



Year 6 NEWSLETTER

Term 4 Week 7



Upcoming events:

This week...

Thursday 29th November 2018, Yr 6 students Brunswick Heads excursion. Normal school hours apply.

Advanced Notice:

Kinder - Year 6: Water Safety Oasis Pool: Monday Week 8 (3/12/18) to Friday Week 9 (14/12/18)

URGENT REQUEST

TWO PARENT HELPERS NEEDED EACH DAY 10:30-11:15 AM. PLEASE CONTACT ONE OF US SO WE CAN LOCK YOU IN FOR A DAY/S. MANY THANKS!

Tuesday December 4th: Year 6 Graduation Mass at St Joseph's Parish Church Tweed Heads starting at 6pm.

Friday December 7th: Swimming Carnival

Wednesday December 12th: End of Year Mass (11:30 am) Holy Family Chapel, Doyle Centre

Wednesday December 12th: Year 6 Dinner Dance

Monday December 17th: Year 6 Wet n' Wild Day.

Tuesday December 18th: Christmas Concert

Wednesday December 19th: Last Day of Term 4 & School Year.

exemplary behaviour as they showcased their talents to the parents of St James Kindergarten class of 2019.

Well done students, we are all very proud of you.

English:

With the drafting and editing phase almost finished, students will be submitting their written autobiographies shortly and we commend them on their efforts. Thus begins the next phase in turning this written work into a scrapbook or presentation that will be presented to the class during Week 10. We are all looking forward to seeing the students creative efforts.

Religion:

Continuing with the theme of Sacrament and Anointing of the Sick, the students are busy revising what they have learned and gaining a deeper understanding of the importance of this stage in their Catholic journey.

Maths:

Before entering the final chapter of learning in weeks 8 and 9, we as a cohort are examining some minor gaps in understanding over the current week. Basic addition, division and multiplication of three and four digit numbers is our focus, along with skip counting from a randomly given starting point.

Important:

Please be advised that Mrs Malone's Wednesday Maths group has finished for 2018. We commend the students who attended these sessions.

Kinder - Year 6: Water Safety Oasis Pool

Year 6 will begin their intensive swimming program starting on Monday Week 8 (3/12/18) through to Friday Week 9 (14/12/18). The duration of each lesson is 45 minutes, beginning at 10:30 am each day.

The water safety program will not be held on the following dates:

Friday 7th December (Yr 2-6 Swimming Carnival - Oasis Pools)

Welcome:

If ever we needed evidence that our students are maturing and ready to take on the challenges ahead of them in the coming year, we found it during the recent Kindergarten transition days. Acting with dignity and honour, the students demonstrated

Wednesday 12th December (End of Year Mass)
Thursday 13th December (Oasis Pools not available)

Students only wear their sports uniform on their specific sports days. They will need to have each day swimmers, towel, rash shirt, hat and thongs (swim cap & goggles optional)

We would like to ask the parents and St James community for any volunteers that can assist in helping supervise the swimming program.

The St Vincent De Paul Christmas Appeal

The festive season can be anything but merry for people going through hard times. The Vinnies Christmas Appeal runs annually to support those who will be doing it tough over the Christmas period. The Appeal aims to provide much needed help from practical assistance to food hampers, emotional support, toys and gifts for children, individuals and families so that they can experience the joy of Christmas.

Again this year each classroom has an empty washing basket; please bring in Christmas goodies to fill them up. We also ask that students in each class donate money so we can buy presents for primary aged boys and girls for the Vinnies Christmas Appeal.

Thank you again for your generosity and continual support.

From the MJR Committee and Mini Vinnies Team

Have a safe and wonderful week,

Lisa Fitzhugh, Mike Lubans and James Cutler



