

**Term 2 Core Value: Respect**

**School Rule:** Be inclusive and take turns

**Respectful Relationships Focus:** Let someone go before you

Dear Parents

### **Behaviour support Guidelines on school website**

In 2018 the CSO rewrote the Behaviour Management guidelines for all Diocesan schools. This document can be accessed via our website. Each school then writes their own Behaviour Support Guidelines based on the overarching Diocesan policy. There is continuity and lots of support from the Diocesan office for implementing the projects and processes in schools.

Our *Behaviour Management Guidelines* are now complete and accessed via the school [website](#). This policy and guidelines is the overarching document for our pastoral care initiatives and anti-bullying policy too. The expectations we have for behaviour and the various interventions set the solid foundation to build and maintain a positive, safe supportive environment for learning at St Joseph's.

### **Tell Them From Me (TTFM) survey**

The *Tell them from Me* company is used by the Diocese to implement surveys to hear the voice of teachers, parents and students about our schools.

Last year in October I invited all parents, teachers and students from years 4-6 to complete the online survey that looks at many aspects about schooling. The resulting graphs were shared at the Term 4 P&F AGM.

In the next 2 weeks I have invited the years 4-6 students and a cross section of parents to complete the survey as a half way snapshot. This data will help form evidence for our upcoming Strategic Review by the CSO and give us some data to make decisions about future directions from 2020.

### **Northern Beaches Catholic schools Sustainable schools initiative 2019**

The Northern Beaches cluster of the Catholic Schools Parents body (**CSP**) has a focus initiative this year on sustainability in schools. There are grants of up to \$300 per school. Our CSP rep, Kelly Therkelsen is following this up. The link to the CSP page has more information: <https://www.brokenbayparentcouncil.com/northern-beaches-sustainable-school-communities-project.html>.

The CSO has also employed a sustainability officer for 3 days who assists schools on projects and advises in this area. There is also a new contractor for rubbish and recycling that will begin in all Diocesan schools soon.

At St Joseph's we are hoping to establish a simple vegie garden. Last term, the year 5 and 6 students successfully grew some seedlings in mini hot houses they designed in science and tech. They would like to plant the fledging plants in an outdoor garden. We are hoping when it is established, children will be able to volunteer in a lunchtime garden club. Two parents have approached me who are happy to help set up the compost system and we will be looking for parents who could assist with the upkeep. The Year 5 students led by Miss Preston and the Year 6 environment team have begun the process by composing a letter to Narrabeen Bunnings to donate some items as well as the NB council and Kimbriki tip for the items they donate (worm farm, composting etc). We have been able to source a large vegie pod with lid. We now need to find the most suitable place in our playground for all this to grow! So watch this 'growing' space.

## Events last week

Congratulations to many of our Year 3 children as well as some from other grades who made their **First Communion last weekend**. Our REC Cathy Gualtieri report appears later.

Our **Year 6 Civics and Citizenship team** were invited to represent our school at the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration of **Furlough House in Narrabeen** last Friday. This is the report from Sophie B, Maddie G, Chloe L and Cameron T:

*On the 21st of June the Civics and Citizenship team attended the 100th anniversary of Furlough House.*

*When we were there we met the NSW Premier Gladys Berejiklian and we had the best time eating and listening to the history of Furlough House. There were lots of politicians there such as Jason Falinski. Ms Gladys Berejiklian was a very nice lady and we had all sorts of delicious food. The Premier planted a Gallipoli Lone Pine Tree at the front of the Furlough House next to the driveway.*

*Overall it was a very interesting learning experience about Furlough House.*



## Gala Days- week 10 - Rugby league and Eagle Tag

The Term 2 gala days for years 3-6 students are next week. Please ensure you have read the Gala day information on our school website [here](#).

This is a fun day for the children, where they have the opportunity to play against other school teams. As in all children's sport associations, there are expectations of fair play behaviour from children and for parents on the sideline.

Please read the link to the Diocesan Parent code of conduct at sporting events.

Link: [Code of Conduct for Parents, Carers and other Spectators Attending School Sporting Events](#)

## Don't forget:

- 1 Jul Learning Together Playgroup No. 2
- 2 Jul Yrs 3 & 4 Rugby / Eagle Tag Gala Day
- 4 Jul Yrs 5 & 6 Rugby / Eagle Tag Gala Day
- 5 Jul Last day of Term 2

## Term 3

- 22 Jul Staff Development Day (pupil free day)
- 23 Jul Students return – full winter uniform
- 26 Jul Grandparents and Grandfriends Mass and Morning tea
- 2 Aug Athletics Carnival
- 30 Aug Father's Day Breakfast @ 7.30am
- 4 Sep School Photos
- 4 Sep Band musical performance evening
- 7/8 Sep Sacrament of Confirmation



School dates are on the [Google school calendar](#) on the website. It is worth checking the school calendar regularly.

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

### First Holy Communion

Last weekend children in our school celebrated their First Holy Communion. At the Saturday evening celebration Father Bogdan reflected on the children as being like a tabernacle when they receive their First Holy Communion and that Jesus lives in your heart wherever you go. The children all were reverent and respectful. It is such a special event in a child's Catholic journey, maybe it might be a lovely idea to pull out some old photos and talk to your child about the time you made your first communion.

Congratulations to the following children on receiving Jesus.

Isaac, Simiah, Olivia, Sasha, Isla, Sadie, Rory, Erin, Tori, Kyah, Reuben, Monique, Vivienne, Evie, Jacinta, Ava, Ciara, Riley, Ethan, Abbey, Jacinda, Jordan, Emily, Sebastian and Jaxon.



### St Vincent de Paul Winter Appeal

Thanks for all the generous donations for the St Vincent de Paul Appeal. Tomorrow the Mission Team will organise all the items for our winter warmer bags. Here are some photos of our classes wearing their beanies.

**Catherine Gualtieri - Religious Education Coordinator**

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

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



### Catholic Schools Office invites parents on a mini-pilgrimage

#### Walking the Way - Winter Walkabout: 4 July. 9.30am-2pm

Parents are invited to recharge, physically and spiritually, with a winter walkabout through stunning national parkland on the Central Coast, known for its hiking trails and Aboriginal engravings. We will have an Aboriginal educator as a guide, and our Catholic reflections will be inspired by the land and Australia's first peoples.

Meet 9.30am, Thursday 4 July, at Girrakool Picnic Area. Flexible departure time: 2pm. The day includes guided walk and reflection, sausage sizzle lunch and time for individual quiet time in a bush setting. This is a free event. **Bring your walking shoes and a water bottle.**

Enquiries & RSVP: Jo Spek - [jo.spek@dbb.catholic.edu.au](mailto:jo.spek@dbb.catholic.edu.au)



## Library News Term 2 Week 9

### Premier's Reading Challenge

In Library this week the children in Kindergarten enjoyed *Grandpa and Thomas and the green umbrella* (Book id 506). Year 1 & Year 2 loved the twist to *Cinderella* in *Prince Cinders* (Book id 3494). These can be added to your child's PRC online log. You have until the end of August to complete the Challenge.



### Holiday borrowing

The children may borrow over the holidays provided they have no outstanding overdue books. Those children who have overdue books were given a post-it-note with the titles. Please remind your child to look for the books.

**Fran Jones – Teacher/Librarian**

## Sports News

### Athletics Carnival – Friday 2 August (second week of Term 3)

The 2019 school athletics carnival will be held on **Friday 2nd August** at the Academy of Sport, Wakehurst Parkway, Narrabeen (Week 2 Term 3).

All children will be required to travel to the venue by bus with the whole school. The bus will leave school at 9.15am and return at 2.30pm. Should you wish to take your child home at the conclusion of the carnival (expected time is 2 pm) please indicate on the Google form (link below).

The carnival will run simultaneously as an infants skill development carnival for kindergarten and year 1 on the grass area in the middle of the track (this includes modified field events, novelty races, relay and running races) and a primary carnival for years 2-6.

**5, 6, 7 YEAR OLDS** Are eligible to compete in the track in the 70m and 100m

**ALL AGES** 100m - these are run in separate age groups and separate boys and girls

**ALL OTHER EVENTS** 800m - this event is run as a timed final - Junior (under 8, 9 and 10's), 11 yrs and 12 yrs  
200m - this event is run as a timed final - Junior (under 8, 9 and 10's), 11 yrs and 12 yrs

**FIELD EVENTS** Long Jump, High Jump, Shot Put and Discus - please note all field events are grouped into Junior (under 8, 9 and 10's); 11 years and 12 Years

**UNIFORM** Students must wear their sports uniform including a hat and their colour house t-shirt. Please remember to bring recess, lunch, drinks for the day, sunscreen and any required medication

**VOLUNTEERS** As always, without our PARENTS we could not run a carnival. If you can spare anytime on the day please complete the google form included.

**GOOGLE FORM** [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1bj9cs1c0AxDd9rza3UL8DdJI1MS4v4-i\\_uNjDBSrq6o/viewform?ts=5d131db3&edit\\_requested=true](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1bj9cs1c0AxDd9rza3UL8DdJI1MS4v4-i_uNjDBSrq6o/viewform?ts=5d131db3&edit_requested=true)  
Please submit this form indicating which events your child will be competing in and if you are able to assist on the day no later than **Friday 26 July 2019**. (end of Week 1 Term 3)

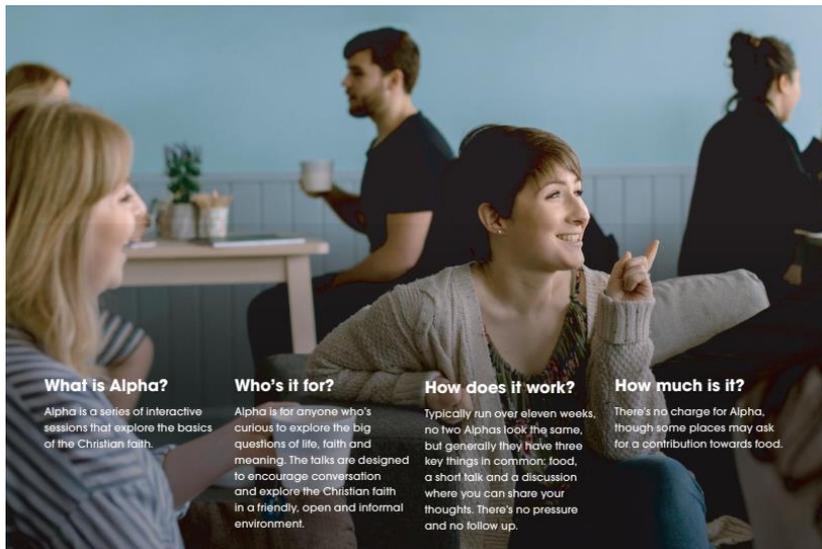
**IMPORTANT** Please complete and submit individual forms for each child

Thank you for your assistance and cooperation.

*Mrs Frost - PE Teacher*



## You're invited ...



### What is Alpha?

Alpha is a series of interactive sessions that explore the basics of the Christian faith.

### Who's it for?

Alpha is for anyone who's curious to explore the big questions of life, faith and meaning. The talks are designed to encourage conversation and explore the Christian faith in a friendly, open and informal environment.

### How does it work?

Typically run over eleven weeks, no two Alphas look the same, but generally they have three key things in common: food, a short talk and a discussion where you can share your thoughts. There's no pressure and no follow up.

### How much is it?

There's no charge for Alpha, though some places may ask for a contribution towards food.

Over 27 million around the world explored the big questions life on Alpha. You're to join the journey

Alpha

[alpha.org.au](http://alpha.org.au)

Have you ever wondered... Is there more to life?

- Got lots of questions?
- Never really understood the Christian faith or been to Church?
- Maybe you gave up on Church a long time ago?
- Perhaps you go to Church but want to get to know God better?
- Are your children asking questions you can't answer?

Come for a meal, watch a talk and have a chat - **'We made such great friends' – Lakes Alpha 2016**

Our next Alpha journey begins on

**Monday 29 July 2019 7pm - 9.15pm (dinner at 7).**

**The Lakes Parish Hall, 21 Lagoon St, Narrabeen**

**All Welcome** - Email [parishoffice@lakesparish.org.au](mailto:parishoffice@lakesparish.org.au) or call 9982 1058 to let us know you and your friends will be coming, or ask to speak to one of the Alpha team – Diane, Marc, Liz, Alex, Cathy, Laura, Janice, Sue

### 2019/20 Lakes Parish Sacramental Program

The next Lakes Parish Sacramental Program will begin with celebration of the Sacrament of Confirmation on weekend of 7/8 September 2019. To be eligible for enrolment in this sacrament, your child must be a baptised Catholic and minimum 7 years of age by 8 September 2019.

**Online registration will take place between 24 June and 12 July.** Please see parish website for details regarding registration, payment, sacrament preparation and other information <https://www.lakesparish.org.au/> Any questions please contact: [sacraments@lakesparish.org.au](mailto:sacraments@lakesparish.org.au)



## Learning Together Playgroups

**It's on again ...  
Monday 1 July 2019**  
**A great opportunity for our Kinder 2020 children  
to meet each other**

St Joseph's will be holding five "Learning Together Playgroups" during June, July and August. These will run on Monday mornings in conjunction with the Parish playgroup. We believe they will supply all pre-schoolers and their parent/s with opportunities to meet other families in the local area, engage in playful learning activities and develop new skills.

The playgroups will be facilitated by early learning educators and staff from the Catholic Schools Office.

All preschool children families and carers are welcome – no RSVP required.

**Term 2:** *Monday 1 July*

**Term 3:** *Monday 29 July*      *Monday 12 August*  
*Monday 26 August*



**ST JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL, NARRABEEN**

**ALL SESSIONS: 9.00 - 10.30AM**

**Term 2:** Monday 17<sup>th</sup> June and  
Monday 1<sup>st</sup> July

**MEET IN THE SCHOOL HALL:**  
108 Ocean Street, Narrabeen 2101  
**Morning tea provided**

**Term 3:** Monday 29<sup>th</sup> July,  
Monday 12<sup>th</sup> and  
Monday 26<sup>th</sup> August

**Like more information?**  
Phone: 9913 3766 or email:  
[sjn@dbb.catholic.edu.au](mailto:sjn@dbb.catholic.edu.au)

ALL PRE-SCHOOL CHILDREN, FAMILIES  
AND CARERS ARE WELCOME - NO RSVP  
REQUIRED

 Community of Catholic Schools  
DIOCESE OF BROKEN BAY

## Canteen Roster & News

The canteen is open Mondays and Fridays provided we have volunteers. On dates where we still need more volunteers, the canteen and ordering on Qkr will remain closed until volunteers are found.

**Volunteers must sign-in at the school office prior to working in the canteen.**

If you are able to volunteer, please email Donita at: [donita.kerin8@gmail.com](mailto:donita.kerin8@gmail.com)



TERM 2	MONDAY		FRIDAY
		28 Jun	Annette Bagot Fiona Bagot
1 Jul	Daniele Munro Nicole Page	5 Jul	Cath Strbik Maria Newman
TERM 3	MONDAY		FRIDAY
22 Jul	<b>Closed – Pupil Free Day</b>	26 Jul	Cath Strbik Nicole Page
29 Jul	Jodie Peterson Closed – Need another volunteer	2 Aug	<b>Closed – Athletics Carnival</b>
5 Aug	Kelly Therkelson Justine Cattle	9 Aug	Brigid Tysoe Regina Wilkinson
12 Aug	Lesha Evans Kelly Casey	16 Aug	Nula Quigley Jess Crapis / Aime Colreavy
19 Aug	Closed – Need 2 Volunteers	23 Aug	Closed – Need 3 Volunteers
26 Aug	Closed – Need 2 Volunteers	30 Aug	Michelle Grice Claire Littler
2 Sep	Jess Crapis Closed – Need 2 Volunteers	6 Sep	Closed – Need 3 Volunteers
9 Sep	Closed – Need 2 Volunteers	13 Sep	Closed – Need 3 Volunteers
16 Sep	Kelly Therkelson Sarah Reid	20 Sep	Closed – Need 3 Volunteers
23 Sep	Closed – Need 2 Volunteers	27 Sep	Cath Strbik Closed – Need 2 extra Volunteers

## Messages from the office

### Parent Volunteers

We love parents volunteering at St Joseph's.

All volunteers should sign in at the office on arrival, and sign out when leaving.

When you volunteer for the first time please attend the office to complete a [Volunteer Declaration Form](#) and provide ID (drivers licence). You will also be taken through a short induction regarding emergency procedures at St Joseph's.



### School Fees

Instalment schedule payment dates for school fees can be found on our school website [here](#).

The Fee Liaison Unit (FLU) at the Catholic Schools Office looks after all enquiries regarding overdue school fees and financial hardship.

The contact for St Joseph's Narrabeen at FLU is:

Name: Brendan Smith  
Tel: 9847 0738  
Email: [schoolfees@dbb.org.au](mailto:schoolfees@dbb.org.au)

### Qkr & canteen orders

Did you know you can place your Qkr canteen orders days, or even weeks, in advance?

You do not need to wait until the day you require the lunch order.

Avoid missing the cut off by placing your orders a few days before.

Qkr FAQs can be found on our school website [here](#).



### School App

Do you have the school APP on your phone? We use this APP to send notifications and reminders, ie "cut off date for Mother's Day orders".

There is a page on our school website [here](#) with all information on how to download, and the functions available from the APP.

iTunes <https://itunes.apple.com/us/app/st-josephs-primary-school/id1203501732?mt=8&ign-mpt=uo%3D4>

Google Play <https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.fraynetwork.dbb.sin>

### School Band

#### Roar Music Northern Beaches

If your child is interested in joining the school band, keyboard or recorder groups, please contact Monique Warokka at [monique@roarmusicnorthernbeaches.com](mailto:monique@roarmusicnorthernbeaches.com) or 9984 0369



### OOSH Northern Beaches

All enquiries for Before and After School Care can be directed to either Flavia (on site before and after school), by phone to OOSH head office (9984 8089) or email [manager@ooshnb.com.au](mailto:manager@ooshnb.com.au).

Before school care is from 7am-9pm, and after school care finishes at 6pm.

Website: [www.ooshnb.com.au](http://www.ooshnb.com.au)  
Head Office: 9984 8089  
St Joseph's OOSH: 0422 000 693



### Second Hand Uniform Shop

As we have very limited stock in the second hand uniform shop, BEFORE placing any orders on Qkr please contact Amy Fittler who will let you know if size/stock is available.

Amy can be contacted on 0421 981 485.

New uniform items can be purchased from Lowes at Warriewood Square, or online.



## July School Holiday Activities

Northern Beaches Council Vacation Care Services – [Northern Beaches Vacation Care](#) or 9942 2312 or email [vacationcare@northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au](mailto:vacationcare@northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au)

**The Football Factory** – July school holiday camps 8th July – 22nd July 2019. Half & Full Days | Extended days 8.30am-5.30pm. For 5-14 year olds. Book from 2 days to 10 days – [www.thefootballfactory.com.au](http://www.thefootballfactory.com.au) or 9972 7766

**Goodwins Tennis Academy** – July school holiday program, held at Kitchener Park, Mona Vale. Full details on website: <https://www.goodwinstennisacademy.com.au/> Contact Joel on 0410 523 726; email [goodwinstennisacademy@outlook.com](mailto:goodwinstennisacademy@outlook.com)

**Evolve Tennis Academy** - [https://www.evolutetennisacademy.com/holiday\\_camps\\_or\\_contact\\_9971-0644](https://www.evolutetennisacademy.com/holiday_camps_or_contact_9971-0644) or by email: [evolutetennis@evolutetennisacademy.com](mailto:evolutetennis@evolutetennisacademy.com)

**Macquarie University, Junior Science Academy** – <https://www.mq.edu.au/about/campus-services-and-facilities/childcare-centres/junior-science-academy>

**Northern Beaches Council Vacation Care Services** – [Northern Beaches Vacation Care](#) or 9942 2312 or email [vacationcare@northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au](mailto:vacationcare@northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au). Online bookings will open **Monday, 17<sup>th</sup> June at 7am**. See website for full information.

**Soulfood for Kids Workshops at the Tramshed, Narrabeen** - Move, Learn, Laugh, Relax, Play. The ultimate workshop to feed your child's body, mind and spirit. Phone: 0414071934 or 0410158098, email: [fiona@inspiredwellbeing.com.au](mailto:fiona@inspiredwellbeing.com.au), website: <https://www.inspiredwellbeing.com.au/kids.html>

**Motiv8sports Northern Beaches** - School Holidays 3 Day Olympics Multi-Sports Camps - For more information go to: <https://motiv8sports.com.au/franchise/northernbeaches/>