ST JOSEPH'S NEWS WEEK 10, TERM 2, 2025





This Week at Joeys

Thank you everyone for what has been a busy and productive term. We trust that you will have a restful holiday break and return to school nourished by some down time and relaxing endeavours. Take care of yourselves and each other!

Mrs Tiffany Smith, our Year I teacher and acting REC announced her beautiful news today - she and husband Damien are expecting their first child in November (yep, she managed to keep that under wraps - and baggy jumpers - for a while!). We congratulate them and wish her all the best. I will

let you know more details re: her replacement later next term. <u>Watch the lovely moment she shared</u> <u>her news here.</u>

Our Handball Reps did an immense job on

Monday! They travelled to Maria Regina Avalon to compete against them, plus Sacred Heart Mona Vale and St Rose Collaroy Plateau, to find the ultimate Northern Beaches Handball Champions. We're thrilled to say we came second in the comp (by just one point!). Three of our students won and now have official bragging rights. Congrats to everyone who tried their hardest and showed great sportsmanship, and a special well done to Leo P (Yr 6), Mia P (Year 3) and Isla T (Yr 4, who went down to a tie breaker!). Shout out to our Year 6 referees Louis, Jude and Toby, who have done a stellar job as Sports Leaders throughout the entire competiton.

Brenda Paul - Assistant Principal





RSVP for...

Grandparents & Grandfriends Day! The invite is below for details. Please reply by July 11th. ✔ **RSVP HERE**



Dates of Note

July 4th: Pupil Free Day - last day of term July 21st: Pupil Free Day July 22nd: First day of Term 3 Every Tuesday in Term 3 (except when other whole day events on): Zing Activ dance program. All classes wear sports uniform on Tuesdays for Term 3. July 24th: Grandparents and Grandfriends' Day July 29th: Athletics Carnival August 5th: Stage 3 (Years 5 and 6) Netball Gala Day August 15th: Joeys' Hub School Disco August 21st: Northern Beaches Zone Athletics Carnival Week Commencing Sept 1st Week 7: Wellbeing Week Sept 4th: Stage 2 (Years 3 and 4) Netball Gala Day Sept 5th: Father's Day breakfast Sept 25th: Last day of Term 3 Sept 26th: Pupil free day

Athletics Carnival

The Athletics Carnival will be held just after the school holidays, on **Tuesday July 29th**. Like last year, it will be held on the grass area next to the track and field events will be in the main stadium. **You'll find all the info in the note that comes** with the event on Compass.

You have until July 4th at 3pm to enter your child in events. Mrs Frost will complete the schedule over the holidays so please don't miss this deadline.



Zing Activ

Zing is Australia's leading primary school provider for dance, sport and wellbeing programs and events. And **we're thrilled to announce we will enjoy the Zing Dance program in Term 3.** This was made possible by YOU! It's a Joeys Hub (P&F) funded activity.

It's the second time we have embraced the Zing Dance program - we did it two years ago and our students really enjoyed it. It gives every child a chance to dance (some were very surprised by how much they enjoyed it!). The students work towards an end of term dance presentation, and are then able to participate (if they wish) in a huge Interschool Dance Comp (which is enormous fun).

What you need to know: This will be held on Tuesdays in Term 3. All Joeys will wear their sports uniforms on Tuesdays and Fridays in Term 3 (it will replace current class sports days).



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RSVPs now open



YOU'RE INVITED



GRANDPARENTS' DAY

THURSDAY JULY 24TH

9.30AM MASS FOLLOWED BY MORNING TEA & CLASSROOM VISITS



NO COST BUT PLEASE RSVP VIA THE QR CODE FOR CATERING PURPOSES

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Music Info

Want to sign up for band?

LEARN AN INSTRUMENT AND JOIN THE JOEYS BAND! JOIN TODAY DON'T DELAY!



Are you in Year 2 or above and want to learn how to play a musical instrument?

What instrument do you want to learn to play?

~ flute ~ clarinet ~ saxophone ~ trumpet ~ keyboard ~ trombone ~ percussion ~ bass guitar ~

Weekly Band rehearsals and lessons held at school. Join the Fun and Register today!



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DATES

Term 1

Jan 31: Pupil Free Day Feb 3: Years 1-6 First Day Term 1 Feb 5: Kindy First Day April 11: Pupil Free Day April 14-27 School Holidays (includes Easter & ANZAC Day)

Term 3

July 21: Pupil Free Day July 22: First Day Term 3 September 26: Pupil Free Day Sept 29-Oct 12: School Holidays

Term 2

April 28: Pupil Free Day April 29: Pupil Free Day April 30: First Day Term 2 June 9: King's Bday Public Holiday July 4: Pupil Free Day July 7-20: School Holidays

Term 4

Oct 13: First Day Term 4 Dec 17: Last Day of 2025 Dec 18: Pupil Free Day Dec 19: Pupil Free Day Dec 22: Christmas Holidays Begin!



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