



Holy Trinity School Granville Update



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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 Caregivers,

Holy Trinity Primary Formation Goal 2017

Goal: That students will continue to develop their understanding of Scripture through service to others in the school and wider community.

The staff at Holy Trinity decided on this Goal at the end of 2016. We felt that it was important to begin to live the Gospels through acts of service to people in our school and the world. The goal would apply to both students and staff.

We chose a theme 'I am the vine, you are the branches' John 15:5 as a way of recording the names of all students, and their cultural background. Each child also decided on a colour of the rainbow that described who they were.

Yellow is the colour of happiness and cheerfulness.

Orange is the colour of confidence and being active.

Red is the colour of courage and enthusiasm.

Green is the colour of common sense and encouragement.

Blue is the colour of trust and peace.

Purple is the colour of understanding and kindness.

Indigo is the colour of gentleness and strength.



As a whole school, Stage 3 led the way by supporting The Jesuit Refugee Centre in Parramatta. Part of their service is to provide a food bank for families in need. Every family contributed to this appeal and many baskets of food were collected. We were then visited by employees and a Refugee from the centre to explain to the students how much they appreciated our help.

Each class, along with their teachers, planned what their Mission initiative would be. Years 2 and 5 had a cake stall at different times. Year 1 had a crazy sock day where students brought a gold coin to school.

Kindergarten collected one hundred coins on their '100th day of school' and conducted a Kinder Café over several

mornings. Years 3 and 4 decided to perform another important act of service by spending the morning helping children from the Pre-school to learn. The staff donated gift cards for the St Vincent de Paul Christmas appeal. Finally, Year 6 worked at home and school to make small Christmas gifts and cakes for students to buy.

Why do this? If we are true followers of Jesus, then it is essential that we are aware of our responsibility to serve others and living this from a young age will continue to grow throughout their lives.

God bless,
Mrs Amy Press, Religious Education Coordinator

96%

Attendance
week ending
10/11/2017

NEW NO PARKING IN FRONT OF SCHOOL OFFICE on Grimwood St

Please note the new No Parking zone in front of the school office on school days from **8.00am - 9.30am** and **2.30- 4.00pm**.

This means that you have no more than 2 minutes for drop-offs or pick-ups of passengers or goods and the driver must stay within 3 metres of your vehicle during these hours.

Penalty: \$183 and 2 Demerit Points.



Holy Trinity Family Christmas Concert

FREE

Monday, 11th December

6pm at

**Holy Family School Hall
The Trongate, East Granville**



Children arrive at 5.30pm

Doors open at 5.45 for parents

Children wear Christmas colours - white, green, red

Birthday Celebrations

Congratulations to the following students who celebrate their Birthday in **November**:
Matarii Brown, Farhan Mohammadian, Payin Akol, Brandon Taouk, Casandra Romanos, Jacinta Ivory, Christian Le, Maylyn Pelayo, Precious Delany, Azekial Teunon, Telesia Anae Roberts, Callan Young, Aaron Kidane, Wafi Nawaz, Madison Tennant, Dave Quijon, Kaihlen Dawaton



★ Student of the Week ★	
Week ending 10/11/17	
Kindergarten	- Emily Sultana
Year One	- Lopasi Liutai
Year Two	- Saharsh Kontham
Year Three	- Joseph El Khoueiry
Year Four	- Elly Hur
Year Five	- Ricky Dang
Year Six	- Katerina Bui



Calendar Dates

Monday 20th November	- Mass - Year 2
Tuesday 21st November	- Reconciliation - Year 5
22nd & 23rd November	- Canberra Excursion - Year 6
Monday 27th November	- Mass - Year 3 & 4
Tuesday 28th November	- Reconciliation - Year 6
Friday 1st December	- Advent Liturgy / Purple mufti day
Monday 4th December	- Mass - Year 6
Wednesday 6th December	- Reports to go home
Monday 11th December	- HTG Christmas Family Concert at Holy Family East Granville



