



Holy Highlights

Term 3, Week 5 - 23rd August, 2019

Dates to Remember August

26	8.30am Second Hand Uniform Sale
26	8.40am Assembly - 5G
26	12.30pm Chess Coaching
27	NO Primula for Seniors today
28	11.00am Cluster Public Speaking Finals
29	1100am Jacqueline Harvey Novelist (K - 2)
29	6.30pm The Resilient Child Parent Talk
30	7.00am Fathers Day Breakfast

✍ From the Principal

"Do your best to go in through the narrow door; because many people will surely try to go in but will not be able." Luke 13:24

Sometimes Jesus' challenge is more obvious



and clear and sometimes I need to take time to reread and reflect before the passage speaks to me! This is one of the passages that

challenged me to reflect. As I read through the third or fourth time I began to think about what the narrow passages are in my life that I find difficult to navigate, those challenges I struggle with.

As I did this I realized that for me this passage is about how I am living my life now and the choices I make when faced with those challenges which define who I am and what I stand for. Then, as I consider who I am for others, what Jesus says begins to make sense, "Then those who are now last will be first, and those who are now first will be last." (Lk 13:30)

We accept your invitation, Lord, to the feast of the kingdom. You will recognise us when we come to knock, for we will remain faithful to your word. As your family, help us to live for others. Amen.

Fathers Day Big Breakfast Remember - book your tickets

I'm looking forward to seeing you at the Father's Day Big Breakfast this coming Friday!

<https://www.trybooking.com/BEQCR>

Compass Parent Portal

The Compass Parent Portal will be live as of Monday. You should receive your personal login details from the Catholic Schools Office today. Information about downloading the Compass App is on the school website. There will be support available at the school office Monday, a Compass team member will be present Monday morning from about 9:30 am and in the afternoon from 2:30 pm in case you have any questions or are experiencing problems.

The Resilient Child Thursday 29th August at 6.30pm

The Resilient Child – a parent education program about wellbeing and mental fitness and how we can help children develop their resilience. This Thursday 29 August 6:30 pm at Holy Family School. Please RSVP your attendance.

Did you Know?

'Missing 2 days a month is equivalent to 1 entire year of missed learning in a student's life.' Regular attendance at school is vital but not always easy. A free parent workshop is happening at Sacred Heart School Pymble Tuesday 27 August 9:30 – 11 am and again 6:30 – 8 pm.

✍ From the REC

Bishop's Art Prize Competition Final Reminder

For children who are interested. Please see the guidelines. This is open to all students in our school. Students are invited to submit entries in the medium of film/video. Students are invited to select a story about Jesus or a story told by Jesus in the Gospel of Luke and produce a short film of up to three minutes. Students are also asked to submit with the film a short reflection on the meaning and significance of the story. Entries will be due in at school next Friday August 30th - Term 3 Week 6..

Entries can be sent in on a USB stick – clearly labelled – child's name and class to the office. School judging will take place in Week 7 in Term 3 for each stage. Winners will be sent onto the Diocesan next level of judging where the best video in each of stages ES1 – S5 from all schools will be judged at a Diocesan level in Week 9 of Term 3.

Term 4

"Film Festival" of prize-winning entries and 'Honourable Mentions'. Students and families to be invited to official awards evening at the Caroline Chisholm Centre on Tuesday 22 October, 6.00-8.00 pm. Publication of selection of winning films/videos on Diocesan websites.

Prizes

The first prize for the winning entry from each stage (Early Stage 1 to Stage 5) this year will be \$120. In 2019 there will be one honourable mention award given to students from each stage, with prizes of \$60

Films

If the film contains images of another person/s their permission should be sought and gained preferably in writing, explaining that the film/video will be included in an exhibition that will be viewed by other people. If the film/video contains images of a child or children under 18 years of age, the permission of their parent/s or guardian/s should be in writing.

Film/videos not meeting the above criteria will not be accepted.

Dates for your diary Whole School Masses

Friendship Mass	Wednesday 18 th Sept
	9.15 am- Kindy
Class Mass Year 3G	Thursday 19 th Sept
	11.00 am Room 7

Have a lovely weekend
Carmel Hogan - Acting REC

From the Tuckshop

Tuckshop Roster 9.00 am - 1.30 pm

Monday 26th August
Volunteer Needed (3G)
Volunteer Needed (3G)

Thursday 29th August
Joanne Blayney
Volunteer Needed (3G)
Volunteer Needed (3G)

To volunteer for the tuckshop, please use the following link to secure your place, [Sign Up Roster Link - SignUp.com](http://www.lindfieldkillara.org.au)

From the PBL Teams

PBL FOCUS -

Make Good Choices

HABIT- Put First Things

First



From the P & F

Father's Day Big Breakfast next week

It's time to celebrate the special relationships children share with their Fathers and Grandfathers - our traditional Holy Family Father's Day Breakfast is on Friday August 30th at 7:15am.



Don't forget to build and decorate your Paper

Plane at home and bring it along to compete in our Paper Plane Championship at 7.45am. Decorate and design in any way you want to - the only condition is no motors allowed!

Please book your tickets now at
<https://www.trybooking.com/BEQCR>

Any queries can be directed to:
requeltrev@gmail.com

Holy Family on facebook

Remember to like and follow Holy Family on facebook. There are videos, snippets of news and lots of interesting photos for you to enjoy.



From the Sports Department

Cupcake Stall at Athletics Carnival

I just wanted to say a big, big thank you to everyone for supporting the cupcake stall at the Athletics Carnival. Monies raised helped me with my trip to All Schools Nationals Basketball Championships in Bendigo last week. I had a great week playing basketball and my NSW team came 4th.

Thank you so much for your support.

Ruby (Year 6)

From the Parish

Confirmation enrolment

Our Year 2 and older students are invited to enrol for Confirmation which is in term 3. Please go to <http://www.lindfieldkillara.org.au>, then to Sacraments and then Children's Sacraments. Scroll down until you see the enrolment letter for Confirmation and the link where you and your child can research and choose a Saint's name for their Confirmation Name. Please use this link only for Confirmation Names.

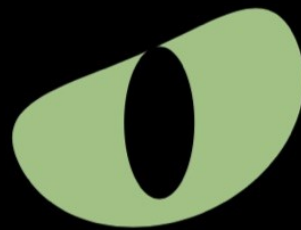
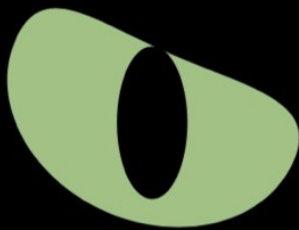
We look forward to meeting you soon.

Sue-Anne Sherwood - [Sacramental Co-ordinator](#)

HOLY FAMILY SCHOOL DISCO

FRIDAY

the 13th



FRIDAY 13 SEPTEMBER | SCHOOL HALL

JUNIOR DISCO

K - YEAR 2

5:00PM - 6:30PM

SENIOR DISCO

YEAR 3 - YEAR 6

7:00PM - 8:30PM

**get your
tickets**

\$10 PER STUDENT

INCLUDES SAUSAGE SIZZLE, DRINK AND ICY POLE

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