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Dear Parents,

In Sunday's Gospel, James and John are effectively calling 'shotgun' on the best seats at the table! When they ask to sit at the left and right hand of Jesus, they are asking Jesus to name them as his deputies. They're looking to secure for themselves positions of power and authority. The only problem is that they have a completely messed up idea of what it means for Jesus to enter into his glory.

Leadership in the Jesus model is about being of service to others; it is not about prestige and acclamation. Many good leaders are those without any title of leadership or authority. Their leadership and authority come from what they do and how they do it. They inspire others to follow their example. They don't demand it - people simply want to follow their example.

We pray that here at Christ Our Holy Redeemer we can be positive leaders to each other through our words and actions of service.



CATHOLIC MISSION MONTH

We continue to recognise Catholic Missions and their work in serving those in need throughout the world. Our Social Justice group of students have been visiting classrooms to share a video about the need for water in places such as Madagascar. Next Wednesday we will hold a 'Socktober day' to raise funds. All money raised will be donated to Catholic Missions. This is an opportunity for our community to serve others through our words and actions.

PARENTS' ASSOCIATION

Last night the Parents' Association met to continue to organise events for this year. Besides the night market, Friday icy poles, the PA are organising another Hot Dog Day, and coordinating the Christmas Party (Prep parents) and looking forward to our 2016 Fete.

PARENT ASSISTANCE

Thank you to the parents who have volunteered their time and assistance with some of the jobs around the school. Special thanks to Claudio Morelli (and Sebastian 2014 Yr 6) for painting yellow safety strips on the steps leading into the 1/2 corridor, and to John Bernardo for installing new hand soap dispensers in the Oval toilets. There are still a few jobs to be done around the school if anyone is able to spare a few hours.

RUNNING CLUB

A reminder there will be Running club tomorrow (Friday) morning on the oval beginning at 8am. Parents and toddlers are welcome – it is a good way to keep fit and socialise.

BUILDING A BETTER SCHOOLYARD

Students will be involved in a session next week to reinforce social skills, such as communication, conflict resolution and strategies for working with different emotions.

ICY-POLES

A reminder there will be icy-poles tomorrow for 50cents each.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Emily Shannon as she announced her engagement to Brendan Stafford over the holidays. We wish them all the best for their future together.

With best wishes,

Thomas Coghlan
PRINCIPAL

BRAIN CANCER SAUSAGE SIZZLE

A reminder that the sausage sizzle organised by Jamie Bortloi (3/4JP) will be held tomorrow. All proceeds are going towards brain cancer research.

SOCK IT TO POVERTY!

Next Wednesday the 21st of October, we are celebrating Socktober by having a Crazy Sock Day. Students are invited to add socks to their school uniform. For example: wear odd coloured socks, wear socks as gloves or add socks to their hair. What is the most creative way you can wear socks? Please bring a gold coin donation to help raise money for Catholic Mission.

For more information visit:

<http://www.catholicmission.org.au/>



COHR MARKET NIGHT

Thurs November 19th
 6.30pm – 9pm

Profits raised from this event will go to Cancer Council Victoria & COHR Primary School
 Stallholder application forms are available from the school office for anyone wishing to have a stall at the Market Night.

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Here is a list of Maths topics each level will be covering during Term 4. You might find this list useful when assisting your child with Maths activities at home, especially in involving them in real life Maths problems!

Prep	1/2	3/4	5/6
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Addition • Patterns • Odd & Even • Ordinal Numbers • Estimating • Location • Sharing • Data • Numbers to 100 • Subtraction 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Addition • Volume • Patterns • Chance • Multiplication & Division • Capacity • Money • Revision 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fractions & Decimals • Symmetry, Tessellations & Transformations • Mass & Volume • Revision 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Financial maths • Algebra • Order of Operations (BIDMAS) • Rotation & Symmetry

MATHS

blog

The Maths @ COHR Blog will be updated throughout the term with useful games and information for kids related to the above Maths topics.

You might like to visit the Maths @ COHR Blog as part of your Home Task activities or to get a bit more practise at some of the topics you are learning at school.

Simply go to the following link to see resources for each year level.

<http://mathscohr.global2.vic.edu.au/maths-kids/>



Feel free to leave a comment about what activities you enjoyed or what you would like added to the blog!