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Bede Polding College

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Newsletter: 2nd November 2017 Term 4 Week 4





Calendar Dates

Principal's Desk

Term 4

November:

- 13 Staff Development Day
- 15 P & F Meeting 7pm
- 16 Year 12 Formal -Riverside Oaks 6pm-11pm
- 20 Yr 7 2018 Orientation Day (Students Only)
- 20 Yr 7 2018 Parent Information Evening 7.00pm

December:

- 4 Year 12 Sign out Day
- 6 Year 10 Graduation Mass & Presentation –7pm
- 7 Year 10 Social -PanthersMarquee 6.30pm
- 10-12 SRC Camps Years 7, 8, 9, 10, & 11
- 18 Staff Development day
- 19 Staff Development day -Last day of Term 4

Dear Parent/Guardians,

As mentioned earlier in the year we are working to streamline the communication processes that we use to ensure that these are effective as possible. The introduction of Skoolbag has been a part of this and I am pleased to say that the majority of our families are now using the app.

Before the end of the year we will be flagging some different approaches in terms of phone and email contacts. We are particularly interested in encouraging our students to use email more effectively as part of their learning here at school. It is a safe and secure mode of communication that should be used more widely. We are also working to improve the certainty of our communication with you in terms of leaving messages for teachers and other staff.

It is our hope that by the start of 2018 you will see an improvement in these areas.

Spare a thought and a prayer for our Year 12 students, most of whom have completed their HSC exams this week. The choices presented by life after school are now most evident.

God Bless

Kevin Jones

College Leadership Teams



~ Executive ~

Principal

Mr Kevin Jones

Assistant Principals

Mr Rodney Howard / Mr Harry Fernandez

Religious Education Coordinator

Jessica Attard/Assistant: Joshua Rodricks-Testa

Case Management Coordinator

Miss Hayley Lalor

School Secretary

Mrs Lisa Casey

Business Manager

Mr Paul Cruise

Administration Coordinator

Mrs Anita Meehan

Learning Technologies Coordinator

Mr Bill Robson

~ Curriculum Forum & Assistants ~

- Music

Mr Bradley Lee

Visual Arts

Miss Angela Rando

English

Ms Marsha Edwards/Assistant: Miss Angela McEnearney

Human Society & Its Environment

Mr Paul Sykes / Assistant: Mr Brett Windon

Languages

Ms Felicity Lupton

Mathematics

Mrs Anni Brailey / Assistant: Mrs Despina Wealth

PDHPE

Mr Marc Sluiter / Assistant: Liam Campbell

Careers

Mr Brett Collimore

Science

Mr Stephen Godfrey / Assistant: Mr Steve Lans

Sports Coordinator

Mr Dean Bertenshaw

Technology & Applied Studies

Mr Edward Gruppetta / Mrs Lisa Cummins

Year Coordinators

Year 7: Mr Craig Adams

Year 8: Mr Jeremy Tuano

Year 9: Mr Nick Briffa

Year 10: Mr Matthew Marshall

Senior Coordinator:

Miss Kristy Walsh

Social Justice Coordinator

Mrs Janette Wick

Home-School Liaison Coordinator

Miss Jenny Woods

Student Counsellors

Debbie Robinson/Sarah Kennedy

Librarian

Mrs Kerrie Brownscombe

DREAM CRICKET

On Wednesday 25th October 2017 Bede Polding College's Junior cricket team spent the day at Richmond Oval supporting and assisting with the Dream Cricket programme run by the Bradman Foundation. Dream Cricket is an opportunity for Primary school aged children with intellectual disabilities to experience fun, skill-based cricket activities in a tabloid. The College Junior cricket team was one group of Secondary students from various High schools in the district who assisted in the running of the activities on the day. The activities were based around the 3 key cricket skills of batting, bowling and fielding, using modified equipment to allow maximum participation, success and enjoyment for the Primary students. The BPC students were an outstanding advertisement for the school, displaying their enthusiasm, co-operation and passion for the game whilst demonstrating exemplary behavior throughout the day. Congratulations and thanks to the following students for volunteering for the day and performing so well- Anthony Goedde, Luke Brian, Ben Byrnes, Zac Lipowicz, Lachlan Beazley, Josh Shepherd, Zac Toulson, Nathan Hinton, Brayden Carr, Billy Tuckerman, Max Fleetwood, Ryan Hicks.

Mr McKay







YR 7-11

CREATIVE ARTS & TAS SHOWCASE

Friday 10th November 3:30 - 7 pm Good Samaritan Hall

Visual Arts
Photography & Digital Media
Drama & Music Performances
Design & Technology Projects
Industrial Technology Projects
Textiles Technology Projects
Graphics Technology
Metal Technology Projects
Agriculture Display
Cake Decorating Display
Catering by Year 9 & 11 Food Technology

Static displays open from 3:30 - catering and live performances throughout the afternoon

Creative Arts Showcase Performance Schedule

Time	Big Stage	Corner Stage
3:30	The Scientist (Coldplay) - Alex Coutis, Josh Connelly, Jordan Garner, Mikail Yildirim	Monologue - Thea Brailey
3:35	What Is Love (Haddaway) - Tori McKay, Sarah Eller-Turner	Physical Theatre - 9 Drama
3:40	Performance Piece - Josh Cantin, Ella Muscat	The Berlington Brown Heat also Ashles Brown Leaf
3:45	Piano UC No. 3 (Hiroyuki Sawano) & Vector To The Heavens (Yoko Shimomura) - E. Lawrence	The Patient - Renee Herboldt, Ashley Brown, Jack Guthrie, Thomas Jones and Jeremy Potts
3:50 3:55-4:00	Silvy (Led Belly), The Lion King Medley (Hans Zimmer, Elton John), Never Give Up (Sia) - College Choir: P.	Space Jump - Year 9 and 10 Drama
3.33-4.00	Shaffer, C. Hawley, L. Wilson-Kuschert, E. Muscat, T. McKay, H. Jones, C. Bourke	Space Jump - Teal 9 and 10 Drama
4:05	Sweet Home Alabama (Lynyrd Skynyrd) - C. Anderson, J. Cantin, J. Connelly, L. McIntosh, E Muscat	Wicked - Maddison Uren
4:10	Saved (Khalid) - Josh Vella, Alexis Kemister, Kasey Teuma, Mikayla Sant	
4:15	Rum Rage (Sticky Fingers) - Josh Vella, Lachlan Burnell- Anderson, Mikayla Sant	The Deep Blue Sea - Sasha Street and Nicola Cowland
4:20 4:25-4:30	Revolver - Mitchell Britton, Liam Buchan, Josh Connelly, Jordan Garner, Mikail Yildirim	Lou Gheric Did not Die of Cancer - Jonathan Turnbull and Eloise Gagan
4:35		Romeo and Juliet - Jeremy Potts and Renee Herboldt
4:40-4:45	Michael Jackson Medley - Patrick Anderson, Mitchell Britton, Alex Coutis, Josh Connelly, Jordan Garner, Ella Muscat, Sophie Shaffer, Penny Shaffer, Ella Turner, Mikail Yildirim	Waiting for Godot - Caitlin Brown, Taylor Weichart
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	•	Untitled - J. Garner
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2018 Diocesan School Fees

24 October 2017

Dear parents and carers

Please find below the 2018 Diocesan school fees schedule which includes a modest 3.6% increase on the fees from 2017.

School-based fees will also be limited to a 3.6% increase to ensure we have consistency across our Diocese. School-based fees cover the costs of important things such as technology and school administration.

I appreciate that from time to time, some families might experience financial challenges. With this in mind, I take this opportunity to remind you that confidential fee support is available through

- discounts for families with multiple siblings in our schools
- flexible payment plans
- hardship concession policies for families in need
- the Bishop Manning Scholarship Fund
- the Byawalla Co-contribution Scheme for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander families

Tuition Fees - 2018

The 2018 diocesan tuition fees are outlined below:

ANNUAL FEES	No charge for 4th+ children	1st Child 100%	2nd Child 75%	3rd Child 50%
Primary	Kindergarten	\$1,173	\$879	\$588
rilliary	Years 1 – 6	\$1,515	\$1,137	\$759
	Years 7 – 8	\$2,100	\$1,575	\$1,050
Secondary	Years 9 – 10	\$2,331	\$1,749	\$1,167
	Years 11 – 12	\$2,976	\$2,232	\$1,488

The 2018 term rate for each of the first three terms is outlined below:

Instalment FEES	Charged in Terms 1, 2 & 3	1st Child 100%	2nd Child 75%	3rd Child 50%
Drimon	Kindergarten	\$391	\$293	\$196
Primary	Years 1 – 6	\$505	\$379	\$253
	Years 7 – 8	\$700	\$525	\$350
Secondary	Years 9 – 10	\$777	\$583	\$389
	Years 11 – 12	\$992	\$744	\$496



Diocesan Building Levy - 2018

The Diocesan Building Levy enables us, through our capital works program, to meet the demand for new schools and new classes in high growth areas, and to continue to maintain all schools to a high standard.

All families with one or more children in a Parramatta Diocesan school or at St Dominic's College Kingswood are required to pay the annual Diocese of Parramatta Diocesan Building Levy. This levy has replaced the various building levies that parents previously paid to school building funds (managed by either parishes or schools). The levy for 2018 is \$783 per family, payable in three equal instalments of \$261 in Terms 1, 2 and 3.

Annual Diocesan Education Fee Temporary Residents - 2018

The Diocesan Education Fee Temporary Residents for 2018 is \$1,935 per student, payable in three equal instalments of \$645. The fee applies to new students on the following visa numbers: 173, 401, 402, 411, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 426, 427, 428, 442, 456, 457, 459, 462, 476, 485, 497, 580, 600, 601, 651, 675, 676, 679, 685, 884, 944, 956, 976 and 977 including where any of these are the preceding visas for families on bridging visas 010 to 090.

Families charged this fee in 2013 will continue to be charged on a *per family* basis to the eldest student whilst the family has continuous current students.

Thank you for your continuing support of Catholic education, support that allows us to provide students with exciting learning experiences within our Catholic faith environment.

With warmest wishes

Gregory B Whitby
Executive Director

Catholic Education

Parramatta of Diocese



Bede Polding College



Uniform Shop

Official Uniform & Price List Effective beginning Term 4 2017

Available direct from:

Bede Polding College Rifle Range Road South Windsor 2756

Phone: (02) 4560 2900

Trading Hours: Tuesdays and Fridays during school terms 8am - 3pm

Extended Trading Hours 2017

Year 7 2018 Orientation Day	- Monday 20 November	8am - 3.30pm
Saturday 2 December		9am - 1pm
Saturday 9 December		9am – 1pm

Extended Trading Hours 2018

Monday 22 January	9am - 3pm
Tuesday 23 January	9am – 3pm
Wednesday 24 January	9am 3pm
Thursday 25 January	9am - 3pm
Friday 26 January	Closed
Saturday 27 January	9am - 1pm
Monday 29 January	8am - 3pm
Tuesday 30 January	8am - 3pm
Wednesday 31 January	8am - 3pm
Thursday 1 February	8am - 3pm

Normal trading hours from Friday 2 February ie Tuesdays & Fridays 8am – 3pm (Closed between 12pm – 12.30pm)

Bede Polding Uniform Price List

Junior Girls			Senior Girls		
Summer			Summer		
Juniner			Julilier		
Summer Dress	\$60.00		Navy Blue Skirt	\$60.00	
Sky Anklets	\$ 6.00		Short Sleeve Blouse	\$35.00	
Winter			Winter		
Junior Girls Blazer	\$150.00		Senior Girls Blazer	\$150.00	
Winter Skirt	\$ 51.00		Navy Scarf	\$15.00	
Short Sleeve Shirt	\$ 27.00		Navy Stockings	5 8.00	
Margon Tie	\$ 15.00		White Anklets	\$ 6.00	
Black Stockings	\$ 8.00				
Junior Boys			Senior Boys		
Summer			Summer		
Short Sleeve Shirt	\$27.00		Striped Shirt	\$35.00	
Navy Shorts	\$40.00		Navy Shorts	\$40.00	
Navy Trousers	\$46.00		Navy Trousers	\$46.00	
Navy Socks	\$ 6.00		Navy Socks	\$ 6.00	
Winter			Winter		
College Blazer	\$150.00		College Blazer	\$150.00	
Navy Striped Tie	\$ 15.00		Navy Tie	\$ 15.00	
Junior Unisex			Senior Unisex		
Maroon Jumper	10-16	\$66.00	Navy Jumper	10-16	\$66.00
	18-22	\$70.00		18-22	\$70.00
	24-26	\$77.00		24-26	\$77.00
	28-30	\$84.00		28-30	\$84.(X)
Sports Uniform			Accessories		
College Pala	\$40.00		School Bag	\$70.00	
College Shorts	\$30.00		Belt (Black)	\$13.00	
Sports Cap	\$13.00		Aprons	\$10.00	
Sports Socks	\$ 8.00		Safety Goggles	\$ 6.00	
Tracksuit Top	\$75.00		Drawstring Bag	\$ 5.00	
Tracksult Pants	\$45.00		Navy Umbrella	\$12.00	
			Calculator	\$26.00	
A STATE OF THE PARTY OF THE PAR			Cooking Hat	\$ 5.00	
C THE STATE OF			Year 7 Book Pack	\$40.00	
11 3			Year 8 Book Pack	\$40.00	
2			Maroon Gloves	\$ 5.00	
			A4 Art Diary	\$ 8.00	
to make you			11x14 Art Diary	\$12.00	
			A4 Visual Journal	\$14.00	
Terms of Trade	Carla al	NACILO.	2 Piece Brush Set	\$ 8.00	
Master-ud to	· casil, Ci	roac,	Year 9 Art Pack	\$40.00	

Terms of Trade: Cash, cheque, Mastercard, Visa and EFTPOS accepted.

Bede's Uniform Shop

The Uniform Shop has now moved to a new & improved location. Look for the sign on Rifle Range Road at Gate 3 – just a short distance from the bus stop. The new shop provides much better space for customers. Uniform Shop manager Belinda Ross and her helpers) have done a terrific job in getting the new shop ready. The shop will continue to open Tuesdays and Fridays during school Terms. Check out the images.





IS YOUR CHILD OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW LEARNING TO DRIVE

In partnership with Transport for NSW, The Blue Datto Foundation presents the 'Helping Learner Drivers Become Safer Drivers' workshop.

Attend this **FREE** and **INTERACTIVE** program and learn practical ways to help keep your child safe on the road.

Everyone is welcome! Including parents, guardians, friends, new and future drivers and grandparents.

When: Wednesday 29th November

Where: Bede Polding College, Rifle Range Rd. South Windsor

Time: 6:30pm – 8:30pm

For more info & to register go to https://bluedattofoundation.event brite.com.au OR email us at info@bluedatto.org.au

Because keeping our children safe is everyone's responsibility

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WINNER OF THE 2017 AUSTRALIAN ROAD SAFETY AWARD FOR SCHOOL PROGRAM

Blue Datto's Keeping Safe™ program is an interactive education workshop that empowers young people to make smarter, safer decisions on our roads. Developed by leading Australian experts, Keeping Safe utilsies world's best practice and is supported by the NSW Police Association.

Is your child or someone you know learning to drive this year?

The Learner and Provisional phase can be a challenging and sometimes scary period for any family, with more young people being injured on our roads. Parents and Guardians have an important role to play in keeping their young driver safe and help is now available to give you the practical knowledge, skills and resources to do so.

In partnership with Transport for NSW, the Blue Datto Foundation will be presenting an FRESH and FREE interactive program, 'Helping Learner Drivers Become Safer Drivers,' for parents and guardians of current and future young road users. The program will take place on Wednesday the 29th of November at Bede Polding College from 6:30pm – 8:30pm. We encourage all parents, guardians, grandparents, teachers, role models and also young drivers to attend. Everyone is welcome. Book your spot now by using the following link - https://bluedattofoundation.eventbrite.com.au

For more information contact Blue Datto on 02 8999 8005 or email us at info@bluedatto.org.au. We hope to see you there!

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Nepean Aquatic Centre	Eva Bory's, Penrith 2750	02 4730 8900
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The Renegades Café Mascot enjoy@the-renegades.com.au	Shop 1, 230 Coward Street, Mascot 2020 Website: the-renegades.com.au	02 8338 8884









IMPORTANT NOTICES:

Illegal Stopping in Tasman Place

This has been reported to police who will issue penalty notices to those offending.



Illegal U Turn:

All parents and students are warned that making a U turn out of the bus bay on Rifle Range Rd is illegal. We bring this to your attention as making this turn is very unsafe, even when the 40kmh limit applies. Please **do not** make this turn.

Recharging Mobile Devices:

All students are asked to ensure that their mobile devices are fully charged before they arrive at the College each day.

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO MOTORISTS

RE: SCHOOL BUS ZONES IN RIFLE RANGE ROAD

Please be aware that the School Bus Zones in Rifle Range Road are as follows:

- 1. The existing bus bay near the main car park gate is now a School Bus Zone on School Days from 8:00am -9:30am and 2:30pm-4:00pm. Therefore other than buses any vehicle parking or stopping in this bus bay for any purpose during these times is doing so illegally. Clear signage has been erected reading "NO ENTRY BUSES EXCEPTED" to warn motorists of this change.
- 2. The former School Bus Zone located near the Front Gate has been converted to a Full Time Bus Zone. Clear signage has been erected to warn motorists of this change. Therefore other than buses, any vehicle parking or stopping for any purpose in the School Bus Zone at any time, is doing so illegally.



IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR DROP OFF/PICK UP

For safety reasons parents are asked NOT to drive onto the school grounds to drop off or pick up students before 9:30am and after 2:30pm. The ONLY EXCEPTION to this is for students with disabilities.

Thank you

IMPORTANT NOTICES - SMS ABSENCES

If your child is absent from school for any length of time and you do not receive an SMS message from the College please provide a note the first day back at school giving the date(s) and reason why your child was absent which should be given to their Homeroom teacher on the day of return.

On occasion it is out of our control that we experience an Internet or Telstra problem and therefore we are unable to send out the SMS absence messages.

Thank you for your patience.



Reminder of how to reply to SMS Absence messages

If you reply to the SMS message there is no need to send in a note to explain the absence -the SMS is sufficient. If you do not reply a note must be sent in with your child and given to their homeroom teacher on the day of return.

In your SMS reply please include the following details:

Child first and surname, Year group and homeroom (if known), reason for absence.

Examples:

Kylie Howard, 8D2, sick with a cold.

Nikki Howard ,11, orthodontist appointment

PLEASE NOTE THAT IT IS VERY IMPORTANT THAT YOU GIVE REASON FOR ABSENCE. We are still receiving replies without providing a reason for absence. In these cases it is still an unexplained absence and will remain outstanding.

Please do not call the number sent in the SMS, it is only for SMS replies.

The replies are not downloaded till 1:00pm daily, so if, you need to clarify any details concerning your child's attendance please call the College office before 1pm on 4577 6455.

ASSESSMENT TASK CALENDAR

ASSESSMENT TASKS DUE FROM STUDENTS WEEK 5 Term 4

5A			Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
			6 Nov	7 Nov	8 Nov	9 Nov	10 Nov
	12	ATD	HSC	HSC	HSC	HSC	HSC
	11	ATD					
	10	ATD	Assessment	Assessment	Assessment	Assessment	Assessment
	10		Free	Free	Free	Free	Free
		ATD		Food Tech A	Food Tech B	Assessment	Assessment
	9			(S)	(S)	Free	Free
	9			Visual Arts	PDM (S)		
				(IC/S)			
	8	ATD					
	7	ATD					

ASSESSMENT TASKS DUE FROM STUDENTS WEEK 6 Term 4

6B			Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
			13 Nov	14 Nov	15 Nov	16 Nov	17 Nov
	12	ATD					
	11	ATD				Biology P4/5	
	10	ATD	G., CC	Assessment Free	Assessment Free		
	9	ATD	Staff Development	Assessment Free	Assessment Free	Assessment Free	Assessment Free
	8	ATD	Day			Assessment Free	Assessment Free
	7	ATD				Assessment Free	Assessment Free

PLEASE NOTE:

In the case of any discrepancy in the assessment dates published here the date that will be used by the College in the event of any appeal or other process will be the date on the Assessment Task Cover Sheet provided directly to the student. Please contact the College if you have any concerns about any of the information published here.

ASSESSMENT TASK CALENDAR

ASSESSMENT TASKS DUE FROM STUDENTS WEEK 7 Term 4

7A			Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
			20 Nov	21 Nov	22 Nov	23 Nov	24 Nov
	12	ATD					
	11	ATD					
	10	ATD					
	9	ATD	Assessment Free	Assessment Free	Assessment Free		
	8	ATD	Assessment Free	Assessment Free	Assessment Free	Assessment Free	Assessment Free
	7	ATD	Assessment Free	Assessment Free	Assessment Free	Assessment Free	Assessment Free

A REMINDER TO ALL STUDENTS

Submission Instructions Years 11 / 12

- Submit the task by placing it in the Assessment Bin at the Student Foyer by 9.00am.
- Penalty for non-attendance on the day or late submission
 - Assessments submitted after 9.00am on the due date will immediately receive a 50% mark penalty of the achieved mark pending Illness/Misadventure certification.
 - Assessments submitted after 9.00am on the next day will receive a zero mark pending Illness/Misadventure certification.

Submission Instructions Year 7—10

- Submit the task by handing to your class teacher and signing a class list during your lesson on the due date.
- Penalty for non-attendance on the day or late submission
 - For assessments submitted after the lesson on the due date, the student will immediately receive a Thursday workshop to complete the task and submit at the end of the workshop.

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