



Maronite College of the Holy Family NEWSLETTER

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Term 4 - Week 4: Friday 4th November 2022

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL – Sr Margaret Ghosn

Dear MCHF community, this has been a very busy week and we have had a few collaboration events that have furthered the educational development of students:

- The new College leaders went on a hike with leaders from St Maroun's College to build teamwork
- The Archibald prize voting process between both schools, where students and staff vote for the best artwork produced by students
- As students practice their performance for the up and coming concerts, we are looking at Primary students getting involved in the Secondary Expo

This week HSC students completed their final exams, and we hope they will achieve their desired ATARs. We are proud that the majority of students received early offers into their university course of choice.

A very big **THANKYOU** to our
College Expo Sponsors!

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James & Violet Saba -

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The Hobeiche Family – Daniel,
Nancy, Danielle, Georgia, Angela,
& Sarkis

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:

Doumit Dib, Jerome Akoury (Year 3) / Jonathan Semaan (Year 9) / Rebecca Hanania (Year 10)

Bronze Awards:

Christian Abboud, George Tannous (Year 3)

Silver Awards:

Yassmeen Dayoub (Year 3) / Lucia Saad, Heavannah Nehme (Year 4)

Principal's Awards:

Charbel Tannoury (Year 3)

OUR LEARNERS

Year 4 Australian Pioneer Village Excursion





Our very first Primary Rosary Club session!
Kindy students worked collaboratively to create an informative poster about Seahorses.



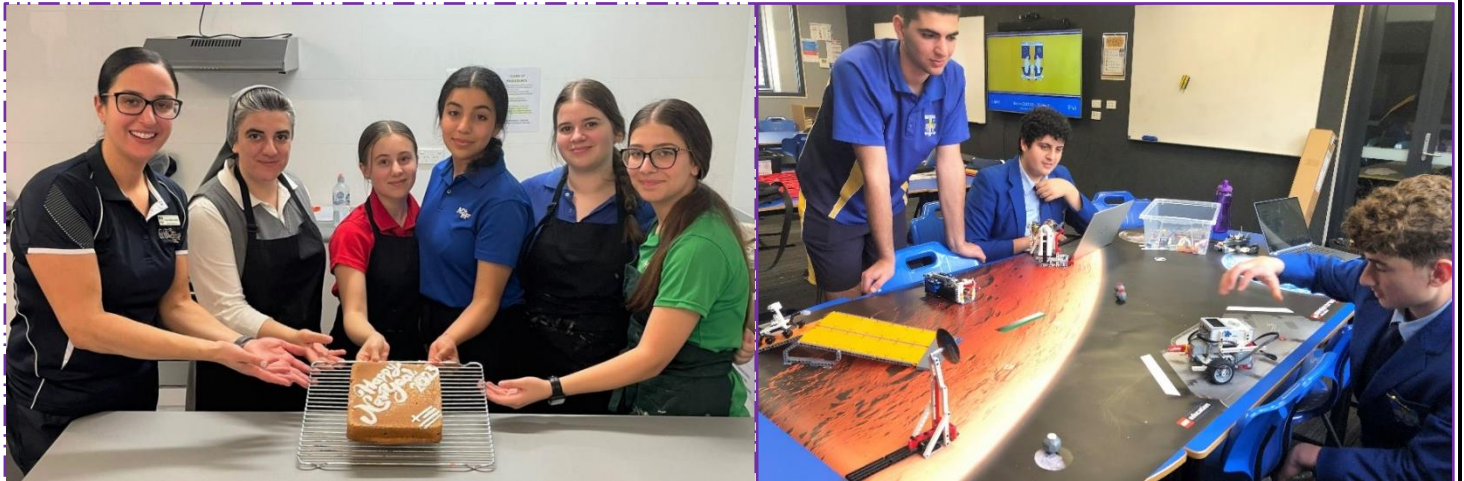
What a great way to start the morning – Healthy cereal to kick start our bodies and brains! Free for all and on offer Wednesdays and Fridays.



Year 6 Taster Lessons – Getting a taste of high school! / Year 6 Taster Lesson in Technology Mandatory - Students were challenged to build a free-standing structure to support a marshmallow. They looked for the durability of the structure and the height. This introduced students to the principles of engineering, collaboration and problem solving.



Year 9 Food tech students, learning about New Year's around the world. Baked a traditional Greek New Year's cake with Sr Juliette and Ms Abdul Ahad. / Year 9 STEM Robotics Projects



Ms Michael's Year 11 Economics students competed against each other to construct diagrams representing the effects of different methods of protection on various sectors of the economy. The hands-on activity had them out of their seats and drawing on glass, forcing them to apply their knowledge of content covered in a previous lesson. It was a fun take on theory-application, that not only got them working as a team, but also gave them an opportunity to learn how to best clean glass! (Disclaimer - no windows were harmed in the process!)

Students don't realise how much fun Chemistry can be until our fantastic Science teachers organise practical lessons... "In this experiment, we are heating magnesium solid to see if it can be a reversible reaction. After heating it, we have concluded that the heating of magnesium is not a reversible reaction." - Johnathan Stavrinakis



Lebanon Independence Day - Come dressed in clothing that represents Lebanon. Gold coin donation. Pre-order for a BBQ lunch! Find the letter and order form on the parent portal.

**MCHF CELEBRATES
LEBANON
INDEPENDENCE DAY**

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Gold Coin Donation**

Dress in something that represents Lebanon.

FRIDAY 18th NOVEMBER 2022

Parent Association BBQ at lunch time.



MCHF EXPO



Sponsorship Includes...
(Minimum \$200 donation)

- x2 Expo tickets
- Business name and logo featured in Expo program
- Social media recognition (Facebook, Instagram & LinkedIn)
- Advertisement in MCHF weekly newsletter
- Recognition of sponsorship on MCHF electronic board
- Recognition on screen and thank you announcement of sponsorship during MCHF Expo night

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OUR COMMUNITY

~ DATES TO REMEMBER ~

Monday 7th to Friday 18th November – VET Work Placements

Friday 11th November – Remembrance Day, Year 9

Peer Support Training & Stage 3 Touch Gala Day

Monday 14th November – Year 7 (2nd dose) HPV vaccine + Catchups for other students

Tuesday 15th November – College Tour and Orientation for 2023 New Families

Tuesday 15th to Friday 25th November – Years 7-8 Yearly Exams + Year 10 Taster Lessons

Wednesday 16th November – Wellbeing Wednesday

Friday 18th November – Lebanon Independence Day Mass and Celebrations

EDUCATING MINDS
Thursday 8.00PM

**PRESENTED BY:
SR MARGARET GHOSN
& MCHF STAFF**

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years K-2
THE BEST ME I CAN BE!

Reach for the Stars

MCHF End-of-Year Concert

Date – 29th November 2022
Location – Secondary Hall

Morning Show – 11:30 am
Evening Show – 6:30 Pm

Tickets on sale from
Tuesday 1st November 2022
\$10 per ticket

CHRISTMAS THE VINNIIES WAY

Christmas is a time of hope and joy giving from the heart

TUNA, JELLY, PASTA, CRISPS, CEREAL, CUSTARD, NUTELLA, LEG HAM, BON BONS, CHOCOLATE, PASTA SAUCE, TINNED FRUIT, MUESLI BARS, CONFECTIONARY, COFFEE OR TEA, LONG LIFE MILK, SAVORY BISCUITS, SWEET BISCUITS, CHRISTMAS CAKE, TINNED VEGETABLES, CHRISTMAS PUDDING, MILO OR HOT CHOCOLATE, JAM, VEGEMITE OR HONEY, SOFT DRINK, CORDIAL OR JUICE, GIFT PACKS.

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