

ST JOSEPH'S NEWS

WEEK 5, TERM 3 – 2023



This Week at Joeys

We're at the half way mark of Term 3 – can you believe it!

There's a lot more to come this term, with many opportunities to be part of our vibrant community in celebration and fun!

That includes Book Week, Father's Day, our Movie Night, Dance Competition... and that's not all! We'll keep you posted with details about all of them.

Today we had many students representing us beautifully at the Northern Beaches Zone Athletics Carnival. We'll share the official results when we have them but early reports are that Year 6's Jessica smashed the shotput (winning with a huge result of 8.18m), and came third in discus and high jump too. Year 3's Zack also blitzed the 100m.

Well done, we can't wait to share the full results soon!

Virginia Outred
Virginia Outred, Principal



Go the Matildas!

We had a lot of fun embracing the green and gold Matildas spirit this week, and our Joeys absolutely loved it. A special mention must be made of Kindy teacher Mrs Jarman and Year 2 and learning support teacher Mrs Brooks, who bravely and proudly donned their Lioness supporter gear to cheer on their homeland! Well played.

Life at Joeys



P&F Meeting

The upcoming P&F meeting on Monday August 21 will be on Zoom and we will send the link via Compass. We are on the lookout for people to take on some roles in 2024 when our co-presidents, Amy and Sarah and our treasurer Katherine step down after three fantastic years of service. If you want to know more, email the school to chat to Mrs Outred. The presidents role could be shared again.

Book Week Parade: Aug 22

This year, Book Week takes place from August 21-25. Our Librarian Mrs Paul and Year 6 Library Leaders are busy planning a whole week of book-inspired fun and activities!

This year's theme is Read, Grow, Inspire.

The PARADE will take place on Tuesday August 22 at 9.15am - all are welcome to watch! Children should come dressed as a character from a book they enjoy.



Father's Day at Joeys

Father's Day is coming on Sept 1 at Joeys and our wonderful Year 2 organisers will share information very soon. However, in preparation for the ceremony, we would like to ask everyone to please submit a photo of their Joey and their Dad or father figure (FYI: This is for use in a presentation that will be shared publicly.) Please send to lulu.wilkinson@dbb.catholic.edu.au by Fri August 18. Thanks!

Zing Activ Dance Comp

Yesterday we sent details of the Dance Challenge evening. Please do the quick yes/no question to give us an idea of numbers. Usually it is only years 3-6 invited to the challenge, but because our Year 2's are learning with Year 3 they are invited too. How exciting!

DATE: WEDNESDAY September 20/

TIME: Doors open 4.30pm for 5.30pm start.

Finishes between 8:00 - 8:30pm

VENUE: Quay centre - 4 Olympic Blvd, Sydney Olympic Park

COST: \$14.00 per person (including children competing)



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The St Joseph's Outdoor Movie Night

We have an all-new community event for Joeys, coming on Friday Sept 8! Our Outdoor Movie Night promises to be a LOT of fun for the whole family.

There are food options to feast on and a hilarious movie to enjoy (School of Rock).

- Doors open at 5pm.
- BYO something to sit on (camping chairs, picnic rugs, etc). Please be mindful of others when setting up your space.
- Friends and family are welcome also - tickets are now on sale via QKR, and you can pre-purchase food too. You are also welcome to bring your own food and/or snacks..

All the details are in the flyer below.

A huge thanks to Julia L, Mum of Year 1's Amelia, for her hard work in putting this together.

(NB: This is an alcohol free event. Children must be accompanied by an adult.)



Milestone Anniversary

St Joseph's Parish's Father Robert will be celebrating 40 years of Priesthood at the 9.30am Mass on Sunday August 20 in the Church of St Joseph, Narrabeen.

This will be followed by refreshments in the parish hall. Everyone is welcome to share in this happy occasion!



Reminder: Public Speaking

A reminder that next week we begin our public speaking throughout classes. We can't wait to hear the different speeches our Joeys have been working hard on! Selected finalists will present to the whole school on August 28 at 2.00pm.



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Key Dates

Overview – Term 3

- AUG 28: School Public Speaking finalists presentation 2.15pm (in the hall)
- AUG 20: P&F Meeting 7pm via Zoom (link to be sent Monday via Compass)
- AUG 21–25: Book Week! Parade is on August 22 at 9.15am
- SEPT 1: Father's Day breakfast
- SEPT 8: P&F Special Event: Movie night
- SEPT 12: Years 3 & 4 Netball/ AFL Gala Day
- SEPT 14: Years 5 & 6 Netball/ AFL Gala Day
- SEPT 19: Parent Engagement Session at 2.15pm and 2.30pm
- SEPT 20: Zing Activ Dance competition
- SEPT 22: Last day of Term



Canteen Roster

Keen to help out? If so, please contact Nicole to assist: nicolegleadow@gmail.com

Term 3	Monday		Friday
July 17	Closed	July 21	Closed - Athletics Carnival
July 24	Geraldine (full day) + Grainne	July 28	Closed
July 31	Geraldine (Full day) + Grainne	August 4	Daph + Lara
August 7	Geraldine (Full day) + Ellen	August 11	Ellen + Chris M
August 14	Geraldine (Full day) + Volunteer needed	August 18	Daph + Renata
August 21	Geraldine (Full day) + Susanna	August 25	
August 28	Geraldine (Full day) + Daph	Sep 1	Daph + Renata
Sep 4	Geraldine + Jackie	Sep 8	Debbie + Sam
Sep 11	Jackie + Kim	Sep 15	Maura + Veronika + Ang
Sep 18	Jackie + Kim	Sep 22	Ellen + Sarah

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ST JOSEPH'S PRIMARY SCHOOL PRESENTS AN

Outdoor

FAMILY AND
CLOSEST FRIENDS
ARE INVITED TOO!



SCREENING

SCHOOL OF ROCK

Friday 8th September

Doors open
Screening
commences
Estimated
Finish

5pm

6pm

8pm

FEATURING

FAIRY FLOSS
HOT DOGS
POPCORN
DRINKS

Adults: \$15

Students: \$13

Under 5: FREE

Pay via QKR by End of Day 4th of September