



# Holy Trinity School Granville Newsletter



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## Notice required Before Moving Students from School

10 school weeks in writing must be given to the principal before removal of a student or a full term's fees will be payable.

This requirement is in recognition by the family of the commitment to assist funding of the School by having their child take a place that could have been offered to another family.

Dear Parents and Friends,

For many years now, psychologists have been saying that the bonding of a baby with its mother in the first few minutes of life is vital for the stability of the newborn child. The mother - infant bond is an intense relationship of unparalleled human affection. It is the foundation of the child's emotional and physical survival. No wonder we hear people say: 'Mothers hold their children's hands for a short time but their hearts forever.'

There are many ways to answer the question, "What is Motherhood?" and one of those ways might be that Motherhood means sharing in the creative power of God. Conceiving, carrying and giving birth to a human being, is as close as any person can get to the act of creation. This is the beginning of Motherhood but it is far from the end. Motherhood is also about nurturing, sacrificing, loving and, ultimately, letting go.

We wish all our mothers a very happy Mother's Day. We know you will be smothered with beautiful gifts and hugs from your children on Sunday and we hope you are nourished with the love that you all deserve.

Love Serve Hope

Philip Mahony  
Principal

**94.3%**

Attendance  
week ending  
3/5/2019

## *A Mothers' Day Prayer*

*I thank you, Creator of us all, for my mother.*

*I thank you that she gave me life and nurtured me all those years. She gave me my faith, helping me to know you and to know Jesus and his ways.*

*She taught me how to love and how to sacrifice for others. She taught me that it was okay to cry and that I should always tell the truth.*

*Bless her with the graces she needs and which you want to give her today. Help her to feel precious in your eyes today and to know that I love her.*

*Give her strength and courage, compassion and peace. Bless her this day with your love.*



## SCHOOL PHOTOS - Wednesday 29th May

Envelopes were sent home with all children last week.  
Please return all envelopes with payment by Friday 24th May.

If you would like to order a family photo with other children also attending Holy Trinity, please return the slip at the bottom of the green sheet that was sent home.

## STUDENT DATA VALIDATION

Next week a number of our families will receive an email from Catholic Education Diocese Parramatta to complete a Student Data Validation survey to ensure the information we have is correct.

Thank you to those families who will be completing this information.

## KINDERGARTEN ENROLMENTS 2020



If your child turns 5 by 31<sup>st</sup> 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 as soon as possible.

### **HELPERS NEEDED TO COVER BOOKS**

Many new books have recently been purchased.  
We need parents and friends who are able to cover these books in clear contact.

**When:** Wednesday afternoons  
**When:** 2:10pm  
**Where:** School Library  
**All welcome**



### Birthday Celebrations



Congratulations to the following students who celebrate their Birthday in May:

Sarah N, Charbel, Joel, Alice, Reeva, Daniella S, Xavier, Samuel, Kevin T, Evelyn, Aryan, Julie, Gabriel C, Yatta, Zen, Emily, Katherine, Rishikesh

## Diocesan Cross Country

Thank you to Mrs Chen and Mrs Setefano for helping on the day.



*Thank you to Mrs Chen, Mrs Salloum, and Mrs Alsankari for giving of your time and helping at the Mother's Day stall on Wednesday.*

Thank you to all who have brought in the Woolworths Earn & Learn stickers.

If you are shopping at Woolworths, please collect the stickers and bring them to school.



### **Student of the Week**



**Week ending 3/5/19**

Kindergarten	-	Harry B
Year One	-	Dominic Z
Year Two	-	Alan N
Year Three	-	John Paul D
Year Four	-	William B
Year Five	-	Alex C
Year Six	-	Tamara S



### Calendar Dates

Monday 13th May	-	Students to Wear Winter Uniform
	-	Stage 3 Mass
Tuesday 14th May	-	NAPLAN - Writing
Wednesday 15th May	-	NAPLAN - Reading
	-	Stage 1 Powerhouse Museum Excursion
Thursday 16th May	-	NAPLAN - Language Conventions
Friday 17th May	-	NAPLAN - Numeracy
Monday 20th May	-	Kinder & Stage 1 Mass

