

Term 2 Core Value: Respect

School Rule: Be in the right place at the right time

Respectful Relationships Focus: Joining in with others

Dear Parents

As we end the term I would like to take the opportunity to thank you for supporting the teachers and staff in a great term of learning and fun. As per usual it's been busy but when that 'busyness' is about the children in our care it's always worthwhile.

There was an interesting article in Sunday's paper about teachers and how the support of parents can make all the difference to how well a classroom functions. <https://www.dailytelegraph.com.au/rendezview/we-should-be-ashamed-of-how-we-treat-teachers/news-story/6db15a0c1c9d85192c0e8997bb7a3fe9>

Certainly schools have a role in educating the whole child but parents are the first educators of their children. Enjoy the holidays and the break from routines and stay safe. **Children are back at school on Monday 23rd July.**

Gala Days

On Tuesday, the Years 3 & 4 classes competed in a Sports Gala day against other schools in our Northern Beaches cluster. Years 5 & 6 are competing today. These days are always such fun for the kids and a great break from routine. By all accounts our children were great sports and co-operative with the team supervisors. Thank you to our PE teacher Mrs Frost and Mrs McCamey for all the organisation of the event. A big thank you to the parents who volunteered as supervisors on each of the days.

Grandparents Mass and Morning Tea

Save the date - **Thursday 2nd August 9.15am.** This whole school Mass and event is one of the most popular on our school calendar. Please spread the word and give the grandparents and 'grandfriends' plenty of notice.

Fun fair reminders

At assembly this week prizes were awarded to winners of the Fun fair poster competition. Thank you to those who submitted an entry and to Sally Miles for attending the assembly to present the awards. All entries will be on display next term.



Thank you to those families who have donated a bag of lollipops, you still have tomorrow to send in a packet. During the first week of next term we are calling for donations of scratchie tickets for prizes for the wheel of fortune. Sam Mancell and Sally Miles are very busy working on their timetable of tasks so that the fun fair can be a great success. Please read Sam's fun fair newsletter each fortnight for updates.

Kiss and Drop safety

The RTA sanctioned Kiss N Drop zone on Lagoon St outside the school is in operation before school and after school as the Kiss n Ride zone. Please use this zone carefully, according to the rules. Please **DO NOT** pull into the driveway of the units to drop off, this is very dangerous as children walk along the path to the school gate.

Behaviour on Buses

If your child travels to or from school on a Forest Coach Line bus, please read the letter from the company re: [expected behaviour of students on school buses.](#)

Canteen Committee

The committee has decided to take the large size sausage rolls from the menu when they run out next term. They will be deleted from the QKR ordering app when they are all gone. This is due to an issue with ordering an amount that we can store within the expiry dates. Watch this space for some new hot food items next term.

Key dates for term 2 and 3

- **Friday 6th July**- Last day of Term 2
- **Monday 23rd July**- First day of Term 3
- **Thursday 2nd August**- Grandparents Mass and morning tea
- **Friday 3rd August**- School Athletics Carnival
- **Friday 10th August**- Lakes Parish confirmation 5.30pm and 7.30pm

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](#)

Class Awards – Term 2, Week 10

Kinder	Jordan P Max S	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Great reading progress• Being a great focussed learner
Year 1	Oliver P Max B	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• For his interesting and well planned writing• For always wearing the correct uniform
Year 2	Lily M Evie P	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Working like a super mathematician this term• Always helping her friends out and including them in games
Year 3	Carys H Sophie B	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Her consistent effort to complete all tasks well• Always being inclusive with her peers
Year 4	Amelie P Ryan C	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Her excellent attitude to all areas of school• Always working hard and letting others learn
Year 5	Aidan J Harrison K Dani B	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Always being a kind friend• Maths• Always being in the right place at the right time
Year 6	Stella N Harry N Jason P Kayly S	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Showing a great understanding of synthesis comprehension in her novel study• Great engagement and participation in "cyclones" unit• Always being in the right place at the right time• Modelling how to be a respectful and responsible student
Tornadoes		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• On holidays!
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Sports News

Athletics Carnival – Friday 3 August

An email was sent home last week with details and Google Form link for our 2018 Athletics Carnival which will be held at the Academy of Sport, Narrabeen. Please complete your entry by Friday 6 July (last day of Term 2).

[GOOGLE FORM LINK – ATHLETICS CARNIVAL](#)

Nicki Frost - PE Teacher



Religious Education News

Walking the Way; For Dads

The Walking the Way website is designed to encourage parents in their sacred task of accompanying their children on their journey with God. They have now added a 'Fatherhood' page. Find special events, links and videos that may be useful. <http://walkingtheway.dbbcso.org/fatherhood-formation.html>

Café Time

Café Time will recommence next term in week 2, Wednesday 1st August. Have a lovely and peaceful holiday.

Confirmation Preparation

The second session of Confirmation Preparation will be held on 21st and 22nd July.

Catherine Gualtieri - Religious Education Coordinator

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

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

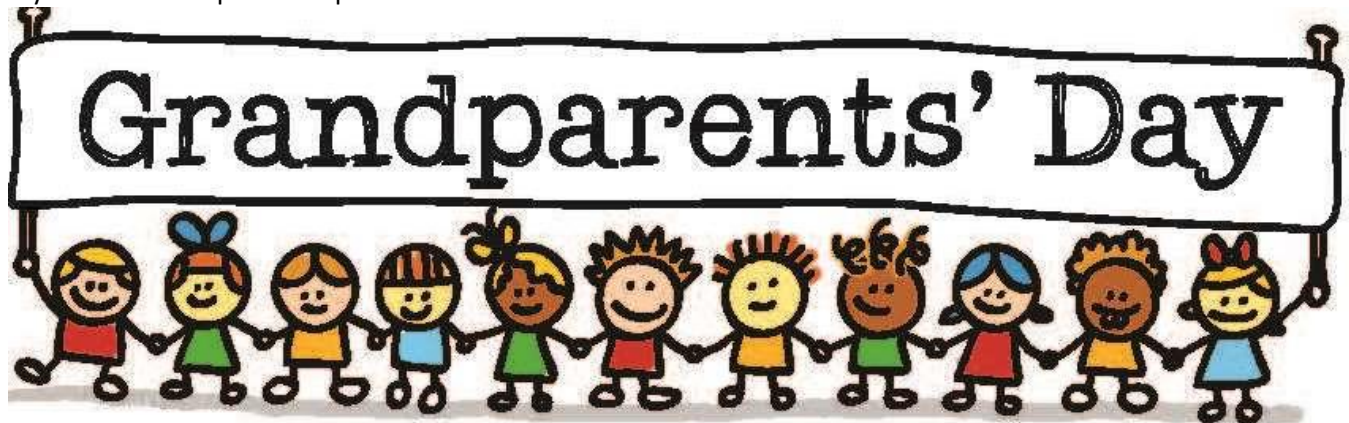


Grandparents Mass & Morning Tea

Save the Date!

Grandparents Day is on **Thursday, 2nd August**. There will be a Mass at 9.15am followed by Morning Tea to honour the special Grandparents & Grandfriends in our community.

We are asking parents to assist with plates of food for morning tea, would you please let your class parents know if you are able to provide a plate.



Call out for bottle lids

Year 6 are currently working on a special project about the environment and we would like your help for part of it. ***Did you know that plastic bottle lids are not for recycling?*** Before you recycle your bottles, could you please remove the lids from these (any lid in any colour, please) and send them into school for us? There will be a crate outside the office that you can drop these into.

We look forward to sharing our project with you over the coming months. Thank you!

Sincerely, Year 6

Fun Fair ~ Saturday 27 October

Lollipop Donations

To assist with the fun fair, we are asking all students to bring in a bag of lollipops. Please bring in by the end of Term 2 (Friday 6th July).



Sponsorship

The Fun Fair committee are still looking for sponsorships for the fun fair. If your or a family business would like to support our school, please contact sam@exhibitionco.com.au or call 0425 296 906. Information and costing documents can be found on our school website [here](#).

Fun Fair Important Dates

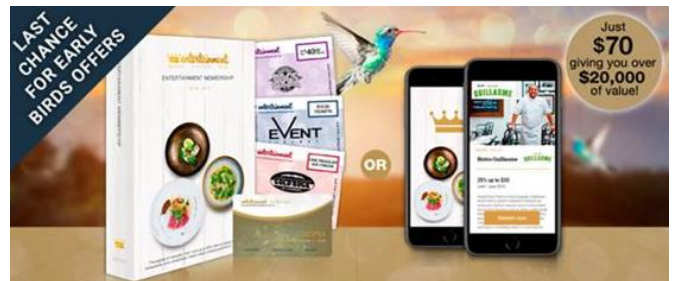
- Bring in a bag of lollipops (each student) – **by end of Term 2 (6th July)**
- Bring in a scratchie (each student) – **Friday 27th July**
- Start of early bird Rides Wrist band sale – **Wednesday 1st August**
- Donation week for Wheel of fortune – **w/c 20th August**
- Donation week for Bookachino/kids Flea Market – **w/c 10th September**
- Fun Fair – **Saturday 27th October**

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

2018 | 2019 Entertainment Book



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Questions? Contact Mark Page via the P&F – joeyspandf@gmail.com

Messages from the office

School Fees

May we take this opportunity to thank parents who have paid their school fees by the due dates as it greatly assists our accounting process, and ensures availability of cash flow in order to provide the best educational service to the students of St Joseph's.

We are currently following up families with outstanding accounts. Unless an alternative payment schedule has been made to time pay school fees, we request that outstanding school fees be paid immediately please. Accounts which remain overdue will be referred to the Catholic Schools Office Fee Liaison Unit.



To assist families keep up to date with payment of school fees, statements are emailed in the first week of each month, and instalment payment dates are:

Standard Instalments: Second payment was due **4 May**, final payment due **27 July**
Monthly Instalments: Payments are due on the 15th of each month, **15 July through to November**
Fortnightly Instalments: Payments due **13, 27 Jul, 10, 24 Aug, 7, 21 Sept, 5, 19 Oct, 2 Nov**
Weekly Instalments: Payments due **6, 13, 20, 27 July, 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 Aug, 7, 14, 21, 28 Sept etc**
A complete listing of all instalment dates for 2018 can be found on our school website [here](#).

School Holiday & Vacation Care Notices

Manly Warringah Basketball winter school holiday camps + term comps - www.manlybasketball.com.au
Enquiries: 9913 3622

Northern Beaches Council Vacation Care - <https://www.northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au/services/children/child-care/vacation-care>. Enquiries: vacationcare@northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au or 9942 2312

NSW Office of Sport & Recreation winter school holiday camps - <https://sportandrecreation.nsw.gov.au/events/school-holiday-program>
Enquiries: sherilee.hemers@sport.nsw.gov.au or 13 13 02

Football Factory school holiday camps - <https://thefootballfactory.com.au/>

University of Technology Sydney, Bright Futures July School Holiday Workshops: Forensics Workshop: The Secrets Behind Crime Investigation - <https://www.uts.edu.au/research-and-teaching/our-research/international-research-centre-youth-futures/what-we-do-5/bright>

Australian Girls Choir / Australian School of Performing Arts holiday program - <http://aspagroup.com.au/>
Enquiries: 9922 6733

NAIDOC Week at NSW Parliament House on Tuesday 10 July 2018. Join us for a fun day filled with activities for the whole family including: Didge & Dance, Aboriginal Art & Crafts, Wiradjuri Language Workshops and Storytelling. Join us for the whole event or just drop in for a little while.
Enquiries: 9230 2047 or dps.education@parliament.nsw.gov.au

Goodwin's Tennis Academy – July school holiday tennis camps - Kitchener Park Tennis Courts, Mona Vale
Enquiries: goodwintennisacademy@outlook.com or office / Pro Shop 9979 6772 or text Joel 0410 523 726

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