



St Patrick's Catholic Primary School

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Parish Clergy

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Weekend Mass Times

St Patrick's Asquith

St Bernard's Berowra Heights

Saturday Vigil 6pm

Saturday Vigil 5pm

Sunday 8am, 10am, 6pm

Sunday 9am

We recognise the Traditional Owners of the land of Hornsby Shire, the Darug and Guringai peoples, and pay respect to their Ancestors and Elders past and present.



PRINCIPAL'S UPDATE

Dear Parents and Carers,

Our recent Kindergarten transition sessions have been a wonderful success, giving our future students the chance to explore their new learning environment, meet their teachers, and begin forming friendships. The enthusiasm and confidence shown by the children during these sessions and the strong support by our parents reflect the positive partnership between families and our school community.

I acknowledge and thank Edlyn and the uniform shop volunteers for supporting the fitting out of our Kinder students with uniforms, our P&F President Katie Barillaro, Volunteer Canteen Supervisor Maegan Rose, our school counsellor Laura Edmonds, our Parent Engagement Coordinator Carley McCarthy and Liz Chan from our school office for their presentations to parents. All this effort supports our new families as they begin their Big School Journey.

We are looking forward to building on this positive start for our new Kindergarten cohort in 2026, ensuring their first year of school is filled with joy, growth, and a sense of belonging.

Christmas Concert

Get Ready for Our Christmas Concert!

Today has been filled with fun and excitement as our students learn their dance routines with Red Ed in preparation for the upcoming Christmas concert. The energy in the room is contagious with plenty of enthusiasm as the children work together to learn their performance.

The school concert scheduled for Friday, 28th November, will be a wonderful opportunity for our community to come together and celebrate the spirit of Christmas as every grade takes the stage to share their talents.

We invite all parents and carers to join us for this festive occasion. Bring your Christmas cheer and enjoy an evening of music, movement, and memories that will last a lifetime.



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P & F Christmas Concert BBQ

Our wonderful P and F are going to be offering a Christmas Concert BBQ before our Christmas event on the 28th of November. The BBQ will be held in School Playground from 4.30pm BBQ followed by 5.15pm Start.

We will have food on offer with a BBQ (sausage sizzle) along with a Gelato van onsite. We can't wait to see you there as we celebrate the joy of Christmas with our amazing students!

\$5 per item, items are listed below.

- Beef sausage in a roll
- Chicken sausage in a roll
- Vegetarian burger in a roll

Onions, sauces etc are optional and will be available on the day. Please ensure you order the correct number of items. **Orders will be closed on Monday 24th November 12pm.** There will be VERY limited extras on the night for purchase, so we ask that you please pre-order.

Social Media Delay

The Council of Catholic School Parents supports parents in catholic schools across the 11 dioceses of NSW and the ACT. This week they are offering a free pre-recorded video about the upcoming social media delay that comes into effect on the 10th December. Please use the following link to access the 30 minute webinar: [The Social Media Delay](#) presented by Dr. Michael Carr-Gregg (Child and Adolescent Psychologist).

St. Leo's Year 7 Orientation Day

Our Year 6 students attending St. Leo's Wahroonga had a wonderful day at the Year 7 2026 Orientation Day last Friday. They spent time exploring the campus on the 'Discovery Dash', meeting new friends, and trying out a range of high school subjects. They raced CO2 dragsters for TAS, decorated (and ate) cookies for Food Tech, tried African drumming for Music, Japanese origami, as well as Art, Science, Drama or Sport activities. They definitely have something to look forward to next year!

Parish News

The Parish Children's Choir will be busy this weekend. Come sing with us on Saturday at the Jubilee of the Choirs from 6:30-7:45PM at the Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral.

We are also running the annual Bake Sale Stall after the 8am and 10am Masses this Sunday, 23rd November, outside the church, to raise money for the Vinnies Christmas Appeal. Come along and buy some luscious treats for all the family! Children's Choir sings at 10am Mass on 2nd and 4th Sundays of each year, and practises every Friday during school terms. NB: Choir Christmas Party is scheduled for 12th December, which will also be the Choir's final practice for 2025. More information available soon. For more information, contact Patricia Smith 9482 7935.

Parents are encouraged to click on the following link to access the weekly [Ku-ring-gai Chase Catholic Parish Bulletin](#). Parents will find information for St. Patrick's Church including opportunities for families to support parish events including charitable works initiatives, joining the children's choir, the sacramental program and so much more.

God bless you and your families.

Todd Vane-Tempest

Principal



Dates to Remember

Term 4 - 2025

Friday 28th November - Christmas Concert
Wednesday 3rd December - Kindy & Yr 6 Teddy Bears Picnic
Tuesday 9th December - The Dish
Thursday 11th December - Year 6 Graduation 5.15pm
Friday 12th December - End of Year Mass
Monday 15th December - Year 6 Fun Day
Tuesday 16th December - Yr 6 Guard of Honour 2.00pm
Wednesday 17th December - Students Last Day