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SCHOOL
Newsletter

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Newsletter No. 11

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear St Kevin's families,

The first term has come and gone and after talking with staff, parents and students, all have agreed that it seems to have passed by very quickly. Much has been achieved this term and I always have many to thank for these achievements.

I wish to extend my thanks to the fantastic teaching and administrative staff, parents and friends of our school community for their hard work throughout this term.

Thank you to the many parents who visited their children's classrooms earlier this week to view their child's learning throughout Term One. The children are very proud of their learning achievements and it's always a valuable opportunity to be able to share this learning with families.

Gratitude turns what we have into enough. ~Author
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Stay safe until we meet again next term.

Sincerely,

Lorraine Vincent – Principal

NAPLAN 2018

On 15, 16 and 17 May students in Year 3 and Year 5 will take part in the National Assessment Program – NAPLAN. NAPLAN is not a pass/fail test. It simply looks at what level students are achieving in literacy and numeracy against National Standards and compared with students peers throughout Australia. See information flyer attached.

Parish News

Father Reinaldo will be installed as the Parish Priest of Warringah on Saturday 28th April. Bishop Peter Comensoli will be joining us for a special Mass. All families are welcome to attend, and join us after Mass for a multi-cultural dinner and entertainment in the hall.

Cross Country Carnival

On **Friday 4th May** (Term 2 Week 1), all students from K-6 will attend the **St Kevin's School Cross Country Carnival**. The carnival will be held at James Meehan Reserve, Dee Why. The carnival will begin promptly at 9.30am and will conclude by 11.30am. Students should wear their sports uniform to school on this day and bring everything they need for the remainder of the day at school

ASSEMBLY

Year 2 will share their learning with the school community on Friday @ 2.30pm in the school hall. All welcome!

PRINCIPAL'S AWARD

Congratulations to the following children who will receive this award at tomorrow's Assembly.

Yarraman (Kindergarten)

Alonso for his clear explanations in Maths.

Nginyang Nyanga (Year 1)

Sebastian for always being a kind and caring member of Year 1.

Ngaliya (Year 2)

Sofia A for excellent sentence responses in reading groups.

Ngubaty (Year 3)

Stephanie for her fine sportsmanship on her first Soccer Gala Day. Top effort Stephanie!

Wana Gulang (Year 4)

Charlotte for becoming a valued member of St Kevin's School Community – especially Year 4!

Yudi (Year 5)

Ava for her outstanding approach to learning.

Yudi (Year 6)

Rishi for his magnificent attitude in all his learning.

St Kevin's Diary	
13 April	Last Day Term 1
28 April	Installation Mass and dinner for Father Reinaldo
30 April	First day Term 2 ANZAC Day Liturgy @ 2:45pm in the undercroft
4 May	Cross Country Carnival
15 – 17 May	NAPLAN Year 3 and Year 5

Religious Education

Sacramental Program 2018- Confirmation

A reminder to all parents whose children will make their first sacrament of Confirmation this year.

Information Evening: 24th May (St Kevin's Church)

Sessions: 2/3rd June-23/24th June

Rehearsal: 26th June @ St Kevin's

28th June @ St John's

Confirmation: 30th June

10am St John's

12pm St Kevin's

Term Two-Family Mass

A friendly reminder that our Term 2 Family Mass will be held on the weekend of our St Kevin's Feast Day.

Date: Saturday 2nd June @ 6pm

Year 5 & 6 will be hosting and supplying supper for the evening.

Project Compassion

Thank you for the many boxes that have been returned. If you still need to return, please do so ASAP.



Cupcake Stall

What a wonderful success the Cupcake Stall was! A big thank you to all parents and students who baked and made yummy treats for the day. Also thank you to all the students who purchased a cake and supported this wonderful foundation.

Congratulations St Kevin's, we raised **\$259!**

Faith

One of the great Christian virtues is faith. Faith leads us beyond our doubts and hesitations and gives us direction and purpose.



Staff Development Days for 2018

- **Monday – 15 October**

Parents & Friends News

Preparing for Term 2

Term 2 is fast approaching! The P&F Team will be focused on our annual Mother's Day events. In addition we will be increasing our involvement in the class parent network to be able to assist all class parents in their roles in sharing information, and parent engagement in the St Kevin's School community.

**** Save the date for the next P&F Meeting ****

Wednesday 30th May 7.30-8.30pm

All parents and friends are welcome!

Canteen

REMINDER: The canteen is closed tomorrow – last day of term. Please ensure your child has recess and lunch. There will be **No** lunch orders on this day.

Canteen Volunteers - Book in for Term 2 Now!

Use the signup link <http://signup.com/go/bWbBRQk> and get your preferred date locked away now! New volunteers for the canteen are always welcome. Please contact Melissa on 0414 886 247 if you have any questions.

Uniform Shop

Tuesday: 8:45am to 9:00am

Thursday: 3:00pm to 3:30pm.

How do I contact the P&F Team?

Please send us an email or find us in the playground at pick up or drop offs

Heidi Tobin - heidiandscotttobin@icloud.com

Adam Page - adam_page@yahoo.co.uk

Community News



**M.W.B.A APRIL 2018
HOLIDAY CAMP
Book Now**



Date: 18th, 19th 20th April 2018
Time: 9:30-12:30pm (doors open 9am)
Venue: Northern Beaches Indoor Sports Centre
Cost: \$95 for 3 days only
Ages: 5 to 12 years (broken into age groups)
Professional guest coaches
Every kid gets a singlet
Day 3 is competition prize day
Bookings close 6pm 21st January 2018
Bookings: <https://www.trybooking.com/UMFO>

WWW.MANLYBASKETBALL.COM.AU



PINK BALL TERM 2

FOR GIRLS 7-12 YRS WHO WOULD LIKE TO LEARN BASKETBALL SKILLS WITH FEMALE COACHES

DATES: SAT. 12th May to 30th June, 2018 (8 WEEK PROGRAM)

TIME: 2:30-3:30 PM

VENUE: NORTHERN BEACHES INDOOR SPORTS CENTRE

COST: \$90 INCLUDES PINK BALL OR SINGLET
TO BOOK: <https://www.trybooking.com/366286>

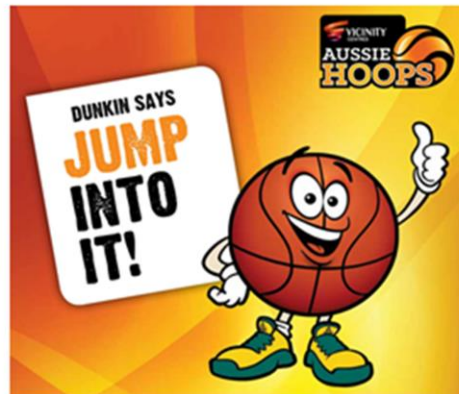


Learn the skills of Basketball in a fun learning environment with qualified coaches.

Runs every Saturday during the school term. No need to book just come along and join in the fun.

Ages: 5-7yrs, 2:30-3:30
7yrs and up, 3:30-4:30
Venue: Northern Beaches Indoors Sports Centre
Cost: \$10 per child
For more info go to www.manlybasketball.com.au

SATURDAY LEARN TO PLAY



REGISTER NOW AT AUSSIEHOOPS.COM.AU

Learn to Play Basketball for all kids 5-12
Fridays Term 2 Fridays May 11th- June 29th (8 weeks)
GALSTAUN COLLEGE
5 Chiltern Road, Ingleside, NSW 2101
5:30 to 6.30pm
Aussie Hoops Coach is JEROME LEE all participants receive a Basketball Australia pack which includes an Indoor outdoor basketball, Reversible playing singlet and a gym sack. The cost is \$110 for (Eight weeks) all inclusive. Book on the Aussie Hoops site <http://www.aussiehoops.com.au>



**25% OFF
YOUR FIRST HAIRCUT!**

PRESENT THIS VOUCHER AT SCISSOR STYLE BARBERS SHOP 26, DEE WHY GRAND PACIFIC PARADE, DEE WHY

THIS VOUCHER IS VALID UNTIL MAY 31 2018
1 VOUCHER PER PERSON



SCHOOL COMMUNITY OFFER



COME BUILD WITH US!

**BRICKS
4 KIDZ**

School Holiday Workshops
Balgowlah - Curl Curl - Forestville
16 - 27 April

Bricks4Kidz.com.au/Sydney-Northern-Beaches

PITTWATER SPORTS CENTRE
www.pittwatersports.com.au 9913 7421



**AUTUMN
HOLIDAY WORKSHOPS**

TIMES	COST		
Drop off from: 7:00am Pick up by: 6:00pm	Non Members \$97	Members \$85	Half-Day \$60


(MEALS INCLUDED)

**DATES FOR THE DIARY:
16TH — 30TH OF APRIL '18**

Activities Include: Gymnastics, Trampoline, Foam Pits, Games, Baking plus age specific activities such as Kayaking, Basketball & Craft.

Go4Fun
Healthy • Active • Happy • Kids

"It's so wonderful to have my active, happy, motivated and confident 10 year old boy back."
Go4Fun Parent.



GO4FUN IS A FREE TEN WEEK HEALTHY LIFESTYLE PROGRAM FOR KIDS AGED 7-13 YEARS WHO ARE ABOVE A HEALTHY WEIGHT.

Sessions run once a week for two hours after school, during school term.


The program is run by a trained and qualified health professional.

WHY JOIN GO4FUN?

- Get expert advice on healthy eating
- Get active playing fun games
- Make new friends
- Build confidence
- Make changes as a family
- Get support on goal setting
- All for FREE!

WHEN	WHERE
Tuesdays 4.30pm-6.30pm Starts 1 May 2018	Dee Why PCYC 36-48 Kingsway Dee Why NSW 2099

REGISTER NOW FREECALL 1800 780 900
OR GO4FUN.COM.AU

 **Health**
Northern Sydney
Local Health District