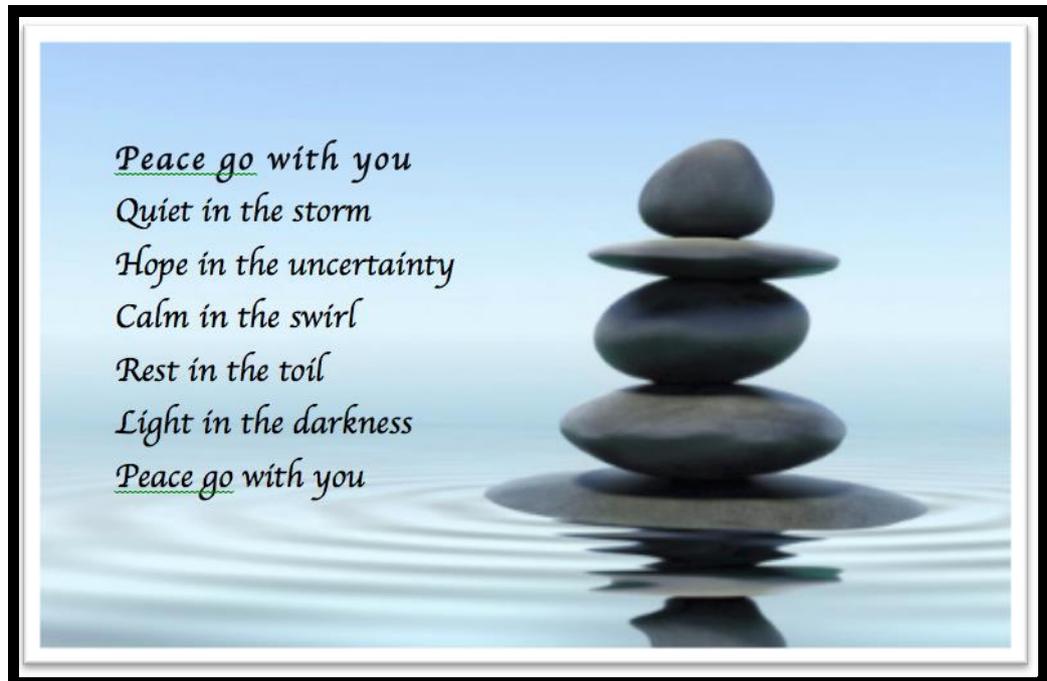


## Dear Parents and Friends of Holy Rosary



### Condolences

We pray for the Tobin Family on the sudden passing of Katherine's father in New Zealand. Our thoughts are with the family during this sad time.

Dear Parents,

It is with great pleasure to inform you that children can return to onsite learning this Friday 11 June. We have missed face-to-face learning and we can't wait to see students and teachers back in their natural habitats! We're very proud of everyone at Holy Rosary, the students, parents and teachers. We are fortunate to have a dedicated staff who have worked tirelessly to ensure that learning is seamless and authentic. Thank you to all the parents who worked with their children at home and for the positive feedback we have received about our approach to remote learning. We appreciate how juggling working from home and tending to your child's learning at the same time may have been a challenge. Thank you to those families who exercised patience as we endured lockdown 4.0.

One thing we have learnt about returning to school from previous lockdowns is that children are excited to be back at school with friends and teachers. We have no doubt that this will be the case again, however, coming back to school may present some angst for some children. Feel free to communicate with teachers if you or your child are worried about returning to school and we will work with you to ensure a smooth transition back to school.

School will begin at the usual time of 8:45am for all students where they will line up in the assembly area and be met by their teachers. To ensure the safety of students and staff, adults dropping off and picking up children are asked to remain on Gower Street and refrain from entering the school gates. We also remind adults to maintain social distancing requirements of 1.5 metres and to wear a mask. We thank you in advance for your cooperation.

*Holy Rosary School is committed to the safety, wellbeing and protection of all children in our care.*

**11 June**  
Winter Sport Gala Day  
Postponed

**14 June**  
Queens Birthday  
Public Holiday

**22 June 1-8 pm**  
Parent Teacher  
Interviews

**24-25 June** Arrabri  
LodgeCamp Year 3/4

**25 June**  
Last Day Term 2  
School finishes 3:20

**16 July**  
Student Free Day

**25 and 26 October**  
School Production

## Important Information and Reminders

- Parent meetings will be virtual and parent volunteers are unfortunately not permitted until further notice. This means that there will be no Pot Luck Friday canteen at this time.
- Enhanced cleaning will occur after school by professional cleaners. This will involve cleaning of tables and chairs, touchpoints such as light switches and stair rails, and toilets.
- The school gates will remain closed during the day. Should you need to enter the school grounds, simply phone the office and a staff member will attend to your request.
- Students will wash/sanitise their hands frequently throughout the day.
- There will be no sharing of food between students.
- Students who are unwell **must** be kept at home. If they become unwell at school, they **will** be sent home.

## Device returns

When we return to school on Friday, students are asked to also return devices (including chargers) borrowed during the lockdown, to their classroom teacher. We ask that student names remain on devices so we can cross check these against our records. We envisage that should we have further lockdowns, students will be reissued the same laptop they used in this round. A register has been developed with borrowing details enabling a streamlined approach to borrowing school devices. The *Student Equipment Loan Agreement* will remain valid for future remote learning occurrences throughout 2021, so there will be no need to sign this again.

## Camp News

Our Year 3/4 camp is scheduled for 24 and 25 June and we continue to hold this booking even though COVID restrictions are uncertain about camps going ahead. We are working closely with Arrabri Lodge and we will keep you informed as new information becomes available.

## 2021 Sacraments

Given recent developments in COVID regulations we have increased the number of masses for some of the Sacraments to ensure social distancing. With this comes the benefits of increased choice of days and/or times. In the final week of the school term, we will send out forms so families can nominate a mass for their child to celebrate their sacrament. To meet COVID safe standards, the number of candidates and guests will be capped. This means that once a mass reaches its quota, it will no longer be available as an option. Below is a list of the masses, so you may begin planning what best suits your family and consider alternate times if your preferred option is no longer available. We look forward to celebrating these significant faith milestones with our families. Enjoy the preparations and don't hesitate to contact Sonya if you have any questions.

Some children may celebrate more than one sacrament this year, due to cancellations in 2020. Please refer to the guide below to confirm which sacrament(s) your child will make this year.

Year 3 students: First Reconciliation

Year 4 students: First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion

Year 5 students: First Holy Communion

Year 6 students: Confirmation

<b>Sacrament Masses</b>			
<i>Families may choose to celebrate at either church.</i>			
<b>Sacrament</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Church</b>
First Reconciliation	Tuesday 27 July	6:30pm	Holy Rosary Church
	Wednesday 28 July	6:30pm	St Brendan's Church
	Thursday 29 July	6:30pm	Holy Rosary Church
First Holy Communion	Saturday 31 July	4:00pm	Holy Rosary Church
	Saturday 31 July	5:30pm	Holy Rosary Church
	Sunday 1 August	9:00am	Holy Rosary Church
	Sunday 1 August	10:30am	St Brendan's Church
Confirmation	Sunday 1 August	2:00pm	Holy Rosary Church
	Saturday 7 August	12:00pm	Holy Rosary Church
	Saturday 7 August	2:00pm	Holy Rosary Church
	Saturday 7 August	4:00pm	Holy Rosary Church

## Prep News

Even though seeing each other on Google Meets and learning from home is a little different, check out the innovative ways we are learning about positional words such as near, beside and over. We took our favourite toy and moved them around our houses. We then took photos of them in different positions. Look at what we came up with!



## Parent Community Conversations (Forums)

The PEB is in discussion about scheduling our first onsite Parent Community Conversation (forum), as mentioned at the PEB AGM earlier this year. We anticipated this first meeting would occur before the end of Term 2, however, due to the current COVID restrictions, a face-to-face meeting is not possible. We are conscious that this is a pressing need in our community so in the meantime, the PEB is working on ways to communicate with the parent community. Further details will follow in next week's newsletter. Should you have any queries, we ask that you contact a member of the Board:

Damien Murray (Chair) Russell Jenkins (Secretary)

Committee Members: Shane Healey, Leona Jackson, Laura Cochrane, Christine Shaw, Maria Sedunary and Fr Hien.

We have sent a certificate of appreciation to *White Rabbit Record Bar* recognising their generosity in allowing us to use their space and facilities to run our Mother's Day Cake stall effectively. Some of our students contributed to this certificate. When you're next walking by or visiting inside, you may like to acknowledge their contribution.



## Reports and Parent Teacher Interviews

A reminder that Semester One reports will be sent via email to parents on 18 June. Parent Teacher Interviews will be conducted online on 22 June via the *Whereby App*. This platform was used last year with much success and ease for both parents and teachers, so we will use it again. This means that you will be able to meet your child's teacher online in the comfort of your own home. Bookings will open at 5pm today. Booking details and links can be found, on a flyer, attached to this newsletter.

## Gower Street Gate

Once school commences, the school gates will be open each morning at 8:30am. A teacher will be rostered on yard duty at this time to supervise students until the bell at 8:45am. Our lining-up morning routine will continue as usual. Parents are reminded that a teacher is not on yard duty prior to 8:30am so should care be required before this time, contact TeamKids. We acknowledge that some of our senior students ride to school independently of their parents and we want to foster this, however, ensure that they time their arrival for no earlier than 8:30am.

TeamKids: 0428 411 008 or [holyrosaryschool@teamkids.com.au](mailto:holyrosaryschool@teamkids.com.au).

Enjoy the last days of remote and flexible learning. See you on Friday.

Sonya, Antoinette and Maria.



## P.E and Art News

### Wonder Recycling Program

We are collecting bread bags and tags to receive free sports equipment. Collection boxes will be placed in the office area and around the school. Encourage friends and family to get involved. Let's start collecting! (they don't need to be just *Wonder* bread bags)

This program has now been extended until Friday 16 July.

### SAVE THE DATES! SAVE THE DATES!

Our school production will take place in Term 4. We are excited to have two nights to perform this year - Monday 25 October and Tuesday 26 October at The Clocktower in Moonee Ponds. The title of our production is *'What's the Crime, Mr Wolf?'*

We will be holding auditions for all interested senior students soon.

Stay tuned!

Andrea Durand

Physical Education/Art Teacher

## The Victorian Premieres' Reading Challenge 2021



VPRC is open till 17 September in Term 3. <https://vprc.eduweb.vic.gov.au/home>



Book School Interviews Online

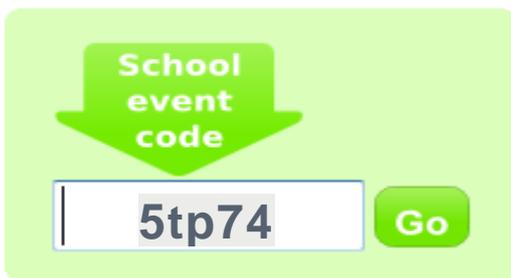


Dear Parents

Appointments for Semester One Parent / Teacher Conversations will be held on **Tuesday 22 June 2021 from 1.00pm to 7.30pm**. We will be conducting video conferences for our Parent Teacher Conversations via “**whereby.com**”. Bookings are made through [www.schoolinterviews.com.au](http://www.schoolinterviews.com.au) You can book appointments at times that suit **YOUR FAMILY BEST**. Follow the 3 Steps below.

Parents who have attended a PSG in the last 4 weeks may choose not to make an appointment for these conversations. Similarly, parents who have spoken to their child’s teacher regularly may choose not to make an appointment.

**BOOKINGS OPEN Wednesday 9 June at 5.00pm.**  
**BOOKINGS CLOSE Monday 21 June at 4.00pm**



[www.schoolinterviews.com.au](http://www.schoolinterviews.com.au)

Enter THIS school event code.  
Then follow the 3 simple steps.



**BOOKINGS OPEN Wednesday 9 June, 2021 AT 5.00PM SO THAT ALL FAMILIES MAY BOOK AT THE SAME TIME**

Interviews are strictly 10 minutes. When making bookings for more than one child in a family leave a 10 minute gap between each appointment. It is vital that parents keep to their scheduled time and end their appointments in a timely manner. If you think you will need more time, simply discuss this with your teacher before the appointment.

Once you have booked appointment times, you will receive a confirmation email. We ask that you keep the email somewhere safe as you will need to access it on the 22 June. Three minutes before your appointment time, click on the VIDEO LINK (next to the teacher's name) and follow the onscreen instructions. Your child is most welcome to attend this appointment.

If you have any further enquiries, please contact the school office on 9376 9455.

If you require an interpreter for the interviews please contact the office ASAP.

You can change interview bookings, any time prior to the closing date, by re-visiting the [www.shoolinterviews.com.au](http://www.shoolinterviews.com.au) website, and using the event code.

**Please Note – school finishes at 12.00pm on Tuesday 22 June. OSHC is available. Bookings are essential.**

Help us turn  
**BREAD BAGS** into  
**SCHOOL PLAY EQUIPMENT**



**Our school is taking part in the Wonder Recycling Rewards campaign this term.**

Help us collect bread bags so we can earn points to redeem on new RHSports equipment.

It's simple! All you need to do is keep your empty bread bags and send them to school with your kids! We will then place them in Wonder's pink collection box and post them off to be recycled. The more we collect the more points our school earns!

**Collections close 25th June.**

**Tip for collecting:**

Use one empty bread bag to collect a bunch of other bags.

**Did you know**

Our school is now in the draw to **WIN 1 of 5** exercise circuits made from the soft plastic we collect!

**LET'S GET COLLECTING!**



Tag Wonder on social **#wonderrecycling** to share all your recycling champion stories!



This program has now been extended until Friday 16 July.

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Available until Monday 14 June 2021.

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# TeamKids Winter Holiday program

BOOKINGS OPEN - Head to [teamkids.com.au](http://teamkids.com.au) to secure your spot!

## HOLY ROSARY SCHOOL - KENSINGTON

7:00AM START  
6:00PM END

PLEASE ARRIVE BY 9AM ON EXCURSION DAYS

- IN-HOUSE

INCURSION

EXCURSION

28 <sup>th</sup> JUNE · MON	29 <sup>th</sup> JUNE · TUE	30 <sup>th</sup> JUNE · WED	1 <sup>st</sup> JULY · THU	2 <sup>nd</sup> JULY · FRI
<b>POP ART PARTY</b>	<b>THE MAGIC BUS</b>	<b>PUSH IT TO THE MINUTE</b>	<b>AUSTRALIAN SPORTS MUSEUM &amp; MCG TOUR</b>	<b>SILLY OLYMPICS</b>
+ SHAKE IT SLIME	+ CUBE CHALLENGE	+ CATCH 'EM ALL	+ BUSY BEES GAME	+ PUSH POP BUBBLE POP
TeamKids is getting ready for a picture-perfect Pop Art Party! Today, we're using tonnes of colour to create bright masterpieces. We'll design unique Comic Strips, make a Pop Art Collage & play Disco Tiggy.	TeamKids is taking a ride towards adventure on The Magic Bus! This drama-based workshop will see us placing spells on cauldrons, facing gigantic dragons & more. Are you ready to be transported to a new world?	The clock is racing & TeamKids is chasing to beat fast world records. We need your help in Push It to the Minute! We'll work as a team to defeat a series of unique challenges, all before the time runs out.	Howzat! TeamKids is going on a behind-the-scenes tour of the MCG & exploring one of the world's most iconic stadiums! Also, we'll be immersed in exciting & interactive exhibits at the Australian Sports Museum.	TeamKids is hosting the world's first Silly Olympics spectacular, so let the games begin! What will your team's name be? We'll make a Team Banner, play Shotput Shoedown & race to create Olympic Ring Chains.
Base Fee \$60.00 Exp Fee** \$7.00 Daily Total \$67.00	Base Fee \$60.00 Exp Fee** \$14.00 Daily Total \$74.00	Base Fee \$60.00 Exp Fee** \$17.00 Daily Total \$77.00	Base Fee \$60.00 Exp Fee** \$36.00 Daily Total \$96.00	Base Fee \$60.00 Exp Fee** \$7.00 Daily Total \$67.00
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<b>IT'S A GOLD RUSH!</b>	<b>MOVIE - SPIRIT UNTAMED</b>	<b>TEAM EXTREME</b>	<b>CARDBOARD MAYHEM BY BOXWARS</b>	<b>GLOBE TROTTER</b>
+ SMART BLOCKS	+ WEAVING KIT	+ ORIGAMI STARS	+ NOODLER GAME	+ CHAIN REACTION STEM CHALLENGE
There's so much treasure & many tales to unfold at TeamKids because It's a Gold Rush! Today, we'll dig up some fun as we make wild Peg Horses, construct Gold Rush Era Houses & play shiny Gold Bingo.	Today is a showstopper because TeamKids is off to the movies to see Spirit Untamed! Who's ready to take a trip to a frontier town & meet the wild mustang, Spirit? *Packet popcorn provided & allergy alert.	The starting line is ready for us at TeamKids. On your mark, get set, GO! We'll have stacks of fun with Team Extreme as we play a range of team games & take on wild challenges over one jam-packed hour.	What's Cardboard Mayhem by Boxwars? It's an experience combining art & total destruction! We'll use nothing but cardboard to make mega creations that we'll use in the final challenge. *Closed-toe shoes required.	Have you ever wanted to travel to exotic lands? TeamKids has just the ticket with Globe Trotting. We'll take on games & challenges from many different cultures on Earth in this fitness-based workshop.
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\*Child Care Subsidies may apply. \$5 Admin Fee per family. \$5 Late Fees apply within 7 days per child. Payment plans available.  
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# Girls Basketball

Come and try basketball with  
your friends!



Kensington Junior Basketball Club currently has girls teams entered: u10, u12, u14 & u16

## New season training starts

### JUNE 2021

Games are played in the Westgate Basketball Association on Saturday morning at Whitten Oval or VU Footscray Park

New season commencing Saturday June 6<sup>th</sup> 2021.

Training is at Arden Street North Melbourne on Monday afternoons.

Limited positions are available.

All levels are welcome. Uniforms supplied.

To register or to enquire please contact the club by email:  
[kensingtoncoltsbasketball@gmail.com](mailto:kensingtoncoltsbasketball@gmail.com)

# YEAR 7, 2023 INFORMATION NIGHT

7:00pm

Wednesday 16 June

College Gymnasium  
Tiverton Campus  
1318 High Street Malvern

**BOOK HERE:**  
[trybooking.com/BQNGI](https://www.trybooking.com/BQNGI)

Bookings are essential.



DE LA SALLE  
COLLEGE



Whether you are considering applying at De La Salle or have already submitted an application, this session will provide you with important details about the enrolment process and what your son/s can expect in Year 7, 2023 at our College.

## KEY ENROLMENT DATES YEAR 7, 2023

**20 August 2021:**  
Application Period Closes  
**September 2021:**  
College Interviews  
**22 October 2021:**  
Offers of Place are made

Enquiries:  
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