A Reading from the letter of St Paul to the Colossians:

God loves you and has chosen you as his own special people. So be gentle, kind, humble, meek and patient. Let the peace that comes from Christ control your thoughts. And be grateful.

Let the message about Christ completely fill your lives, While you use wisdom to teach and instruct each other. With thankful hearts, sing psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs to God.

Whatever you say or do should be done in the name of the Lord Jesus, as you give thanks to God the Father because of Him.

Dear Parents, Students and Community Members,

With the holidays upon us I am sharing an extra newsletter to keep everyone up to date with the end of term and start of next term.

Twentieth Anniversary
I have been inundated with emails of appreciation from parents and community members with regard to our day of celebration on Friday. All aspects of the day were very successful, but the Mass of Thanksgiving was exceptional.

I am sharing the second reading from the Mass as reflection for this week. St Paul speaks of “singing psalms, hymns and spiritual songs to God with thankful hearts”. This certainly happened with choir and soloists leading us in a joy filled Mass.

It was a great privilege to be involved in a Eucharistic celebration which highlighted the teamwork and commitment to our beliefs and values so visibly.

It was also an honour to work with Mr Riley Horrocks (Foundation Principal) and other foundation staff and community members during the Mass and throughout the day. My thanks to those who travelled to be with us for the day.

Important Dates

April 8
General Assembly
END OF SCHOOL TERM

April 25 Anzac Day
Public Holiday

April 26
Pupil Free Day

April 27 (Weds)
BEGINNING TERM 2

April 29
ANZAC Prayer Service

May 6
General Assembly

May 9 - 13
Scholastic Book Fair

May 10 – 13
NAPLAN

May 13
Prayer Assembly Y1L

May 16 – 20
Year 6 Camp

May 18 – 20
Year 5 Camp

May 20
Performance Assembly 1P

May 21 Family Mass
Host Y3
The pride that the students have in their school was obvious, and their engagement in the Mass was exceptional, right down to the Kindy and Pre Primary students.

The day was made possible by contributions from many in our community. However, I do need to share some specific words of appreciation to:

- Fr Ian and Fr Wayne for celebrating the Mass with us.
- Mrs Meyer for creating and coordinating the Mass with support from Mr Torrese.
- Mrs Horrocks for sharing her musical gifts and teaching expertise to prepare such a professional choir who sing with such confidence and love of music.
- Mrs Delane for supporting our wonderful Year Six class to lead all the students and set such a positive example for the younger children.
- All staff for so actively helping the students to show such reverence and prayerful participation throughout the Mass.
- The readers, altar servers, those who shared Prayers of the Faithful and everyone involved in the very meaningful entrance procession.
- Mrs Birch and all the staff for helping the students to complete and display the excellent art work on “What OLC Means to Me”.
- The organising committee of Georgie Valmadre, Sandra O’Leary, Fran Marrell, Kristen Wilson, Julie Birch, Chris Derickx, Deb Young and Maureen Horrocks for coordinating and planning the whole day.
- Our P&F for funding the band for the Bush Dance.

I may have missed some in my words of appreciation. If I have missed anyone, I offer a general thanks to all in our community who made the anniversary such a significant and special day.
P&F Plaque for 20th Anniversary
Our P&F are going to present a plaque to the school at the Star Citizen assembly tomorrow morning in recognition of twenty years of service and education. This is a much appreciated donation and gesture and yet another example of how involved and supportive the P&F have been in our school over many years. Much of the success of our school has been the result of the work of our P&F association. We will display the plaque in the hall to celebrate the anniversary and to recognise the role of the P&F in our school.

Anniversary Celebration – Library Book Donations
As part of the Anniversary celebrations, families were invited to select a book, or to make a donation for a book to be purchased, to commemorate the Twentieth Anniversary. We had a wonderful response with $1854 being provided for the school.

Once the books are purchased we will put a card inside the cover of each book indicating the name of the family donating the book in recognition of twenty years of education at OLC. We will also send the book home so that families can see the book they have purchased. On behalf of all at OLC, I thank everyone for their generosity.

Dunsborough Community Anzac Day Service
Our school has been invited to have a leading role in the community Anzac Day Ceremony this year. Our Year Six student leaders and faction captains will be representing our school in the ceremony and march.

I am keen to see our school well represented at the ceremony so I ask that all students who attend wear our winter formal school uniform as a sign of respect and appreciation for those who have sacrificed so much so that we can enjoy the lifestyle and freedom we enjoy today. The march (procession) leaves from the Post Office at 10.50, ready for the ceremony to commence at the flagpole on the foreshore at 11.00am. Those not in the march can walk along behind the official group.

Commencement of Term Two
Term two will commence on Wednesday 27th April as the staff will be participating in a Senior First Aid update of our qualification at the PD day on Tuesday 26th April.

Uniform for Term Two
A reminder that all students must be in full winter uniform by Monday, May 9th. There is a two week cross over at the beginning of term, allowing for warmer weather. Uniform shop will be open Wednesday 8.45am – 9.15am. Please feel free to get the second hand uniform key from the office for any winter items.
At OLC we have always enjoyed a high standard of uniform presentation and it is important to ensure that the students are correctly attired at all times: This also strongly connects with our school value of Excellence. “Striving to be at our best in and out of the classroom”.

Parent Meetings
Thanks to the teachers for the extra hours and planning involved over the last fortnight in communicating so professionally with parents so we can build the teamwork and support needed to facilitate learning for all students. Thanks to all parents for attending these very important meetings.

Best Wishes for School Holidays
I wish all students and teachers an enjoyable and refreshing holiday and look forward to welcoming everyone back for second term.
Take care, keep safe and God bless.

Des Wilkie
Principal

Head Lice Prevention
Dear Parents, school holidays are a good time to prevent and eradicate head lice.
Here are some useful activities and ideas to help prevent infestation:

- check your child’s hair every week for head lice and eggs (‘nits’) - use a metal fine tooth ‘nit’ comb and plenty of hair conditioner to make the task easier and more effective.
- tie long hair back - braid and/or put it up if possible.
- consider applying hair gel or mousse - these do not prevent or repel lice but help to keep stray hair strands from contact with other heads.
- avoid sharing combs or brushes.
- immerse brushes and combs in hot water for 10 minutes after use to kill any head lice or eggs trapped in them. An old toothbrush will also help remove any debris.
- remind your child to avoid head-to-head contact with other children, e.g. when working at the computer with others, or when playing, or hugging.

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News from the P&F

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CALLING ALL YOUNG WRITERS!
The KSP Writers’ Centre is holding a two-day Write-a-Rama these April school holidays for keen young writers. Featuring fun and games, an excursion to Elizabeth Quay and the Art Gallery of WA, lunch at Miss Maud’s, interactive workshops and a special guest author visit. No special writing talent or experience are necessary, though aspiring authors will definitely be catered for... Suitable for ages 10-17. Advance bookings essential. [http://www.kspwriterscentre.com](http://www.kspwriterscentre.com)

9.30am-4.30pm, Tuesday 19 April 2016, KSP Writers’ Centre, Greenmount
10.00am-4.00pm, Wednesday 20 April 2016, Art Gallery of WA, Northbridge

Visit [http://www.kspwriterscentre.com/#/youth-program/ztzh0](http://www.kspwriterscentre.com/#/youth-program/ztzh0) or phone 9294 1872 to book.
# April School Holiday Programme

**Week 1**  
**Mon - Tue - Thurs - Fri**

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- Playground games: Winning and losing  
- Playing by the rules: coping when the rules change  
- Core strength  
- Gross motor skills (balance, co-ordination etc)  
- Functional fine motor skills (inc writing etc)  
- Fundamental yoga activities and games enhancing balance and posture, natural flexibility and mindfulness

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- Skills to beat bullying and tame teasing  
- Core strength  
- Gross motor skills (balance, co-ordination etc)  
- Functional fine motor skills (inc writing etc)  
- Fundamental yoga activities and games enhancing balance and posture, natural flexibility and mindfulness

**Where:** Potential Occupational Therapy for Children  
Unit 1/33 Bussell Hwy, Busselton

**Phone:** 9754 3061  
**Email:** hollie@potentialoccupationaltherapy.com.au

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**April School Holiday Program**

**Saturday 9th:**
2016 South West Youth Festival skate competitions, live music, art workshops, chill out zones and heaps more! **(Free entry)**

**Wednesday 13th Thursday 14th Friday 15th:**
Three days, two nights Margaret River camp. Camping at Contos camp grounds. Some of our activities include caving, surfing and Yallingup Maze and with a visit to Simmons and mini-golf. **Limited spots!**
Cost: $100, food supplied

**Monday 11th:**
Surf lesson followed by a visit to Margaret River Drug Aware Pro. A day of Surfing and taking in the Action. We are Taking a bus form Busselton to Margaret River, departing from Busselton Youth Community Centre! Bring your Bathers and wet suit. **Cost:** $15 lunch included. Contact me for bus booking. **Limited spots!**

**Tuesday 12th:**
Triva night! $5 a table, $5 people per table. Pay on the night. Door and table prizes. Doors open 6pm. **Contact me for table bookings.**

**Wednesday 20th:**
Pizza movie night! Make your own pizza and enjoy some old classic movies. Best PI's win a prize! **Free entry** @ Youth and Community Centre.

**Thursday 21st:**
Tie Dying workshop. Come create some funky socks, beach towel or BYO t-shirt @ the Busselton skate and Youth Precinct from 3pm.
**Cost:** Gold coin donation.

**Friday 22nd:**
Hip Hop Dance Workshop! Come down to the Busselton Youth and Community Centre @ 11:30am and learn how to bust a move with one of south west’s top dancers. **(Free entry)**

**Sunday 24th:**
Laser night! Come down to the Busselton Youth Precinct from 4pm – 6.30pm and enjoy some cool beats, grab some food from the food vans and chill out before school goes back! **(Free entry)**
If you’re interested in performing get in contact!

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**Contact me!**
If you are at all interested in any of these events or activities contact me for details.
Keeley.milner@busselton.wa.gov.au  
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**Rio Tinto**  
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ENROL NOW FOR TERM 2!
TODDLER GROOVE AND PETITE BALLERINAS 2-5yrs
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CLASSICAL BALLET CLASSES FOR 6 AND ABOVE CECCETTI METHOD WITH EXAM PREPARATION
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For information and enrolments contact Caroline Jensen 0403155289 email: caroline_perth@hotmail.com

SPANISH DANCE LESSONS

Fridays @ Old Dunsborough Hall
Class 1: 3:45-4:30pm  Children aged 6-8 yrs
Class 2: 4:30- 5:30pm  Children aged 9 yrs and older
Come and enjoy the rhythm and energy of this exciting dance style. Learn to play the castanets, swirl skirts and stamp your feet to the music.

Contact Caroline Jensen 0403-155-289

Learn To Swim School Holiday Short Program
Monday 11th – Friday 15th April
Cost: $65 per child
Cost will include pool entry plus 1 parent/spectator
Lesson duration: 5x 30 minutes
7 Children per class
Lessons will run at same time Monday to Friday
Enrollment Dates: Tuesday 29th – Thursday 31st March

X Adventure – Dunsborough 16-17 April 2016
GREAT RACES FOR KIDS
Kids are welcome at Australia’s Biggest off-road triathlon with 2 events designed especially for you!
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KIDS’ COURSE (up to 14 yrs)
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