Term Three our enormously successful food drive. We ask families to donate cleaning products such as "Spray and Wipe" or personal items such as "soap, shampoo or deodorant" (one per family) for the people of Elmore who access the Foodshare. The senior learners will visit this term and donate items.



LEARNERS OF THE WEEK

Congratulations to Scout, Blake, Frankie, Jimmy & Lucy for being named our Learners of the Week!



DIVISION NETBALL

Scout, Ruby, Ruby D, Regan, Tarli, Lucy, Ivy, and Ayla were selected for our cluster netball team and represented the Campaspe cluster in Bendigo yesterday. All girls played very well with good sportsmanship. They played 6 games which consisted of 2 x 7-minute halves and only lost one game for the day!

Results:

Holy Rosary H'cote v Campaspe: 4 - 8

Huntly v Campaspe: 10 - 3

Axedale v Campaspe: 14 - 4

East Loddon v Campaspe: 2 - 1

Violet St v Campaspe: 9 - 0

Creek St v Campaspe: 25 - 0

JUNIOR LEARNERS CHURCH VISIT

The junior learners visited the church on Tuesday in preparation for Mass on the Feast of the Assumption. They enjoyed learning names such as sacristy, pew, choir gallery, stations of the cross, and tabernacle. Thank you to Mrs Carty and Miss Mac for your assistance. – Denise Nihill (Religious Education Leader)



Let's Celebrate!

We are celebrating the Foundation Learner's first 100 days of school. All Junior School learners will join in the fun!

Come dressed with the theme '100 days smarter'

Friday 29th July



Thank you for helping us
grow our sustainability
garden!

We appreciate your kind
donation

Thank you very
much from
O.L.S.H Elmore



THANK YOU TO EPSOM BUNNINGS

During Term 2 our 5/6 class wrote persuasive letters to Bunnings to ask for donations of items to assist in the redevelopment of our sustainability area. We are very grateful for their generous donation of seedlings, a compost bin, fly traps and gardening equipment. We look forward to using these items to help develop our sustainability area here at OLSH.

FOOTY TIPPING

Congratulations to our top tipplers for last round; Lucy and Nate with 8 winners!

Student Leader Board

Tarli	107
Reno	103
Lucy	98
Ruby O	90
Sunny	89
Zayde	84

Staff Leader Board

Mrs Price	104
Mr Simpson	102
Mrs Carty	101
Kira	85
Mrs Murray	82



Community News

2022 Elmore Field Days

PEG OUT DAY

The Elmore Field Days Committee needs your help for this years annual Peg Out Day. Come along and help us measure and peg out the static display sites in preparation for the 2022 Elmore Field Days.

Wednesday 7th September
9am
BBQ lunch provided

We would love to see members of our greater community get involved in Peg Out Day. Any assistance is always greatly appreciated. Hope to see you there!

RBA UPDATE



Squad Season is Coming

We invite all past, present and new players to express their interest in representing RBA in the upcoming Squad basketball season.

What we know:

Training will be held at CVCC
Under 12's & 14's - Minimum of three tournaments
Under 16's & 18's - Minimum of three tournaments

Tryouts will be conducted if required - dates to be announced after the closing of EOI.
Playing Uniforms will be supplied
Other merchandise will be available at a cost via our website - this is not compulsory.

Everything is subject to change
There will be no cost for training at this stage thanks to our wonderful sponsors.
Costs for tournaments will be \$60 - payable prior to each tournament.

Age Groups

Under 12 Born 2012, 2013, 2014
Under 14 Born 2011, 2010
Under 16 Born 2009, 2008
Under 18 Born 2007, 2006

Any questions please email
rochesterbasketballassociation@gmail.com
Phone Greg Tiller 0407366985
EOI via : tinyurl.com/rbarep2022

Coaching Positions

RBA is looking for knowledgeable and motivated coaches for our upcoming 2022/23 Squad Season.

If you have a keen interest in developing young athletes we would love to hear from you via email
rochesterbasketballassociation@gmail.com
Phone Greg Tiller 0407366985

Age groups of teams include:
Under 12 Born 2012, 2013, 2014
Under 14 Born 2011, 2010
Under 16 Born 2009, 2008
Under 18 Born 2007, 2006

New Basketball Apparel

Our all-new basketball apparel is now available to all players and supporters through our new website. Use the link below to order yours today.

Orders close on the 28th of July (if minimum orders are met)

rochester-basketball-association.square.site/