

Sacred Heart Catholic Primary School

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Term 1 Week 10 - 5 April

Term 1 Core Value:	Respect
School Rule:	Respect yourself, others and the environment
Expectation of Behaviour:	Put rubbish in the bin

Dear Parents

May you stop and see the way light falls and rocks glow, and may God bless you with little, big moments that make your heart dance.

Moments when you suddenly become aware of all the overwhelming beauty and wonder and richness and love living in the middle of where you are standing already.

Moments when you gaze around understanding: The kingdom of God is now. (Neil Paynter)

This week returning after the Easter holiday break we celebrated the glorious Resurrection of Jesus Christ in a beautiful liturgy led by Yr 6. We continue to pray following the 40 days for ourselves and for those in our community requiring hope, strength and courage to heal and to love.



Thank you to the parents who have assisted our school for our annual school Cross Country at Kitchener Park. We appreciate your help supervising students walking to and from the oval, distributing ribbons and marshalling and monitoring runners. Children who qualify to represent our school will proceed on to compete at the Northern Beaches Cross Country Carnival at Rat Park on 9 May.



Next week we require parent assistance to manage teams for two Soccer Gala days. Our school is participating in the Northern Beaches Catholic Schools Soccer Gala Days, Year 3 and Year 4 on Tuesday 10 April and Year 5 and Year 6 on Thursday 12 April.

It is a requirement that each team has a manager so please let your child 's class teacher know if you can help out. Managers do not need to be able to referee.

Kind regards

Mrs Suellen Garey PRINCIPAL

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Religious Education News

We've lived Lent. Now, let's live Easter!

"There are Christians whose lives seem like Lent without Easter," says Pope Francis (*Joy of the Gospel*, <u>6</u>). Well, Easter is here, so let's not be one of those Christians! Let us boldly acknowledge with courage and amazement that the presence of the risen Christ has actual power to break into our lives and make a real difference, as it did for the earliest community of believers (<u>Acts 4:32-35</u>).

Easter steps at home

Celebrate

Involve your children in giving your home a creative 'make-over' with symbols of resurrection (e.g., a cross, a water feature, candles, white and gold cloths, green branches, decorated eggs, children's artwork, uplifting music). Chat about the meaning of Easter as you go.

Pray

Pass a candle round the table. Each person holding the candle shares: 'What gives me joy and brings a smile to my face is...' Response: "We give thanks to the Living God. Alleluia, Alleluia!"

Remember

As the believers gave testimony to the resurrection of Jesus, "great grace was upon them all" (Acts 4:33).

Dates to Remember

Saturday 7 April - Kinder Family Mass at 5pm Sacred Heart Church

Prayers

Please keep in your prayers Mick P, Paul C (parents) and their families. Both are undergoing specialist medical care.

If you have any Good News or if you need our prayers, please see me at school, contact me by phone.

Chris McBryde - Religious Education Coordinator

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Term 2 sees the start of Winter uniforms for all students. Matthew, from Cowan and Lewis, and his assistants will be at our school on **Wednesday 11 April from 8-10am in Week 11 for "Try On and Purchase"** of the Winter Uniform.





Band and Choir News



The Training and Concert Bands and our Choir are continuing with their excellent progress.

This week, the Training Band took a huge leap forward in their progress. Thank you to the band parents who were there to witness this as well. Congratulations on your dedication and commitment. Our musicians are demonstrating great leadership.

Concert Band continue to polish their musicianship in preparation for our first

performances next term. I'm sure the school holidays will also allow our band members to do that extra bit of preparation for the best results we can possibly achieve!

The Choir is preparing beautifully for Mother's Day. They will be presenting in the programme along with Training Band and Concert Band.

Just a reminder also that rehearsal times start at 7:45am. There is no supervision prior to my arrival (unless your child is enrolled in the Before School Programme), so with your child's safety always at the forefront of our mind, please ensure your child is not left alone prior to start time.

Clare McFadden, Band Director

Sport News

Polding Sport

Congratulations to Carissa S and Lacey C, who will represent Broken Bay at the NSW CPS Polding Touch Trials in Parkes on Friday 1 June.

Congratulations to Lacey C who will also represent Broken Bay at the NSW CPS Polding Netball Trials and Jesse G who will represent Broken Bay at the NSW CPS Polding Rugby League Trials, both held in Tamworth on Friday 4 May.

Cross Country

Good luck to all the runners in Sacred Heart Cross Country today.

Stephanie Munro – Sports Co-Ordinator

Canteen News

CANTEEN ROSTER (start 9.30am - finish 1.45pm)		
Mon 9 Apr	Georgie G, Dan C	
Thurs 12 Apr	Karissa M	
Fri 13 Apr	Margaret C, Georgie D, Yasmin A	

HELP NEEDED:

Thursday 12 April – please contact Kay Friday 13 April – please contact Kay

Term 1 2018 Roster

Kay & Marie – Canteen Coordinators

Please feel free to contact us via email at: sshmv.canteen@dbb.catholic.edu.au



Happy Birthday

Happy Birthday from all at Sacred Heart to the following students who are celebrating their birthday this week:



Harry C, Alfie S, Maggie D

Kiss & Drop Morning Volunteers

The morning Kiss and Drop Zone ensures that students arrive to school safely. We could not do this without our wonderful volunteers. If you would like to be added to the Kiss and Drop Roster please email Rebecca Molinaro at becmolinaro@outlook.com

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		4 April	5 April	6 April
		Rebecca M	Melinda B	Eloise C
9 April	10 April	11 April	12 April	13 April
Georgina D	Leonie S	Tatiana N	Amber L	Karissa M

School WHS

A reminder to all our parents ahead of the Term 1 break that school zones remain in place for the safety of our children and families.

School zones operate on all gazetted schools days, which are all days the school is open, even pupil free days.



The Hub News

2nd Hand Uniform Shop

If you can spare 20 minutes once a week before or after school and would like to join the team please contact us.

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