



## COMING UP AT OLSH...

### JUNE 2023

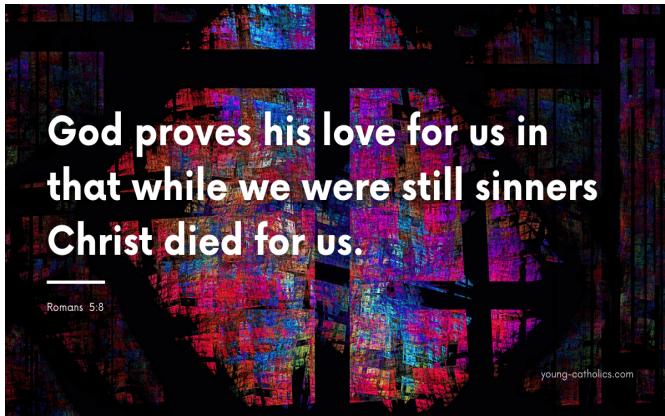
Fri 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Raising Resilient Children – 9.30am
Thu 8 <sup>th</sup>	Cluster Winter Sports Day
Mon 12 <sup>th</sup>	<b>King's Birthday Public Holiday</b>
Wed 21 <sup>st</sup>	PSG Meetings
Fri 23 <sup>rd</sup>	<b>Last Day Term 2</b>

### JULY 2023

Mon 10 <sup>th</sup>	First Day Term 3 (Staff)
Mon 10 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Pupil Free Day – Staff PD</b>
Tue 11 <sup>th</sup>	<b>First Day Term 3 (Students)</b>
Tue 18 <sup>th</sup>	Learning Conversations
Wed 19 <sup>th</sup>	Division Netball Carnival

### AUGUST 2023

Mon 14 <sup>th</sup>	Campaspe Cluster Athletics
Mon 21 <sup>st</sup> – Fri 25 <sup>th</sup>	Book Week
Fri 25 <sup>th</sup>	Book Week Dress Up Day



- good luck Frankie!!

### Elmore Field Days and OSH Club - October 3 - 5

OSH Club is the out of hours care that children in Elmore can access and is available each week night at Elmore Primary School. During the Elmore Field Days, many parents require extra support in caring for their children as they take on one of the myriad tasks required to support this event. In light of this, the OSH Club would like some early notice as to know how many families would be likely to access their after school services throughout the week of the Field Days. It is important to note that care is free to children who have parents doing voluntary work! To help OSH Club know what sort of numbers to expect during this time (Oct 3-5), could parents please take one minute to fill out the very brief survey that they will have received in their inbox this afternoon, thank you!!

### Denise update

Denise seems to have settled in really well to life and study in Chicago, although her accommodation doesn't appear to be five star by any means. She is so incredibly grateful for this opportunity to engage in rigorous study to both improve herself and impact even more meaningfully on our school community.

Craig Simpson  
Principal

## From the Principal...

Dear Families,

Winter seemed well and truly upon us before June 1st arrived and I hope that the recent rains are providing our farming community with what they need to get off to a great start in the cropping cycle. With only two weeks until we hit the half way mark of the year I am left wondering where has this half year gone!!

Have a great long weekend and enjoy the King's Birthday celebrations.

### Rochester Casserole Drive

Please see inside for details about a casserole drive for the community of Rochester, and in particular the St. Joseph's Primary School community, who still have many people displaced as a result of last year's floods. It would be great if we could support this initiative and really give the township and school a helping hand. Casseroles, or other freezable dishes, could be dropped here at school and we can run them up to Liz for distribution.

### Raising Resilient Children

Last Friday we had a really pleasing turn out to the Raising Resilient Children seminar held at Elmore Primary School. One of the key ideas that we as parents have to try and internalise is that resilience is earned and not learned. In other words, our children need to experience some form of disappointment so that they can learn how to deal with this, then, as they get older and face some of life's larger challenges, they are more likely to be able to cope because of the previous experiences they are able to draw on. We don't like seeing our kids upset or hurt, but helping them through these times is better for them in the long term than simply trying to fix it for them.

### Division Cross Country

On Tuesday we had Regan, Ayla and Frankie representing our cluster and school at the Division Cross Country in St. Arnaud. In extremely large fields, with students from all over the region, the girls all did an amazing job - Regan - 23rd, Ayla - 34th and Frankie - 3rd. This means that Frankie now has the chance to compete in Melbourne in the state championships



# School News

**Congratulations** to Regan, Frankie and Ayla for your awesome results in the Division Cross Country!

The school and community is so proud of you!

Best of luck to Frankie as she continues on to the state championship.



## TERM 2 FOOD SHARE

### Juniors - breakfast



### Middles - pets



### Seniors - pantry



Please leave your donations throughout Term 2 in the tub in the office

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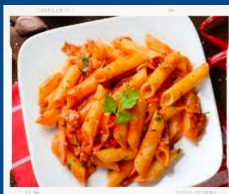


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## CASSEROLE DRIVE



Many St Joseph's families are still displaced from their homes as we head towards 8 months post flood.

**This is a call for help to help us provide some hearty winter meals for our families.**

We would be very grateful for donations of casseroles / meals that could be frozen and distributed as needed.

Most families are functioning with a caravan kitchen and BBQ. we have facilities to heat and deliver.

## Out School Hours Care Support Elmore Field Days Volunteers

OSHClub operates a daily afterschool care service for all school aged children in Elmore from 3:20pm - 6pm. The venue for this is Elmore Primary School. Students attending Our Lady of Sacred Heart PS can be transported to the venue by Dysons bus service (at no cost) at the end of their school day.

This service is not open to kindergarten aged students. We are currently seeking an Expression of Interest (EOI) for families to use this service for the for the 3 days of the Elmore Field Days, October 3 -5th.

This service will be gap free - meaning there will be no out of pocket expense for families.

However, parents must complete the Commonwealth Child Care Subsidy applications and online enrolment. Assistance with this process can be reached by contacting Casey on 0497372444.

This is designed to make it easier for parents to volunteer for your schools fundraising rosters.

Please use the following link to complete the online survey:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/V8HXQNT>

This link was also sent to families via PAM on the afternoon of June 8th.