Holy Trinity School Granville Update



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Please Note: School Fees are now OVERDUE. Please arrange to make payment or contact the school office if you are experiencing difficulties.

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Dear Parents and Friends,

At Holy Trinity we encourage the students to do hard thinking. This does require students to work through confusion. The reason we do this is because learning is moving from not understanding something (confusion) to gaining understanding (knowledge). This process always takes time and effort. We support the children by developing a mindset that we can all learn.

Whole School Evacuation

As part of our WHS compliance, we conducted an Evacuation Drill last Week. Emergency drills are simply a routine practice to ensure all students and all staff are aware of our emergency procedures, know what to do and where to go! Our procedures are designed to keep students and staff safe while emergency services deal with a real situation, if it was to occur.

In the unlikely event of a real evacuation or lockdown being required, parents will be notified as soon as it is practical to do so. If your child's stay is extended beyond the regular time, you will receive information about the time and place that you can pick up. Please ensure that your contact mobile numbers and email addresses are up-to-date.

St Mary MacKillop Groups

Each fortnight the Year Six students will be running social skills groups in small groups. This is to build the leadership skills of the Year Six students as well as developing social skills throughout the school. The session will go for 20 minutes and will combine written and practical activities.

Sydney Swifts Visit

On Monday Holy Trinity had a visit from Paige Hadley and Abbey McCulloch from the Sydney Swifts Netball team to share their sporting journeys. They spoke about their achievements and setbacks and shared the message that you can achieve great things when you believe in yourself and work hard.

Jason Fisher Assistant Principal



School Hats

With the start of spring, the days are hotter and the sun is stronger.

Each child should have a school hat. If your child has misplaced / lost their hat, they can be purchased from Oz Fashions.

For safety reasons Holy Trinity has a 'No hat, no play Policy'.



Father's Day Raffle Winners: Zen S and Peter L

The last staff development day for the year will be on Friday 1st November Term 4 Week 3. Children do not attend school on this day.

Religious Education News

The Sacrament of The Eucharist (First Communion). We pray for our candidates who will begin to prepare for this very special occasion in their lives. Through this sacrament the children are invited to become part of the Body of Christ. They are called to be God's ears, eyes, hands, feet, mind and heart and do God's work through active discipleship. Making one's First Communion is not a singular event, but the beginning of living a Sacramental life each and every day.

Father Andrew will be coming to school next Thursday, 12th September to begin lessons with the children. Please excuse the typing error in the previous Update. The correct date for the children to make this sacrament at Holy Trinity Church is **Sunday the 22nd of September at 12:00pm**.

Jesus Meets People During Ordinary Moments: Have you noticed that in the Gospel stories, Jesus completed many of His works during ordinary occasions? For instance, He met the disciples as they were cleaning their nets at the end of the day. He changed the life of the blind man as He walked past. The message in this for us is that to be disciples of Jesus ourselves we don't need to wait for moments of significance. It's the small, everyday things that count, beginning in our homes and communities.

Mark Galea

Religious Education Coordinator

KINDERGARTEN ENROLMENTS 2020



If your child turns 5 by 31st July 2020, they should enrol for school for next year.

Please collect an enrolment package from the school office and return the completed forms with all the required documentation.



Newsletter and Update as a Paper Version

We are looking at **no** longer providing a paper version of the Newsletter / Update in term 4.

- To ensure that you will be able to obtain an electronic version of any Newsletters / Updates, you need to **provide an email address** to the school office.
- Newsletters / Updates can also be viewed by downloading the Skoolbag app.

Birthday Celebrations

Congratulations to the following students who celebrate their Birthday in **September:** Danny N, Helena S, Thomas E, Hans C, Lorin M, Bojana N, Avea M, Marielle B, Zoya B, Uche O, Simon E, Claudia D, Angela N, Jayden N, Jordan Y, Jacob G, Elon E, Aisha S, Tanika R.

If you still require a paper version of the Newsletter / Update, please notify the school office in writing.

*	Student of the Week Week ending 30/8/19	
Kindergarten	-	Ivana K
Year One	-	Mary A
Year Two	-	Charbel A
Year Three	-	Matthew M
Year Four	-	Ricky P
Year Five	-	Dylan H
Year Six	-	Isabella S



Calendar Dates

- Wednesday 4th September -Monday 9th September -Wednesday 11th September -Monday 16th September -Wednesday 18th September -Sunday 22nd September -
- PCYC Basketball make-up Session 3 3.20-4.20pm Wolves Basketball Program - 3.15-4.15pm Wolves Basketball Program - 3.15-4.15pm
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 - First Communion at Holy Trinity Church 12.00pm

