



Christ the King, North Rocks

Term 1, Week 7

9th March, 2017

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Term 1, Week 7

Catholic Schools Week

Friday 10th March

- * **Performance Band 7.45am** (existing students from 2016 only)
- * **Lunch Orders**
- **Catholic Schools Week Liturgy 9.00am followed by morning tea and OPEN DAY. New families for 2018 enrolment will be taken on a tour through the school**
- * **Band groups** throughout the day
- * **2017 Swimming Carnival : Medal Presentation assembly 11:15am**
- * **Ice Blocks—Year 3 helpers needed for today please.**

Term 1, Week 8

Monday 13th March

- * **Sport Program** All in sport uniform
- * **Lunch orders**
- * **Cool Kids Music Club 3-4.00pm**

Tuesday 14th March

- * **Uniform Shop 8.30am—2.30pm**
- * **PE : Year 5, Year 2, Year 1**
- * **Parra Netball Trials Windsor**

Wednesday 15th March

- * **Writing Club 8am**
- * **Lunch Orders**
- * **Maths Club 1.30-2.00pm**
- * **PE: Year 3, Kindergarten**
- * **Chess 3.00—4.00pm**

Thursday 16th March

- * **Choir 8am**
- * **PE: Year 4, Year 6, Year 1**
- * **Year 5 Reconciliation 10am**

Friday 17th March

- * **FINAL DAY FOR ICAS REGISTRATION FORMS (Years 3-6)**
- * **ST PATRICK'S DAY—Outreach Appeal : gold coin to wear green**
- * **Performance Band 7.45am** (existing students from 2016 only)
- * **Lunch Orders**
- * **Year 5 at Parish Mass 9am**
- * **Band groups** for new and existing students throughout the day
- * **Ice Blocks—Year 4 helpers needed for today please.**

Dear Parents,

This week we celebrate Catholic Schools Week (CSW).

This week of acknowledgement and celebration involves the communities of all Catholic primary and secondary schools across NSW and the ACT.

Our theme for CSW 2017 is 'Learning Connected', building on Pope Francis' statement that 'Everything is connected'. This sense of connection calls for shared responsibility for the care of nature and our human relationships in a changing world.

Catholic Schools Week is about forging and strengthening connections between everyone who has a stake in our schools—students, staff, families, priests, parishioners, and members of the wider community—by showcasing our activities and actions.

During Catholic Schools Week, we take the opportunity to highlight not only the best of what we do, but also what happens in our schools every day.

Tomorrow, we will celebrate with a liturgy on the bottom playground from 9am followed by morning tea and the opportunity for our new prospective parents to CTK to tour the school with our year 6 student guides.

We look forward to celebrating with you tomorrow morning.

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### A Lenten Message from Bishop Vincent

*My dear people,*

Lent is an important season for us Catholics insofar as it reminds us of the need for conversion. We cannot live life to the full if we gloss over the inconvenient truths about ourselves. We cannot grow to full maturity if we ignore the obstacles that prevent us from reaching our potential. Pope Francis always asks people to pray for him because he says he is a sinner. It is characteristic of a true Christian who recognizes the darker side of himself and seeks metanoia, a change of heart.

To read Bishops Vincent's Lenten Message in full and watch the video, please visit : <http://catholicoutlook.org/bishop-vincent-longs-lenten-message-2017/>

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Over the last few weeks families were emailed the 2017 Responsible Use of Technology agreement. This agreement needs to be discussed with your children and completed online by tomorrow, 10th March. Students whose agreements are not finalised by this date will not be able to access the technology in the classroom. Your prompt attention to this matter will be greatly appreciated.

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*Have a wonderful week.  
Bernadette Walsh*



# Catholic Schools Week

Join Us as We Celebrate Communities  
of Faith, Knowledge & Service!

**TOMORROW, Friday 10th March**

**Catholic Schools Week Liturgy 9.00am—9.30am**

The Community of Christ the King invites parents, friends, neighbours and their families to join us for a liturgy and morning tea. This liturgy will be followed by Open Classrooms for families of new enrolments for 2018.

**Open Day from 9.45am—10.45am**

The Community of Christ the King invites new families to join us for our liturgy (beginning at 9am), morning tea and a guided tour to our learning areas.

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|----------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 9:00 am  | Liturgy Begins                                                                                                              |
| 9:45 am  | Students return to their classrooms / Parents and visitors enjoy morning tea on the Basketball court                        |
| 10:00 am | Parents and Visitors will be given a guided tour by our Year 6 Leaders to the open classroom as a fishbowl experience       |
| 10:40 am | Thank you for joining us. Parents and Visitors are asked to promptly leave the site to enable students to go out to recess. |
| 10:45 am | Recess                                                                                                                      |

This is a fantastic opportunity to acknowledge the achievements of our school community. We would also like to celebrate with members of our parish and the wider Catholic community. I encourage you to participate in this spirit of celebration.

***Please note : that this will be an opportunity to see learning in action and this time is not to be used as a teacher / parent meeting.***

***CREATE  
THINK  
KNOW***

This fortnight our PBS4L focus is  
“Safe and Caring Hands”



### **ADVANCED NOTICE—PUPIL FREE DAY**

On the first day of term 2, teaching staff will be involved in a Professional Learning day on **Monday 24th April**.

On this day the staff will be working on our Literacy program and the children's learning throughout 2017.

Please put this date in your calendar as there are no classes on this day.

ANZAC PUBLIC HOLIDAY—Tuesday 25th April

**For Term 2, students will begin on WEDNESDAY 26TH APRIL.**

### **2017 Class Parent Representatives**

Thank you to the parents who have volunteered to take on the role of being a class parent for 2017. This teacher / parent representative connection means a strong network within the grade.

| CLASS        | PARENT HELPERS   |                  |
|--------------|------------------|------------------|
| Kindergarten | Greta Metz       | Coco Baissary    |
| Year 1       | Tanya Wehbe      | Rita Koic        |
| Year 2       | Natalie Bertie   | Nicole Hochbaum  |
| Year 3       | Connie Este      | Catherine Louise |
| Year 4       | Lil Papworth     | Jacinda Corbin   |
| Year 5       | Michelle Nielsen | Aileen Beaini    |
| Year 6       | Kylie Wahbe      | Paula Massoud    |

### **Coming home soon**

- ⇒ Cross Country information and permission notes  
Year 2 students (turning 8 this year) to Year 6 attending.  
Kindergarten, Year 1 & remaining Year 2 students stay at school
- ⇒ What's happening in Holy Week?
- ⇒ Easter Hat Parade information



*The School Office is open from 8.30am to 3.30pm.*

### **Happy Birthday for the month of March to**



*Kinder Hamish M  
Anthony S  
Scarlett S  
Zachary B*

*Year 1 Dylan G  
Alibree T  
Isaac R  
George L*

*Year 2 Joel A  
Filumena L  
Mackenzie M  
Joseph S  
Lilly W  
Ranbir S  
Ethan B  
Ben H  
Marc C*

*Year 3 Grace K  
Amelia B  
Gabriel M*

*Year 4 Mia F  
Amelia F  
Harry P  
Zara C*

*Year 5 James D  
Dane N  
Matea N  
Christopher S  
Mikayla A*

*Year 6 Felix C  
Mark M  
Olivia R  
Jackson W  
Matthew C  
Hannah A  
Joseph M  
Monique B*

### **MARK IN YOUR DIARY**

**Thur 23rd—Fri 24th March**

- Year 6 visiting  
Canberra

**Wednesday 29th March**

- First Eucharist Parent  
Information night

**Friday 31st March**

- CTK Cross Country  
Carnival

**Thursday 6th April**

- Holy Week Liturgy

**Friday 7th April**

- Easter Hat Parade
- Last day of Term 1

### **TERM 2**

**Monday 24th April**

- STAFF  
DEVELOPMENT /  
PUPIL FREE DAY

**Tuesday 25th April**

- ANZAC day public  
holiday

**Wednesday 26th April**

- Students begin Term 2

# Feast of St. Patrick

17<sup>th</sup> March, 2017



**Term 1 Outreach Appeal - gold coin to support Caritas**

CTK will be celebrating St Patrick's Day  
NEXT FRIDAY 17<sup>th</sup> March.

St Patrick was born in Britain. As a young boy he was carried off by Irish raiders and sold as a slave. He became a Christian and wanted to spend his life in the service of God. After escaping he returned to England and joined the priesthood. He later became a Bishop and went back to Ireland. He is known as the patron saint of Ireland.

The 3 leaves of the shamrock help illustrate the blessed trinity of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit as one.

All students are invited to wear their sport uniform with a **GREEN accessory (alternate sport shorts with green t-shirt or green shorts with sport shirt)** **NEXT FRIDAY** to celebrate St. Patrick's Day and are asked to donate a gold coin for our Term 1 Outreach Appeal to support Caritas.

*May the road rise to meet you.*

*May the wind be always at your back.*

*May the sun shine warm upon your face;*

*The rains fall soft upon your fields*

*And, until we meet again.*

*May God hold you in the palm of His Hand.*

*A Gaelic Blessing*



# What's happening in Year 3?

## Literacy

We are learning to write persuasive texts. We know to include an introduction, body paragraphs with our arguments and a conclusion to sum up our ideas.

**Persuasive Structure**

What's the topic? What's your opinion?

Body

INTRODUCTION

ARGUMENT 1

ARGUMENT 2

ARGUMENT 3

CONCLUSION

Your different reasons to support your opinion in PARAGRAPHS

A summary and ending of your writing

**High Modality**

must certainly surely  
definitely ought to most likely  
without a doubt guarantee

**Dogs are the best!**

Did you know that dogs make <sup>amazing</sup> good pets? I believe everyone must have a pet dog.

Firstly, I think dogs are great pets because they don't have sharp claws like cats. This means they won't scratch you or rip your curtains.

Secondly, everyone should have a pet dog because they are playful.

You can play games with dogs like fetch, unlike cats that sleep all day. <sup>and cats</sup> This means dogs are active and can help you exercise.

Furthermore, dogs can guard you. For example, they will bark at night if there is a robber. <sup>and wake you up</sup>

In conclusion dogs make better pets than cats because they don't have sharp claws, are playful and protect you. As you can see you <sup>certainly should</sup> have a pet dog!

We are also learning about the writing process where we brainstorm, plan, draft, revise, edit and publish our work.

It full of sugar children share there Junk to. They should not bring Junk food to school. Should Junk food be banned from school? children can get sick. Not very healthy for your body.

Do you want to be fit and healthy? Without a doubt every school must be not aloud to have junk food at school.

Firstly you should not have Junk food because it can make you go crazy or bakers in class. Especially getting hyped up in class.

Secondly for that they are fit and healthy and not fat. So you can have a healthy diet.

**Junkfood is the best 1.3.17**

Wouldn't school be boring if we didn't have junkfood at school? I know junkfood must be allowed at school.

Firstly, we would not have ice-cream day. This means we would be sweating hot when we get into the classroom.

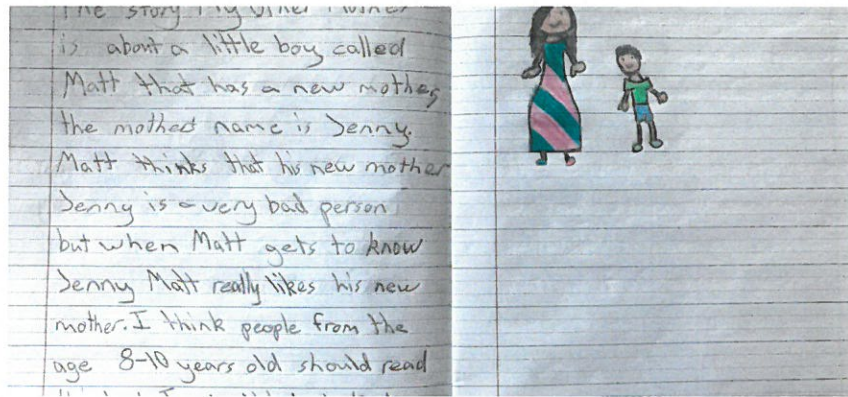
Secondly, we would not have class party. This means we can not have fun at all.

Thirdly, we would not have worm and fuzzy. This means we would not have lolly day or fill up on paper bucket.

In conclusion it would be boring if we didn't have ice-cream day, class party and worm and fuzzy. This means junkfood should not be banned from schools.

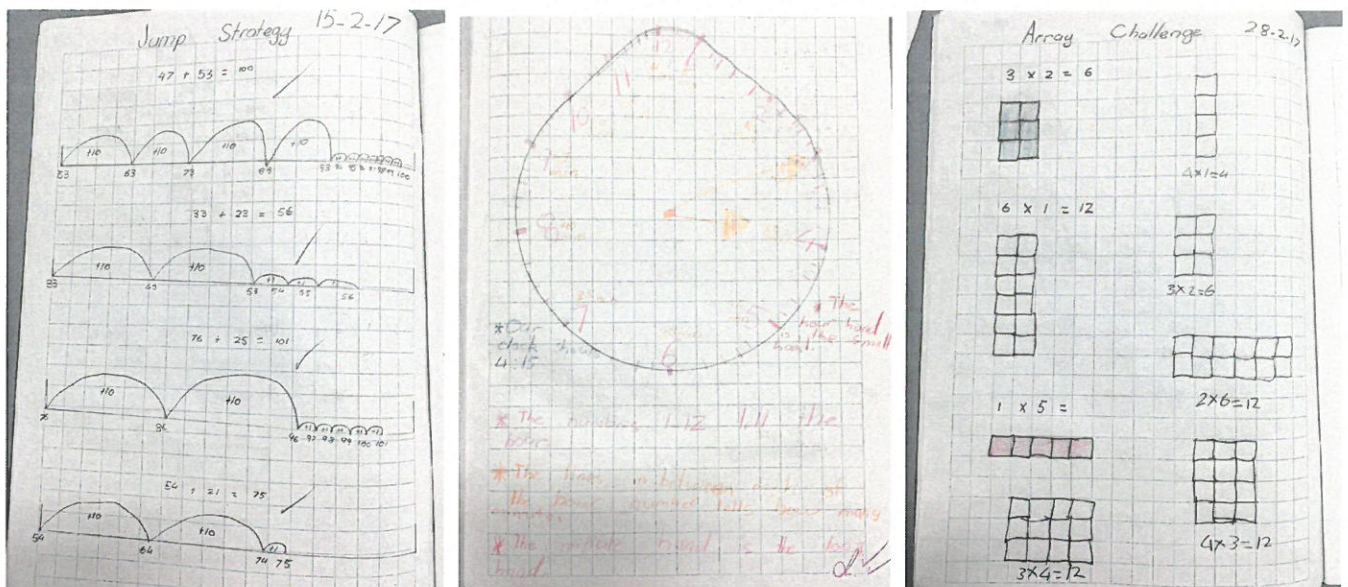
## Reading Groups

In Reading Groups we have been taken on an exciting journey as we read our stories and complete different activities. One of our activities was to write a book review.

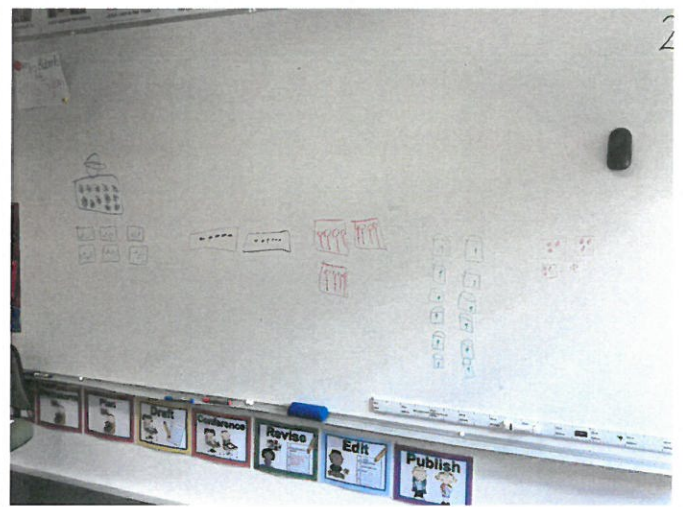
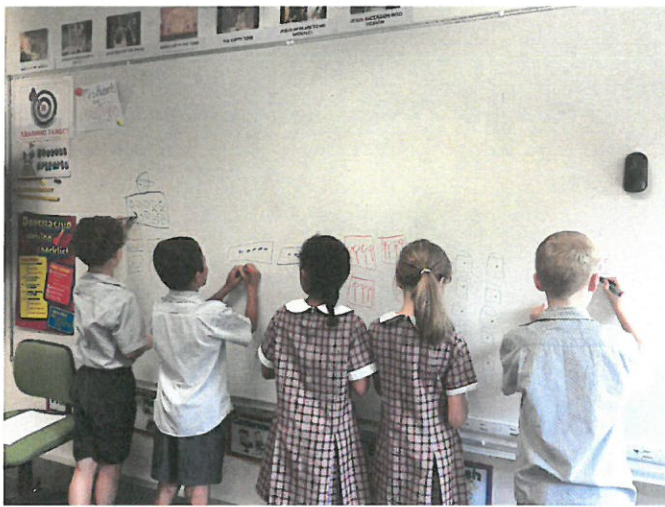


## Maths

We have been learning to use the jump strategy to solve addition problems, how to tell the time using an analog clock and using arrays to help our multiplication.

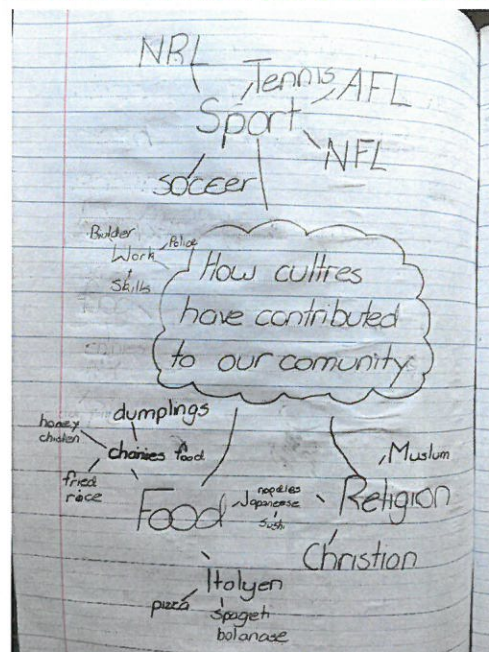
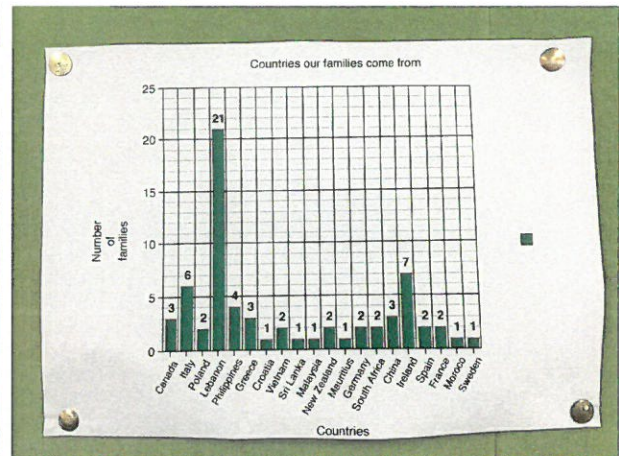
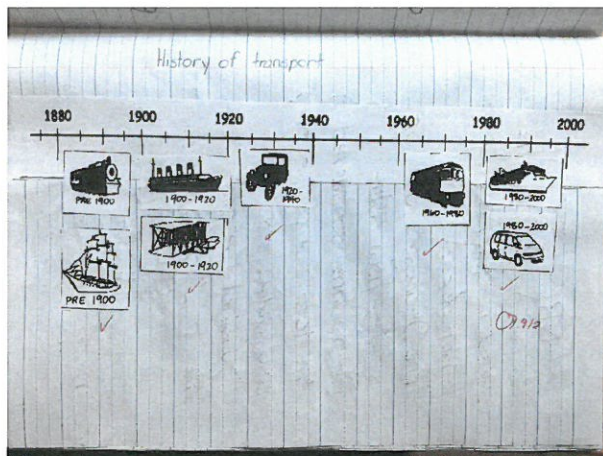


Last week we used visual reasoning to solve the problem of sharing 12 lollies into lolly bags. We drew solutions on the whiteboard.

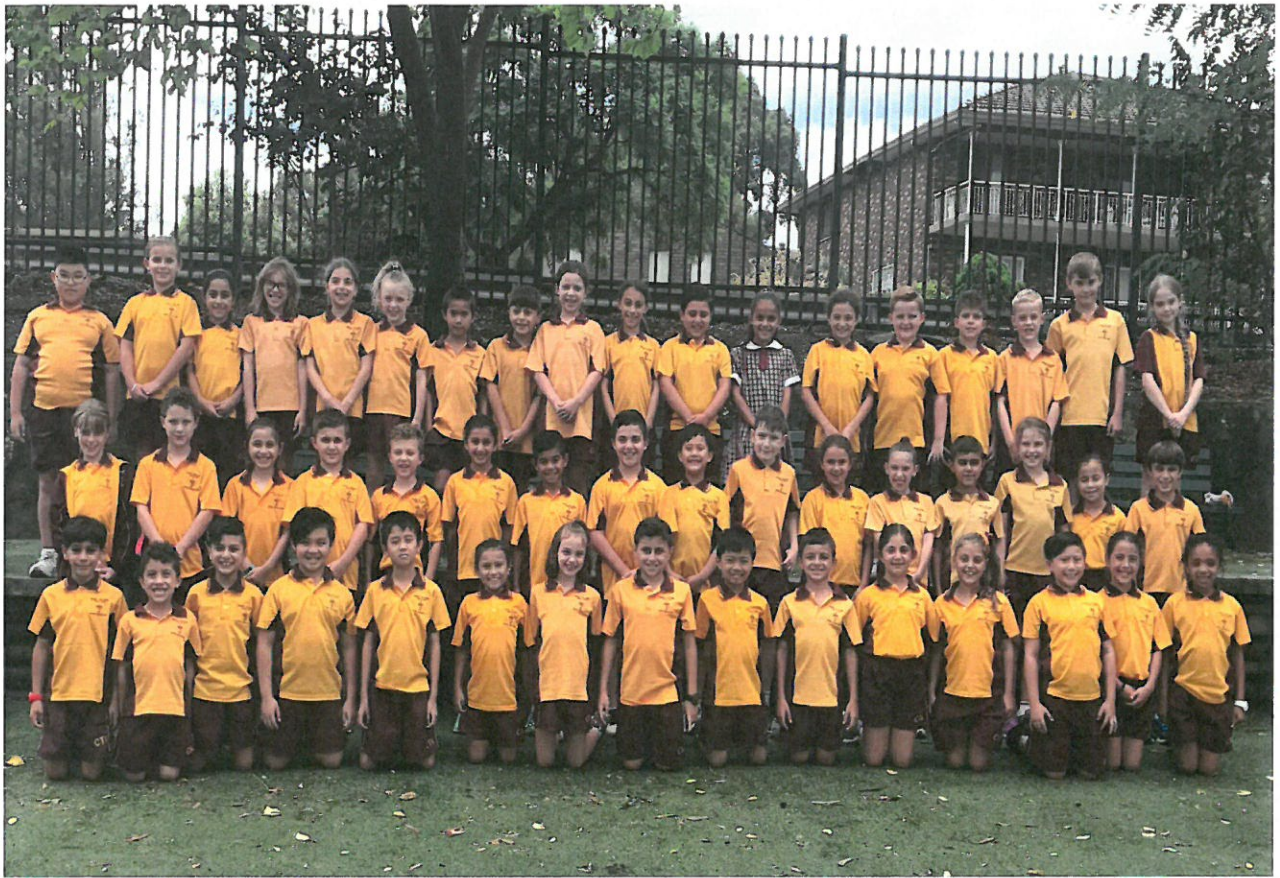


## Inquiry

Our Inquiry unit is called Community and Remembrance. We have been investigating the heritage of our local community, our families and our country Australia.



We hope to see you soon in Year 3!



Registration forms **HAVE BEEN SENT HOME** (to students from Years 3-6). Strict guidelines must be adhered to when registering your child for these competitions. Please take note of closing dates as **NO LATE REGISTRATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED**. Registration forms are due to the Office by **FRIDAY 17TH MARCH**.



### **2017 Responsible Use of Technology Agreement**

Technology Acknowledgements **MUST** be completed by **TOMORROW, FRIDAY 10TH MARCH**.

Year3 to Year 6: GO TO: <https://goo.gl/forms/6BF8wwimG2WxD9c83>

Kindergarten to Year 2: <https://goo.gl/forms/AOHS2X9OMHSTTMeV2>

Dear Parents

Please make completion of this Responsible Use of Technology Google Form a priority.

Please complete this form with your child. This will provide you with an opportunity to discuss your child's safety and appropriate use of technology with them.

All students have been introduced to their response form at school. **If the form is not completed by 10th March, your child will not be able to use the School Technology.**

Sarah Cook  
Teacher Librarian

### **PARISH MASS TIMES**



**Saturday Vigil**      6.00pm

**Sunday Masses**      8.00am, 10.00am

#### **Weekday Masses**

**Monday**      no masses      **Tuesday**      7.30pm

**Wednesday**      9.00am      **Thursday**      9.00am

**Friday**      9.15am

**Rosary**      Saturday morning Rosary at 8.30am with  
**Reconciliation**      Reconciliation at 9.30am and then at 4.30pm.

### **TERM DATES FOR 2017**

**Term 1**      Last Day Term 1—Friday 7<sup>th</sup> April

*Good Friday,  
Easter Sunday,  
Easter Monday,*

*Friday, 14<sup>th</sup> April }  
Sunday, 16<sup>th</sup> April } Public Holidays  
Monday, 17<sup>th</sup> April }*

**Term 2**      **Monday, 24<sup>th</sup> April**  
                 *Anzac Day,*  
**Wednesday 26th April**

**Staff Development / Pupil Free day**  
**Tuesday, 25th April} Public Holiday**  
**School begins**  
**to Friday, 30<sup>th</sup> June**

## **SPORT NEWS**

### **MacKillop Basketball Selection**

Congratulations to Monique Brown, who last week represented CTK in the Parramatta Sports Representative Trials in Wollongong. Monique was one of 6 students in the diocese to be chosen to represent MacKillop at the NSWPSA Basketball Championships in Queanbeyan in August.

*Well done Monique.*

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CTK SWIMMING CARNIVAL (held in 2016 for 2017)

AGE CHAMPIONSHIPS MEDAL PRESENTATION ASSEMBLY— tomorrow Friday 10th March at 11:15am.

Please note this is an informal assembly only to present medals to these individual students.

Even though our swimming carnival 2017 was held on a very rainy day, here at Christ the King we have some very talented and dedicated students. Congratulations to the following students who are the Swimming Age champions for 2017.

Junior Boys Swimming Champion 2017 - Thomas Cook

Junior Girls Swimming Champion 2017 - Noa Papadimitriou

11 Year Girls Swimming Champion 2017 - Alessia Georges

11 Year Boys Swimming Champion 2017 - Dane Grosvenor

12 Year Girls Swimming Champion 2017 - Holly Stone

12 Year Boys Swimming Champion 2017 - William Kaddis

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### **Cross Country ADVANCED NOTICE 31st March**

**Year 2 students (turning 8 this year) to Year 6 attending.  
Kindergarten, Year 1 & remaining Year 2 students stay at school**

**Please note: NO LUNCH ORDERS AVAILABLE ON THIS DAY**

The CTK Cross Country carnival will take place on FRIDAY 31ST March at Don Moore Reserve.

**On the day, all students attending must wear their full sports uniform, running shoes, sun screen and a hat. Students will also be required to bring a bottle of water to rehydrate after their race. Students must also have their fruit break, recess and lunch on this day.**

*We are in need of parent volunteers to ensure the successful running of the carnival. A student information form will be coming home soon. If you are able to assist, please indicate this on the form. Thank you in anticipation of your assistance.*

*Aaron Debrincat, Sport Coordinator*



### **CELEBRATING GIFTS AND TALENTS**

Congratulations to Isabella Yeomans who achieved some fantastic results at her recent Acrobatic Gymnastics Competition.

Gymnastics NSW Levels 6-10 and International State Trial 1 results:

Isabella Yeomans – Level 6 Women's Pair

Balance: 1st place

Dynamic: 1st place

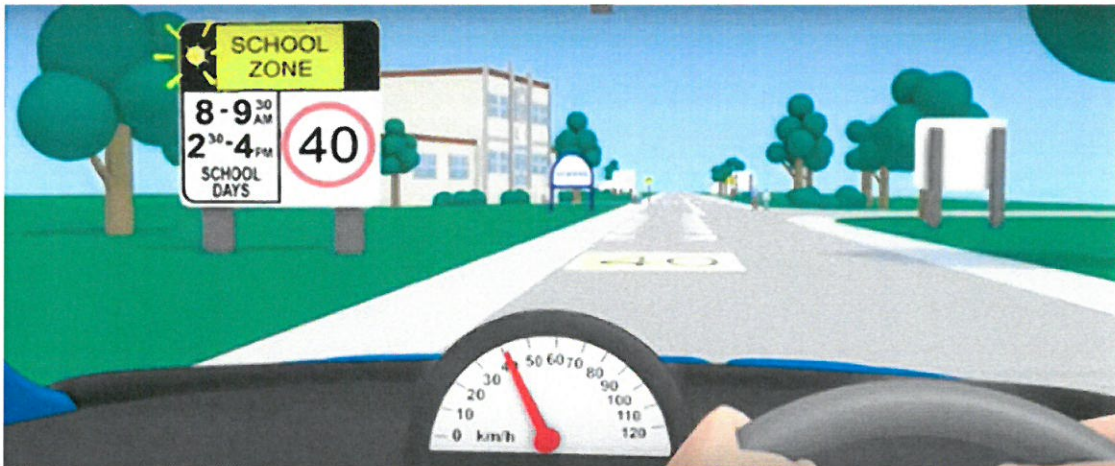
Overall: 1st place

Isabella has qualified for both the NSW State and Australian National Championships coming up later in the year.

*Well done Isabella, what a great achievement.*

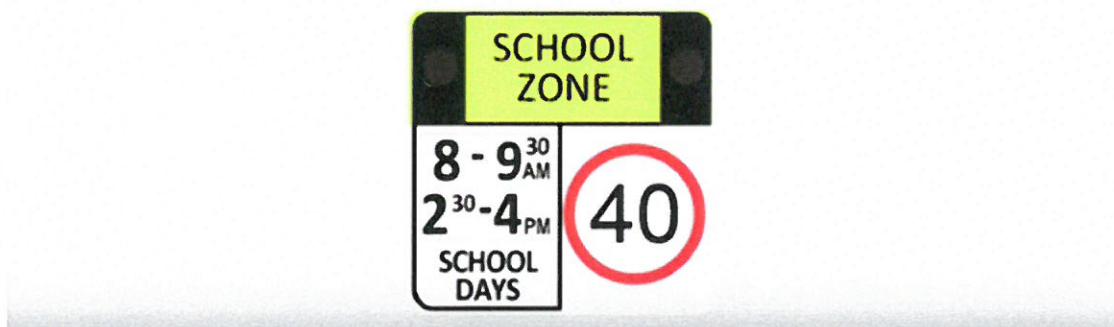
# School Zones Protecting Our Children

40 km/h speed limits in school zones



Drivers must obey the school zone speed limit of 40 km/h between the school zone and end school zone signs.

## School zone hours



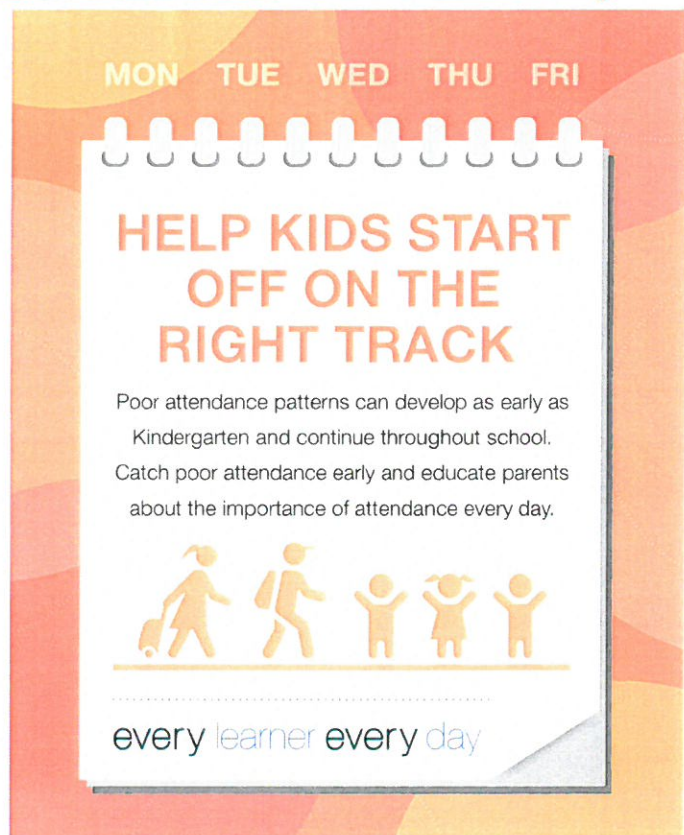
School zone hours are normally 8am until 9.30am and then 2.30pm until 4pm.

**School zones are enforceable on all  
NSW government school days.  
These include pupil free days and  
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may or may not be in operation.**

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School zones operate and are enforced on pupil free days because pupil free days can vary from school to school. Consistent operation of school zones aims to reduce driver confusion, which improves the safety of school children.

More  
information  
about  
Student  
Attendance  
patterns



How can you promote a healthy  
attendance culture in your school?  
Visit [www.parra.catholic.edu.au/everylearnereveryday](http://www.parra.catholic.edu.au/everylearnereveryday)  
to find out more

every learner  
every day





## **HAVE YOU DOWNLOADED THE Skoolbag App YET?**

Skoolbag is the ultimate school to parent communication tool. This School Mobile App provides schools with an easy way to tell parents and carers important information as soon as it happens example: school news, event reminders, cancellations and much more.

To install it, just search for our school name "Christ the King Primary North Rocks" in either the Apple App Store, Google Play Store or on Windows.

## **HAVING ISSUES WITH THE Skoolbag app**



If you find you are not receiving messages or have lost your alert ping, sometimes it is just a matter of removing and re-installing the app. System updates sometimes cause these minor issues.

## **USE YOUR Skoolbag app TO NOTIFY YOUR CHILD'S ABSENCE FROM SCHOOL**



1. Open Skoolbag app
2. Click on eForms
3. Select Absentee Form
4. Complete all fields
5. In the last field you need to tap and then you can sign with your finger on your phone screen
6. Press Submit

This will send an instant email to the school to advise your child's absence.

This document is now legally acceptable as an Absentee Notification as the form is signed. You will not need to send in an additional note when your child returns to school.

**This eForm is not to be used for extended Family leave.**

- Request for Family leave (1-10 days) must be emailed to the Principal. *If travelling overseas, an itinerary must accompany this application.*
- For Family leave over 10 days, an Application for Extended Leave must be submitted at least 2 weeks prior to departure. *If travelling overseas, an itinerary must accompany this application.*

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## **UNIFORM SHOP NEWS**

**IMPORTANT : CHANGE TO OPENING HOURS—NEXT TUESDAY 14TH MARCH 8.30am-2.30pm**

**TUESDAYS** (even weeks on school calendar) 8.30am—2.30pm (odd weeks on school calendar) 9.30am—3.30pm

*The Uniform Shop is open on TUESDAYS each week with alternative morning and afternoon opening hours for your convenience.* Parents are most welcome to place an order through the office. **FULL PAYMENT** with all orders. The Uniform Shop can accept cash or cheque (made payable to Christ the King).

Eftpos facilities are able to be accessed through the School office for Uniform orders.

**The Uniform Shop Price List is available on the Christ the King School website.** Go to [ctknorthrocks.catholic.edu.au](http://ctknorthrocks.catholic.edu.au) and click on the 'Parents' tab then click on Handbook, School Office and then Uniform Shop / Clothing Pool. On this page you will find the price list to download.

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## **Ice Block Friday One ice block per student. \$1-00**

ICEBLOCK day will continue TOMORROW, Friday 10th March with the **Year 3 parents** running the sales for this week.

Ice Blocks are \$1 each and each student can only receive one ice block. Please inform the office if you do NOT wish your child to purchase an ice block or please ensure that your child has their money on the day to avoid any tears.

As a heads up, **Year 4 parent helpers** will be needed for next weeks Ice block day (Friday 17th March). Please meet me at 1.20pm in the Hall.

*Ms. Lucy Kruger, Ice block coordinator*

# PARENT VOLUNTEERS WITHIN THE DIOCESE OF PARRAMATTA

New directive from the Diocesan Office 25<sup>th</sup> May 2016

## BUILDING CHILD SAFE COMMUNITIES – NEW FORMS FOR ALL VOLUNTEERS

**THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLETED BY ALL PARENT VOLUNTEERS INCLUDING THOSE WHO ALREADY HAVE A CURRENT NSW WORKING WITH CHILDREN CHECK.**

**Please note:** Until both the 'Volunteer Form' and the 'Module' have been completed, parents will not be able to assist in any capacity as a volunteer within the school. (The school receives notification when you complete each section).

'Building Child Safe Communities' is a new initiative developed by Catholic Education Diocese of Parramatta that enhances our commitment to ensuring the safety and wellbeing of all students in our care. **It is now a requirement that all volunteers and contractors complete an online undertaking form** that confirms expectations in relation to behaviour whilst volunteering or contracting at schools, Catholic Out of Schools Hours Care and Catholic Early Learning Centres. This undertaking form also seeks to determine the suitability of volunteers and contractors by requiring them to declare that they do not have a criminal history involving children.

- 1 **Volunteers** – please click on 'Building Child Safe Communities – Undertaking for Volunteers' by accessing the form via the Catholic Education Diocese of Parramatta public webpage [www.parra.catholic.edu.au](http://www.parra.catholic.edu.au), then click on the 'Volunteers and Contractors-Click here' image (halfway down page on the right hand side).



This image will take you to the Building Safe Communities page.

Click on the green Volunteer tab (left hand side)

Click on Step 1—Volunteer Form and follow the steps

**You will receive a confirmation email once the form has been submitted.**

- Your details will be maintained confidentially in a central database
- **A copy of your confirmation will then be emailed to the School / location where you are volunteering to be kept on file.**

A new form is required:

- For each location that you are a volunteer or contractor
- If any of the details you have provided on the form change

- 2 **A reminder that you once you receive your confirmation email, you will need to complete the Child Protection Module.**



[www.parra.catholic.edu.au](http://www.parra.catholic.edu.au), then click on the 'Volunteers and Contractors-Click here' image (halfway down page on the right hand side). This image will take you to the Building Safe Communities page.

Click on the green Volunteer tab (left hand side)

Click on Step 2—Complete the Online Training Module

**Once you complete this online module the school will receive notification that it has been completed and you will be cleared to volunteer.**

### Therefore in brief :

1. To complete form go to: [www.parra.catholic.edu.au](http://www.parra.catholic.edu.au) and follow Step 1 above
2. Wait for confirmation email
3. On receipt of the confirmation email follow Step 2 above to complete Child Protection Online Module
4. Wait for confirmation email
5. The School will receive an email confirming that you have completed both steps and are now cleared to volunteer.

We thank all volunteers for their continued support of Catholic Education.

## COMMUNITY NEWS



### Oakhill College Year 7, 2018 and Year 7, 2019 Enrolments

Applications for enrolment into **Year 7, 2018** will close on **Friday 17<sup>th</sup> March, 2017** and enrolment into **Year 7, 2019** will close on **Friday 18<sup>th</sup> August, 2017**. Parents who wish to apply for enrolment of their sons in Year 7 at Oakhill College, and who have not yet submitted an Application for Enrolment, are requested to contact the Registrar before the closing dates on 9899 2288 or [registrar@oakhill.nsw.edu.au](mailto:registrar@oakhill.nsw.edu.au)

**Schoenstatt Shrine Open Times:** The Shrine is open 7 days a week, 365 days a year, 7am to 8pm, for quiet personal prayer and reflection. Come and enjoy the peace and grace of the Shrine and our beautiful rural surroundings. You are always welcome to bring your family and friends and share lunch in the grounds. Mount Schoenstatt, 230 Fairlight Road, Mulgoa. Please contact the center if you have any questions on 4773 8338.

**Shrine Time in 2017 - Young Adults 18-35** When: 4th Sunday of every month 2017, 7.30pm-8.30pm followed by social gathering. What: 1 Holy Hour with prayer, reflection, meditation, praise & worship. 2017 is devoted to Praying for Vocations and Devotion to Mary as per our Holy Father's intentions for the next WYD. Why: Mary, honoured as the Mother Thrice Admirable, offers 3 graces in the Shrine, this monthly event is a unique opportunity to experience them regularly: \* Discover your HOME in the hearts of Jesus and Mary \* See breakthrough TRANSFORMATION in your life \* Get your spiritual boost to be an authentic WITNESS.

**Formation for Young Adults 18-35 - Love of Mary. Love of the Church. Love of the Mission of Christ** When: 3rd Sunday of every month 2017 What: 12pm - Lunch - bring a plate to share, followed by formation and prayer - concludes by 3pm Why: Want to know what it means to be human? Want to become an authentic Christian? If Yes, then join us for formation in the Schoenstatt Spirituality.



Roselea Football Club is looking for girls to fill the last few spots in their all girls U6, U13 and U16 teams.

Stay Fit, have Fun and make new Friends.

Go to [roseleafootballclub.com](http://roseleafootballclub.com) or call Rohan on 0418475171 for more info.

### BENEDICTINE MONASTERY ARCADIA is holding their

## 52ND ANNUAL COUNTRY FAIR

121 Arcadia Road, Arcadia  
12th March 2017

- Plants
  - Sweets
  - BBQ
  - Choc. Wheel
  - Raffles
  - White Elephant
  - Hot/Cold Drinks
  - Farm Produce
  - Cakes
  - Select Market Stalls
  - Jumping Castle
  - Face Painting
  - Merry-go-round
  - Fancy Goods
- Tours of the Monastery - 11:00am / 12:00pm / 1:00pm / 2:00pm

### MAJOR RAFFLE PRIZES

- 1st: \$800 shopping voucher
- 2nd: \$150 shopping voucher
- 3rd: \$75 shopping voucher

- COUNTRY SETTING • FAMILY DAY
- MASS TO BEGIN 10.00AM
- FETE TO BEGIN 10.30AM

RAIN OR SHINE - TELEPHONE 02 9653 1159  
[benedictine.org.au/go/countryfair](http://benedictine.org.au/go/countryfair)

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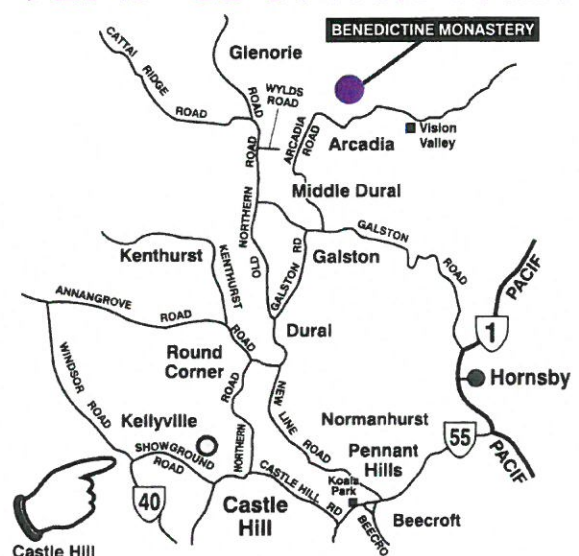
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### Free Tickets - Booking Now - Spirit of Anzac Experience

International Convention Centre Sydney : 15 – 27 April

We will be hosting some fun and educational activities, in conjunction with the Australian War Memorial, from Monday 17 to Friday 21 April 2017. Various sessions will take place throughout these dates. Whether you are a family or a large group, you will be able to tour the exhibition, participate in craft sessions, explore artefacts and learn more about service men and women from the First World War. Please visit the website for details. [www.spiritofanzac.gov.au](http://www.spiritofanzac.gov.au) It really is a not to be missed, once-in-a-life-time experience.



**FINAL TOUR DATES**

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CENTENARY EXPERIENCE

A free travelling exhibition that tells the story of Australia's involvement in the First World War, featuring artefacts from the Australian War Memorial.

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We will be hosting free children's activities at the Experience from 17 - 21 April. Find out more and register your interest at [www.spiritofanzac.gov.au/sydney/activities](http://www.spiritofanzac.gov.au/sydney/activities)

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## MindQuest 2017

Glenwood HS

Cnr Forman Ave and Glenwood Park Ave

Glenwood 2768

Saturday 20 & Sunday 21 May 2017 9.30am-3.30pm

The 83rd *MindQuest* program will be held for gifted and talented primary students from Years 1-6 at Glenwood HS. These include gifted and talented students, gifted underachievers and students with well above average ability with a special interest. Students will have an opportunity to participate in over 36 exciting, fast paced courses in the two day program. They include courses in chemistry, earth sciences, drama, lego robotics, chemistry and much more. Most of these highly successful courses have been run in the past and students' evaluations suggest that they have been challenged and enriched by the experience. The cost of the weekend is \$195 (including GST). Send your applications in early to avoid disappointment.

Glenwood HS is in the Baulkham Hills area close to the M7 and is easy to get to from most parts of Sydney. It is 20 mins Beecroft, 35 mins North Sydney, 25mins Strathfield, 30 mins from Richmond, Penrith and Hornsby.

For a brochure call Shelagh on 02 4232 2494

Closing Date: Last day of Term1 Friday 7 April 2017



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