



## Pupil Free Days

Please be advised that the first day of Term 2, Wednesday, 27 April is a Pupil Free Day. If you can't organize alternate arrangements for your child/ren on this day, please contact the school office ASAP.

Also, a reminder to parents that next Monday, 28 March is a Pupil Free Day. If you can't make alternate arrangements for you child/ren, please contact the school by this Thursday, 24 March.

## Please remember to tell us ...

When there are changes to your child's after-school arrangements by contacting the school office on 4732 3999 **before** 2.30pm. This allows enough time for messages to reach respective classes before the end of the school day.

If you have changes to your contact details such as work phone numbers, mobile phone numbers, etc. There are times when staff are required to contact parents so it is imperative that we have current contact numbers.

If there are any changes to your child's medical details.

## Parent Association News

The parents association will be holding a Fun Food Day on Friday April 1. There will be a small style canteen available that day at Lunch 1.

On sale will be drinks, chips, lollies, ice blocks, popcorn, cupcakes. Prices will range between 50c and \$1.

Anyone who can offer some time to help please complete the slip below and send back with your child.



### Attention: Parent Association

I \_\_\_\_\_ on phone

\_\_\_\_\_ can assist at the Fun Food Day.

## KEY DATES

- 23 Mar Bring your donated Easter Egg to school
- 24 Mar School Cross Country
- 28 Mar Pupil Free Day
- 30 Mar Easter Raffle Tickets need to be returned by today
- 4 Apr 8:50am Term Awards, Prayer and Flag Raising. All welcome
- 27 Apr Pupil Free Day

## Religious Education News

Dear Parents,

**St Joseph's Day** Thank you to all the parents who attended the celebration of St Joseph's Feast Day. St Joseph accepted a truly courageous task, taking care of Mary and Jesus under most difficult circumstances. May the spirit of St Joseph live in us and guide our families.

**Project Compassion 2011** Thank You for your generosity in supporting Caritas Australia but please keep those donations coming in each week. It is through our support of the Caritas programs that we can effect change in the world.

**All-Schools Mass** St Joseph's Parish is celebrating the 'All-Schools Mass' on April 3<sup>rd</sup> at 10am. Families from all our local parish schools are invited to attend this Mass. This will be followed by the Parish picnic at Tench Reserve at 1pm.

**Junior Cells** Are back, and to celebrate the parish are inviting you to join them for a fun afternoon. Every Tuesday except school holidays in the Libermann Room. Registration is on May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2011 at 3 pm. Bring your parents or carers to see what's it all about. Contact: Antoinette: 0403 201 610 Parish Office: 4721 4080.

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Religious Education Co-ordinator*

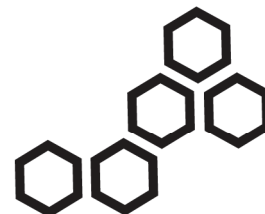
Donate a Chocolate  
Easter Egg

Remember to bring your eggs in  
tomorrow for our Easter Raffle



## Learning without limits

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## Reflection from Bishop Anthony Fisher OP

Bishop Anthony Fisher OP will give a reflection on 'The Spirituality of St Dominic' on Saturday 26 March from 10am-1pm in Sacred Heart Parish Hall, cnr Sturt & Wentworth Sts, Blackheath. Entry by donation. Morning tea provided. No need to book. Details: Carmel (02) 4787 8706.

## Sisterhood Catholic Women's Conference

The Sister conference seeks to draw women together for a weekend of prayer and praise, sisterhood time and formation in what it means to be and live as a Catholic woman in the 21st Century. Keynote speakers: Sr Mary Rachel OP, Anna Krohn from the Pontifical Institute for Studies on Marriage and the Family; Karen Doyle, author and co-founder of Catholic media business Choicez Media. Other speakers: Fr Chris Ryan MGL as well as author, parenting expert and former principal of Redfield College, Andrew Mullins, and Carolyn Martin founder of The Day of Difference Foundation and mother of burns victim Sophie Delezio. Dates: 13-15 May at Collaroy. Numbers limited – book soon: \$195pp. Details and registration:

[www.sisterhood.org.au](http://www.sisterhood.org.au)

## "STEPPING BEYOND" FOR THOSE SEPARATED OR DIVORCED

The Solo Parent Ministry within Catholic Care Social Services provides monthly workshops for those who are separated or divorced. Through these workshops we hope to assist you to gain confidence, support, information and assistance as you try to "put your life back together again" following your loss and family upheaval. On Thurs 31st March the topic will be "What Happens after Separation? The challenges, survival tips and safety nets will be amongst some of the issues discussed.

Venue: Diocesan Assembly Centre 1-5 Marion St. Blacktown.

Time: 6.30pm cuppa and 7.00pm formal start.

Cost: \$5.00.

Bookings essential: 99330222.

## Caroline Chisholm College Catholic Education for Girls in Years 7 – 12

Enrolments are now being accepted for 2012. Students from St. Joseph's Primary are guaranteed a place at Caroline Chisholm College provided an application is submitted by 8<sup>th</sup> April. For an enrolment package or further information, please contact the college on 47375506.

## Xavier College Enrolments

Xavier College closing date of enrolments is Friday 29th April.

## St Joseph's Catholic Church Kingswood—Mass Times

Cnr Joseph Street & Richmond Road, Kingswood  
(Phone 4721 4080)

Parish Priest: Fr Paul Hopper C.S.Sp

### Sunday Masses:

Saturday—Polish Mass, 4.00pm; Vigil, 6.00pm

Sunday—8.30am & 10.00am

### Weekday Masses:

Monday, Tuesday & Thursday—8.00am,

Wednesday (Children's Mass)—9.00am

*Eucharist Adoration Before all Masses*

*Communion Services* Friday—8.25am

*Sacrament of Penance* Saturday after morning Mass

*Anointing of the Sick* every 1st Saturday—8.25am

Mass

*Baptism* by appointment. Contact the Presbytery

## School Cross Country

This Thursday, 24 March.

Children to wear their sport uniform  
and appropriate running shoes.

Students should also bring a drink  
bottle with them.

**Joey's Before & After  
School Care tel 4732 5771**

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