OLIVET CHRISTIAN COLLEGE NEWSLETTER



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From the Principal's Desk

Sometimes God puts us in that place of waiting and uncertainty. Everyone wants to be in control, and the moment that control is taken away, we tend to start to feel like everything is coming apart. The real

test of faith is whether or not we can step back and trust God to lead. Martin Luther King Jr. described faith by saying, "It's taking the first step when you can't see the whole staircase." It's not always easy, and in fact, it seldom is. But that is often how faith grows. It means that



we will need to exercise patience, as we trust in His power. It means that we will have to lean on His wisdom during uncertain times. It means that we will wait, we will trust, and we will pray.

Isaiah 41:10 "Fear thou not; for I am with thee: be not dismayed; for I am thy God: I will strengthen thee; yea, I will help thee; yea, I will uphold thee with the right hand of my righteousness."

REMINDER

We are looking forward to having students in <u>all</u> year levels back at school tomorrow!

FAMILIES TO PRAY FOR THIS WEEK Roberts ~ Thomas ~ Tuck ~ Zeman

SECONDARY SPORT

Tomorrow we will be back for Secondary Sport with all students! We will remain onsite and have a go at some ball games.

SCHOOL PHOTOS

We have started to take photos of some classes, but not all have been completed yet. Thank you to parents for



you to parents for sending your children in looking neat and tidy, the photos so far are coming up well! We will endeavour to have the photos finished over the next couple of weeks. In the event that SchoolPix are unable to complete our 2021 school photos this term,

TERM FOUR PLANNER *

Monday 4 October - Thursday 9
December

1 Nov NO SCHOOL

2 Nov Melbourne Cup Public Holiday - NO SCHOOL

Watch this space as we begin to book activities in as Covid Restrictions allow!

* Due to Covid-19, these activities may be subject to change.

we are planning to provide parents with digital copies of the photos we have taken inhouse.

SCHOOL CAMPS

According to the current guidelines effective from October 2, we are currently unable to hold school camps. Although we have made plans and attempted to do this for both Secondary and Years 3-6, it is not possible to plan for this at this stage, however, we will continue to watch the guidelines in case this changes.

REMINDER

On Monday 1st & Tuesday 2nd November there will be NO SCHOOL, for Melbourne Cup Public Holiday. This will also give teachers time to do some preparation on Semester 2 school reports.

GRADE 6 GRADUATION DINNER

We are looking at our options for this dinner for later in the term so that a special event can be held in celebration of our Grade 6 students graduating, subject to Covid-19 restrictions.

ORIENTATION DAYS

Orientation Days for 2022 will be held Monday 8 November (8.45am - 12.45pm) and Thursday 18 November (8.45am - 12.45pm), subject to Covid restrictions. These orientation days are a great opportunity for students commencing at Olivet in 2021 to meet some future classmates and teachers. For more information, or if you plan to attend any of the orientation days, please contact the school on 5472 3817 or admin@olivet.vic.edu.au

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It's been great to have students back at school in various year levels and we're

looking forward to seeing all students back in the classroom from tomorrow! They're happy to be back in school and have enjoyed doing some hands on activities together that they have missed out on over the last little while,

like PE, Performing Arts, Technology and some special fun activities like baking!



















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