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15 June 2018 Memo

There is no newsletter this week due to Learning Quarterly. There are however a few reminders and important notes for parents below.

Looking Ahead

<u>June</u>		Fri 29	Yrs 3 – 6 NRL Clinics
Mon 18	KC Robotics		Yoga Yrs 1, 5, 6
Tues 19	School Advisory Council meeting		KH Robotics
Thurs 21	Robotics 3V		Reports home
Fri 22	9.30am School Tours	<u>July</u>	
	NRL Clinics Yrs 3-6	Tues 3	Yrs 3 & 4 Gala Day RL/AFL/Netball
	Yoga Yrs 1, 5, 6	Thurs 5	Yrs 5 & 6 Gala Day RL/AFL/Netball
	KH Robotics	Fri 6	Vinnies Night Patrol collection Yrs 1 & 4
	7.30pm Dads' Curry Night		End Term 2
Mon 25	1L Robotics	Mon 23	Term 3 commences
Tues 26	Author Visit – Diane Harding	Wed 25	Stage 3 Musical rehearsal
Wed 27	Author Visit – Diane Harding	Fri 27	9.30am School Tours
Thurs 28	SVdP Pyjama Day – not slippers		10am Grandparent's Liturgy
Fri 29	9.30am School Tours		Chess commences

Dear Parents

As this week is Fallow Week a memo is being published rather than a newsletter. However, I encourage you to also take time to read the Learning Quarterly which this term focuses on assessment and reporting. Reports are due to be sent home at the end of Week 9.

I hope during Fallow Week you have had the opportunity as a family to take advantage of no homework and spend more time with each other. You may have even used the time to sell some of the raffle tickets that are supporting the upgrade of the lower playground later this year. Remember that the raffle will be drawn at assembly on Monday 2nd July, 2018. There are great prizes on offer and more tickets available for those children eager to win the prize for selling the most.

I will be on leave for the final two weeks of this term as I am joining some of my colleagues on a pilgrimage in Italy walking the Via Francigena. Miss Bombardieri will be Acting Principal in my absence with Mrs Brown as Acting Assistant Principal.

Awards

KC	Lakyn E, Natasha M, Pearl G, Allegra C	KH	Finn W, Harriet P and Leon A
1L	Leonardo F and Lucy W	1R	Jasmine L and Elsie G
2HB	Ella M and Darek P	2S	Alice C and Kai D
3B	Liam K and Kayla D	3V	Freya M and Dylan G
4G	Lachlan D, Jack H and Charlotte H	4K	Tadgh M and Pia R
5K	Catherine B and Cole I	Yr 5/6	Jessica H and Zanthe J
Yr 6	Aiden L and Tara N	PE	Jake B, Emilia G, Charlotte H, Nina F, Sophie O,
			Alicia M and Jack P

PRC Update

Congratulations to the 45 students who have completed the Premier's Reading Challenge. There is still plenty of time left for all the other students participating so keep on reading!

A reminder that *The Book Bonus* is an option for students to participate in too. By getting sponsors while completing the PRC, you are raising money for the school to get more books as well as schools less fortunate than us to get some

books too. Even if your child has finished the PRC, getting sponsors for the completion is an added bonus. http://www.bookbonus.org.au/



Pyjama Day—Thursday 28 June

On Thursday 28 June we will be having a pyjama day where the children can wear their pyjamas to school, with closed sport shoes (no slippers). We ask that they bring a donation of money on that day that we will pass on to St Vincent de Paul.



Author Visit

The students in K, 1 and 2 were very fortunate to have a visit from author, Yves Stening. Yves read his books to the student but also explained the process of actually writing a book. The students were amazed that his first book took two years to complete. Many thanks to Yves for spending time at St Kieran's and to the students for their participation.







Book Club

Orders for the current issue are due Friday 22 June. Online orders only accepted.

From the Band Conductor

Congratulations to both Junior and Senior Bands for a wonderful performance at Hardi Nursing Home yesterday. You played extremely well despite the challenge of the windy weather. The residents loved our performance and can't wait for our return.

A big thank you to ALL parents who were able to help get equipment and children over to the performance and watch them perform. These performances wouldn't happen without your help and support and the students and myself really appreciate the effort.

A reminder that there is a performance at Pittwater High School next Friday, 22 June - afternoon for Junior Band and evening for Senior Band. (Junior Band- 5-6:30pm timeslot; Senior Band- 6:35-8pm timeslot)

The performance at Forest High is Monday 25 June. Both bands are to arrive by 6:15pm.

Please encourage all your lovely musicians to practice their pieces so they can really enjoy performing on stage next week.

Canteen Roster: Next Week's Roster (Term 2 - Week 8): Wednesday 20 June: Cath Hamer, Jenni Scofield Thursday 21 June: Allyson Perry, Kath Sui, Shahn Schwarz Friday 22 June: Natasha Gennusa, Sylvia Joseph, Niamh Collins Any changes to the canteen roster, please contact: Jo Nesbitt - via text on: 0410 629 135.

Dads' Curry Night

7.30pm Friday 22 June the Delhi Darbar , 141 Allambie Road Shops. BYO. All dads welcome. *Cheers Howie - E mail: howardgiles100@hotmail.com*

From the Parish

Confirmation

Thank you to all parents who handed in Confirmation registration documentation and have now organised or are in the process of organising family preparation groups.

The *Confirmation Parents Information Meeting* will be held on Tues 19 June at 9.30am OR Wed 20 June at 7.00pm in St Kieran's Church. The *Group Facilitator Meeting* will be held immediately after the parent meeting at 10.30am on Tues 19 June OR 8.00pm on Wed 20 June in St Kieran's Church.

Please contact Janette at <u>sacraments@northharbourcatholic.org.au</u> with any questions.