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Dear Parents and Caregivers,

In the coming weeks a number of young people from our school and the Parish will be initiated into the Church in the Sacrament of Confirmation. The gift of the Spirit is called down on each of them to enable them to live lives in personal witness to Christ. You may wonder what that means? Essentially through their Baptism they were born into a Christian way of living. They have been instructed and supported in the development of their Catholic faith by their parents, grandparents, teachers and their Parish clergy.

In Confirmation the young people make a conscious decision to choose to live out what they have been taught through the Gospels. The very way they respond to and treat those who are most marginalised and rejected by others in society is a true indicator of their commitment and witness to Christ.

In the knowledge world, where we are all simply a click away from connecting to each other and have at our fingertips the answer or opinion to every question and thought we can pose, it is very easy to distance ourselves from what it means to be human.

My prayer for our students and those in the Parish who will be confirmed, is that they become a voice for the weak, the poor, the rejected and that they will use their energy, knowledge and abundant skills to make the world a more positive and hope-filled place. As 10 or 11 year olds, it might be a little ambitious to think that they might have a hand in changing the world, but let's not forget, 'from little things big things grow'.

Mr Anthony McElhone



Slime Spectacular - Reminders

When:	Friday, 20 May from 1:30pm (students will have lunch prior to the event)
Who:	All students will be participating. Parents & carers are most welcome to come along and join in the fun (including participating in the slime spectacular with your child)! We suggest you bring a picnic blanket and/or chairs to sit on.
Where:	School Oval. If you are attending please park in the school car park and enter through the main gate. The gate will be open at 1:20pm
What:	Students will make their way around the course in their stage groups and get slimed!! They will be provided with UV400 sunglasses and rainbow headbands.
Uniform:	Students can wear mufti. They must wear jogger style shoes and it is strongly recommended they wear older clothes. As previously advised please bring in a white t-shirt on or prior to the day. The students will get changed into this t-shirt before the event and back into the shirt they came in at the conclusion. You may also like to pack a small towel and plastic bag for any wet clothing. Students are welcome to wear fancy head dress e.g. crazy wigs or hats.

Reminder How to Fund-raise

Visit www.australianfundraising.com.au to create your child's cyber-safe fundraising profile. Creating an online profile page is easy. Just follow the instructions in your child's sponsorship booklet sent home last term. You have until **Friday 20 May** to fundraise!





Academic Achievement Awards
Congratulations Academic Achievement Awards Recipients

Van Harvey
Arlo Guise
Scarlet Libro
Chad Willding
Aurelia Tabone
Victoria Borg
Isla Agius
Amelia Vella

Callum Albee
Luca Libro
Jack Bernoth
Sofia Cross
Olivia Franco
Skylah Steele
Monica Messina
James Noro

Helena Grima
Sarah Powderly
Hayden Moore
Luka Krilich
Jacob Rowley
Edmond Cocks

One Heart One Mind Awards
Congratulations One Heart One Mind Awards Recipients

Israel Johnston
Olivia-Rose Chiwaye
Addison Bauchler
Elias Chahda
Annalise McGarry
Soleil Saliganan
Harrison Stewart
Jonathan Formosa

Jack Scriven
Oliver Morton
Maeghan-Rae Chiwaye
Jeremy Camilleri
Melissa Finianos
Estelle Varley
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