



# Maronite College of the Holy Family NEWSLETTER

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**Term 2 - Week 3: Friday, 12<sup>th</sup> May 2023**



## MESSAGE FROM THE EXECUTIVE PRINCIPAL – Sr Margaret Ghosn



Dear MCHF community, we have had a busy week with Primary STEM Day being one of the highlights! We also had excellent feedback regarding our Y11 VET Work placement students. Employers were impressed by the dedication and initiative shown from our students and many of them were offered casual work. The employers thanked MCHF for sending in great kids who worked well.

Please note we are currently undertaking enrolment interviews for Y7, 2024 and will soon have the Kindy 2024 enrolments.

If you have not finalised your fees, please do so prior to release of reports for semester 1.

On Friday we celebrated a beautiful Mother's Day Mass and morning tea for all our mothers. We wish them all a beautiful day on Sunday surrounded by their families.



☞ "A mother is she who can take the place of all others but whose place no one else can take." ☞



## 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:** Lawrence Moussa (Year 1) / Sierra Zaitar, George Taouk, Christian Sleiman, Mark Maroun, Grace Salem, Tatiana Fares, Olivia Debs, Ayoub Dayoub, Isaiah Dagher, Justin Anthony Chiha (Year 4) / Justin Green (7A) / George Esber, Jonah Botros, Mykal Aleksandr Abdou, Charbel Semaan (Year 8) / Dahey Maalouf, Aurora Fenianos (Year 9)

**Bronze Awards:** Patrick El Katrib (Year 7) / Jason Azar, Joseph Assi, Annabella Khoury, Maria Elias (Year 8) / Alisa Saghabi (Year 10)

**Silver Awards:** Mia Antoun, Sebastian Diab, Tia Nour, Christian Youssef (Year 7)

**Principal's Awards:** Mikayla Atie, Ava Hasham (Year 7)

### Mother's Day Raffle Winners



## OUR LEARNERS

The Blessed Virgin Mary visits our classrooms / MCHF students visit the holy relics at OLOL



### Primary STEM Day







**Mother's Day Stall – We are ready for the big day!!! / PDSSSC Cross Country**



**Mr Youssef's year 7 class learn and test each other on locating the area reference of their school items.  
Year 10 Textiles working on their Indigenous Inspired Textile Art Wall Hangings.**



**Village Volleyball Tournament / MCHF Students and Staff give up their Saturday morning to feed the homeless.**







## MCHF LEBANON APPEAL Container to Lebanon

### ITEMS WE NEED:

- Nonperishable foods such as include pasta, rice, sugar etc.
- Cooking oils
- Beans including broad beans, lentils etc.
- Canned food such as beef, tuna, etc.
- Coffee, Cocoa, tea, and powdered milk
- Medicines
- Toiletries including toilet paper, boxes of tissues, female hygiene products, toothpaste etc.
- Cleaning material including dishwashing and laundry detergents, disinfectants, wipes etc.
- Monetary donations
- Other items that may be of use in households

**All items must have an expiry date after October 2023**

**PLEASE BRING IN  
ITEMS DUE BY  
FRIDAY 2<sup>ND</sup> JUNE 2023**

## OUR COMMUNITY

### ~ DATES TO REMEMBER ~

Monday 15<sup>th</sup> & Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> May – Student eye checks  
Friday 19<sup>th</sup> May – Secondary Athletics Carnival  
Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> May – Year 4 First Holy Communion @ 11am  
Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> & Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> May – Kindy Interviews  
Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> to Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May – Year 10 Half Yearly Exams  
Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May – Years K-12 Pentecost Mass /  
National Sorry Day / PDSSSC 7-9 Girls Football Gala Day

### Special Thanks

Many thanks to the businesses that donated to the MCHF Mother's Day Raffle - Gleam, Rosaries for Life, On Sunset, Mon Petit, Embelysh, 5 Loaves Café, Craft Supplies, Grace Laser Clinic, Dripping Desserts, Silly Willys, Merrylands Fresh Cut Flowers, Mase Café.



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SAINT MAROUN'S COLLEGE PRESENTS

**DISCO  
NIGHT**

**FRIDAY 19TH MAY**

**KINDER - YEAR 2 | YEAR 3 - YEAR 6**

**5.30PM-6.50PM | 7.00PM-9.00PM**

**COST: \$15 INCLUDES ENTRY, DJ, PACK OF CHIPS & DRINK**

**FOOD & GLOW PRODUCTS AVAILABLE FOR SALE**

**FUN DJ & DANCING FUN**

**PARENTS ARE WELCOME AND ENCOURAGED TO STAY**

"If at first you don't succeed, try doing it the way mum told you to in the beginning."

