



St Michael's Primary School

Newsletter

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Issue 16

Term 4 Week 1

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From the Principal

Dear Parents

Term 4

Welcome back to Term 4. It was wonderful to see our students return to school with enthusiasm and interest in their learning. Only a few reluctant ones, some nerves, which is not uncommon. I am sure with the help of your positive reassurance those butterflies in the tummy will soon settle. If there are any issues please speak to your child's teacher. We are all looking forward to having a happy, successful and productive term.

Congratulations to the students who continue to wear their uniform with pride. Please support the school by sending your child to school in their complete summer uniform or sports uniform. If at any time there is an issue with part of their uniform, please send them to school in the uniform that is complete.

Daily attendance

Every day counts. It is important for your child's wellbeing and academic progress that they attend school regularly and complete each school day. Children need to attend school every day from 8.45 am until 3.10 pm unless illness prevents their attendance. Please ensure that appointments are made outside of school hours in order to ensure that your child can maximise their learning potential. Learning takes place from 8.45 am until the final bell at 3.10 pm. Being late or taking your child early from school, particularly on a regular basis, may hinder their personal and academic progress. This is often reflected in school reports.

Parents taking their children out of school on a regular basis will be contacted by the Principal. Should you need to take your child out of school early on an unavoidable occasion, a note should be sent in to the class teacher. This will minimise the interruption to learning time for all students. Please avoid disruption to teachers and students by arriving unexpectedly to pick up children without prior notice.

Term 4 Slow & Go Changes

From Monday 9 October Slow & Go resumed on the school grounds. The procedure is the same as we have always used—numbers are called and children are directed to their parent's cars.

Parents, please be aware that there are pedestrians also using this area. Parents who are coming to collect their children after 3.15 pm will have to come down to the Slow & Go area as no child will be left on the main playground.

Parents who are walking to collect their children from Slow & Go are asked to enter and leave the school grounds via the walkway access and stairs that lead to the School office, proceed down the stairs near the Library and walk across underneath the covered awning near the canteen. This walkway will soon be painted with a pedestrian crossing. Please do not enter or exit the double gates or small gate; cars are driving through between 3.20-3.40 pm.

We ask all drivers to be aware of pedestrians. **Pedestrians have right of way at all times.**

Reflection

There are two ways to look at life, positively or negatively. The choice is ours and there always is a choice provided we take charge of our attitude and don't permit someone else to choose it for us. Our attitude towards life determines life's attitude towards us. Attitude is contagious. Positive attitude gives energy to you and to those around you. The Athenian leader, Pericles, has this advice for us adults, "What you leave behind is not what is engraved in stone monuments, but what is woven into the hearts of others."

So what type of attitude training do we give our children? Do we offer them encouraging thoughts? Do we lead them to read and view positive material that will inspire? Do we encourage them to be outward in their thinking? There's much more to think about in life than themselves. Do we provide for them the "triple goodies" of good nutrition, good sleep, good exercise? Do we encourage them to focus on the "good thing" they have in life and to be content?

Samuel Johnston reminds us that, "**Our** attitude is the expression of **our** values, **our** beliefs and **our** expectations." How is **our** attitude perceived by **our** children? It is important for our children to realise that no matter how hard they try to develop positive attitudes, they don't live in a vacuum. They will surely come across people who have an unenlightened view on life. However, it doesn't matter what kind of attitude other people resent to them, what matters is how they deal with it and how they perceive its worth. Hopefully, they will have us to look up to for their models for positive living.

Blessing: "May you rise each day with a voice of blessing whispering in your heart, that something good is going to happen to you. May you find harmony between your soul and your life. May there be kindness in your gaze when you look within. May the presence of the Almighty be forever in you. Amen"

Wishing you every blessing for the week ahead.

Danuta Maka

Religious Education

Sacrament of Eucharist—First Holy Communion

For children eight/nine years of age or older who have received the Sacrament of Penance. Children need to be 8 and a half years of age prior to the Celebration.

Parents' Information Evening and Registration for Eucharist was held in September.

Enrolment Masses - Weekend 14 & 15 October

Saturday 14 October - Vigil 5.30 pm

Sunday 15 October - 8, 10 and 6 pm

Session 1 Parents Only – Tuesday 17 October ~ 7.30 pm
or Wednesday 18 October ~ 7.30 pm

Session 2 Parents/Children – Tuesday 24 October ~ 7.30 pm or
Wednesday 25 October ~ 7.30 pm

Session 3 Parents/Children – Tuesday 31 October ~ 7.30 pm or
Wednesday 1 November ~ 7.30pm

Session 4 Parents/Children – Tuesday 7 November ~ 7.30 pm
or Wednesday 8 November ~ 7.30 pm

First Communion Masses

Any of the Parish Masses on weekend of 18-19 November
or

Fri 17 November 7.30 pm, Sun 19 November 12 noon and 2.30 pm

Attendance at Weekend Masses is expected throughout the whole programme.

All enquiries—please contact the Parish Office on 9639 0598.

Photography Grade and School Masses

Dear Parents, Please be aware that no photographs are to be taken and/or filming is to take place during a mass out of respect for the Sacrament.

If parents would like to have a photograph of their own children, then they are allowed to do so at the end of the mass.

Thank you for your support and understanding.

Mr David Ison, Religious Education Co-ordinator

Social Justice Skills and Mantras Program.

Term 4 Week 2 - Control your anger

- Know what things trigger your anger.
- Learn strategies like counting to ten or walking away to keep yourself calm.

Week 3 - Ask for help if you need it

- Ask for help if you need it; whether in the playground, with work in the classroom, or out of school. Ask questions that will help you understand the task.

Prayers

Please keep in your prayers Mrs Mifsud and her family on the passing of her father.

Eternal rest grant to him, Lord. Let your perpetual light shine upon him. May he rest in peace. Amen.



2018 Enrolling Now Applications 2018

If you have any relatives or friends considering enrolling their child at St Michael's in 2018 now is the time to remind them to apply.

2018 Kindergarten enrolments

Orientation letters have been posted to families who have confirmed their place for 2017. Please return Orientation form as soon as possible.

If you have any enquiries regarding enrolments for Kindergarten to Year 6, please contact the school office on 9639 0518.

2018—Families leaving St Michael's at the end of the year

If your family is not returning to St Michael's for Years 1-6 in 2018, please let Mrs Maka, Principal, know as soon as possible. Please address all letters to Mrs Maka c/o the school office.

We will be looking at placing students in classes for 2018 during Term 4.

Please note that if you are leaving the school at the end of the year in Years K-5, parents must provide one term's notice in writing. Please contact the office for further information 9639 0518.

School Fees

School fees are paid over Terms 1, 2 and 3, therefore no school fee accounts are sent home in Term 4.

Term 3 school fees are now overdue. Thank you to the parents who have paid on time. Reminder letters have been posted.

If you are experiencing difficulties in finalising payment or have not received a statement please direct your school fee enquiry to Tanya Eastaway on 9639 0518 or email teastaway@parra.catholic.edu.au.



Calendar Dates

WEEK 1

Fri 13 Oct School Assembly 8.50 am—Prayer
Diocesan Mission Mass 10 am

Holy Communion Enrolment Masses
Saturday 14 October - Vigil 5.30 pm
Sunday 15 October - 8, 10 and 6 pm

WEEK 2

Tue 17 Oct 3 Blue & 3 Yellow Parish Mass 9.15 am

Wed 18 Oct 5 Green & 5 Red Parish Mass 9.15 am

Thu 19 Oct 4K Blue & K Yellow Parish Mass 9.15 am

Fri 20 Oct Kindergarten Excursion Calmsley Hill City Farm
School Assembly 8.50 am—Prayer 2 Blue

WEEK 3

Tue 24 Oct K Red & K Green Parish Mass 9.15 am
Yr 6 Excursion "The Red Tree" Riverside Theatre
10.00 am—12.30 pm

Wed 25 Oct 6 Green & 6 Red Parish Mass 9.15 am

Thu 26 Oct 6Blue & 6 Yellow Parish Mass 9.15 am

Fri 27 Oct School Assembly 8.50 am—Prayer 1 Blue
Kindy Incursion Bronwyn Vaugh Floating on a sea
of stories 1.30-3.00 pm

WEEK 4

Mon 30 Oct St Michael's Feast Day Liturgy 10.15 am

Tue 31 Oct Yr 4 Iconic Productions: Colonial Show
5 Blue & 5 Yellow Parish Mass 9.15 am

Wed 1 Nov 1 Blue & 1 Green Parish Mass 9.15 am

Thu 2 Nov Talent spectacular 11.30 am
Music Count us in 12.00 pm

Fri 3 Nov School Assembly 8.50 am—Prayer K Blue

WEEK 5

Mon 6 Nov Kindergarten 2018 Parent Information Evening
7 pm

Tue 7 Nov 3 Green & 3 Red Parish Mass 9.15 am

Wed 8 Nov 1 Red & 1 Yellow Parish Mass 9.15 am
Band Concert 6.30 pm

Thu 9 Nov Year 6 Canberra Excursion
4 Green & 4 Yellow Parish Mass 9.15 am

Fri 10 Nov Year 6 Canberra Excursion
School Assembly 8.50 am Prayer 5 Green

WEEK 6

Tue 14 Nov Kindergarten 2018 Orientation Session 1
4 Blue & 4 Red Parish Mass 9.15 am

Wed 15 Nov 2 Green & 2 Red Parish Mass 9.15 am

Thu 16 Nov Kindergarten 2018 Orientation Session 2
2 Blue & 2 Yellow Parish Mass 9.15 am

Fri 17 Nov School Assembly 8.50 am—Prayer 6 Green

Please note that from time to time there may be unavoidable circumstances that may occur and dates advertised for events may need to be changed. Every effort is made to give as much notice as possible when changes occur. We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause.

Classes for 2018

Early this term our teachers will be working together to formulate our classes for 2018. Our goal is to form parallel, even class groups in each grade. The teachers look at the learning needs of each student, their behaviour and their social, emotional needs. If you believe your child has any of the above needs which should be considered for their placement in a class for 2018, please put this information into a letter to the Principal. This is not an invitation for you to nominate your child's teacher. It is however, an opportunity to highlight any special needs that will help the teachers form class groups for 2018.

Teachers will also provide the children with an opportunity to nominate 2 or 3 friends that they would like to be with in 2018. The school will endeavour to have at least one of their friends progress with them if this is in your child's best interest. Towards the end of term 4 the children will have the opportunity to meet their 2018 teacher together with their new classmates.

Uniform ordering App

St Michael's uniform is now on the QKR App. The App can be used for all online uniform orders.

Please follow all instructions on the flyer attached to this newsletter to download the app and set up your account.

Delivery is every Tuesday and Friday during the school term and orders must be placed by 4 pm Monday and Thursday for delivery the next day.

You can try on samples at the school before school and after school for your convenience. Please try on the sizes before ordering to avoid disappointment.

Please choose carefully as we do not refund if you simply change your mind or make a wrong selection. However, we gladly exchange. Returned merchandise MUST be in its original condition and accompanied by proof of purchase otherwise the exchange will not be honoured.

If you have any enquiries please email Elle:

elle@ozfashions.com.au

Canteen

For Work Health & Safety reasons, parents are advised that they must not send in noodle cups that need the addition of hot water.

Staff members cannot put hot water into children's noodle cups. The canteen is also unable to do this from now on.

Any child who brings in a noodle cup for lunch will need to take it home. Thank you for your understanding.

The new summer menu has been given to the eldest child in each family and is also available on our website and Skoolbag App.

Calendar Dates—2017

- **Friday 15 December Students Finish for 2017**

Calendar Dates—2018

Term 1—Monday, 29 January to Friday, 13 April

- Monday, 29 January and Tuesday, 30 January: Staff Development Days - MAI Testing
- Wednesday, 31 January: Years 1-6 Commence
- Thursday, 1 February: Kindergarten Commence



Assembly Awards



Term 4 Students of the Term

KQ Blue	Violet Duncan
KR Red	John Fisher
KRT Yellow	April Williams
KvG Green	Jacob Montesin
1F Yellow	Keira Thomson
1G Red	Xylia Yang
1HS Blue	Keira Metierre
1S Green	Christopher Scott
2J Green	Teleigha Eleter
2R Blue	Anthony Naim
2L Yellow	Matthew Saaib
2P Red	Ashleigh Kriesel
3B Blue	Bronte Kenny
3C Red	Paul Kim
3H Green	Gabrielle Pittas
3RC Yellow	Caleb Parker
4 Yellow	Elizabeth Harvie
4BM Blue	Daniel Grib
4G Green	Isabella Kasto
4P Red	Patrick Johns
5J Green	Matthew Tanios
5K Blue	Lucas Faulkner
5M Red	Morgan Thorpe
5OD Yellow	Lily Roberts
6B Green	Daniel Fernandes
6F Blue	William Johns
6M Yellow	Benjamin Walters

Term 4 Citizens of the Term

KQ Blue	Marc-Felipe Lewis
KR Red	Rachel Martin
KRT Yellow	Christopher Bazouni
KvG Green	Akshara Kumaran
1F Yellow	Logan Orley
1G Red	Diego Farias
1HS Blue	Jessica Bozic
1S Green	Chloe Carey
2J Green	Luca Scotland
2R Blue	Natalie Williams
2L Yellow	Holly Cassingena
2P Red	Gabriella Pavihi
3B Blue	Jackson Carlos
3C Red	Lane Orley
3H Green	Gemma Lenane
3RC Yellow	Joanna Kim
4 Yellow	Oscar Cheah
4BM Blue	James Henderson
4G Green	Rubi NowakAllcorn
4P Red	Sarah Hanna
5J Green	Daniel Cavallo
5K Blue	Imogen Leahy
5M Red	Marcus Borg
5OD Yellow	William Cowling
6B Green	Dylan Biggs
6F Blue	Amelia Tornatore
6M Yellow	Dana Aani

Student of the Week—Week 9

KQ Blue	Halle Fleming
KvG Green	Madeleine Margiotta
KR Red	Joshua Lawrence
KRT Yellow	Gabby Corrao
1HS Blue	Kristian Grguric
1S Green	Sophia Farmer
1G Red	Connor Carter
1F Yellow	April Simmons
2R Blue	Daniel Prior
2J Green	Lizanne Fernandes
2P Red	Jayden Joseph
2L Yellow	Zachary Hall
3B Blue	Yasman Haddad
3H Green	Tea Stefanakis
3C Red	Jonathan Bryant
3RC Yellow	Olivia Pellicano
4BM Blue	Levi Morrison
4G Green	Maddison Zaitony
4P Red	Alexander Iordanou
4I Yellow	Julia Patanjali
5K Blue	Lucas Pittas
5J Green	Ashley Jay
5M Red	Aidan Dunnachie
5OD Yellow	Roko Buric
6B Green	Alexia Terlikar
6R Red	Alex Sneyd
6M Yellow	Kobi McKeon

Student of the Week—Week 10

KQ Blue	Jet Cassin
KvG Green	Luke Hoddinett
KR Red	Isabel Attard
KRT Yellow	Laksheeka Gour
1HS Blue	Emily Sayers
1S Green	Ruhaan Sharma
1G Red	Nadia Intan
1F Yellow	Harrison Dean
2R Blue	Reef Maurice
2J Green	Kyuss Bamford
2P Red	Charlotte Lucak
2L Yellow	Charlotte Taylor
3B Blue	Thomas Schneider
3H Green	William O'Farrell
3C Red	Maja Walkow
3RC Yellow	Owen Nada
4BM Blue	Jamie-Lee Alam
4G Green	Mary Boutros
4P Red	Riley Miller
4I Yellow	Mia Jurcevic
5K Blue	John Barakat
5J Green	Martyna Komin
5M Red	Amy Schier
5OD Yellow	Jacob Kos
6B Green	Eric Massih
6R Red	Alex Sneyd
6M Yellow	Vince Romeo

Sport

Congratulations to the following children who represented Parramatta at the Mackillop Athletics Carnival in Term 3. Well done on your fantastic results!

- Jnr Boys 800m: Riley Nolan 12th
- 11yr Boys 800m: Javier House 12th
- Snr Boys Relay: Angus Lewis, Oscar van Zoggel, Kobi McKeon, Luke Alderson 16th
- Jnr Boys Long Jump: Riley Nolan 9th
- Jnr Boys Discus: Xavier Saffy 9th
- 12 yr Girls 100m: Victoria Lopez 10th
- Snr Girls Relay: Victoria Lopez, Chanelle Maikhael, Emily Knez, Zayra Plebani 2nd
- Snr Girls High Jump: Chanelle Maikhael 4th
- Snr Girls Long Jump: Emily Knez 1st, Chanelle Maikhael 3rd

Competitors who finished in the top 3: Snr Girls Relay, Chanelle Maikhael; Long Jump, Emily Knez who has qualified for the NSWPSA athletics Championships on 18 and 19 October. Good luck!

Mr Steve Kovelis, Sports Coordinator



Library Borrowing

At last, we are ready to welcome students into our new space. Library borrowing will commence from Monday 16 October. [Week 2]. We expect all students to be borrowing next week. It's been a long wait! All students require a library bag. Please assist us to meet our goal to ban single use plastic bags from our library by ensuring that your child/ren bring a strong **reusable** bag in which to carry their library books to and from school. If you have purchased a St Michael's school "**Excursion Bag**", this is **a perfect library bag**. Thank you for your patience and for continuing to share books with your child/ren each day. This article from *The Conversation* is worth reading.

News from 5 Red

My Gold Rush Poem

In 1851, they came from countries all around,
To try their luck, and find some gold on the digging ground.
From Europe, China and America they all came to get rich,
They slept in tents, they ate damper and they toiled in a ditch.
They worked all day in rain and sun, using pans and buckets.

At Sovereign Hill near Ballarat, they found some specks and nuggets.
The Government said "To take the gold your license must be paid."
The miners thought this wasn't fair and built a new stockade.
EUREKA! EUREKA! The diggers yelled "We'll fight!"
The Government then changed the fee to everyone's delight.

At Bakery Hill near Ballarat in 1858,
Two men found the Welcome Nugget, which was shiny, huge and great.
Upon finding it they fainted, their mates thought they were dead,
But they had simply passed out when they saw it above their head.
It was the biggest nugget that had been dug from underground.
The Witkowski brothers sold it for over 10,000 pounds.

For 20 years they dug up gold, the town's all grew and thrived,
When the gold ran out, they struggled to survive.
Some packed up and headed home with sadness on their head,
Some moved on to other towns and tried it there instead.
The gold rush helped Australia grow to what it is today,
Without it who knows how we would be, Google didn't say!!

Hayley Carroll

Goldfields

Our life is hard,
Our job is hard,
Out on the Goldfields
Very tiring, we all need a break
Try my luck tomorrow

No food
No drink
No Gold
My hands ache from the panning and digging
No luck for me at all

Another day down the mine shaft
Nothing but dirt in my way
I see something shiny up ahead
Could it be?
Yes - Gold I say Gold
Eureka Eureka I've struck Gold

Tyron Halpenny



Catherine McAuley Westmead Enrolments for Year 7 2019

Catherine McAuley Westmead is now accepting enrolments for Year 7 2019.
The closing date for Year 7 2019 applications 1st round offers is
Friday, 6th April 2018.

Parents and their daughters have the opportunity to tour the school campus
at one of our upcoming school tours specifically for Year 7 2019 applicants,
but open to any year group.

**Wednesday 18th October and Monday 6th November 2017
9.15 – 11am**

These mornings will provide parents and students with the opportunity to
tour our school on a normal school day. You will be able to view our school
grounds and facilities, go into classrooms and meet our students and teachers
Enrolment packs will be available on the day.

Please contact our School Reception on 9849 9100
to book a place on a school tour.

Save The Date – The Catherine McAuley Westmead School Open Afternoon
will be held from 4.00pm – 7.00pm on Tuesday 13th March 2018.



<http://www.nsw.scouts.com.au/joey>

COME JOIN A JOEYS MOB!

**Tuesdays 6:15 - 7:15pm
2nd Baulkham Hills Scout Hall,
25 Jasper Rd, Baulkham Hills**

Adventure, Friends, Nature, Fun! Bushwalking, Cooking, Craft, Songs, Stories! HOP - Help
Other People!
Age 6 or 7.
Does this sound like you? COME ALONG!

Interested? Contact
John Gale Leader in Charge
02 9894 4128 AH | 0414 980 064 Mob.
Email: john@jsgservices.com

ST MICHAEL'S BAULKHAM HILLS - ALLERGY AWARENESS

Throughout our school we have a number of children with **life threatening allergies** (Anaphylaxis) to various forms of food, latex, dust, cats and insect stings. This is a serious matter, one that our school must address.

Some children have allergies that are so severe that smells or touch could trigger a reaction.

In order to do this we appeal to all parents to assist us in caring for these children by considering the type of foods you pack for your own child's recess and lunch.

Our aim is to minimise the amount of peanut and tree nut products brought into the school. These foods are extremely dangerous to our children with allergies and cause 50% of food allergic deaths.

Common foods that trigger an allergic reaction are listed below and we ask you to refrain from sending them to school and to seek suitable alternatives.

FOOD TYPE	EXAMPLES
Peanuts	Any kind of peanut
Tree nuts	Hazelnuts, almonds, cashews, pecans, walnuts, macadamia – any kind of nuts
Peanut butter	Any kind of peanut butter
Nutella	Any brand
Biscuits containing or topped with nuts	Particularly chocolate biscuits
Cakes or slices containing nuts	
Snack packs containing nuts	Dried fruit + nut mixes, snack-a-bouts, Dunkaroos
Chocolates containing nuts	Picnics, Snickers, Mars Bars (almond), Nut Breaks, Ferrero Rocher, Fruit and Nut, Praline based chocolates – Guylian, Marble Blocks
Chocolate lollies containing nuts	Peanut M&Ms
Marzipan and nougat	
Breakfast cereals containing nuts	Crunchy Nut or Honey Nut Cornflakes, Muesli, Nutri Grain, Just Right etc
Muesli Bars and Snack Bars containing nuts	
Yoghurt with nut mixer packs	Ski Double Up
Confectionary items	Lolly Gobble Bliss Bombs, Rocky Road
"Health Food" confectionary bars containing nuts	
Foods containing satay	Thai, Malaysian, Indonesian meals
Some moisturisers	

The Canteen does not sell any of these products.

In the case of a child bringing a nut product to school, teachers will bring the matter to the attention of parents.

There are many foods that DO NOT contain peanuts or nuts in their ingredients list, but the food package has the statement. "May contain traces of dairy, nut or seed". This food may be brought to school and consumed only by non-allergic children.

Due to safety and concerns, we discourage children from sharing food and drink. We would also appreciate parents speaking to their children regarding this matter. Your child's diet at home need not change.

Below is a list of foods that are safe for you to choose from. We're sure you can think of many others.

- Fruit and vegetables
- Dried fruits, Fruit snack packs
- Vegemite, jam, honey, cheese spreads
- Parker's Pretzels, Rice crackers
- Chips, Popcorn
- Plain biscuits – sweet or savoury – without nuts
- Chocolate biscuits – without nuts
- Plain Cornflakes, Rice Bubbles, Weetbix, etc – without nuts
- Fruit based muesli bars and snack bars – without nuts
- Yoghurt – without nuts mixes
- Lollies and confectionary items – marshmallow, spearmint leaves, jelly babies, snakes, raspberries, etc without nuts.



Basically we ask you not to send food to school with your child that contains a nut or nut product listed in ingredients.

We thank you for helping us to provide a safe environment for all children at St Michael's.

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every learner every day

ABSENCES ADD UP!



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MISSING MORE
THAN**1**YEAR OF
LEARNING IN**12**

YEARS

DID YOU KNOW

**1 IN 6**

PRIMARY STUDENTS ARE NOT
ATTENDING SCHOOL REGULARLY!

EACH DAY MISSED:

- ▶ Puts your child behind and makes it harder for them to catch up
- ▶ Can lead to lower achievement in reading, writing and numeracy
- ▶ Can lead to gaps in learning and social connections

WHAT PARENTS CAN DO



GOOD HABITS BEGIN EARLY



Good attendance starts in Kindergarten and sets students up for success in their school life

SCHOOLS ARE THERE TO HELP



If you're having attendance issues with your child, speak to your school about ways to address it.



NEWS

Trivia Night!

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St Michael's Primary School Parents and Friends Association Baulkham Hills



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Our 80's themed Trivia Night. It was our biggest yet with 94 guests. Thank you to everyone who supported the night. You came dressed in your 80s gear, brought your delicious nibbles for the table and your sense of humour and fun. The questions weren't too hard were they? The night was full of laughs and a few gasps while we waited for the long line of key hopefuls to unlock the bar fridge! Why does it always get to nearly the end of the line?



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Please go and "LIKE" our page for updates & news!

If you have any concerns or feedback, please email: pandfstmichaels@gmail.com - We thank you for your continued support!

P&F NEWS

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Our bar fridge winner! Kim Alford. Congratulations! Pictured here with Illona Kocsis from our new school sponsor, HARCOURTS HILLS LIVING



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*Our Trivia Night sponsors
& donors! Thank you!*

Harcourts Hills Living

feels like home



Your One Stop Party Shop



Thank you to the Bellomo Family for their kind donation of wine.

P&F CALENDAR

TERM 4				
Friday	24-Nov		Disco *NEW DATE*	6-9pm
Wednesday	6-Dec		P&F Annual General Meeting	6pm
Thursday	14-Dec		2nd Hand Uniform Sale	2.30pm



CATHOLIC CARE SOCIAL SERVICES Solo Parent Services

By Your Side

Younger Widowed Support Group



Has your spouse or partner died and are you searching for someone who understands the enormity of your loss and the impact this is having on your life and your children?

Do you long to connect with others who have experienced a similar loss?

Are you unsure of how to assist your children through their grief? Would you like support as you deal with your changed circumstances?

We welcome you to our Monthly Support Group

VENUE: Ann D Clarke Centre, 2A Villiers St, Parramatta

DATE: 3rd Tuesday of each Month (Feb – Dec)

TIME: 7.00pm – 9.00pm

COST: \$5.00

REGISTRATION
Solo Parent Services
PHONE: Rita – 8822 2222
EMAIL: soloparentservices@ccss.org.au

Visit WWW.CCSS.ORG.AU www.facebook.com/CCSSParramatta

STEPPING BEYOND

A Support Group for
Separated or Divorced Adults



STEPPING BEYOND is a Process/Personal Exploration Group. It is a monthly gathering for men and women who are separated or divorced. Through facilitated group interaction opportunity is given to individuals to address issues that arise as a result of changed life circumstances and ongoing adjustments. Emphasis is on personal awareness and self-development.

Date: Last Tuesday of each month - (Jan–Nov)

New Time: 7pm to 9pm

Fee: \$5.00

Venue: Ann D Clark Centre
2A Villiers St, Parramatta

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL

Solo Parent Services

Phone 8822 2222

soloparentservices@ccss.org.au



Focus Questions for Personal Exploration and Sharing

- How well are you "stepping beyond"?
- What do you want to "step beyond"?
- What are you currently "stepping beyond"?
- What is stopping you from "stepping beyond"?
- What have you learnt as you keep "stepping beyond"?



ARNOTT'S FAMILY FUN DAY

SUNDAY 15TH OCTOBER 2017

HUNTINGWOOD DRIVE, HUNTINGWOOD. 10AM TO 4PM.

BAKERY TOUR
MOBILE BISCUIT BAKERY

RIDES

MARKET STALLS

**OVER \$22,000 IN
RAFFLE PRIZES**

LIVE ENTERTAINMENT

INCLUDING
**FASIKA
FROM THE VOICE**

AND
LUKE ANTONY

CHARITY RAFFLE



1ST PRIZE - SUZUKI IGNIS GL

ALL PROCEEDS DONATED
TO CAMP QUALITY



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Mount St Benedict Centre

449d Pennant Road, Pennant Hills (Entrance via Hull Road)



Children's Meditation & Relaxation Workshop

Saturday 28 October 2017

1.30 pm - 4.30 pm

This fun workshop is for children aged 5-12 years, and aims to build a healthy body and mind. By teaching a variety of simple meditation techniques using breath and visualisation, creating mandalas and moving the body in a conscious way, children are encouraged to find that centre of stillness inside. This can help with anxiety, building confidence and understanding emotions. The presenters are experienced practitioners in the field.

Facilitators : Fiona Borland & Vicki O'Leary

Cost : \$30.00 per child
& \$25 for siblings

Bookings by : Monday 23 October 2017
9484 6208 or
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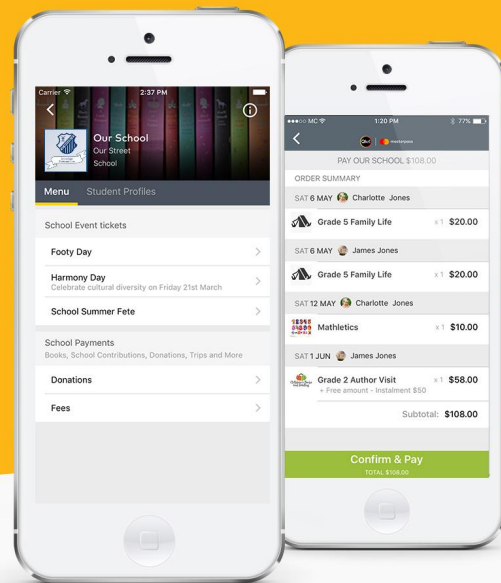
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Select your Country of Residence as 'Australia' and follow the steps to register

Step 3 Find our school

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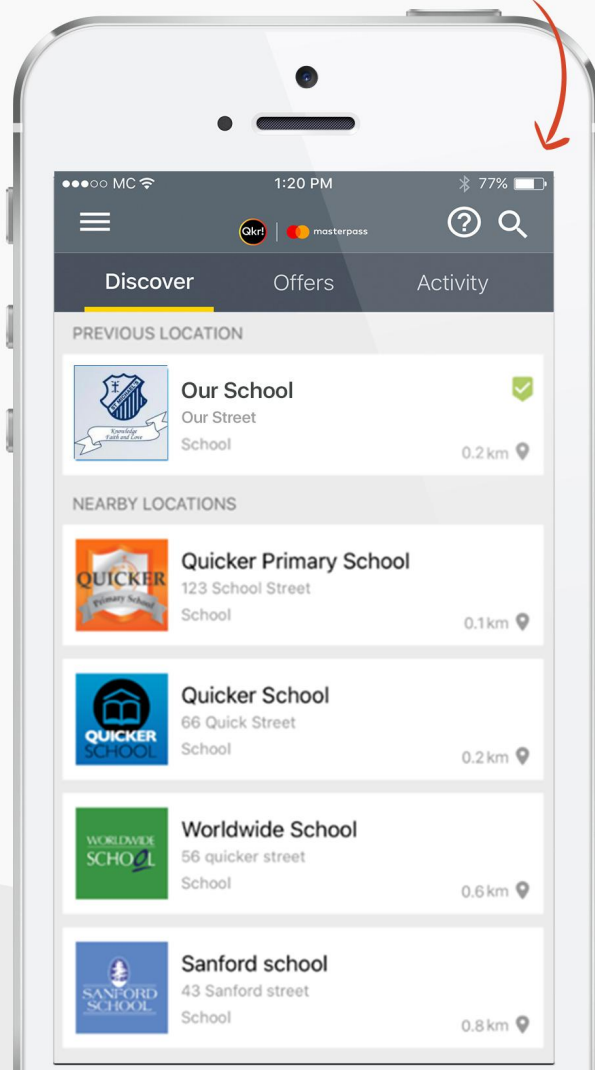
Step 4 Register your children

When first accessing our school you will be prompted to add a student profile for your child. This allows you to make orders and payments for them.

If you have made a purchase you can select our school from 'Previous Location'

If you're within 10 kms of the school, you can select our school from 'Nearby Locations'

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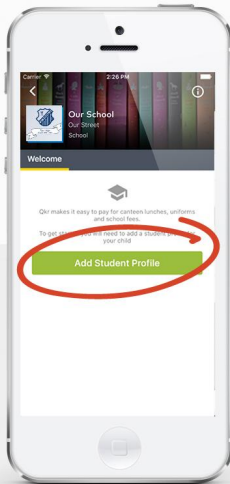




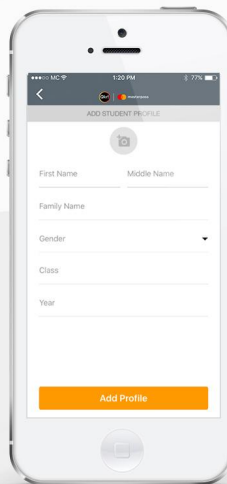
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Add your children's details in Student Profiles

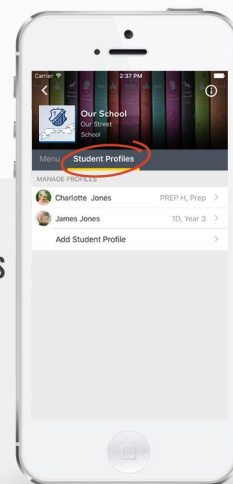
Select
'Add student profile'



Add each
child's details

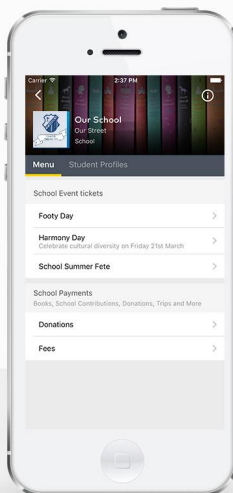


Manage each
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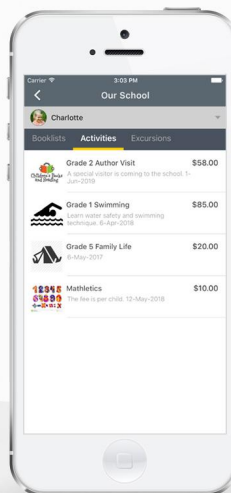


Purchase school items

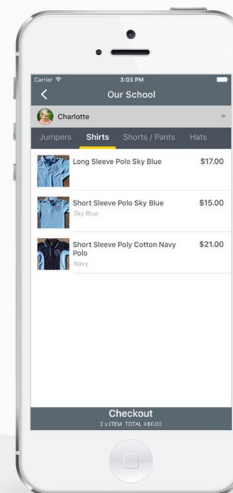
Select a menu
from our school



Select child
you are
ordering for



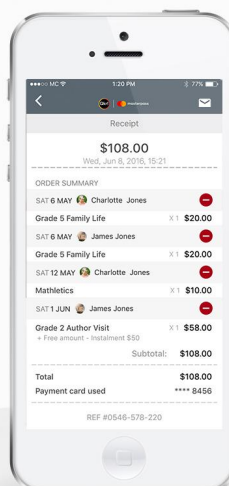
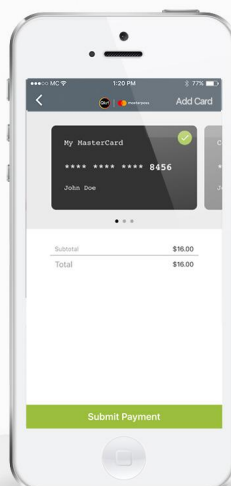
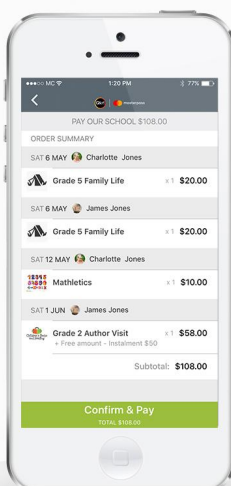
Select your items



Tap 'Checkout'
then confirm and pay

Making payments

Add up to 5 cards to your wallet



At checkout select which card to
pay with.

Pay with any cards accepted
by the school.

Once your payment is approved you
can continue to the home page, or
view your receipt.



ST Michael's Primary School

Price List

UNISEX		Price
Navy Poly/Cotton Jumper	SIZE: 4 - 10	\$60.00
	SIZE: 12 +	\$65.00
Bomber Jacket		\$65.00
Long Sleeve Shirt		\$30.00
Navy Ankle Socks - Boys and Girls (3 Pack)		\$13.00
SPORTS		Price
Sport Polo – Short Sleeve		\$40.00
Sport Polo – Long Sleeve		\$40.00
Sport Shorts		\$30.00
Sport Jacket		\$50.00
Sport Pant		\$45.00
White Ankle Socks - Sport (3 Pack)		\$13.00
BOYS SUMMER		Price
Summer Shirt		\$25.00
Summer Navy Short		\$25.00
BOYS WINTER		Price
Winter Navy Trousers		\$37.00
Navy Poly/Cotton Vest	SIZE: 4 - 10	\$55.00
	SIZE: 12 +	\$60.00
Elastic Tie		\$18.00
GIRLS SUMMER		Price
Summer Dress		\$60.00
Scrunchy		\$5.00
Soft Headband		\$5.00
Hard Headband		\$5.00
GIRLS WINTER		Price
Navy Poly/Cotton Cardigan	SIZE: 4 - 10	\$65.00
	SIZE: 12 +	\$70.00
GIRLS WINTER		Price
Winter Tunic		\$60.00
Elastic Tie		\$18.00
Navy Cotton Blend Tights		\$15.00
Navy Knee High Sock (1 Pair Pack)		\$10.00
Scrunchy		\$5.00
Soft Headband		\$5.00
Hard Headband		\$5.00
Curly Ties – Royal, Navy, Light Grey		\$5.00
ACCESSORIES		Price
School Bag		\$50.00
Homework Folder		\$15.00
Library/ Excursion/ Swim Bag		\$15.00
School Hats		\$15.00
Allergy Hat with White Tape		\$15.00
Swim Cap – School Carnival		\$5.00
Swim Cap – Zone Carnival		\$5.00
Raincoat – Navy or Yellow		\$25.00
Artsmock		\$15.00

DELIVERY

Delivery is every Tuesday and Friday during the school term.
Orders must be placed on the Qkr App by 4:00pm Monday and Thursday for
delivery the next day

Any further enquiries please contact Elle

elle@ozfashions.com.au

0421 216 414

	ORDER FORMS – email elle@ozfashions.com.au		
	St Michael's Baulkham Hills Primary School - Uniform Order Form		
	Parent's Name:		
	Child's Name:		Class:
Contact No:			Email:

UNIFORM ORDER DETAILS												
UNISEX	4	6	8	10	12	14	16		Qty	Price	Total	
Navy Poly/Cotton Jumper										\$60.00		
Bomber Jacket										\$65.00		
Long Sleeve Shirt										\$30.00		
Navy Ankle Socks - Boys and Girls (3 Pack)	9-12/		13-3/		2-8/		6-11/			\$13.00		
SPORTS	4	6	8	10	12	14	16		Qty	Price	Total	
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Sport Jacket										\$50.00		
Sport Pant										\$45.00		
White Ankle Socks - Sport (3 Pack)	9-12/		13-3/		2-8/		6-11/			\$13.00		
BOYS SUMMER	4	6	8	10	12	14	16		Qty	Price	Total	
Summer Shirt										\$25.00		
Summer Navy Short										\$25.00		
BOYS WINTER	4	6	8	10	12	14	16		Qty	Price	Total	
Winter Navy Trousers										\$37.00		
Navy Poly/Cotton Vest										\$55.00		
Elastic Tie	S-Pre tied/		M-Pre tied/		L-Pre tied/		Self-tied/			\$18.00		
GIRLS SUMMER	3	4	6	8	10	12	14	16		Qty	Price	Total
Summer Dress										\$60.00		
Scrunchy	One Size/									\$5.00		
Soft Headband	One Size/									\$5.00		
Hard Headband	One Size/									\$5.00		
GIRLS WINTER	4	6	8	10	12	14	16		Qty	Price	Total	
Navy Poly/Cotton Cardigan										\$65.00		
										\$70.00		
GIRLS WINTER	3	4	6	8	10	12	14	16		Qty	Price	Total
Winter Tunic										\$60.00		
Elastic Tie	One Size/									\$18.00		
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Allergy Hat with White Tape	XS (52cm)/		S(54cm)/		M(57cm)/		L(59cm)/			\$15.00		
Swim Cap – School Carnival	Blue/		Red/		Yellow/		Green/			\$5.00		
Swim Cap – Zone Carnival	Blue									\$5.00		
Raincoat – Navy or Yellow	4-6/	Colour_____		8-10/	Colour_____		12-14/	Colour_____			\$25.00	
Artsmock	4-6/				8-10/					\$15.00		
Grand Total										\$		

PAYMENT DETAILS		
Option A. Credit Card	<input type="checkbox"/> VISA	<input type="checkbox"/> MasterCard
Card No:		
Expiry Date:		
Name on Card:		
Option B. Direct Transfer		
If you choose to use this method we need a remittance receipt to process your order		
Account Name: OZ Uniforms PTY LTD		
BSB Number: 062 174		
Account Number: 1046 6652		
Bank: Commonwealth		

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