

Term 3 Core Value: Respect

School Rule: Care for the place you're in

Respectful Relationships Focus: Help pack away materials

Staff and students **who suspect they may have** COVID-19 **must not return to school** or work until they return a negative COVID-19 result and are symptom-free. Schools **must sight the negative COVID-19 test result.**

Please read the list of symptoms that the Dee Why Respiratory Clinic suggests indicating when testing should occur.

* **Fever** * **Dry cough** * **Sore Throat** * **Runny or stuffy nose** * **Shortness of breath**

Covid safety requirements - checking in using the QR code.

If you must enter the school, please remember to check in using the QR code displayed on all gates and around the school. You must wear a mask if you enter the school.



Dear parents

As I said in my communication to you yesterday, the announcement by the NSW govt that the Greater Sydney lockdown is now extended for another 4 weeks would have triggered many emotions in all of us. Coupled with that is the increase in cases and venues of concern in our local area. Once again, I want to let you know that we are community and are therefore there for each other. Please contact us if you need to talk something through, email your class teacher if you'd like some help with supervising the Home Based Learning. I am also aware that the lockdown may be affecting your livelihood, and this causes stress too. Please let us know if you need fee relief. The CSBB has [processes in place](#) ready to assist.

Advice from NSW Health via our CSBB OH&S officer re: actions to take when close contacts, secondary contacts and casual contacts are identified in the community

I have a very clear flowchart about steps we need to take in terms of isolation, testing and informing the community depending on the type of contact that is identified when a parent is informed or identified. If your child has not been at school then none of these procedures concern you. The main message for all families to know is this:

If NSW Health notifies parents or carers as a close contact, students of these parents must isolate for 14 days regardless of the test result; students cannot attend school if parents or someone living in their household is self-isolating.

The procedures for staff if they are identified as a close contact, secondary close contact or casual contact are different as they are spending a lot more time at school and therefore this affects all members of staff and the children who are at school. If any of these cases arise, in some instances we would need to inform families to test and isolate or return. Be assured you would be informed immediately. A staff member becoming a close contact is a very real possibility at this stage.

To this end, we are arranging a new timetable for staff next week that enables more staff to work from home and less staff mixing on premises. If your child needs to attend school they will be supervised in a group to work online by 1 teacher and a teachers aide in a large group.

To help us plan this better we would like families who need to send their children to school for any day next week (2-6 August) due to their family work circumstances to fill in a [NEW GOOGLE FORM](#).

School Buses during August Lockdown

Please note there will be **NO SCHOOL BUSES** operating to our school (morning and afternoon) during the August lockdown period (2 August through to end of August).

Communication and HBL

We will continue to keep you informed by our usual channels of communication. The best way to keep up with the messages and changes is to make sure you read all of the emails being sent home via Compass. These are also loaded onto the St Joseph's school website in the [Covid online Info Hub](#). You can check back anytime in the hub for information. **Here's a quick summary of where to go for key information during Home Learning.**

- **COMPASS:** We send official school emails via the Compass app. These will also be updated on the Online Info Hub.
- **SCHOOL WEBSITE:** We have two key pages:
 - The Online Info Hub for COVID Home Learning, where we are constantly adding all messaging so it's in one handy place: <https://www.sindbb.catholic.edu.au/parent-hub-covid-home.../>
 - And the Parent HBL Lesson Hub, where parents can get a clear overview of lesson plans: <https://www.sindbb.catholic.edu.au/.../home-based.../>
- **EMAIL:** Teachers will email parents directly with news specific to students and classes. (Including login details and passwords if you need them.)
- **SEESAW:** Kindergarten to Year 2 will use Seesaw to allow communication between students and teachers, and to allow students to complete and submit work within the app.
- **GOOGLE CLASSROOM:** Years 3-6 will use Google Classroom to communicate directly between students and teachers, and to allow students to complete and submit work.

Virtual Athletics carnival last Friday

Thanks to all the families who participated so enthusiastically in our virtual athletics carnival. What a fun day to break up the week. The videos of the chants, challenges and winner's announcement are all on FB. Congratulations everyone - great community spirit on show!

Term 2 Build in Love Awards

Each term the class teacher chooses one child from each class as the recipient of the *Build in Love* award aligned to our school value for that term. The following students were recognised for the way they epitomised the value of **Stewardship** for term 2. Video link: <https://vimeo.com/joeynarrabeen/buildinlovet3>

Kinder – Guilly C
Year 1 – Austin M
Year 2 – Max M

Year 3 – Max S
Year 4 – Nate
Year 5 – Ryder D

Year 6 – Bianca H
Star – Dylan D
Moon – Dylan F

Adjusted Term 3 dates for your diary

- ~~Tuesday 10 August~~ – Parent Engagement – Open Classrooms for enquiry Learning, 2.15-2.55pm
- ~~Thursday 12 August~~ – Northern Beaches Cluster Athletics Carnival
- **Monday 16 August** - P&F General meeting @ 7pm via zoom
- **PARISH TO UPDATE FAMILIES - Saturday 21 August** - Lakes Parish Sacrament of Confirmation
- **NEW RESCHEDULED DATE – 3 September** - Years 3&4 excursion to Botanic Gardens
- **TBC - Friday 3 Sept** - P&F Father's Day breakfast
- **TBC - Tuesday 14 September** - Stage 2 Gala Day
- **TBC - Thursday 16 September** - Stage 3 Gala Day
- **NEW RESCHEDULED DATE - 2 November** - Years 1&2 excursion to historic schoolhouse

Other important dates for your forward planning in Term 4 2021

- **Thursday 28 – Friday 29 October** - Year 5&6 overnight camp to Canberra
- **Thursday 18 November** - School Musical @ Sacred Heart Mona Vale hall

Warm regards



Virginia Outred
Principal

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



Religious Education News

The Sacrament of Confirmation

Please look out for an email from the Parish with updated information regarding the Sacrament of Confirmation.

Churches are currently closed in Broken Bay

Visit The Lakes Parish Catholic Website to see Father Robert's latest updates. <https://www.lakesparish.org.au/>
If you subscribe to the Lakes Parish YouTube Channel you should receive a notification of when Masses are available: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCKYfhI5GrCWlfhWtPFxCgw/featured?view_as=subscriber

Kath Fogwell - Religious Education Coordinator

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

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). Parent guides can be found on the Compass Parent Portal page of our website [here](#).

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

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

[2021 School Fees Schedule](#)

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?

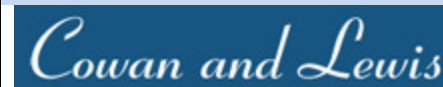
You do not need to wait until the day you require the lunch order.

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



New uniform items can be purchased from [Cowan & Lewis](#) via their online store.

Full details for both Cowan & Lewis and our Second Hand Uniform Shop can be found on our website [here](#).

Second Hand Uniforms

We have limited stock in the second hand uniform shop. BEFORE placing orders on Qkr please contact Naomi Ljubic who will let you know if size/stock is available. Naomi can be contacted on 0421 667 989. **As the second hand shop is run by a parent volunteer, please allow up to one week for delivery.**

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 OOSH staff (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-9am, 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).

