ST JOSEPH'S NEWS



This Week at Joeys

We hope you had a relaxing and restful break. It was wonderful to finally have some lovely weather!

The students have settled nicely back into their learning and are enjoying seeing their school friends again.

Brenda Paul, Acting Principal





ANZAC Day

St Joseph's Civics and Citizenship Leaders led the school in an ANZAC Ceremony on Tuesday. It was a beautiful and respectful ceremony.

We are also very proud of our Year 6 students Ava, Emily and Lenny, who attended the community march. Emily wore her Great-Grandfather's medals and Lenny wore his Grandfather's medals.

Recent News



Our Coast

Year 1 and 2 have high-tailed it to the Coastal Environment Centre today!
This excursion will promote positive connections to our local environment and will link in with Geography and Science units.



Upcoming Key Dates

May 4th - Northern Beaches Cross Country carnival (for those who qualified)

May 5th - Mother's Day breakfast, followed by Mass at 9.30am. More details further in the Newsletter.

May 10 - 12 - NAPLAN

May 27 - School Disco! More info to follow soon.

We have an ALL-SEASON uniform!

The new uniform is for all seasons, no 'winter' changeover is required - just layer up as the weather gets colder! You can find out ALL the options for uniform including long pants, tights and socks here. We have loved seeing students in the new look!



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Things to Know



Save the Date!

It will be BIG
It will be
BRILLIANT!
The Joey's
School Disco is
coming on May
27 – so please
save the date!

It will be BRIGHT

Cross Country Helpers

The Northern Beaches Cross Country is being run next Wednesday May 4 at Rat Park. Your child will have brought home a note if they made the team. We still need some parent volunteers to help in the morning. Please let Mrs Windon know if you are available via this email.

Are you our next Canteen Helper?



We hope so! We're desperately looking for Canteen volunteers!

- It only takes a few hours (not the entire day)
- You're not on your own you'll have someone to help you
- You don't need to be able to cook!
- We welcome Mums, Dads, Grandparents and friends too!

<u>Find out what dates are available and how to sign up</u> or email Nicole:

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Important News



Mother's Day Celebration

Next Thursday morning we have our Mother's Day Breakfast from 7.30am, hosted by our Year 2 parents.

Remember to get your orders into Qkr by 11am next Monday morning.

The classrooms will be open until 9am.

We would then love you to join us for a beautiful Mother's Day celebration Mass at 9.30am.

Easter Resurrection

I hope you had a wonderful break and were able to celebrate Easter with family and friends. On Tuesday, all students celebrated the Resurrection of Jesus. The Easter season continues through until Pentecost.

-Kath Fogwell, RE Co-Ordinator

COVID: The Latest

The announcement to ease the isolation requirements for close contacts was made on 20 April 2022. This will enable students and staff who are close contacts and have no symptoms to continue to attend school if they follow guidelines agreed with NSW Health. Close contacts attending school will need to adhere to the following in addition to the NSW Health guidelines:

- They must notify the school via email if they are intending to return under this provision.
- They should conduct a daily RAT and return a negative result each morning before attending school for 5 school days.
- Any visitor to a school site who is a close contact is required to advise the school that they are a close contact before they come on site.
- These visitors should conduct a daily RAT and return a negative result before attending. They must also wear a mask indoors at all times. SJN school will consider if the visit can be conducted virtually.

Our Hygienist will continue onsite every day for Term 2, as well as the usual broader cleaning program.

Take care everybody!