As the term draws to an end, I have been reviewing the many events the children have been involved in over the past 10 weeks. Apart from the day-to-day classroom education that the children receive, there were plenty of other opportunities for the children to be challenged and extended. These included:

- **Mission Project** with Peninsula Schools and the Social Justice Team
- Junior and Senior Band Performances
- NAPLAN Assessments for Year 3 and 5
- **Maths Challenge** for selected senior students
- Senior Band Community Performance in the *North Sydney Symphonic Wind Ensemble*
- Year 3 – 6 First Aid Courses
- Stage 2 Excursion to the War Veteran’s Home – *Building our Community*

As well, there were plenty of opportunities to celebrate together as a community:

- Mother’s Day Mass and Morning Tea
- Stage 2 Parish Family Mass
- School Disco
- Sacramental Celebration for First Communion students

And then there were the sporting opportunities too:

- Rugby League and Eagle Tag Gala Days for Year 3-6
- Broken Bay Trials and Polding Representative teams

Thank you to all those who have been involved and volunteered during the term. If you have any concerns, issues or questions you would like to discuss, I am always happy to make a time to meet with you. Contact the school office to organise a time. My door is always open!

Michael Gallagher

### Sunday’s Gospel Quote

After this the Lord appointed seventy-two others and sent them two by two ahead of him to every town and place where he was about to go. He told them, “The harvest is plentiful, but the workers are few. Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field. Go! I am sending you out like lambs among wolves.

**Luke 10:1—12, 17-20**

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Religious Education News

World Youth Day 2016- Krakow, Poland

I currently have just under a month, or 28 days until I leave for Krakow, Poland.

I’d love you to join me in the journey while I am pilgrimage. But how, I hear you asking. To capture the spirit of this special event the Diocese of Broken Bay is running a Hashtag Challenge (#Challenge). This is a WYD project for everyone, not just those travelling to WYD in Poland, but also my supporting community at home.

Using your social media (Facebook, Twitter or Instagram) you need to snap something that fits the daily hashtag. After taking your photo, choose your key words, add your hashtag and post away! Really have some fun and put your heart into it.

The hashtags are as follows;

Along with daily opportunities to take part in Masses, prayer and faith-filled gatherings with youth from around the world, I am looking forward to sharing my pilgrimage.

Stef Thom (REC)
Library News

**Holiday borrowing:** Thank you to all those who returned long overdue books. It is good to have them back in the Library, particularly as a number of children were waiting to borrow them. Those children who had no outstanding overdue books were able to borrow extra books for the holidays.

**PRC:** Congratulations to Gracy B from Year 1 for completing the Premier’s Reading Challenge. Well done Gracy! The children have until the 17th August to complete the Challenge. The holidays would be a good time to get more books read. A number of the titles on the PRC reading list are available in Mona Vale, Dee Why and The Mall libraries.

In Library this week the children in Kindergarten enjoyed *Clancy and Millie and the very fine house* (Book id 9663).

Fran Jones
Teacher Librarian

Sport News

**Congratulations** to William B (Year 6) who has been selected to play in the Polding Union Team in the state playoffs. A fantastic effort Will!

P&F News

**Parents & Friends Association: Meeting Minutes** - Wed 25th May 2016. [Click here]

Fun Fair News

**Fun Fair - Bookacino pick up**
Today - Wednesday 29/6 from 2.15pm
**Final pick up for Term 2** There will be more collection dates in Term 3
Please contact Jess on 0401 048 112 if you have any questions regarding the pick up or anything Fun Fair related.
Thanks
Jess Crapis

Community News & Events

- **School Holiday Beach Theatre Workshops for 8-13 yr olds** to celebrate Plastic Free July (free of charge). Northern Beaches Council - Flyer [Click here]

- **Manly Warringah New Primary Basket Ball Competitions “2016 The Potter League”**. [Click here]