

# St Joseph's Newsletter

Term 3 Week 4 16 August 2018

Term 3 Core Value: Stewardship School Rule: Be prepared

Respectful Relationships Focus: Be a good group member

#### **Dear Parents**

Yesterday our school celebrated the Feast of the Assumption, a special day in the church calendar to honour Mary the mother of Jesus, by joining with the parish community for Mass. This included students from Mater Maria high school who live in the parish area as well as parishioners of all ages.

The Mass was co-ordinated by our REC Cathy Gualtieri, with beautiful music and singing. Special mention of Ava J from Year 6 for her exquisite singing of *Ave Maria*, Father Bogdan and many parishioners and students commented on how beautiful it was.

#### Fiver for a Farmer fundraiser on Monday

What a generous community we are! Our small school raised \$961.40 for the cause! Thank you all so much. We had stories of grandparents and neighbours donating through the students as well as others going to the link to donate on line. A café owner even handed over money to one of our Year 6 students when he inquired why she was wearing her farmers outfit on Monday morning.

The school actually looked like a little bush school on Monday with all the jeans, hats and boots (see the photos). The children were well informed of why they were dressing up and donating, I read some great stories form Year 1 about the drought.

#### **Athletics Carnival results**

At assembly yesterday the sports captains were awarded the trophies for the Athletics carnival.

Polding (blue) house were the winners of the point score and St Joseph's (red) the winners of the Spirit Cup.

Congratulations also to those children who broke school records:

70m, 5 yr olds

200m, 8 yr old boys

Junior Boys High Jump

Junior Boys Long Lump

Junior Girls Discus

Senior Girls Discus

Kaiya S

Isaac C

Cameron T

Cameron T

Gabriela A

Luciana A

#### **Canon Photography Expedition**

Take a look at the iMovie on our school website, made by *Caleb A, Luca C, Luc D* and *Jai M* from year 6 on their recent photography expedition! Link: <a href="https://www.sjndbb.catholic.edu.au/news-events/183/article/194/canon-photography-expedition">https://www.sjndbb.catholic.edu.au/news-events/183/article/194/canon-photography-expedition</a>





#### **Book week**

There's always something to look forward to at school. Next week is Australian Children's Book week. The children will dress up on Tuesday as a word for our parade and the Book Fair will be in the library Monday and Tuesday.

Also exciting is the initiative from the Year 6 Library leadership team of *Books under the Spotlight*. Children can come to school on Wednesday night from 6-6.30pm in their pj's with a book and torch and read under torchlight in the library. More details further on in the newsletter under **Library News**.

This is the link to the book week site. It's a good one to find books for your child, you can look back at past winners too: <a href="https://www.cbca.org.au/short-list-2018">https://www.cbca.org.au/short-list-2018</a>

### Key dates for term 3 - August

- Monday 20- Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> August- Book Fair for Book week
- Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> August Book parade "vocabulary"
- Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> August St Joey's Books Under the Spotlight (6-6.30pm in school library)
- Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> August- Parish Family Mass
- Monday 27<sup>th</sup> August- P&F general meeting 7.30pm
- Friday 31<sup>st</sup> August- Father's Day breakfast

Warm regards

**School Communication** 

Link: School Website, Calendar and Term Dates

Link: St Joseph's School App

Link: Qkr App payments, canteen orders

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## Class Awards – Term 3, Week 4

Kinder	Jonah P	Working hard at spelling		
	Dylan K	Working hard to do his best in class		
Year 1	Max F	<ul> <li>Prayerful singing in music lessons</li> <li>Challenging himself in maths</li> <li>Always being ready to learn</li> </ul>		
	Adam L			
	Mitchell R			
	Max B	Doing his best at sports this week		
Year 2	Emily S	Working hard on maths problems		
	Isaac C	For always being prepared for work		
Year 3	Luke B	Making good choices when he is learning		
	Carys H	Always being prepared in the classroom and helping others be prepared		
Year 4	Amelie P	Making good choices with her learning		
	Rohan M	Being a good listener and letting others learn		
Year 5	Abigail B	Excellent reading in church		
	Chloe R	Always being a caring and helpful buddy		
	Gabriella H	Always being prepared to learn		
Year 6	Max P	Showing a greater commitment to his learning goals		
	Mason S	Being organised for, and enthused about, his learning		
Tornadoes	Charlotte L	Listening to her teachers		
	Luke M	Great work in maths		
Meteors	Nate F	Sounding out in reading		
	Lachie P	Keeping the beat in music		

# \*\* We raised \$961.40 \*\*

Any additional donations should be made directly to the <u>Fiver for a Farmer donation website</u>

Money raised at St Joseph's has been banked and forwarded to St John the Baptist School, Freshwater to be added to the tally.































## **Religious Education News**

#### **Candela Mission Peru**

Once again we have Mrs Mary Rajca visiting our school on Monday  $20^{th}$  August to speak to the students about the work of the Sisters of Mercy in the shanty town of Candela in Lima Peru.

The mission supports women through a program that teaches them to make beautiful handicrafts. This money is used by the women to buy basic necessities for their families. Much has been done over the past few years to improve the lives of these women and their families. There will be a sale of the beautiful handicrafts that the women have made during the week.

#### Sister Joan with a Candela family



Our school community is mindful of the generous donations that have been made to our school fair and 'fiver for a farmer' and there is no obligation for purchases to be made. The purpose of the talk is to continue to build awareness of communities in need as part of our social justice teaching.

#### **Parish Family Mass**

Our next Parish Family Mass will be held on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> August at 9:30am. The Mass will be followed by morning tea in the hall, where we will get the opportunity to welcome our two new priests Fr Robert and Fr Bogdan to the Lakes Parish community. If you are able to attend please fill in the google form, link below.

https://goo.gl/forms/ilkqCQ1n93010JdQ2

#### **Bishop's Art Prize**

Last term all the children in our school participated in the Bishop's Art Prize. We are very lucky to have both Yvette and Nellie in Kindergarten awarded a Highly Commended Prize which they will receive later this year at the Catholic Schools Office.

Catherine Gualtieri - Religious Education Coordinator

PARISH WEEKLY BULLETIN to view click here
ALPHA AT THE LAKES website link here



## Father's Day Celebrations

Father's Day will be celebrated at St Joseph's School on **Friday 31 August** with open classrooms and a free bacon & egg sandwich for adults and children. Our celebrations will commence at 7.30am in the playground.

A coffee van will be on the premises for you to purchase coffee and hot chocolate at your own expense.

If you would like the free bacon & egg sandwich, please use the Google Form link below for catering purposes.

Please feel free to bring an alternate breakfast with you if you do not eat bacon & egg sandwiches.

Google Form – Father's Day Breakfast RSVP



## **Library News**

#### St Joey's Books under the Spotlight

Come and join us as we put books under the spotlight on **Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> August** from **6-6.30pm in the Library.** Wear your pyjamas if you wish and bring a torch to read your favourite book. Parents can share a book with their child or bring their own to read.

Entry is by gold coin donation for the Indigenous Literacy Foundation. There will be cookies and milo before we read – please bring your own mug to save us using plastic.

From the Library team ~ Harry, Luc, Jai and Aaliyah

#### **Book Week**

The children are getting very excited about our Book Week activities next week. I've heard some wonderful words that children are dressing up as and I can't wait to see all the outfits. The dress up day is **Tuesday 21**<sup>st</sup> **August**. The children are to come dressed as an interesting word. Somewhere on their costume they need to have their word and they can add the definition if they wish, or they can just tell us.

We will have a parade of costumes at **9.15am** to which parents are invited. The Book Fair will remain open for a short time after the parade.





#### **Book Fair**

This will be open on **Monday 20<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> August** from 8.30am and from 2.45pm in the afternoon. Books will range in price form \$5-\$25 with most being in the range of \$15-\$20. They can be paid for by cash, credit card or cheque. Cheques need to be made out to Carnival Fairs, **not** the school. There is also a Parent payment link on the website <a href="http://www.carnivalfairs.com.au/">http://www.carnivalfairs.com.au/</a> in the top right hand corner, where you can pre-pay for books for your child. Just follow the prompts once you have clicked on the parent payment button.

Fran Jones - Teacher/Librarian

#### **Choir News**

#### SAVE THE DATE: Choir to perform at St Joseph's Performance Night – 19th September

Our talented performers are preparing for their first big public performance of the year! This is the St Joseph's Performance Night, to be held on **Wednesday 19**<sup>th</sup> **September**. The evening will begin at 6.30pm and the choir will be the first group to perform. Details will follow as we draw closer to the big night. All choir members are invited to participate but <u>there is no pressure whatsoever around attendance</u>.

At this stage, could you please talk to your child about whether they might like to join in, and in a couple of weeks I will ask for you to RSVP so that I can work out logistics for the performance.

Once I do have the final numbers, I will ask for students to come regularly to choir rehearsals (held each Wednesday) and will communicate with you in the school newsletter with any important updates. Thanks so much for your support!

Cara Appleton ~ Choir Leader



#### **Canteen Roster**

Below is the canteen roster for the remainder of Term 3. The canteen is currently closed off on Qkr on the red shaded dates as we do not have volunteers. Please contact Donita if you are able to assist on any of these dates: <a href="mailto:donita.kerin8@gmail.com">donita.kerin8@gmail.com</a>



TERM 3	MONDAY		FRIDAY	FRIDAY
13-Aug	Leisha Evans	17-Aug	Prue Picello	Vanessa Brentnall
13-Aug	Kelly Casey	17-Aug	Kirrily Coyle	
20-Aug	Closed – no volunteers	24-Aug	Lucy Jessup	Regina Wilkinson
20-Aug		24-Aug	Bridget Tysoe	
27-Aug	Closed – only one volunteer	31-Aug	Jamie Cook	
27-Aug	Lucy Jessup	31-Aug	Michael Payne	
3-Sep	Closed – no volunteers	7-Sep	Closed – no volunteers	
3-Sep		7-Sep		
10-Sep	Closed – no volunteers	14-Sep	Kit Launay	
10-Sep		14-Sep	Michelle Robinson	
17-Sep	Closed – no volunteers	21-Sep	Naomi Ljubic/Jacqui K	
17-Sep		21-Sep	Cath Strbik/Sarah Ewing-Reid	
24-Sep	Closed – no volunteers	28-Sep	Closed – no volunteers	
24-Sep		28-Sep		



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Saint Joseph's Primary School Canteen

Business name

21 Lagoon Street, NARRABEEN NSW 2101

Address

28/05/2018

Expiry date

Northern Beaches Council

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# Fun Fair ~ Saturday 27 October



# WRISTBAND EARLY BIRD SALE

Wednesday 1st August - Wednesday 26th September 2018

\*\*\* Now On \*\*\*

\*\*\* Purchase Via Qkr \*\*\*

#### Link to Fun Fair page on school website here

- Fun Fair Newsletters link
- Sponsorship Information and Costs
- Stall Holder Information
- Busking Information details needed by 22<sup>nd</sup> August

#### **Fun Fair Important Dates**

- Donation week for Wheel of fortune w/c 20<sup>th</sup> August
- Donation day for Bookacino/Kids Flea market Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> September from 8.30-9.30am <u>five items</u> (books/toys) maximum per donation (more info to come)

If you have any questions, please contact Sam Mancell 0425 296 906 - sam@exhibitionco.com.au

# **Diocese, High School & Community Notices**



# **ENROLLING NOW for YEAR 7 2021**

If you wish to enrol your daughter at the College for Year 7 2021, the Registration Form needs to be received by the Registrar no later than Friday 21 September, 2018.

To download a Registration Form please visit our website www.stellamaris.nsw.edu.au

Interviews for Year 7, 2021 will be conducted early in Term 1, 2019

Tours of the Campus can be booked by contacting the College Registrar on 9976 1802

Limited places still available for Year 7 2020



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# Raising Kids & Teens in a Screen World

A FREE WORKSHOP FOR PARENTS AND CARERS OF STUDENTS IN YEARS 4 TO 12

Being a parent in today's digital world can be an overwhelming and confusing task... Become the pilot of your family's digital plane with some realistic advice to enhance learning and safeguard your child's physical and emotional health.

This engaging seminar arms parents with simple strategies to manage screen-time at home without tears and tantrums, and without having to constantly fret about online safety.

- Learn why our kids become infatuated with technology and why they find it hard to switch off devices
- Understand how to help your kids develop healthy digital habits
- Examine the current risks to kids' online safety – the 3Ps: predators, pornography and peers
- Explore why we need to avoid using screen-time as a reward or punishment tool

## Dr Kristy Goodwin, Presenter

As a leading digital parenting educator, speaker, researcher, author and former teacher (and mum who deals with her kids' techno-tantrums), Kristy translates the latest research into essential, digestible information and tips for parents and carers, so that they can safely navigate the digital terrain, without suggesting that kids be 'digitally amputated'!

# Tuesday 11 September, 7-9pm (doors open at 6.30pm)

Mater Maria Catholic College, 5 Forest Rd, Warriewood NSW 2102
Tickets www.brokenbayparentcouncil.com/dr-kristy-goodwin

Learn more via the go to the CSP website <a href="www.brokenbayparentcouncil.com/dr-kristy-goodwin">www.brokenbayparentcouncil.com/dr-kristy-goodwin</a> OR to secure your seat <a href="www.trybooking.com/book/event?eid=401336">www.trybooking.com/book/event?eid=401336</a>



# More Words for Vocabulary Parade Costume Consideration!

afternoon ahead amiss angel apart arise ax backyard basketball bat behind

behind bite blank bone box branch bright bus call

cash
city
clap
claw
clean
clock
color
cook
core
crash
crooked
crowd
dark
dates
day

dice

dirty

draw

ears

everyone eyes face

fall fan

fat feet fence

firefly fix flag

flash flashlight fleet

float fly

forest friend full

furry glad go

grow gumdrop haircut

happy hard hat

hide hot

house hurry ink

inside jagged jailed

janed jam join juggle jumpball jungle

king snake kingfish

lean letter

line lips little

long lost mail

mean money

mop muddy neat

nest

newspaper night no noise

old open

outside paint park

park pasta patch

pet plunk

popcorn

puzzle quake quarter

queen



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