

ST JOSEPH'S NEWS

TERM 3, WEEK 7



This Week at Joeys

In the coming weeks we will be inviting students, teachers and parents to provide feedback on their experience of our school using an online survey. The surveys are an important part of our whole school evaluation and planning process. Years 4-6 students will also be completing the student survey in the next few weeks.

We would like to invite you to complete the Tell Them From Me (TTFM) Partners in Learning survey. As we value the role of parents and carers within our school community we would greatly appreciate your feedback. The information you provide will be used to maintain our commitment to working together in partnership to further improve student learning and wellbeing at St Joseph's Catholic primary school Narrabeen

The survey is anonymous and will take approximately 20 minutes to complete. You are able to access the parent survey on your computer or mobile device here: www.tellthemfromme.com/sjn108

Virginia Outred

Virginia Outred, Principal



Diocese of Broken Bay Athletics Carnival

On Tuesday this week, six of our students represented the Northern Beaches cluster. They all competed so well. Three of our students placed to go onto the next level. This is an amazing result for our small school! Congratulations to:

Jacinta P (800m) Jessica G (discus) and Jordan P (discus) who will compete for the Broken Bay Diocese at the NSW CPS Athletics carnival on Sept 9th at Newcastle.



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Upcoming Key Dates

Sept 2 – Father's Day Breakfast
Sept 6 – Parent Engagement Session 2pm (Religious Ed)
Sept 13 – Years 3 & 4 Gala Day
Sept 15 – Years 5 & 6 Gala Day
Sept 22 – Students' Last Day of Term
Sept 23 – Staff Development Day – Pupil Free Day

October 21 – Colour Fun Run for students
October 22 – Trivia Night for parents and carers
November 14 – Pupil Free Day
November 24 – Whole School Musical



Parent Engagement Session: Next Tuesday

Once again we invite you into our classrooms to engage with how your child learns!
This time it is a Religious Education lesson.
When: Tuesday 6th Sept
Times: K-2 classes. 2-2.30pm
3-6 classes. 2.15-2.45pm
You are welcome to take your child home after the lesson.



Well Done Jaxon!

Congratulations to Jaxon P from Year 6, who played in the Polding Representative team in the NSW PSSA Softball comp Mudgee this week! It was an outstanding result for the team, who came 4th Overall (out of 13 teams). They won 9 games and lost 3. Jaxon once again displayed incredible sportsmanship and spirit and we are so proud of him!

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Father's Day Brekkie

The Father's Day celebration is on tomorrow. You can arrive anytime from 7am and classrooms open at 8am. It wraps up at 8.45am. We look forward to a great morning! Many thanks to Amelia and Claire, class parents from kinder for their organisation of this wonderful community event.

Cards that Count - Last Chance to Order!

This beautiful initiative from the P&F is an optional way to purchase cards hand drawn by your child.

Details were emailed via Compass yesterday. (Check your child's bag too!)

Deadline to order online is TOMORROW.



The Handball Olympics

This week, students have been busy training for the Handball Olympics! It's been great to see younger years mentored by older students, and the Year 6 students have worked out a roster for the courts so everyone has had a chance to practice. Next week the comp begins! We will be holding rounds at lunchtimes and class sport time to choose a boy and girl winner for each grade to compete against some of our neighbouring Catholic schools at the end of term. You can enter your child [via this link](#).

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Supporting Joeys



Keen to help with the Musical?

We are looking for a costume coordinator – which involves liaising with teachers and helping plan/ design and coordinate sewers for the costumes if needed. Please contact the school via email if you think you may have this skill set.

COVID Safety

Staff and students identified as close contact must advise the school. They can continue to attend school if they test negative every day for five days, have no symptoms and must wear a mask when indoors. Please note that mask wearing at school cannot be enforced for children under 12. However, we highly encourage children who are close contacts to wear one. More info via [this link](#).



Canteen Committee

Thank you for the response to this appeal last week. It looks like we have a small committee of 6 to begin discussions about improving our canteen service for the school.

In the meantime, if you would like to volunteer for Canteen, [you can do so here](#).

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