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## LOOKING AHEAD

### June

Mon 20<sup>th</sup> Yr 2 Mini Beast incursion  
P&F Meeting 7pm  
Wed 22<sup>nd</sup> Jnr & Snr Bands to Aged Care  
Thurs 23<sup>rd</sup> Yr 1 excursion to Wildflower Garden  
Fri 24<sup>th</sup> **Staff Development Day** – Pupil free  
Mon 27<sup>th</sup> Civics Team at Parliament House  
Tues 28<sup>th</sup> Gala Day Yrs 3 & 4  
Thurs 30<sup>th</sup> Gala Day Yrs 5 & 6

### July

Fri 1<sup>st</sup> End Term 2  
Mon 18<sup>th</sup> Term 3 commences  
Fri 22<sup>nd</sup> 10am Grandparents liturgy  
Chess Commences  
Fri 29<sup>th</sup> 2pm Assembly – Yr 1 & Tech Team

### August

Tues 2<sup>nd</sup> ICAS English  
Mon 8<sup>th</sup> Yr 2 Robotics  
Fri 12<sup>th</sup> Yr 2 Robotics  
2pm Italian Assembly – Library Team

Mon 15<sup>th</sup> 10am Assumption Mass – Yr 4  
Tues 16<sup>th</sup> ICAS Maths  
Wed 17<sup>th</sup> Peninsula Athletics  
Thurs 18<sup>th</sup> Fair Dinkum Book Week Musical Yrs 1,2 5 attending  
Yrs 2-6 Author James O'Loughlin visiting  
Wed 24<sup>th</sup> 10am St Augustine Feast Day Mass  
Library Team – Lunch with the Stars

### September

Fri 2<sup>nd</sup> Fathers' Day Liturgy 8.45am  
Fri 9<sup>th</sup> 10am St Kieran's Day liturgy – Yr 3 presenting  
2pm Assembly – Kinder & Enviro Team  
Fri 16<sup>th</sup> Netball / Cricket Gala Day Yrs 3 & 4  
Yr 6 Canberra Camp  
Tues 20<sup>th</sup> Netball / Cricket Gala Day Yrs 5 & 6  
Wed 21<sup>st</sup> Yr 6 return from Canberra  
Thurs 22<sup>nd</sup> End Term 3  
Fri 23<sup>rd</sup>

## SCHOOL NEWS

Dear Families,

**"There is no area more important to our children, than the home our children share with us. It's not the size nor the material comforts our home provides, it's the nurturing environment that really matters. Home is a place of great opportunity for emerging young people for it is in the home, amongst family, that value systems can be established and God's love can be experienced through the love that family members express to one another; mistakes can be made without the fear of ridicule and with the real expectation of true compassion and forgiveness."**

God bless,  
Terri Paterson

### School Fees

Please note the second instalment of school fees was due on May 6 for those paying 3 standard instalments. Several reminders have been sent home yet there are still a number of families who have not paid. School fees are essential to the financial viability of your child(ren's) school. Unless arrangements have been made with the office, outstanding accounts will be forwarded to the Catholic Schools Office for collection if not paid by **17 June**.

For those families paying by weekly, fortnightly or monthly instalments please ensure your payments are kept up to date.

### Athletics Carnival

A VERY BIG thank you to all the staff, parents and children for making our Athletics carnival a successful one. We were blessed with beautiful weather and the children that did attend the carnival were kept extremely busy all day participating in running races, cheering and competing in their field events. Congratulations Eve S on breaking U9 Girls 200m with a time of 34.00s!

The Discus and High Jump competitions will be arranged and run either this term or early next. At the completion of these events the sport champions and of course the overall colour house winners of the day will be announced.

A huge thank you to our wonderful parent helpers, we could not have had such a successful day without your support, help and knowledge!



### **Year 5 & 6 Sleeping Rough**

Sleeping rough on the streets is something we all hope we never have to experience. The senior students from St Kieran's will do just that this frosty evening. As well as sleeping in the school grounds under blankets and cardboard boxes the students will enjoy soup as their main meal of the day. With no entertainment or electrical devices of any kind the children will have to chat as they try to stay warm in the cold and dark.

Why? Sometimes it is necessary to put yourself in someone else's shoes in order to understand what life is like for them. Following information about why people become homeless, and it doesn't take much, students were offered the opportunity to step into the shoes of a homeless person, even just for a few hours.

The senior children also raised their own sponsorship money in order to join the chilly sleep out. If you would like to add to the funds the children have raise for St Vincent De Paul please pop your donation in an envelope and mark it 'Winter Sleep Out'. Donations can be dropped off at the school office.

Our thanks go to Mrs Rose for cooking up a pot of soup to feed the students. Thank you also to the teachers for giving up their evening with their family to supervise the students.

*Year 6 Mission Team.*

### **First Communion congratulations .**

#### **Alice The Musical Cast List**

Congratulations to the following children who will be involved in drama parts for our School Musical 'Alice'. All the children who auditioned demonstrated great confidence and preparation. We look forward to seeing these children show their talents in the Term 4 School musical.

*Mrs Clifford and Ms Leong*

Narrator L Carroll	Rose C Yr 6	Dodo	Sam C Yr 6
Narrator L Carroll	Joe M Yr 6	Fish Footman	Brianna G Yr 6
Narrator L Carroll	Stella N Yr 6	Frog Footman	Sienna J Yr 6
Alice	Ellie D 5L	Duchess	Ruby Q Yr 6
Alice Singer	Mischa H Yr 6	Cook	Daniel M 5W
Alice Singer	Elise L 5L	March Hare	Scarlett S Yr 6
Alice Singer	Alannah W 5W	Dormouse	Matthew S Yr 6
White Rabbit	Laura T Yr 6	Two of Hearts	Cleo J Yr 6
Mouse	Dahlai A Yr 6	Five of Hearts	Lachlan C Yr 6
Mad Hatter	Hannah H Yr 6	Seven of Hearts	Emilia H 5L
Queen of Hearts	Stella M Yr 6	Knave of Hearts	Jedd T 5L
Mock Turtle	Ashleigh W Yr 6	Voice Off	Grace P 5W
Gryphon	Sophie P Yr 6	Executioner	Ella H 5W
King of Hearts	Sienna F Yr 6	Executioner	Sareta R Yr 6
Caterpillar	Kye P 5L	Executioner	Thomas S 5W
Cheshire Cat	Samantha S Yr 6	Gardener	Isabel O 5L
Lory	Ethan S Yr 6	Gardener	Eloise W 5W

**Congratulations** to the Bhatti family on the safe arrival of a baby boy called Zuben.

★ ★ ★ AWARDS ★ ★ ★

<b>KC</b>	Daniel M and Elloise R	<b>KR</b>	Kieran H and Sienna S
<b>1L</b>	Mya B and Tristan D	<b>1R</b>	Thomas M and Elsa P
<b>2B</b>	Josie S and Dan A	<b>2S</b>	
<b>3B</b>	Charlie D and Isabel S	<b>3S</b>	Oliver J and Lily S
<b>4R</b>	Sarah K and Bailey S	<b>4U</b>	Jada S and Ocean C
<b>5L</b>	Jedd T and Isabella K	<b>5W</b>	Sarah H and Lachlan I
<b>6</b>	Scarlett S, Mischa H, Simon A, Liam K	<b>Italian</b>	Caitlin W, Ben S, Zanthé J and Angus M

## PARENT NEWS

### Uniform Shop

The uniform shop will be open next Thursday (8.30-9.30am) with your last opportunity to purchase stock at a 50% discount (only for items Pickles won't stock going forward). If you are unable to get to the uniform shop this Thursday paper orders are welcome for next week.

On continued stock, prices will increase when transferred to Pickles, so a great opportunity to stock up!! The [attached](#) worksheet provides available stock levels, current St Kieran's prices and corresponding Pickles prices for your information.

After next week the uniform shop will be closed and all purchases will be directly with Pickles. This will be done either using an online system whereby Pickles will deliver orders weekly to the school, or by purchasing stock at their Brookvale retail shop.

Thank you again for your patience during this transition and hand over period.

Boys Uniform order form: [click](#) here

Girls Uniform order form: [click](#) here

### Election Day - Fundraiser Event - helpers needed

The P&F will be holding a BBQ, Cake Stall and mobile coffee van for the upcoming [election](#) Saturday 2 July. We need helpers on the day (between 7am-4pm) for the BBQ and Cake Stall, which should provide a great opportunity to support the local community with Parish being a key polling centre for the area. Please enter your details in the below link if you are able to help or email [stkierans.pf@gmail.com](mailto:stkierans.pf@gmail.com). Importantly we will need cake donations for the day - further details to come.

Link: <http://bit.ly/1W1pHyg>

### State of Origin - Dad's Night

To all St Kieran's dads - you're most warmly welcome to join 'mate vs mate' at the State of Origin Dad's night - further details and rsvp in the attached [flyer](#). This is not an official P&F event, however any monies raised will go back to the school.

**Entertainment Books**: current Entertainment Books finished at the end of last month. 20% of every membership sold contributes to our School. Help us achieve our goal by sharing this link with your Friends and Family. Thanks for your support! To order a new Entertainment Book follow the attached link -

<https://www.entertainmentbook.com.au/orderbooks/2001d10>

### Canteen

Thank you to all the Volunteers, without you our Canteen could not operate. A huge thank you to Alicia Potega, Nelly McGrath, Liz Sterrantino, Sania Saady and Nicole Covich who helped out on canteen today.

NEXT WEEK's ROSTER (2 - Week 9):

**Wednesday 22 June:** Sania Saady (M), Nelly McGrath (M), Amanda Raleigh (A), Steph Keogh

**Thursday 23 June:** Wayne Lewis, Jo Allen, Carly Starkey/Jane Smith (M)

**Friday 24 June:** **Pupil Free Day**

- Full day Volunteers are required from 8.50am to 1.50pm.
- Morning Volunteers are required from 8.50am to 11.15am (M).
- Lunch Volunteers are required from 11.15am to 1.50pm (L).

<https://www.flexischools.com.au>

Any changes to the canteen roster, please contact: Jo Nesbitt - [joanne.nesbitt@dbb.catholic.edu.au](mailto:joanne.nesbitt@dbb.catholic.edu.au) or text 0410 629 135

## PARISH NEWS

Australia's Biggest Morning Tea – Thursday 23 June 9am – 12pm at the Parish [Centre](#)

Sacramental Program [information](#)

## COMMUNITY NEWS

- **Go4Fun** Children's 7 – 13yrs Term 3 Health [program](#)