

# ST JOSEPH'S NEWS

WEEK 10, TERM 1, 2024



## This Week at Joeys

Dear parents,

Congratulations for getting to the end of Term 1! It's always a busy term with new classes, changes to routines, lots of community and sport events, along with hot and humid weather. Thank you for having your children organised and armed with a positive mindset for the Term. It makes such a difference when the students are happy to come to school and enthusiastic about their learning.

Today we bid farewell to Mrs Kim Marlin (pictured right) who has been a Learning Support Assistant/Teacher's Aide at our school for 19 years! Kim has assisted countless children and their families with her calm manner, always smiling and patient. We will miss Kim as part of our wonderful team and wish her all the best for the next chapter in her life.

Today, our Year 6 class participated in the Diocesan wide Year 6 Leadership day. This is conducted by the CSBB Mission team via online activities and then supported with in-school activities. Our Diocesan Bishop, Anthony Randazzo also addressed the children about their roles as leaders and mentors in our schools.

Have a wonderful break, and we will see you back at school on Tuesday, April 30th!

Virginia Outred, Principal

## Heartfelt Condolences

Yesterday we received the sad news that John Perry, a past parent at our school and North Narrabeen surf club stalwart, passed away after battling illness for the past few years. John is husband to Rowena and father to past students Jason and Jacinta. He was always at the sporting events and P&F events helping out as a parent volunteer. We pass on our deepest sympathy to Rowena, Jason and Jacinta.

# What's On at Joeys



## Thank You: 2nd Hand Uniform Shop

Julia Lamb has just stepped down from her role as second hand uniform shop co-ordinator – and we want to say a big thank you for her hard work running it over the last few years! Huge effort.

Welcome to Renata and Bea, who are taking over this role. Their details have been added to [the website here](#) – check with them if you're interested in purchasing or donating. Thank you ladies for your help!

## Mother's Day – May 8th

Our Mother's Day celebration will be held on Wednesday May 8th. We look forward to welcoming all our Mums, Grandmothers, Aunts and special women. You don't need to buy a breakfast, if you wish you can just join us or even BYO. Hot drinks will also be available and breakfast options are now available to order via QKR. We look forward to it and thank Jess and Daph and the Joeys Hub for their hard work on organising this event, and Sam Mancell for generously donating our sign. There's a flyer below with all the details.

## Calling our Dads!

We would love our Dads to put their hands up to help with this Mother's Day event, so the Mums don't have to do every part of it!

You'll likely be needed between 7.30am–9am (you can do just part of this time). There are a variety of jobs, from set up to assembling food and handing it out.

If you can help, please email Lulu via [lulu.wilkinson@dbb.catholic.edu.au](mailto:lulu.wilkinson@dbb.catholic.edu.au) and she can let you know more info. Thank you!

Happy  
MOTHER'S  
DAY

JOIN US FOR A CELEBRATION  
ON WED MAY 8,  
FROM 8.00AM

ORDER BREAKFAST VIA QKR  
BY 9AM MAY 6

ALL MUMS, GRANDMOTHERS,  
AUNTS & FRIENDS WELCOME



## Project Compassion

Thank you to the students who raised money over Lent for Caritas, via Project Compassion.

We raised \$435.15 and we are proud of our Joeys for their generosity and understanding.



## Cross Country – Zone Round

Good luck to our runners representing Joeys at the Zone level of Cross Country! They will be competing in Term 2 on Wednesday May 1st. We know you'll give it your all!



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# Key Dates

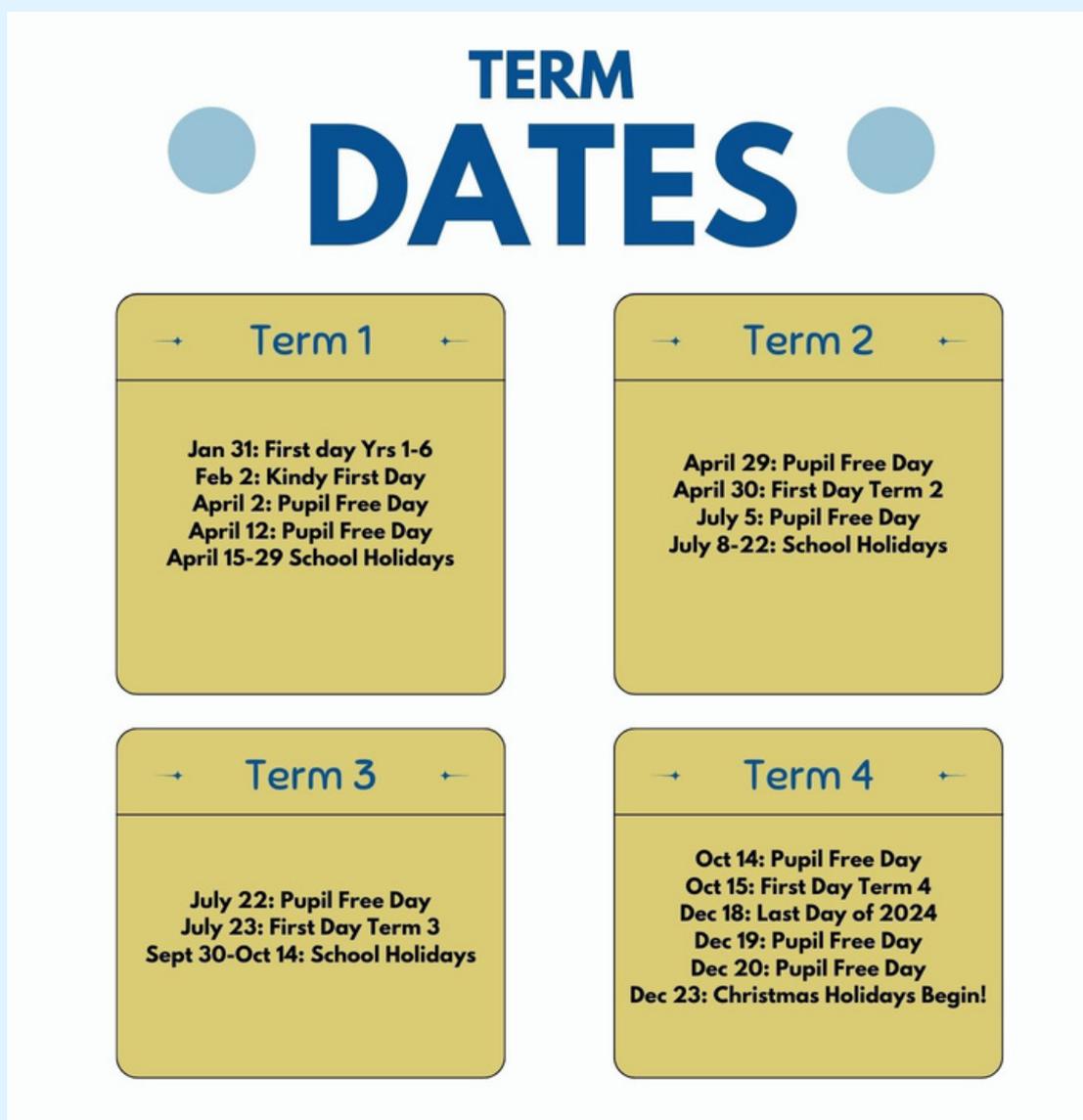
## Things to Remember

### April:

Friday 12th: Pupil Free Day  
Monday 15th–29th: School Holidays  
Monday 29th Pupil Free Day  
Tuesday 30th: First Day of Term 2

### May:

Wednesday 1st: Northern Beaches Cross Country carnival  
**NEW:** Tuesday 7th: Launch of our Friendology program!  
Wednesday 8th: Mother's Day liturgy and celebration



The graphic features the title 'TERM DATES' in large blue letters, flanked by two light blue circles. Below the title are four yellow boxes, each representing a term with its start and end dates and key events. Term 1 (Jan 31 - Apr 15) includes a Pupil Free Day on April 2 and School Holidays from April 15-29. Term 2 (Apr 29 - July 22) includes Pupil Free Days on April 29 and July 5, and School Holidays from July 8-22. Term 3 (July 23 - Oct 14) includes a Pupil Free Day on July 22 and School Holidays from Sept 30 to Oct 14. Term 4 (Oct 15 - Dec 23) includes Pupil Free Days on Oct 14 and Dec 19, the Last Day of 2024 on Dec 18, and Christmas Holidays beginning on Dec 23.

Term	Key Dates and Events
Term 1	Jan 31: First day Yrs 1-6 Feb 2: Kindy First Day April 2: Pupil Free Day April 12: Pupil Free Day April 15-29: School Holidays
Term 2	April 29: Pupil Free Day April 30: First Day Term 2 July 5: Pupil Free Day July 8-22: School Holidays
Term 3	July 22: Pupil Free Day July 23: First Day Term 3 Sept 30-Oct 14: School Holidays
Term 4	Oct 14: Pupil Free Day Oct 15: First Day Term 4 Dec 18: Last Day of 2024 Dec 19: Pupil Free Day Dec 20: Pupil Free Day Dec 23: Christmas Holidays Begin!

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# Mother's Day

Breakfast Orders now available via QKR

## Happy MOTHER'S DAY

**WEDNESDAY MAY 8**

**8.00AM-9.00AM: ROLLING BREAKFAST  
(SCHOOL PLAYGROUND & PARISH HALL)**

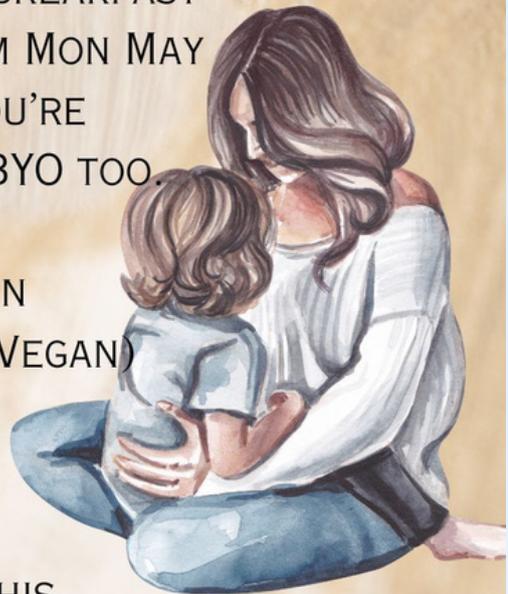
**8.15AM: CLASSROOMS OPEN FOR VISITS**

**9.30AM: A VERY SPECIAL LITURGY (CHURCH)**

PLEASE ORDER YOUR PREFERRED BREAKFAST  
& MAKE PAYMENT VIA QKR BY 9AM MON MAY  
6. PRICES AVAILABLE ON QKR. YOU'RE  
WELCOME TO SIMPLY JOIN US OR BYO TOO.

**DONUT - CHOCOLATE OR CINNAMON  
(OMG! DECADENT DONUTS, GF & VEGAN)  
SCONE WITH CREAM & JAM  
BACON & EGG ROLL**

WE LOOK FORWARD TO SHARING THIS  
MORNING WITH ALL OUR SPECIAL MUMS,  
GRANDMOTHERS, AUNTS & FRIENDS



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