



St Michael's Primary School

Newsletter

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Issue 2

Term 1 Week 3

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From the Principal

Dear Parents



Congratulations—What a great way to start the year.

We have had two whole school gatherings, our Welcoming Mass and Ash Wednesday liturgy. I would like to say congratulations to all our students for their prayerfulness and their engagement in both these liturgies. What a beautiful way to start our year together as a faith filled community.

Teddy Bear's Picnic

Thank you to Mrs Lee and the P&F for the wonderful opportunity our Kindergarten children and their families had to join us for the Teddy Bear's Picnic. It was a real joy to see so many of our families accept this invitation and begin their journey with us and get to know the other families and children who will also be on the journey at St Michael's with their child.

The P&F are to be congratulated for their organisation and commitment to making this a fun and relaxed day. Our special thanks also to Mrs Lee who coordinated the day's events and involved our Year 6 student leaders. Thank you to our student leaders, and their families for allowing your child to support Kindergarten with this event. Thank you also to our teachers who attended on the day and were able to meet and greet so many of our families.

Parish car park and neighbourhood driveways

We received a letter from a parent who experience an unfortunate incident in the Parish car park where a mother, who was blocking traffic and requested to move, was rude and made inappropriate gestures in front of children and family members.

'The school does a wonderful job of instilling certain values in our children and to have witnessed such deplorable behaviour from a mother no less is a disappointment far greater than the lack of spatial awareness and total disregard for every other parent who does the right thing when picking up their child from school.' (extract from parent letter)

Children model what they see their parents doing.

Please show respect to our children, families, neighbours and staff at all times. With the high volume of traffic in the neighbouring streets and parish car park, we would ask our parents to please move carefully in these areas, follow all of the guidelines we have in place and the road rules and show respect to everyone.

Ash Wednesday

Yesterday we entered the season of Lent. We began the season with the ritual of ashes. God moulded the human body from the dust of the red earth. But we are more than dust, for God breathed into this dust his breath, the breath of life, his Spirit. When we die and return to dust, our life-breath returns to God. We pray that God will breathe his life into us again, as he did to Jesus, and draw us into the embrace of eternal life.

We do not begin Lent by focusing negatively on ourselves. We begin where Jesus began: 'The Kingdom of God is at hand, so repent!' We pray that God will pour his Spirit into our hearts, to renew us with the fire of his Spirit.

Fasting has been a traditional way of reminding ourselves to go without certain external pleasures so that we can create some space in which to feel our hunger and thirst for God.

Jesus in the gospel also invites us not only to fast but also to turn our attention in a special way to the needs of our neighbour and to spend time in prayer. The question we might ask ourselves as Lent begins is: What is God gracing me to change? Where is God's love calling me to grow? God loves us with an everlasting love and he will certainly be offering us the grace today, and throughout Lent, to find the courage to let him purify our hearts.

Do not sit in silence and watch Jesus walk by. Like the disciples on the road to Emmaus, let us invite him now into our hearts. Let our main resolution for Lent be to make space in our day to be alone with God—giving him this time in order that he may love us with his Spirit.

'Ever-renewing Spirit of God, You lead us again into the Lenten wilderness. Reshape our hearts in this holy place: unbind our complacency and form us into a faithful people, attuned to Your Word and the cries of our sisters and brothers. We ask this in hope, as followers of Christ, awaiting his promise. Amen.'

Danuta Maka

Religious Education

St Michael's Parish Sacramental Program

A full list of sacramental program dates for this year is included with this newsletter.

Any enquiries regarding the Sacramental Program please call the **Parish Office on 9639 0598**.

Sacrament of Penance

Thank you to all the parents who attended one of the two registration nights for the Sacrament of Penance (Reconciliation).

The enrolment masses will be held on the Weekend of the 24 & 25 February at the following times:

- Saturday vigil - 5.30 pm,
- Sunday 8.00 am, 10.00 am or 6.00 pm.

Session 1: Parents only - Tuesday February 27 at 7.30 pm or Wednesday February 28 at 7.30 pm.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding the program, please contact the Parish Office on 9639 0598.

Please keep the children who will be undertaking this program in your prayers.

Understanding Faith Website

This is excellent website in which the Catholic Education Office, Diocese of Parramatta, has provided access to in order to support the Religious Education of the children across the diocese. It is a powerful learning tool that has been designed to engage the children and help them to deepen their understanding of our Catholic faith. Could I please encourage all parents to look at the website.

The site itself is broken into grades (K-6). The learning experiences are broken into focus chapters, which follow the key seasons of the church's year. There are excellent images and interactive activities that help to build the Religious Literacy skills of the children. Please see the access details below.

<http://www.primary.understandingfaith.edu.au>

Username: **ceo.parra.1880**

Password: **ceo.parra.2018**

2018 Project Compassion, Social Justice Appeal

The Caritas Australia Project Compassion appeal has been launched to coincide with the commencement of Lent. The theme for this year's appeal is: Project Compassion for a Just Future. During Lent, we will be encouraging and calling upon St Michael's Community to support this worthy cause. Project Compassion donation boxes have been distributed to all classes. As part of their Lenten preparation classes will be looking at Lenten practices e.g. prayer, almsgiving, that help to promote a sense of mercy and compassion for others in need.

Mr David Ison, Religious Education Coordinator



Social Skills and Mantras Program

Week 4: S from Respect

- *Strive to be the best you can be.*

Week 5: P from Respect

- *Play safe, be safe.*

Week 6: E from Respect

- Earn St Michael's a good name.

Prayers

We pray for those in our community who may be unwell or suffering at the moment.



We ask this through Christ Our Lord, Amen.

On Saturday 10 March 2018 at 9.00 am there will be a one year Anniversary Mass on the passing of Linda Borsato, our former finance secretary. All are invited to attend.

2019 Enrolments

School Open Morning for 2019 Enrolments

Wednesday 14 March from 9.30 am to 11.00 am

Enrolment packages for Kindergarten 2019 can be collected from the school office. Please contact the school office on 9639 0518 for further information.

Enrolment at St Michael's Primary

- St Michael's Primary School has been established to cater especially for the communities immediately in the vicinity of St Michael's Primary School. Enrolment procedures will be followed to ensure that priority is given to families who share and support the special character of our Catholic schools.

Enrolment Process

Enrolment at St Michael's Primary Catholic Primary School includes your return of the **Enrolment Application** with the following:

- Birth Certificate
- Baptism Certificate
- Immunisation History Statement (visit www.medicareaustralia.gov.au or call 1800 653 809 and request your statement)
- Passport with visa (if not Australian Citizens).

It is essential that both parents/guardians sign the different sections of the Enrolment Application. Your prompt return of this form will be appreciated.

When you return your form, you will be invited for an interview. Both parents/guardians and child are asked to attend this interview.

Further Information—For further enquiries please contact the school office on 9639 0518.

2018 School Fees - Flexible Payment Plans (FPP)

In the coming days, families will receive a Statement of School Fees for 2018. Please ensure you review the options for fee payment. Should you choose to take up the option of a FPP, this can be completed either online or via post. Please note that this paperwork needs to be returned for processing by 9 March 2018.

If you have any queries in relation to your Fee Statement, please contact Tanya Eastaway on 9639 0518.

Calendar Dates

Fri 15 Feb	School Assembly 8.50 am
WEEK 4	
Mon 19 Feb	Hills Zone Swimming
Wed 21 Feb	Yr 3 Skyworks Incursion—Hall
Thu 22 Feb	Year 5 "Alice in Wonderland" Excursion—Riverside Theatre
Fri 23 Feb	Diocesan Swimming, Blacktown School Assembly 8.50 am
Sat 24 Feb- Sun 25 Feb	Enrolment Masses for the Sacrament of Penance
WEEK 5	
Tue 27 Feb	Parramatta AFL Trial
Wed 28 Feb	Parramatta Softball Trials Year 6 Sacrament of Reconciliation
Fri 2 Mar	Mackillop Baseball & Tennis, Wollongong School Assembly 8.50 am
WEEK 6 Catholic Schools Week Sun 4 March to Sat 10 March 'Every learner, every day: Transforming Learning'	
Mon 5 Mar	Catholic School's Week Mass 10.15 am
Wed 7 Mar	Year 5 Sacrament of Reconciliation
Thu 8 Mar	Paul Kelly AFL Cup
Fri 9 Mar	School Assembly 8.50 am
WEEK 7	
Mon 12 Mar	National Young Leaders Day
Tue 13 Mar	Years 2-6 Cross Country
Wed 14 Mar	Kindy 2019 Open Morning 9.30-10.45 am
Fri 16 Mar	School Assembly 8.50 am
Events, including representative sport are regularly added to the school's calendar on our website: http://www.stmichaelsbhills.catholic.edu.au/calendar-of-events 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.	

School Terms 2018

Term 1—Monday, 29 January to Friday, 13 April 2018 Easter break: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Good Friday, 30 March to Easter Monday, 2 April 2018
Term 2—Monday, 30 April to Friday, 6 July 2018
Term 3—Monday, 23 July to Friday, 28 September 2018
Term 4—Monday, 15 October to Friday, 21 December 2018 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students finish Wednesday 19 December 2018

Parish car park

There are serious concerns about the behaviour of some of our parents when using the car park.

Please do not park on the roundabout in the car park or on the yellow pedestrian lines. Parking in these areas puts our children at risk and families in danger and causes congestion.

The **disabled car space** is for parents who have disabled children in the school and who have the permission of the Principal to use this space. If you are parking in this space without permission you are causing considerable distress to the children who need to use this space.

There is also **no parking in front of the gates** at the bottom of the car park or beside the **two admin spaces** from 7.00 am to 4.30 pm.

Please be respectful and considerate of our children, families and staff at all times, and particularly if you are asked to move your vehicle.

It is important that we show respect and model appropriate behaviour to our children.

Neighbourhood driveways

Some of our neighbours have complained that parents are not leaving driveways free for cars to enter and exit their homes, entering driveways to drop off children and then reversing out, and also driving through circular driveways and out the other side.

Please be respectful and considerate of our neighbours. As you drive up Chapel Lane, please make sure that you are safety conscious and do not stop in neighbours' driveways to let your children out. It is a very dangerous practice in such a high volume area particularly where there is limited visibility on bends and on the crests of hills.

Canteen ordering

The canteen is fully operational and can take online orders or you can order via cash by sending in a lunch bag and money sent in with your child. Full details of the ordering system and canteen menu are available on our website and from the school office.

The canteen offers a wonderful array of freshly cooked meals for breakfast, recess and lunch.

Fresh fruit is also available and freshly baked muffins can be purchased over the counter.

As well as the ordering system, children can buy items over the counter at recess and lunch.

Bus Timetable 2018

An amended bus timetable effective from 26 February has been published and is available on our website under School Notes as well as being available on our Skoolbag App.

Route 3508 has been added to the advice to assist with the high loads on 3725.

Students must have a valid Opal card to travel on school buses, and must tap on and off morning and afternoon.

Newsletter distribution

The link to the Newsletter is emailed to parents each fortnight. Please ensure we have your most up-to-date email address.

5 Red News

What a wonderful start to 2018 we have had in 5 Red and hats of to the children for the smooth transition into the upper grades of St Michael's. The focus in our classroom has been 'Challenge'. We have been challenging ourselves to be the best we can be in all areas of our schooling and the way we present ourselves to the school community. The children are beginning to acknowledge when they are finding themselves in the "Comfort Zone" and looking for ways to find challenge.



We began the year by challenging ourselves to be creative thinkers and team players by taking part in a few problem solving activities that require the children to think outside the box, work collaboratively and reflect on mistakes.

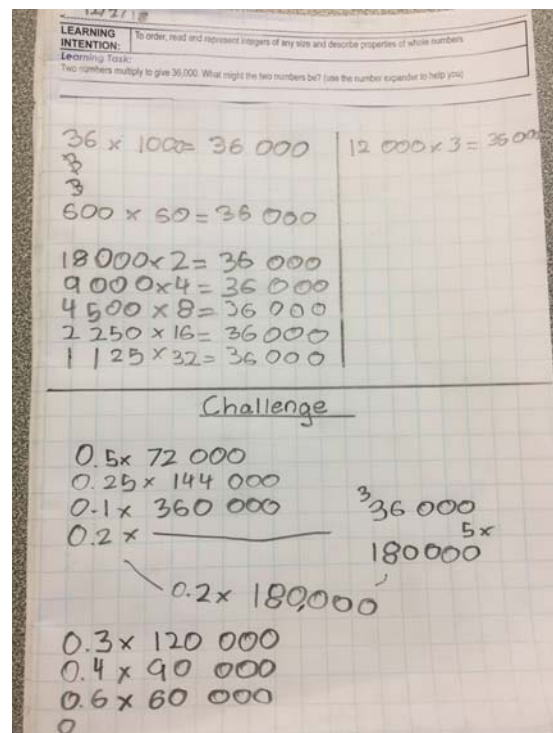
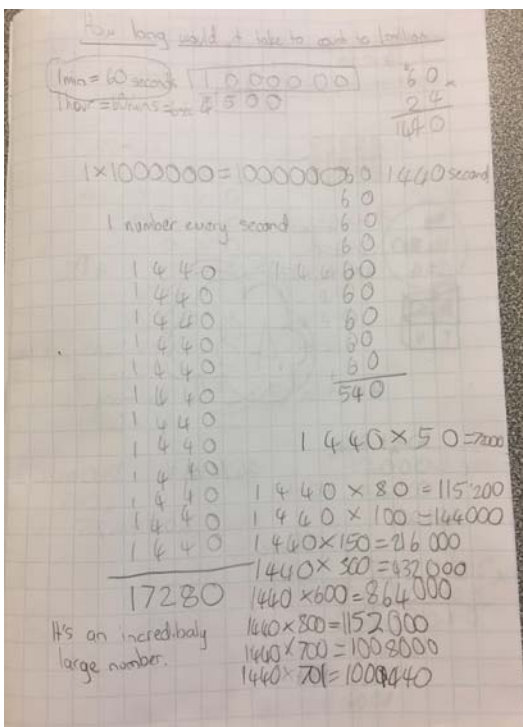
One activity was the "Marshmallow Challenge" https://www.ted.com/talks/tom_wujec_build_a_tower where some groups had success. While other groups tasted disappointed and reflected on their process and how they could make it better next time.



In Mathematics, we have begun exploring Place Value and the magnitude of the numbers that we are working with. To begin the unit we explored a 'Million' and the children were challenged to find out how long it would take to count to one million. The thinking that the children demonstrated was quite impressive but the perseverance they showed when encountering difficulties was wonderful.

Georgia-Marie Barakat showed her working beautifully and came to the conclusion that one million is "an incredibly large number".

We have continued challenging ourselves when exploring Place Value by completing open ended tasks that are designed to allow the kids to push themselves as far as they want. Jay Puglisi was able to find two numbers that, when multiplied together, equal 36000. To challenge himself, he made one of the numbers a decimal.



We are excited about the challenges that 2018 is going to bring us.

Sport

We wish the following children all the best when they represent St Michael's at the Hills Zone swimming carnival on Monday 19 February.

Mr Steve Kovelis, Sports coordinator



Zone Swimming Entries By Event Girls

	50m Freestyle		
U8	Genevieve Bowles, Natalie Williams		
U9	Isabelle Stevens, Elle-Marie Ghetto-Tarantolo		
U10	Jade Potuzanski, Billie Gwynne		
U11	Elizabeth Harvie, Emily Ward		
U12	Angelina McLean, Scarlett Jackson		
	Relay		
Jnr	Jade Potuzanski, Billie Gwynne, Isabelle Stevens, Breannah Stevens		
	Relay	200m IM	100m Freestyle
Senior/ Open	Elizabeth Harvie, Angelina McLean Scarlett Jackson, Katie Webb	Elizabeth Harvie, Angelina McLean	Angelina McLean, Scarlett Jackson
	Backstroke	Breast stroke	Butterfly
Jnr	Jade Potuzanski, Isabelle Stevens	Georgia Goodchild, Izabella Maslic	Breannah Stevens, Gabrielle Pittas
11Yrs	Elizabeth Harvie, Elizabeth Paton	Elizabeth Harvie, Elizabeth Paton	Emily Ward, Elizabeth Harvie
Senior	Angelina McLean, Scarlett Jackson	Angelina McLean, Katie Webb	Angelina McLean, Katie Webb

Zone Swimming Entries By Event Boys

	50m Freestyle		
U8	William Ison, Caleb Parslow		
U9	Jackson Ward, William Faulkner		
U10	William Hopkins, Xavier Saffy		
U11	Samuel Walters, Jack Orley		
U12	Joshua Stevens, Lachlan Carey		
	Relay		
Jnr	William Hopkins, Xavier Saffy, Jackson Ward, Cooper Mostyn		
	Relay	200m IM	100m Freestyle
Senior/ Open	Samuel Walters, Joshua Stevens, Lachlan Carey, Thomas Williams	Xavier Saffy	Xavier Saffy, Samuel Walters
	Backstroke	Breaststroke	Butterfly
Jnr	Xavier Saffy, William Hopkins	Xavier Saffy, William Hopkins	Xavier Saffy, Marcus Teng
11Yrs	Samuel Walters, Jonathan Drury	Samuel Walters Alexander Iordanou	Jack Orley Alexander Iordanou
Senior	Joshua Stevens, Thomas Williams	Thomas Williams Lachlan Carey	Joshua Stevens Lachlan Carey

Morning routine at St Michael's

In order for the children to develop their social skills, independence and confidence we ask that when you bring your child to the school playground that you give them a hug/kiss and leave the grounds as soon as possible.

Morning supervision commences at 8.20 am.

This play time in the morning gives the children opportunity to socialise, make friends and play their ball games with each other.

Please give them this experience and build their confidence by leaving the grounds once you have said your goodbyes.

Please do not join in their ball games as some children are getting upset that their parent is not there / cannot join in.

For safety reasons, please say all your goodbyes to your children on the playground and do not go up the stairs with toddlers or assist your child in carrying their school bag.

We also request that parents do not go to classrooms without an appointment. If you need to speak with a teacher, please leave a message at the school office or send in via email. These messages are forwarded to teachers and they will get back to you as soon as they can. We want all the children to feel St Michael's is a happy and safe place. These small steps in establishing routine can help us all build the children's independence. We thank you for your understanding and support.

Busways School Bus Safety Program

During the past week, all of our children (K-6) were introduced to the Busways' school Bus Safety Program teaching children to become school bus safety heroes.

David, our Bus Safety Trainer, spoke to the students about how to travel safely on the bus. The students then boarded a bus where safety messages were reinforced in practice, building their confidence to travel on a bus.

On completion of the session each child was given a School bus Safety Hero Pack including: a library bag, activity book with safety games, safety heroes stickers, a certificate and a Busways cardboard bus.

Please see the brochure in the pack with the safety messages listed that were discussed and ways "Parents can Help".

How Parents Can Help

- Hold your child's hand and walk together to the bus stop or bus interchange in the morning.
- Wait as far from the passing traffic as possible at the bus stop.
- If you cannot be with your child, organise for another trusted adult to take your place.
- Meet your child at the bus stop or bus interchange after school.
- Never wait on the opposite side of the road for your child; wait on the side the bus stops.
- Talk with your child about what to do:
 - ⇒ if you are delayed or can't meet them as usual
 - ⇒ if they catch the wrong bus
 - ⇒ if they get off the bus at the wrong stop



Be Careful at Bus Stops

When collecting children from bus stops it is very important for parents to wait on the correct side of the road – the side that the bus stops.

Students may become excited or distracted when seeing their parents after school which can cause them to forget or disregard safety rules and run out from behind or in front of the bus without looking.

This creates an extremely dangerous situation for your child and other motorists on the road. The majority of student related road accidents happen around bus stops after a child has left the bus.

Busways' school bus safety program aims to raise every student's ability to utilise buses and public transport in a safe and reliable manner. This is best achieved in partnership with parents and caregivers talking about and practising safety messages with their children.

Please practice school bus safety with your child.

School Volunteers at St Michael's

All volunteers who would like to assist at the school in the classroom, on excursions or sporting events at St Michael's need to complete Steps 1 and 2 below as follows:

- Go St Michael's website - <http://www.stmichaelsbhills.catholic.edu.au>
- Click on Parents, go to Parent Involvement, click on Child Protection Course. You will then be directed to the Catholic Education Office – Diocese of Parramatta website <http://childprotection.parra.catholic.edu.au/home>

Complete Steps 1 and 2

1) **Step 1: Complete 'Building Child Safe Communities - Undertaking for Volunteers' Form** (New procedure across all CEDP schools)

2) **Step 2: Complete the online training module** (Updated content to be completed every two years)

Once you have successfully completed the training, an email will be sent to St Michael's for our records.

Unfortunately if you offer to assist and have not completed all the volunteer requirements, you will not be able to assist until the volunteer requirements have been completed.

All volunteers need to sign in at the school office.

If you have any questions regarding Volunteering at school, please contact the school office on 9639 0518.



GILROY CATHOLIC COLLEGE

17–37 Marie Street CASTLE HILL NSW
2154

Welcomes families to our Annual

**"Open Evening for Year 7 2019" on
Wednesday 21 February 2018**

College Tours will be conducted at 5.00pm and 7.00pm

The Principal, Cheryl Merryweather, will give a talk in the school all at 6.15 pm.

Enrolment Packages will be available on the night for children currently in Year 6 2018.

To make a tour booking, please phone 8853 8200 with your preferred tour time.

Pastoral care is central to the organisation and operation of the College and endeavours to ensure that all students are able to recognise the dignity of their relationship with others.

Applications close: 8 March 2018

For further information

Phone: 8853 8200 or

Email: gilroy@parra.catholic.edu.au



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

**KINDY TEDDY
BEAR'S PICNIC
SATURDAY 10th
FEBRUARY**

A fabulous day with over 300 guests arriving - kindergarten children, their siblings, parents and grandparents, all armed with teddies and smiles to enjoy the day in our beautiful new school spaces. All craft tables filled with little people quickly taking advantage of the different activities. We had wonderful Teddy Bear characters from sponsors **Superstar Parties** to entertain the kindy kids with songs and games. The face painting with sponsors **Becky's Magical Face Paints** was very busy. A huge THANK YOU to all the helpers. An awesome job! Tea, coffee and cake was a popular spot with **Marianne Bermingham & Simone Bisson (P&F Secretary)**. The BBQ with **Ilona Kosics, Nicci G-Parslow, Sally Carey & Tracey Cowling** serving and **Sam Boswell, Stjepan Stanic & Phil Grainger (P&F Treasurer)** on the grill sponsored by **Harcourts Hills Living** kept everyone well fed. And the welcome desk with **Heidi Westwood-Ramaker, Frances Pellegrini, Sophia Grainger & Catherine Grainger** greeted all our guests. The day was masterfully MC'd by **Bernard Fisher (P&F Vice President)**. Door prizes were won by lucky guests from **Lollipops Playland and Featherdale Wildlife Park**. We received lovely feedback throughout the course of the day. The picnic was a fabulous opportunity to meet the other parents. A huge thanks to the **Year 6 Leaders** and **Mrs Lee** on the day and the **Kindy Teachers** that were able to come! The Year 6 students ensured the passport activities were completed and helped with any tasks they were given.

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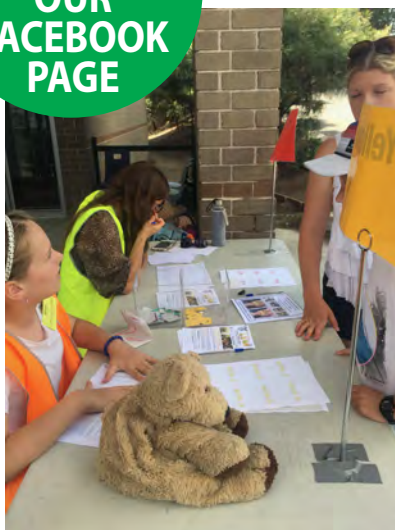
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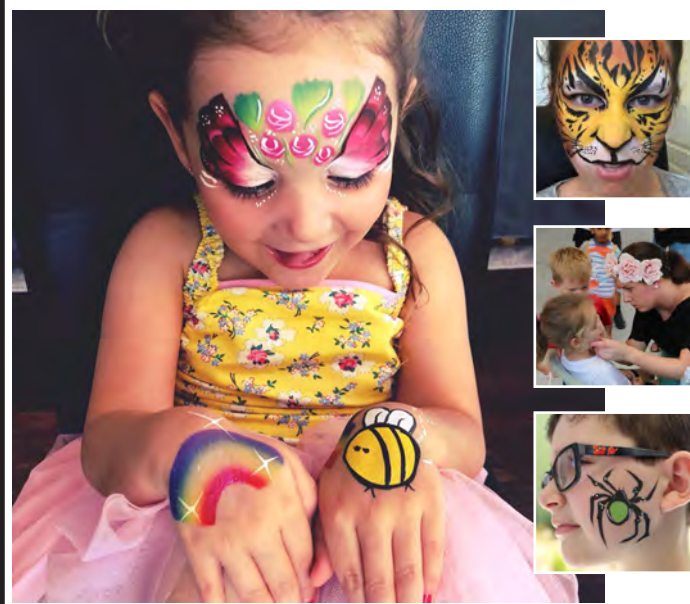
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YOUNGER WIDOWED SUPPORT GROUP

CatholicCare Solo Parent Services' Younger Widowed Support Group is held on the 3rd Tuesday of each month. The Support Group is for men and women widowed at a younger age whether or not you are a parent. First Gathering for the Year will be held on Tuesday 20th February. **Please note new venue:** 13 Buller St, North Parramatta. **Time:** 7pm – 9pm **Cost:** \$5.00. **Registration:** Call Rita Ph. 8843 2530 or Email: soloparentservices@ccss.org.au



STEPPING BEYOND

This Support run by CatholicCare Solo Parent Services is held on the last Tuesday of each month for men and women who are separated or divorce. At the February meeting we will be speaking about "Identifying Challenging Emotions and strategies for dealing with them."

Date: 27th February **Venue:** 13 Buller St, North Parramatta **Time:** 7pm – 9pm. **Cost:** \$5.00. **Registration Essential:** Call Rita Ph. 8843 2530 or email soloparentservices@ccss.org.au

PLAY RUGBY LEAGUE WITH THE BRUMBIES

Does your child want to play rugby league in a safe and happy environment?



The Baulkham Hills Brumbies Junior Rugby League Club includes students from St Michaels, Our Lady of Lourdes, St Bernadette's and St Angela's from Under 6's to Under 11's. The Brumbies play in the Parramatta Convents Association and games are played on Sunday's.

Registration fees for the 2018 season are \$130 for one child and \$190 for a family. This is great value for money and includes shorts, socks, a drink bottle and more.

Registration fees for our Under 6's were reduced last year and we have decided to reduce them again in 2018!! So Registration Fees for **ALL UNDER 6** players will be **\$30!**

Registrations for new players for the 2018 rugby league season will take place on Sunday 25th February 2018 at Castlewood Oval, Castle Hill between 10am and 12pm. All new players will be given information to register online from this date. You will need to please supply **original** copies of your child's birth and baptism certificates.

Any queries, please contact—John Polley – 0414 275 824 (President)

or Jenny Mejalli – 0410 224 000 (Registrar)

Email : brumbies.jrlfc@gmail.com



ENROLLING NOW FOR 2019



Catherine McAuley is a Catholic girls' secondary school, located at Westmead. Our broad curriculum encourages young women to pursue independent lifelong learning.



OPEN NIGHT

Tuesday 13 March 2018 4.00pm - 7.00pm

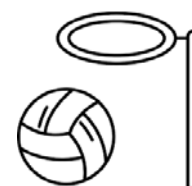
This school open event will give visitors the opportunity to tour the school and view facilities as well as meet our School Principal and School Leadership Team

CONTACT OUR SCHOOL ON 9849 9100 FOR AN ENROLMENT PACK. APPLICATIONS CLOSE 6TH APRIL 2018

Catherine McAuley, 2 Darcy Road, Westmead | www.mcauley.nsw.edu.au

St Michael's Netball Club Registrations

With registrations well underway, please note that some age groups may fill and close before the closing registration date of 23 February 2018.



We encourage you to register your child/children as soon as possible.

Don't forget you can apply to use the Active Kids Voucher.

Go to stmichaelsnetballclub.asn.au

Regards

St Michael's Netball Club Committee

Photographs taken at school

From time to time photographs may be taken of your child whilst they are at school. These photos may be used in school Newsletters, publications and the school website. They may also be used by Catholic Education, Parramatta Diocese in their publications and website.

If you do not wish your child's photo to be taken, please put this in writing and address to the Principal, Mrs Maka.

Kindergarten request

Kindergarten would greatly appreciate any donation of the following:

Kindergarten size:

- boys shorts or long pants
- girls summer dresses or winter tunics.
- sport shorts or track suit pants

Thank you .

Change

Please note that the school office is unable to provide change for out of school Sport or P&F fundraising activities or uniform shop purchases

Please send in the correct money in an envelope with child's name, class and the details of the activity. Thank you.



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For parents with children aged between 0-12 years
This 6 week Parenting Program is based upon decades of attachment research to give parents relationship tools which will provide a new way of understanding your child's needs and giving them lasting security and how your own responses can best meet those needs.

According to attachment research the equality of the child's early attachment is related to the relationship with their parent/caregiver which develops the child's internal working models influencing child's capability to regulate their emotions, manage their behaviour, have successful relationships as well as future academic ability.

Limited childcare, Bookings are required
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Quakers Hill Public School

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