



# Maronite College of the Holy Family NEWSLETTER

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**Term 3 - Week 6: Friday 26<sup>th</sup> August 2022**

## MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL – Sr Margaret Ghosn

Dear MCHF community, what a busy week we had with 3 special guest speakers: David Legge, Ziad Doueiri and Sarah Ayoub. These guest speakers awakened the imagination and possibilities in our students. Next week we are providing more opportunities for our students to showcase their brilliance. On Monday we have the HSIE Fair and it is wonderful to note that many students have put their hand up to make a display for the exhibition. We look forward to seeing the students immerse themselves in historical characters and events on the day. We will also be celebrating jersey day on Friday and of course our Father's Day Mass and morning tea.

All Fathers are invited to Mass on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> September, 9am, followed by morning tea in the Primary Hall.  
It is the K-12 Jersey Day, so remember to wear your favourite jersey!



### MCHF 2023 POSITIONS AVAILABLE

Primary Teacher - [Click here for details](#)

PDHPE Teacher - [Click here for details](#) / TAS & VET (Hospitality) Teacher - [Click here for details](#)

## OUR IDENTITY

Maronite College of the Holy Family merit award system involves students achieving 6 merit stamps in areas of curriculum, extra curriculum and personal development, upon which they will receive an All-Rounder award, followed by a Bronze, Silver and finally the Principal's award.

### All-Rounder Awards

- ★ Antonia Chiha (Kindy) / Angela Hobeiche, Anabelle Kobayaty (Year 3) / Jan Shalhoub, Chehade Taouk, Jenny Makary, Elyas Abed, Sally Zeydan, Jacob Abou Haydar, Luciana Nini (Year 4) / Antonio Tesoriero (Year 5) / Tony Moubarak, Johnny Mouawad (Year 7) / Sacha Ephrem, Charbel El Hakim, James Akhoury, Isabella Francis (Year 8) / Anthony Tannous (Year 9) / George Hadidi (Year 10) / John El-Barhoun, Claudia Harb, Christabella Sleiman (Year 11) / Ashley Habib, Georgia Deeb, Samantha Georges, Stephanie Atie, Anthony Aflak, Sabine Bou Sanayeh, Luciana Dib, Maria Ebeed, Clair El Hakim, Alissar Ishac, Badwi Makary, John Massoud, Georgia Mawad, Mathew Yaacoub, Ann Marie Yaacoub, Jacob Semaan, Mandalin Moussa (Year 12)

### Bronze Awards

- ★ Emmanuel Youssef (Kindy) / Jamie Lee Boutros, Heavannah Nehme, Isabella-Marie Zaher (Year 4) / Christian Tawk, Jacarlo El-Kadi, Tianna Demian (Year 7) / Pamela Kassis, Alannah Harb (Year 8) / Losyan Jarouj (Year 9) / Joelle Lahood, Joy Sleiman, Mikayla Stavrinakis, Stephanie Atie (Year 12)

### Principal's Awards

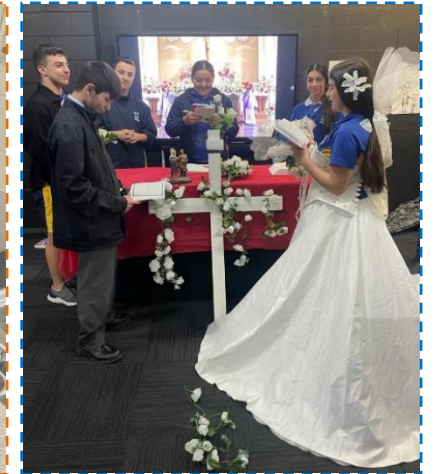
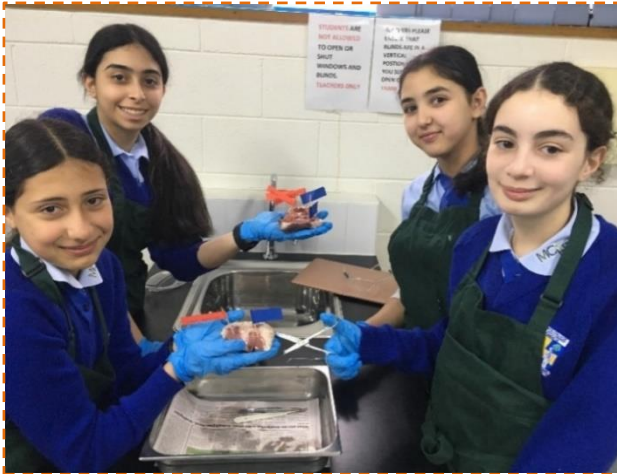
- ★ Angelina Bechara (Year 8)

# OUR LEARNERS

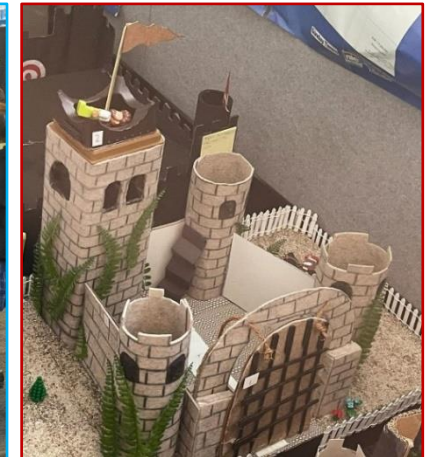
## Primary Book Week



**Yr 8 dissected sheep's hearts to learn how the heart pumps blood as part of the circulatory.  
Mr Abboud's English class act out their own rendition of the wedding scene from Romeo and Juliet.**



**Year 9 Drama students collaborating with Year 2 - Dancing for their upcoming concert! / Yr 8 Medieval Project**



**5 Ruby and Kindy Red students create an art work using recycled material.  
3 Lavender and 3 Beige measuring long distances around the school using trundle wheels!**



**MCHF Ambassadors at the first schools WYD gathering. Year 10 students who hope to be pilgrims at the next international World Youth Day in Portugal (August 2023). / Years 3&4 began their 4-week tennis program this week.**



**Year 11 students in a team building exercise, designed to get them thinking outside the box while creating the tallest structure possible with the resources provided to them.**

**Year 10 Food Technology students tried their hands at making Gyoza Dumplings.**



## OUR COMMUNITY

### ~ DATES TO REMEMBER ~

Monday 29<sup>th</sup> August – K-12 HSIE Fair in the College Hall, 9am to 3pm (**Parents are welcome to attend!**)

Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> August – Father's Day Stall

**Please finalise all Year 12 fees by the end of August.**

Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> September – Father's Day Mass & Morning Tea (Dads can wear favourite jerseys for Jersey Day!)

Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> September – K-12 Jersey Day

Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> September – Parramatta Eels Cup (Round 2)

Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> to Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> September – Kindergarten (2023) Orientation from 9am-10:30am in the Primary Hall

Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> to Friday 9<sup>th</sup> September – Year 6 Canberra Trip



**Thank you** to Turbans 4 Australia Amar Singh for donating bread and brownies!!

**CONGRATULATIONS** to Joelle Lahood (Year 12), who was the recipient of the Bishop of Parramatta Award for Student Excellence. The award is in recognition of her outstanding contribution to the College and wider community in areas such as witness to the faith, academic achievement, social justice, community involvement, school spirit and love of learning. Also, a special thank you to Anne Mary Tannous (Year 11) for assisting in the presentation and reading Joelle's citation at St Patrick's Cathedral.



### **Message from the Crossing Supervisor -**

When walking on the crossing, please stick to the lined area. Do not walk on the concrete parts near the crossing. This is for your own safety and the safety of our younger students watching and learning from you.



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