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2nd April, 2019

Dear Parents,

Kinder 2020

Our **2020 Kinder Information night** is on tonight at 7pm and tomorrow we are holding our **Kinder Fun Morning** from **9:15am–10:30am**. Please let your friends and relatives know if they may be interested in enrolling their child. There are flyers available in the school office or on the school website with more information



School Disco

Thank you for the wonderful attendance and support of the school disco last Friday night. By all accounts it was a great night. Special thanks to our 'guest DJ' Kien D



Music Bus

Commencing next term the Music bus will be starting a Rotating Roster which means your child's timeslot rotates each week. This means that students don't miss out on the same lesson each week throughout the term.

The Music Bus will send a class List weekly confirming the children's times.

School Photos

School Photos this year will be on **Wednesday 1st May**. This is the first week of Term 2. All children will need to be in their complete summer uniform please. Envelopes for the photos were sent home last week.

Mobile Phones and other Electronic Devices at School

We understand that, in certain circumstances, your child may need to carry a mobile phone for the time between school and home as a safety precaution however we do not allow the students to use their phones at school. They need to be kept turned off and in their school bags throughout the school day. If you need to get a message to your child throughout the school day please call the office and the message will be passed on. We ask that you remind your children that they must keep their phones off or they will be taken from them and you will be called.

If your child brings a phone or other electronic device to school please be aware that the full responsibility lies with your child. We cannot ensure these items will be safe and secure. It is preferable that any unnecessary devices and toys be kept at home to avoid upset and disappointment.

IPad covers for families

We have a number of IPad covers that we no longer need. If you would like a cover for your child's IPad they will be placed in the office foyer for pick up or you could email the office and we can send one home. There are three types of covers in varying conditions.



Yours sincerely,

Mrs Yvette Owens
PRINCIPAL



say cheese

School Photo Day is

1 May 2019

Have your child's school memories captured forever

Please take time to read the relevant information on the MSP Photography payment envelopes and remember these helpful points:



- Don't seal envelopes inside each other. You can pay for all children in one envelope however each child needs to have their own envelope on photo day
- Family envelopes are available at the school office upon *request*
- Please enclose correct money as no change is given.
- Credit card payments are available online - You will need your personalised shoot key located on your child's envelope to place your order online.

For any enquiries, please feel free to contact us

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Holy Week

Dear Parents



Holy Week Explanation

“Holy Week is the last week of the 40 days of Lent. It is the week right before Easter Sunday. It starts with Palm Sunday and ends with Holy Saturday. Many Christians celebrate Holy Week to commemorate the final days of Jesus. Holy Week has not always been celebrated. It was first observed about 600 to 1,000 years after the death of Jesus” (Klein, 2017).

Holy Week Reminder

During weeks 10 and 11 the students will be journeying with Christ towards Easter as they engage in different prayer experiences. From Monday 1st April until Thursday 11th April a different prayer station will be created in the Meeting Place. You are welcome to join in our celebrations before school from 8:30am - 8:45am.

The following outlines the different prayer stations that will be created: Palm Sunday, washing of the feet, the Last Supper, Jesus prays in the garden of Gethsemane, Jesus is betrayed, arrested and condemned to death, Jesus suffers, Jesus struggles to carry his cross, Jesus is nailed to the cross and dies, Jesus is placed in the tomb.

Following these prayer experiences will be a whole school liturgy that will take place on Thursday 11th April at 8:45am.



You are invited.....Mt Schoenstatt at Mulgoa Parent Pilgrimage
'Walking the Way'

230 Fairlight Road, Mulgoa NSW Australia

Date: Friday May 3rd Parent pilgrimage (first week second term)

Please join us on this special day as we walk together on these beautiful grounds at Mt Schoenstatt in Mulgoa, it is just over an hour west of Sydney and is set on 50 acres of bushland and open fields. With one of only two Marian shrines in Australia. As parent champions from your schools, be inspired by the Schoenstatt sisters and enjoy time to reflect on your own spiritual journey, enjoy a fabulous lunch and time together for conversation on the way home.

Time: 8.15am Bus will Pick up at Kariong car park behind the Fire Station (for Central Coast parents)

Sydney parents pick up at 9.30am at the Catholic Schools Office Pennant Hills

(carpooling from your school to this pick up is recommended) estimated return to CSO will be 3pm and 4pm for the Central Coast

please be advised to arrange school pick up

Please R.S.V.P to jo.spek@dbb.catholic.edu.au for booking, catering purposes and more information

Schoenstatt means 'beautiful place' and it is here that people from all walks of life find moments of peace and tranquility on their journey. They are refreshed and renewed and find the possibility to deepen their commitment to Christ. The shrine is one of more than 200 exact replicas of the original in Germany, where the founder, Fr. Joseph Kentenich and a small group of students entered into a Covenant of Love with Mary. 'Nothing without you, nothing without us' is a simple expression of the covenant. This was the beginning and the lasting foundation of today's world-wide Schoenstatt movement.

We look forward to sharing this day with you

Term 1 Upcoming Events

- Thursday 11th April, **Holy Week Liturgy** at 8:45am, assembly area

2019 Sacramental Dates

Sacrament of Confirmation

This year the Confirmation ceremony will be celebrated on **Friday 31st May and Saturday 1st June**. The children are required to attend two masses leading up to this date. The weekend masses are on the **6th/7th April (registration after mass) and the 18th/19th May**.

The children will receive instruction during Religious Education classes at school.

Term 4 Dates

- Monday 9th December, **end of year Mass**
- Wednesday 11th December, **Year 6 Graduation Mass**

Parish Mass Times for St Cecilia's Parish

St Cecilia's Wyong

Saturday Vigil 5pm

Sunday 7.30am and 9.30am

St John Fisher, Tumby Umbi

Saturday Vigil 5pm

Sunday 8.30am & 5pm

God Bless

Mrs Jamie Dowling
Religious Educatio

School News

Linen Roster Term 1

Week 10	Kyly Slattery
Week 11	Carolina Saenz

Uniform Shop

The Uniform Shop, located next to the Multipurpose Room, is opened on **Monday and Friday mornings from 8.45am-9.15am** **Friday afternoons from 2.45pm-3.15pm**. Thank you to our parent volunteers who help keep the uniform shop running efficiently.

Trophies, medallions and ribbons for children who came first, second or third at our St Cecilia's Cross Country Carnival will be presented at our awards assembly this Friday

From the FLO

Dear Parents,

Last week we celebrated Harmony Day. A very big thank you to the parents and to Brittany our Aboriginal Education Worker for the wonderful effort. The children were able to view displays and the feedback was very positive.

The Resilient Child Session was very well attended and all participants enjoyed the morning. Lots of creativity and colour was seen last Friday night at the Easter Hat Parade and it proved very difficult to judge. I think everyone enjoyed the disco.

Join me in the library after assembly on Friday for STORYTIME if you have young children. Children from Bundilla Preschool will also be joining us.

Cooking class will be in the hall on Friday at 11.30am. Please return the slip if you would like to attend.

The following are two articles by Michael Grose from Parenting Ideas that you may like to read –
Mothering Your Daughter and Angry Boys - How Boys Can Better Manage Their Emotions.
<https://www.parentingideas.com.au/blog/mothering-your-daughter/>
<https://www.parentingideas.com.au/blog/angry-boys-how-boys-can-better-manage-their-emotions>

Have a wonderful holiday and hopefully a well earned rest.

Mrs Bernadette Daniel
Family Liaison Officer

Canteen News

Product News

New Drinks! Chill J Carbonated Fruit Juice Drinks. Raspberry or Orange/Passio \$2.60
Sports Water is no longer available.

New Winter Menu for Term 2 and 3

Available on Qkr! from next term including new healthy meal deals and winter warming specials.

Last day for Term 1 canteen is Wednesday 10th April.
First day for Term 2 canteen is Wednesday 1st May.

Thank you for your support,

Catherine Berry
Canteen Manager



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Awards and Acknowledgements



Congratulations to the following students for their achievements

Academic Achievement

Kinder Blue	Olivia C	Kinder Gold	Arihan B
1 Gold	Tamryn H	1/2 Blue	Keithen L
2 Gold	Oliver A	3 Blue	Aditi P
3/4 Gold	Elysse H	4 Blue	Eloise E
5 Blue	Aiden R	5 Gold	Matilda C
6 Blue	Chloe C	6 Gold	Skyla L
Dance	Miley B 1/2B	Japanese	Aliza M 4B

Personal Best

Kinder Blue	Vivien K	Kinder Gold	Emelia J
1 Gold	Asha D	1 / 2 Blue	Ciera H
2 Gold	Joel H	3 Blue	Cameron B
3/4 Gold	Arlo B	4 Blue	Roxy B
5 Blue	Brady M	5 Gold	Kaleigh C
6 Blue	Charlotte S	6 Gold	Stella C
Dance	Oliver M 1G	Japanese	Troy L 1/2B
Library	Noah M 1G	Library	Sam T 1G

PBL Award

Kinder Blue	Cody T	Kinder Gold	Fernando A
1 Gold	Nikeeta R	1 / 2 Blue	Keaton J
2 Gold	Kaitlyn O	3 Blue	Zoie P
3/4 Gold	Isabella S	4 Blue	Luke G
5 Blue	Abbey S	5 Gold	Kascia L
6 Blue	Indi A	6 Gold	Jacob A
Dance	Hudson B 1G	Japanese	Charlotte S 6B

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Limited space available, so be sure not to miss out!



"It's so great being at school. They're learning something new each week and the rapport the teacher has with the kids is wonderful." Sarah, Parent, NSW.



Did you know...?

**You can Apply to Receive \$100
Towards your child's Fees in 2019**

Simply use your Creative Kids voucher for lessons at The Music Bus

1. **Apply for your Creative Kids Voucher:** Visit Service NSW at www.service.nsw.gov.au. This benefit is available to all families with school aged children in NSW.
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