

Term 2 Core Value: Respect

School Rule: Be inclusive and take turns

Respectful Relationships Focus: Let someone go before you

Keeping our St Joseph's community safe

Although restrictions are gradually lifting, we would ask that you continue to keep your child at home if they are unwell or showing ANY cold symptoms for the safety and health of everyone in the St Joseph's community.

As per government rules and guidelines, if you have ANY cold symptoms get tested and stay isolated until you receive results.

Please keep a physical distance of 1.5m when on the school playground for drop off and pick up.



Dear Parents

I am very happy to announce that Mrs Kath McCamey has been appointed as the permanent teacher/librarian for our school beginning Term 3. Kath has been acting in the position since term 4 last year and has started some great initiatives in the library. Kath will continue to teach Year 2 on Thursday as library days are Tuesday and Wednesday. Look out for some enrichment programs in areas of interest for different groups of children in the library in the future!

Farewell Assembly for Mrs Fran Jones

On Thursday 2 July, the students last day of school for this term, we will have a short assembly at 2.45pm under the shade cloth to farewell Mrs Fran Jones who is retiring from her Teacher/Librarian position after 15 years of service to St Joseph's Narrabeen. Fran has been on long service leave since last year. Parents are welcome to attend but stand 1.5m apart on the basketball playground.

Semester 1 reports and parent / teacher interviews

As notified previously, Semester 1 reports will be available via Compass on Friday 3 July. Parent teacher interviews will be available in the first 2 weeks of Term 3.

Booking for interviews will also be via the Compass app and will be opened today. Please see instructions on how to book later in this newsletter.

This year we are inviting you to have a '3-way interview'. This means the parent, teacher AND student are present at the interview to discuss progression of learning and future goals. This offer is open to parents of students in years 2-6. This acknowledges the fact that students are active engaged participants in their learning who can articulate their areas of strength, improvement and difficulty. It means learning is not something that happens TO them but something they participate in and make decisions about at a certain level too. The 3-way interview is an option.

Update on changing our uniform contractor from Lowes

As communicated to you in the newsletter in week 7, we have begun the process of changing our uniform contractor. This is due to the issues raised by many parents over the last 2 years in regard to supply of items and slow back orders from the Lowes store. Our P&F president Mark Page communicated to us the decision made at the P&F meeting to pursue a new contractor. Please contact Mark if you would like to express an opinion about the changeover.

We are in the final stages of negotiating the changeover to Cowan & Lewis. This company supplies to many of our Catholic schools in the diocese. They are an online company. The biggest change for you as parents will be the process for buying uniform items. Ordering will be online and orders are dropped off at the school twice a week for your child to bring home. Samples of sizes will be left at the school if you need that service. I will keep you informed of exactly when we will change over.

Term 3 events in light of Covid 19 restrictions

The running or cancellation of some of our Term 3 events hinges on these rules. I will keep you informed as we confirm rules and regulations and dates.

- **Grandparents Mass and morning tea** - Cancelled. Sadly this event celebrating our wonderful grandparents is aimed at the most vulnerable in our community and cannot happen with restrictions of numbers in the church and for the morning tea in the hall or library.
- **Athletics carnival - scheduled for Friday 31 July** - We are still waiting for the official word from the Narrabeen Academy of Sport about their rules and regulations so we can work out how to run our athletics carnival, possibly without parent help or spectators.
- **Band Performance assembly - Wednesday 26 August** - We can possibly run in 3 short sessions in the Blue room with a limited number of parents per session.
- **P&F Fundraiser for 2020** - Colour fun run at Narrabeen Oval (Shark Park) **Friday 18th September**. Fundraising event organiser extradonaire, parent Sam Mancell has had this company booked since late last year for what should be a really fun afternoon for the children. This was the new alternative event from the Fun Fair for this year. We are still very hopeful it will all go ahead. More details early next term.

Have you checked out our St Joseph's Narrabeen Facebook page?

We are regularly adding new photos and stories of day to day events at school. Take a look to see evidence of your generosity for the St Vincent De Paul winter appeal collection today!

Reminder - Last day of term for students - Thursday 2 July

The staff will be attending a Staff development day for all Broken Bay Catholic schools on Friday 3 July.

Kiss & Ride Zone

A reminder to parents that the kiss and ride zones in the morning and afternoon are NO PARKING zones, please do not park and leave your car as it disrupts the flow of cars in the queue.

Stay well and safe



Virginia Outred
Principal

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[St Joseph's website](#)
[St Joseph's Google School Calendar](#)



2020 School Photos

School Photos day is Wednesday 12 August 2020 – week 3 of Term 3

All students are to wear full winter uniform. Photo orders will be via the Compass parent portal, either using the App or a PC/laptop web browser.

Information on how to book will be emailed home in next week's newsletter.



Religious Education News

St Vincent de Paul Winter Appeal

Thank you for all the generous donations for the St Vincent de Paul Appeal. This afternoon the Mission Team will organise all the items to be dropped off to either the local St Vincent de Paul shop, or food and specific clothing items will be delivered to the Brookvale outreach centre next week. Below is a photo of our infant class captains holding a small amount of the generous donations.



Returning to Mass

Next term classes will start to return to Mass with the parish at 9:30am Mass on Thursdays. The church has set out spaces that include one person per 4m², and the students will be required to sit in these allocated spots. At this stage Years 4-6 will return to Mass and Years K-3 will be involved in a small liturgy in the church later in the term. More information will follow regarding the liturgies.

Through the week I also had a parent inquire about returning to weekend Masses. Yes, all Masses are on and from 1 July, 80 parishioners are able to be seated in the church. At this stage you are required to book into a Mass time through the parish website and Try Booking. This can be done up to 30 minutes before Mass, and all members of the same household may sit together when attending Mass.

Please click on the parish link below for further details <https://www.lakesparish.org.au/>

Catherine Gualtieri - Religious Education Coordinator

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

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

Spread the Word ~ Enrolling Now for Kinder 2021

Although we are socially distancing, we are still taking enrolments and conducting private tours for kinder 2021.

If you have family or friends considering enrolment at St Joseph's in 2021, please spread the word!

An advertisement for St Joseph's Catholic Primary School. It features a group of young children in school uniforms sitting on the floor and smiling. The text reads: "Enrolling now for Kinder 2021", "Phone 9913 3766 to book a private tour", and "You will encounter a warm and welcoming community environment at St Joseph's Narrabeen". The school's logo is in the bottom right corner, which includes a cross, a sun, and the text "St. Joseph's CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL Narrabeen BUILD IN LOVE".

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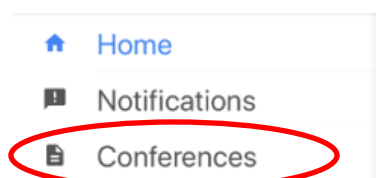
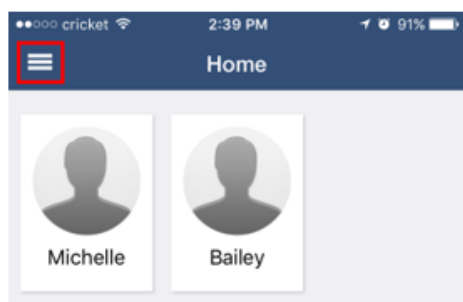
Compass – Parent Teacher Interview Bookings

BOOKINGS ARE NOW OPEN, AND CLOSE FRIDAY 3 JULY 2020



Booking your Parent/Teacher Interview (called “Conferences” on Compass)

- On the Compass APP on your phone, click the three horizontal bars in the top left corner and then select 'Conferences' from the menu that slides open. The main Conference screen will open where you can see all Conference cycles (interviews) that the school has made available to parents. To start the booking process click on “**2020 Parent Teacher Interviews**”.
- A message will pop up with details of the conference cycle you have selected. Once read, click “okay” at the bottom to continue.
- If you have more than one child, you will need to select which student to book for first. Select one of your students to proceed with booking. If you have only one child at St Joseph’s, you will not see this screen.
- A summary of the teacher you can book with for the student you select will be displayed. To book in, click your child’s teacher’s name.
- The next screen will show the available timeslots for this teacher. Select a timeslot.
- Once you select “Confirm Booking” you will see a summary of your bookings showing staff member, student name, time and date.
- If you need to change your booking, you can go back in and remove your booking and choose a different timeslot.
- Once bookings have closed (end of term), you will not be able to change your booking.



Interview bookings can be made in the Compass parent portal (either on your phone or on a web browser on PC/laptop).

Instructions for accessing Compass on either a web browser or the App can be found on our school website [here](#). If you require assistance setting up the Compass app on your phone, please phone Kerrie in the office who can talk you through the steps.

Handy Hints

- *When searching for our school to set up initially, search “Narrabeen”, not “St Josephs”.*
- *Do not “log out” when you have finished using the App on your phone, just close the App (saves having to remember your login details).*



YEAR 6 FUNDRAISER CUPCAKE STALL

Date: Wed 1st July

Cost: \$1 or \$2 per cake

*please bring correct change



*see your teacher for a possible alternative if your child has allergies or contact kimberley.cusack@yahoo.com.au for further info.

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Contact Nikita at the club for more details;

Ph: 9972 7070

E: narrabeen@anytimefitness.com.au

DM:  



CSO, High School, Wellbeing & Community Notices

Gumnut Kindergarten

St Faiths Gumnut Kindergarten in Narrabeen have positions available for 3-5 year olds in a caring, nurturing environment.

We are open 8.30am-4.30pm
CCB Available

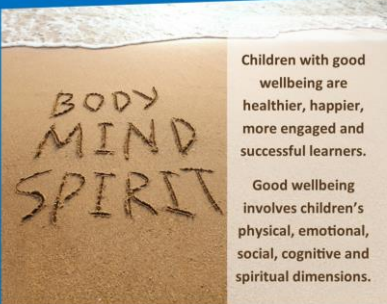
If you have a child who is ready to start preschool life, please contact us

T: 971 2463

W: <https://gumnutkindy.org.au/>

Live Life Well @ School

WEEKLY WELLBEING



Children with good wellbeing are healthier, happier, more engaged and successful learners.

Good wellbeing involves children's physical, emotional, social, cognitive and spiritual dimensions.

Help your kids achieve better wellbeing with the help of the NSW Department of Education's *Weekly Wellbeing Challenge*.

Search for 'Weekly Wellbeing Challenge' at: www.education.nsw.gov.au



Developed by Northern Sydney Local Health District

Live Life Well @ School

HEALTHY & FUN DRINKS



Make Fruit Water Infusions

Try different combinations from ingredients such as cucumbers, oranges, lemons, berries or herbs.

Try using items from your own garden if you have them e.g. mint, rosemary, lemon grass.

Let your combinations infuse for about an hour and then enjoy the fresh taste! (add ice to suit)

Tip: compost the organic waste if you can.

Recommended daily fluid intake:

- 5 glasses (1 litre) for 5 to 8 year olds
- 7 glasses (1.5 litres) for 9 to 12 year olds

healthdirect.gov.au/hydration-tips-for-children



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July School Holiday Vacation Care, Camps and Activities

Macquarie University, Junior Science Academy – <https://www.mq.edu.au/about/campus-services-and-facilities/childcare-centres/school-holiday-programs>

Manly Warringah Basketball - School holiday camps (6-8 July). 5 to 9yrs 9am to 11:30am and 10 to 14 years 12:30 to 3:00pm at Northern Beaches Indoor Sport Centre, Warriewood. Cost: \$99 (if event cancelled a refund will be issued). Enquiries: 9913 3622. Bookings <https://manlybasketball.com.au/camps-programs/>.

Goodwins Tennis Academy – 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

Contact information from the office

Parent Volunteers

We love parents volunteering at St Joseph's.

All volunteers should sign in at Compass Kiosk in 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.



Compass Parent Portal

There are two ways to access Compass - using the parent portal on any modern web browser or using the 'Compass School Manager' app on your mobile device. Parents can enter full day absences, access student academic reports, school calendar and update contact numbers and email addresses via Compass. All parents have their own individual login details (emailed direct to you from the CSO).

WHOLE DAY ABSENCE Enter via the APP on your phone (sick, holiday) – you do not need to change the times, the default of “8am to 5pm” covers the school day. Absences of 10 or more days - [Request for Leave](#) form must be submitted to the office as well as entering via APP

ARRIVING TO SCHOOL LATE .. Enter via Kiosk in school office

LEAVING SCHOOL EARLY Enter via Kiosk in school office



Kiss & Ride Reminders

Please exit the K&R zone as soon as you have loaded/unloaded your child/ren. **Please do not stop to chat / leave your vehicle.**

Please enter the queue from Wellington St, making a left turn into Lagoon Street and the K&R zone.

For the safety of all students, please do not make U-turns in Lagoon St outside the school/church/bus zone/K&R zone

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

Qkr & canteen orders

Did you know you can place your Qkr canteen orders days, or even two 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](#).



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.



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 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.

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

Website: www.ooshnb.com.au
Head Office: 9984 8089
St Joseph's OOSH: 0422 000 693

No Nuts

Please help us keep our students with allergies safe.

No nuts, tree nuts, pine nuts or products made from or containing any nuts to be brought to school (including pesto, peanut butter, almond butter, Nutella, nut oils).

