

St Kevin's Catholic Primary School

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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear St Kevin's families,

Welcome back to all our students and families. I hope some time during the past two weeks was spent outdoors with family and friends enjoying the beautiful autumn weather.

A special Liturgy was held on Tuesday afternoon in the under croft to commemorate ANZAC Day. This time provides students with an opportunity to learn about Gallipoli and Australia's involvement in conflict in the years since then. It also builds an appreciation of the contributions of Australian men and women to maintaining the principles of freedom and democracy.

> In Flanders fields the poppies grow Between the crosses, row on row, That mark our place, and in the sky, The larks, still bravely singing, fly, Scarce heard amid the guns below. ~ John McCrae ~

Enjoy the week ahead,

Lorraine Vincent – Principal

Welcome

We welcome Taylor Thor who will be teaching sport this term while Mrs. Ravindran is on maternity leave.

Enrolments for 2020

Any parents who have children at St Kevin's and whose siblings will start school in 2020 are invited to call at the office for an enrolment form.

School Uniform

All students will change to the winter uniform on Monday 27 May (Term 2 Week 5). Until then you may choose either the <u>full</u> summer or <u>ful</u> winter uniform according to the weather – no mixing of uniforms, for example tights are not to be worn with the girl's summer tunic. Uniforms can be ordered online via Qkr! or forms are available from the uniform shop or school office.

Staff Development Days - 2019

Please note the following Pupil Free / Staff Development Day in your diary

• Monday – 22 July

Earn & Learn

Woolworths has just launched Earn & Learn, and we're once again joining it. For those parents who aren't aware of the program, if you shop at Woolworths between **1 May and 25 June** you can earn stickers. Our school will be collecting these stickers which we'll be able to swap for new school equipment; things like art and craft supplies, sports gear, teaching aids, and more.

We have a collection box in the school office and at Woolworths Dee Why. Thank you for your support!



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Religious Education

Family Mass

This term we will celebrate our Family Mass to align with our St Kevin's Feast Day which falls on Monday 3 June.

Mass will be held on **Saturday 1st June @ 6pm**. Year 3 & 4 will be hosting our supper afterwards.

Sacramental Program 2019 -

Confirmation

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

Information Evening: 16th May @ 7pm (St Kevin's Church)

Sessions: 25/26 May – 15/16 June

Rehearsal: 20th June @ St Kevin's

27th June @ St John's

Confirmation: 22th June @ 11am St Kevin's

29th June @11am St John's

If you have any questions or would love to facilitate (group leader), please contact Mary Baldwin on Baldwin.mary50@gmail.com or 0421 904 114

Project Compassion

Please ensure that your boxes are returned to your classroom teacher or the school office by tomorrow (Friday).

Thank you for your support during this time of compassion.



Parents & Friends

Mother's Day Celebrations

Friday 10th May – Afternoon tea @ 2pm followed by Liturgy in the hall ... plus a fabulous raffle!! See flyer below.

**** Note** ... we are currently experiencing issues with Qkr! (School fees / lunch orders / Mother's Day raffle) ... we hope the problem will be rectified by the end of the week! If you are experiencing issues or wish to purchase Mother's Day raffle tickets please contact the school office. We apologise for any inconvenience.

Term 2 P&F Meeting

Save the Date: Wednesday 29th May - 7pm Hosted in the School library - All Parents Welcome

(anteen

The canteen is open for <u>lunch</u> every Monday / Thursday / Friday

Note: The canteen is <u>not</u> open at recess

Check out the new Term 2 MENU

We are always on the lookout for more volunteers, no experience needed as training will be provided, everyone is welcome. Please contact Phayla on 0404 028 927 or <u>pdittavong@hotmail.com</u> for more information. Or <u>Click here to Sign-Up</u>

WE CAN'T OPERATE WITHOUT THE HELP AND SUPPORT OF OUR PARENT COMMUNITY.

Uniform Shop

The uniform shop is now taking orders for the WINTER Uniform.

We ask that all orders are placed **by 6th May** (T2 W2) to ensure that we have enough time to fulfil the orders. **Orders will be sent home with children during weeks 3 and 4 (depending on stock)**.

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Mother's Day Liturgy & Afternoon Tea

2pm Friday 10th May

AFTERNOON TEA AT 2PM, LITURGY STARTS AT 2.30PM Please RSVP by Wednesday 8th May Email: skdy@dbb.catholic.edu.au

Thursday 9th May

A lovely selection of Mother's Day gifts will be available for the children to purchase during the morning at school.

Gifts available from as little as \$1 to \$8

Mother's Day Stall Treat your Mum Raffle

Ist Prize 1 x 90 minute Rejuvenation Massage at the Chuan Day Spa in the Langham Hotel Sydney (Value \$195.00)

<u>2nd Prize</u>

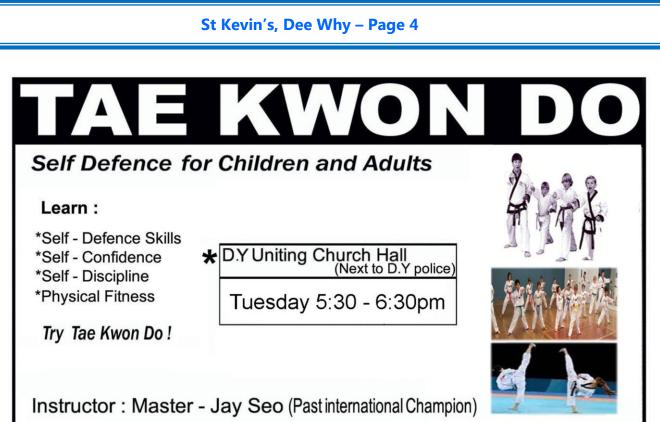
Fabulous Hamper of Caring Goodies from Dee Why Pharmacy

> **3rd Prize** Beautiful Colette Handbag

4th Prize Personal Training Session with Heidi Faul

Tickets can be purchased for \$5 each through QKr.

Raffle will be drawn at Mother's Day Afternoon Tea.



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SATURDAY AFTERNOON BASKETBALL

The Manly Warringah Basketball Association is holding basketball squad training & fun on Saturday afternoons, conducted at the Northern Beaches Indoor Sport Centre, (NBISC) Jackson Rd Warriewood with expert coaches. The program is on each Saturday during school term.

There are three groups -<u>Biddy Ball</u> for ages 7 and under 1.30pm - 2.30pm & <u>Lightning</u> <u>League</u> for ages 8 & over 2.30pm - 3.30pm. The cost is \$10.00 per week coaches are American professional Jerome Lee and Representative coaches Tim O'Sullivan and John Pete. There is also a <u>Pinkball</u> All Girls group for ages 7-12 from 1.30 - 2.30pm Pink-ballers sign up for the term and receive a free pink basketball (separate form) and are taught by some of Manly's women coaches. The cost is \$90 per term. Starts this week May 4th and runs all term.

Each week players will be taught the skills of the game by experienced coaches and put into teams for a short match. New players wishing to join a competition team should attend Saturday sessions so they can improve their skills, be graded and later placed into teams when a new competition starts. Players who are already playing will also benefit from the extra skill sessions. If you are interested in joining Saturday basketball then just come down.

Aussie Hoops Sundays

We also have our Aussie Hoops program 9.30-10.30am on Sundays Starts this week May 5th and runs all term conducted at the Northern Beaches Indoor Sport Centre, (NBISC) with expert coaches. To book a position go to the link <u>https://membership.sportstg.com/regoform.cgi?formID=85652&programID=45136</u> looking forward to seeing you there.

Great fun/Great coaches

Email: mwba@manlybasketball.com.au http://www.manlybasketball.com.au



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Open Day

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Thursday 9 May 2019 3.30pm - 6.00pm

We invite you to join our Open Day for an impressive showcase of activities, tours, performances and interactive exhibits.



Register online to attend our Open Day at brigidine.nsw.edu.au

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