

Term 1 Core Value: Community

School Rule: Move safely at all times

Respectful Relationships Focus: Give way at doors or stairwells for adults

Dear Parents

This is short newsletter week, so just a few important items and key dates.

Northern Beaches Catholic Schools Swimming carnival

29 of our students represented St Joseph's proudly at the carnival yesterday. Congratulations to all the children who swam their hardest and encouraged each other all the way. Congratulations to Sophie L from Year 6 who will represent the Northern Beaches cluster at the Broken Bay carnival next Thursday.

Kiss N Drop zone - new access to church driveway before school

A reminder that we are currently trialling the use of the church driveway as a kiss n drop zone **in addition to the usual kiss n drop zone in Lagoon St**. The small group of parents who have used it this week have commented on the convenience and the safety.

If you choose to use this area please note the rules.

- 8.30-9.00 am- Kiss n Drop zone only- DO NOT PARK in the church driveway
- One way set up. Enter from Waterloo St, stay in your car, drop off and exit via Lagoon St.
- Students walk along the pavement and into the school gate.
- There will be an adult on duty initially to monitor the zone.

Canteen News

Unfortunately the canteen was closed last Monday due to no volunteers. We know the canteen is a great convenient service to families but it is all run by volunteers so we need your help to keep it open 2 days a week. There is a relatively easy automated routine now and if you haven't tried it before, an experienced person will be rostered with you to 'show you the ropes.'

Please see the roster attached for this term with vacancies where we need help.

Contact Donita Kerrin at donita.kerin8@gmail.com if you can assist

Open day

Our school open day for new enrolments for kinder (and other grades) for 2019 is Tuesday 20th March. I have been out visiting our local preschools and dropping off pamphlets to advertise our wonderful school. If you know anyone looking for next year please let them know or if you would like to give out a few pamphlets at your local business please contact Kerrie in the office.



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TUESDAY 20 MARCH 2018

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Welcome to new parents evening- Friday 2nd March, 6.30-8.30pm

This is our first P&F community event for the year. The Year 1 class mums are organising a casual evening for all parents to just gather, have a few drinks and nibbles and catch up with other parents, 'old' and new. **See P&F news in this newsletter for more details.** Would love to see you there!

Easter Raffle

The Year 3 class mums are finalising the arrangements for this year's Easter raffle. Watch this space for some awesome prizes to be won- hint- it's better than chocolate!!

Upcoming events and dates

- **Friday 2nd March** - P&F welcome to parents evening. ALL parents welcome. Please come along!
- **Wednesday 7th March** - Whole school assembly. 2.40pm in the parish hall
- **Wednesday 14th March** - Term 1 P&F meeting @ 7pm. Please see message from Mark Page, our P&F president in the newsletter
- **Monday 19th March** - Feast of St Joseph. School liturgy
- **Tuesday 20th March** - Open Day for enrolments 2019. Spread the word!
- **Wednesday 28th March** - Easter Raffle draw

Warm regards



Virginia Outred
Principal

School Communication

Link: [School Website, Calendar and Term Dates](#)

Link: [St Joseph's School App](#)

Link: [Qkr App payments, canteen orders](#)

Religious Education News

Café Time – Reconciliation Gift Making Morning

Come along this Wednesday morning 7th March at 9:00am and make a reconciliation gift for your child. Everyone is welcome, other times available. Please fill out the google form link below.

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1BfvpadOR7PwNX8jbH3ihjd1Nw5grKzHbNlg99z-ObVY/edit?usp=sharing>

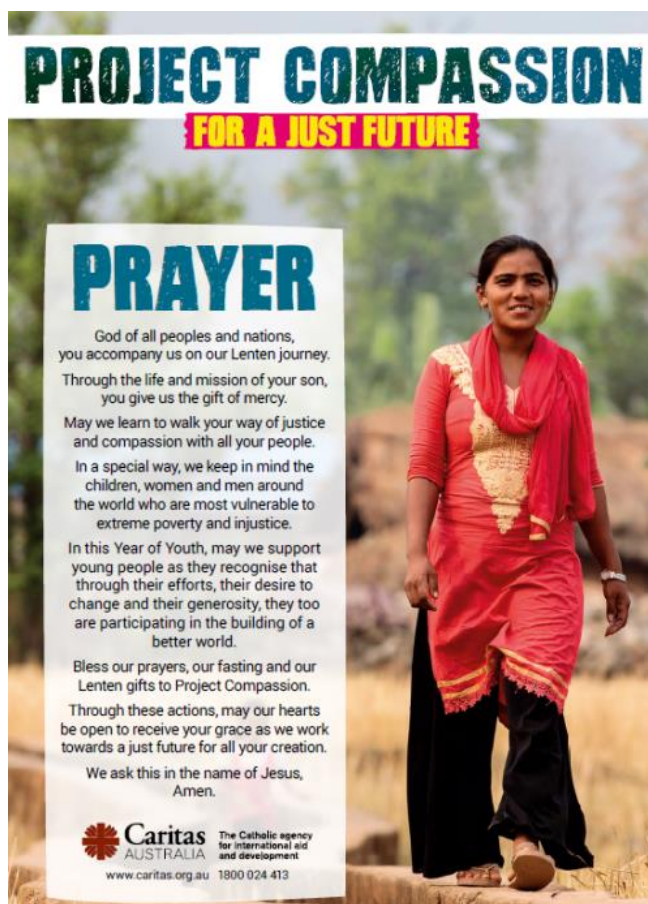
LENT – Caritas

During Lent we are asked to think about families and communities that are less fortunate than ourselves. I have attached a prayer to share with your families.

Catherine Gualtieri - Religious Education Coordinator

PARISH WEEKLY BULLETIN to view click [here](#)

ALPHA AT THE LAKES website link [here](#)



PROJECT COMPASSION
FOR A JUST FUTURE

PRAYER

God of all peoples and nations, you accompany us on our Lenten journey. Through the life and mission of your son, you give us the gift of mercy.

May we learn to walk your way of justice and compassion with all your people. In a special way, we keep in mind the children, women and men around the world who are most vulnerable to extreme poverty and injustice.

In this Year of Youth, may we support young people as they recognise that through their efforts, their desire to change and their generosity, they too are participating in the building of a better world.

Bless our prayers, our fasting and our Lenten gifts to Project Compassion. Through these actions, may our hearts be open to receive your grace as we work towards a just future for all your creation.

We ask this in the name of Jesus, Amen.

Caritas AUSTRALIA The Catholic agency for international aid and development
www.caritas.org.au 1800 024 413

Sports News

Broken Bay Winter Sports Trials

A parent information flyer, team trial dates and player profile nomination form for the Broken Bay Winter Sports Trials can be found on our school website [here](#).

These are open to accomplished players and the Player Profile form needs to be returned to Mrs Frost for approval. The Trials are open to students in Years 5 and 6 and exceptional Year 4 students.

Payment for all Broken Bay School Sport Trials is via Qkr, and you will see a heading in Qkr “**Broken Bay Schools Sport Council**” where you can make your payment.

Please note parents are responsible for all transport and supervision arrangements for their children attending Broken Bay team trials and Polding trials. Parents are expected to remain at the venue for the duration of the trial.

Nicola Frost – PE Teacher

Canteen Roster

Help is required in the canteen on the dates listed below.

Unless stated otherwise, **we do not have any volunteers** on these dates and therefore at this stage, the canteen will not be able to open.

To run the canteen, we must have two volunteers, with one being an experienced volunteer.

<p>Term 1 Monday 12th March We have one new volunteer rostered on and need one experienced volunteer. Friday 16th March Friday 23rd March Monday 9th April We need one volunteer. Friday 13th April</p>	<p>Term 2 Monday 30th April Friday 1st June Monday 4th June We need one volunteer. Friday 8th June Monday 11th June Friday 15th June Monday 18th June Friday 22nd June Monday 25th June Monday 2nd July Friday 6th July</p>
<p>Term 3 Monday 20th August Friday 24th August Monday 27th August Friday 31st August Monday 3rd September Friday 7th September Monday 10th September Friday 14th September Monday 17th September Monday 24th September Friday 28th September</p>	<p>Term 4 Monday 29th October. Friday 16th November Monday 19th November Friday 23rd November Monday 26th November Friday 30th November Monday 3rd December Monday 10th December Friday 14th December</p>

2018 Canteen Roster

2018 DRAFT	Date	Mondays	Date	Fridays	Third Worker/Fri	
Term 1	12-Feb	Jodie Petersen	16-Feb	Cath Strbik/Sarah Ewing-Reid		
	12-Feb	Vanessa Brentall	16-Feb	Naomi Ljubic/Jacqui K		
	19-Feb	Cath Strbik	23-Feb	Brigid Tysoe		
	19-Feb	Jacqui/Lina	23-Feb	Regina Wilkinson		
	26-Feb	Closed due to no available experienced volunteers	2-Mar	Yvette, MG		
	26-Feb	Closed due to no available experienced volunteers	2-Mar	Nichole Cook		
	05-Mar	Belinda Bradley	9-Mar	Prue Picello	Vanessa Brentall	
	05-Mar	Sam Petersen	9-Mar	Kirrily Coyle		
	12-Mar	Justine Cattle	16-Mar	Need Experienced Volunteer		
	12-Mar	Need Experienced Volunteer	16-Mar	Need Volunteer		
	19-Mar	Lesha Evans	23-Mar	Need Experienced Volunteer		
	19-Mar	Kelly Casey	23-Mar	Need Volunteer		
	26-Mar	Kelly Therkelsen	30-Mar	Good Friday		
	26-Mar	Cath Strbik	30-Mar	Good Friday		
	2-Apr	Easter Monday	6-Apr	Cath Strbik/Sarah Ewing-Reid		
	2-Apr	Easter Monday	6-Apr	Naomi Ljubic/Jacqui K		
	9-Apr	Kelly Therkelsen	13-Apr	Need Experienced Volunteer		
	9-Apr	Need Volunteer	13-Apr	Need Volunteer		
		16-Apr	School Holidays	20-Apr	School Holidays	
		16-Apr	School Holidays	20-Apr	School holidays	
	23-Apr	School Holidays	27-Apr	School Holidays		
	23-Apr	School Holidays	27-Apr	School Holidays		
Term 2	30-Apr	Need Experienced Volunteer	4-May	Yvette, MG		
	30-Apr	Need Volunteer	4-May	Nichole Cook		
	7-May	Belinda Bradley	11-May	Cath Strbik/Sarah Ewing-Reid		
	7-May	Sam Petersen	11-May	Naomi Ljubic/Jacqui K		
	14-May	Jodie Petersen	18-May	Brigid Tysoe		
	18-May	Vanessa Brentnall	18-May	Regina Wilkinson		
	21-May	Kelly Therkelsen	25-May	Prue Picello	Vanessa Brentall	
	21-May	Justine Cattle	25-May	Kirrily Coyle		
	28-May	Lesha Evans	1-Jun	Need Experienced Volunteer		
	28-May	Kelly Casey	1-Jun	Need Volunteer		
	4-Jun	Kelly Therkelsen	8-Jun	Need Experienced Volunteer		
	4-Jun	Need Volunteer	8-Jun	Need Volunteer		
	11-Jun	Need Experienced Volunteer	15-Jun	Need Experienced Volunteer		
	11-Jun	Need Volunteer	15-Jun	Need Volunteer		
	18-Jun	Need Experienced Volunteer	22-Jun	Need Experienced Volunteer		
	18-Jun	Need Volunteer	22-Jun	Need Volunteer		
	25-Jun	Need Experienced Volunteer	29-Jun	Naomi Ljubic/Jacqui K		
	25-Jun	Need Volunteer	29-Jun	Cath Strbik/Sarah Ewing-Reid		
	2-Jul	Need Experienced Volunteer	6-Jul	Need Experienced Volunteer		
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	9-Jul	school Holidays	13-Jul	school Holidays		
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	16-Jul	school Holidays	20-Jul	school Holidays	
	16-Jul	school Holidays	20-Jul	School Holidays	
TERM 3	23-Jul	Jodie Petersen	27-Jul	Cath Strbik/Sarah Reid	
	23-Jul	Vanessa Brentnall	27-Jul	Naomi Ljubic/Jacqui K	
	30-Jul	Kelly Therksen	3-Aug	Athletics Carnival	
	30-Jul	Justine Cattle	3-Aug	Athletics Carnival	
	6-Aug	Belinda Bradley	10-Aug	Yvette, MG	
	6-Aug	Sam Petersen	10-Aug	Nichole Cook	
	13-Aug	Lesha Evans	17-Aug	Prue Picello	Vanessa Brentall
	13-Aug	Kelly Casey	17-Aug	Kirrily Coyle	
	20-Aug	Need Experienced Volunteer	24-Aug	Need Experienced Volunteer	
	20-Aug	Need Volunteer	24-Aug	Need Volunteer	
	27-Aug	Need Experienced Volunteer	31-Aug	Need Experienced Volunteer	
	27-Aug	Need Volunteer	31-Aug	Need Volunteer	
	3-Sep	Need Experienced Volunteer	7-Sep	Need Experienced Volunteer	
	3-Sep	Need Volunteer	7-Sep	Need Volunteer	
	10-Sep	Need Experienced Volunteer	14-Sep	Need Experienced Volunteer	
	10-Sep	Need Volunteer	14-Sep	Need Volunteer	
	17-Sep	Need Experienced Volunteer	21-Sep	Naomi Ljubic/Jacqui K	
	17-Sep	Need Volunteer	21-Sep	Cath Strbik/Sarah Ewing-Reid	
	24-Sep	Need Experienced Volunteer	28-Sep	Need Experienced Volunteer	
	24-Sep	Need Volunteer	28-Sep	Need Volunteer	
1-Oct	school Holidays	5-Oct	School Holidays		
1-Oct	School Holidays	5-Oct	School Holidays		
8-Oct	School Holidays	12-Oct	School Holidays		
8-Oct	School Holidays	12-Oct	School Holidays		
TERM 4	15-Oct	Pupil Free Day	19-Oct	Cath Strbik/Sarah Reid	
	15-Oct	Pupil Free Day	19-Oct	Naomi Ljubic/Jacqui K	
	22-Oct	Kelly Therksen	26-Oct	Brigid Tysoe	
	22-Oct	Justine Cattle	26-Oct	Regina Wilkinson	
	29-Oct	Need Experienced Volunteer	2-Nov	Yvette, MG	
	29-Oct	Need Volunteer	2-Nov	Nichole cook	
	5-Nov	Belinda Bradley	9-Nov	Prue Picello	Vanessa Brentall
	5-Nov	Sam Petersen	9-Nov	Kirrily Coyle	
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	26-Nov	Need Experienced Volunteer	30-Nov	Need Experienced Volunteer	
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	3-Dec	Need Experienced Volunteer	7-Dec	Cath Strbik/Sarah Reid	
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17-Dec	Closed for cleaning	21-Dec	School term finished		

The first P&F meeting of 2018 is in 2 weeks time, on Wednesday 14th March. I encourage all parents to attend so we can work together as a parent community to support our children and the school. If you have any concerns or matters for discussion, please raise them with me first so they can be placed on the agenda for the meeting.

Amongst other items, I shall share the results of the recent parent survey on the P&F so that we can address some of the issues raised.

I would also like to assure every one of two things: firstly, attendance at the meeting will not result in you being allocated a task unless you volunteer for, and are comfortable with, that task - there is no pressure on parents to volunteer for anything.

Secondly, everyone's opinion is important and we would like to hear your honest views on our community matters. It is important that everyone feel part of our P&F and also feel supported by the executive. I look forward to seeing a large turnout on Wednesday 14th March.

New Parents Welcome evening - Friday 2nd March

Please come along and enjoy a social evening with other parents from our community. Parents and teachers from our wonderful school can relax at the end of the week and enjoy good company and some laughs as we look forward to the year ahead.

School Fair Committee

The School Fair is rapidly approaching - please hold the date; Saturday 27th October. We are very lucky to have Sam Mancell managing this event but she is in need of help so we are asking for one volunteer from each year group to join the School Fair planning committee. If you would like to help us, please contact me (pageinoz@gmail.com) or Sam (sam@exhibitionco.com.au).

Mark Page – P&F President



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High School & Diocese Notices

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OPEN DAY

Thursday 8 March 2018 - 4pm to 7pm

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OPEN DAY

Tuesday 13 March

9.15am-11.30am



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