

ST JOSEPH'S NEWS

WEEK 7, TERM 1, 2025



This Week at Joeys

Dear parents,

On Wednesday 19th March we celebrated the feast day of the patron Saint of our church and school with a liturgy in the church and then a fun afternoon at the beach.

In the Catholic hierarchy of saints, St Joseph holds a special place. He is regarded as the patron saint of the Universal Church, a title bestowed upon him by Pope Pius IX in 1870.

St Joseph is also the patron saint of workers, a tribute to his life as a humble carpenter.

St Joseph's role as the earthly father of Jesus Christ gives him a unique position in Catholicism. He is venerated as the model of fatherhood, embodying the virtues of patience, humility, and faithfulness. St Joseph is also seen as a figure of trust in God, as he accepted the divine plan without question, even when it brought challenges and uncertainties.

What an inspiration for us all,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Virginia Outred".

Virginia Outred - Principal



Easter Raffle

Our much-loved traditional Easter Raffle kicks off... now!

Thank you to our Kindy parents for organising this. It's the raffle our Joeys LOVE to win (and we suspect the chocolate may have something to do with that.) **Find out more via the flyer below and on our website here.**



Coming Up

Dates of Note

March 27th: Liturgy - Kindy and Year 3. This will be in the Church at 12:30pm. All welcome.

March 26th: Open Day 2025. Starts at 9.15am.

March 28th: Friendology Day. Students to wear green mufti (no uniform).

March 31st: Cross Country - Years 2-6. Optional. Permission note on Compass now.

April 8th: Easter Raffle closes. Pay via QKR.

April 10th: Easter Raffle drawn at school.

April 10th: Last day of Term. Pupil Free Day on April 11th (no students at school).

May 23rd: St Joseph's Gala Night

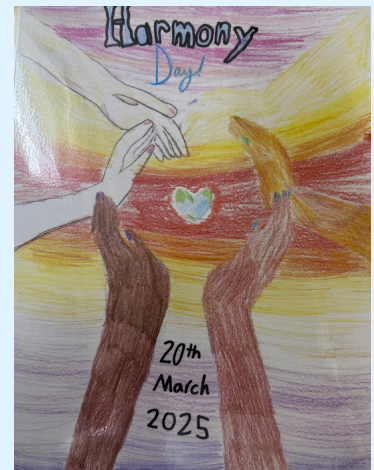
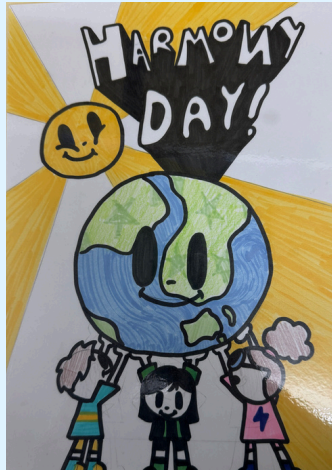
Lent & Easter activities

CCD Broken Bay has a wonderful resource for families to use over Easter. This booklet is full of craft, baking, music and articles that can be used over the whole season. In a special way the activities in this booklet will bring the true meaning of Easter into your home. **You'll find it here.** Enjoy!



Harmony Day

Today we celebrated Harmony Day. **This celebration recognises our community's diversity and brings together Australians from all different backgrounds.** It's about inclusiveness, respect and a sense of belonging for everyone. Thanks to Mrs Jade Browett for her organisation and our Year 6 creative arts leaders for their beautiful posters, displayed around school & below.



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Easter Raffle

ST JOSEPH'S EASTER

RAFFLE

DRAWN ON: Thurs 10th April
PRICE: \$2.50 per ticket (\$25 whole book)
DRAW CLOSES: Tues 8th April 12 noon

NOTE: Each child will receive 10 tickets
Extra books available on QKR
TO ORDER: Login to QKR

EASTER PRIZES →

- Chocolate Hampers
- Arts & Craft Hampers
- Books Hamper

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Open Day



St Joseph's Catholic Primary School Narrabeen



OPEN DAY

Wednesday 26th March 9.15am

**A supportive village,
personalised academic
focus & passionate
teaching team**

Register here:



108 Ocean Street Narrabeen
7256 2134
sjndbb.catholic.edu.au
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Principal: Virginia Outred



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St Paul's

St Paul's Catholic College Year 7, 2027 enrolment applications close Monday 24 March 2025. For our Catholic Schools Broken Bay Primary School families we offer a Kindergarten to Year 12 co-educational pathway with **priority enrolment**.

St Paul's Catholic College is a vibrant faith community fostering a supportive and inclusive school environment where students feel **safe, valued, and empowered**.

The successful transition to co-education in 2025 reflects St Paul's commitment to provide an inclusive learning environment that focuses on the holistic development of every student. The College offers a comprehensive curriculum that inspires students to be curious, independent and innovative learners. Their team of experienced and dedicated teachers focus on quality teaching that fosters teamwork and collaboration and caters to the diverse learning needs of their students.

Click here to enrol today or contact the St Paul's Enrolment Officer at enrolments@dbb.catholic.edu.au.



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Broken Bay

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Catholic Schools Broken Bay Primary Schools

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Music Info

Want to sign up for band?

LEARN AN
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BAND!

JOIN TODAY
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MusicLinks
inspiring young musicians

Are you in Year 2 or above and
want to learn how to play a
musical instrument?

What instrument do you want to learn to play?

~ flute ~ clarinet ~ saxophone ~ trumpet ~
keyboard ~ trombone ~ percussion ~ bass guitar ~

Weekly Band rehearsals and
lessons held at school.
Join the Fun and Register today!



FIND OUT MORE



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TERM DATES

Term 1

Jan 31: Pupil Free Day
Feb 3: Years 1-6 First Day Term 1
Feb 5: Kindy First Day
April 11: Pupil Free Day
April 14-27 School Holidays
(includes Easter & ANZAC Day)

Term 2

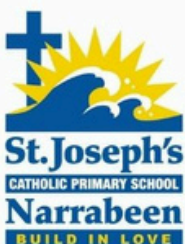
April 28: Pupil Free Day
April 29: Pupil Free Day
April 30: First Day Term 2
June 9: King's Bday Public Holiday
July 4: Pupil Free Day
July 7-20: School Holidays

Term 3

July 21: Pupil Free Day
July 22: First Day Term 3
September 26: Pupil Free Day
Sept 29-Oct 12: School Holidays

Term 4

Oct 13: First Day Term 4
Dec 17: Last Day of 2025
Dec 18: Pupil Free Day
Dec 19: Pupil Free Day
Dec 22: Christmas Holidays Begin!



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