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Holy Family Primary School, Luddenham

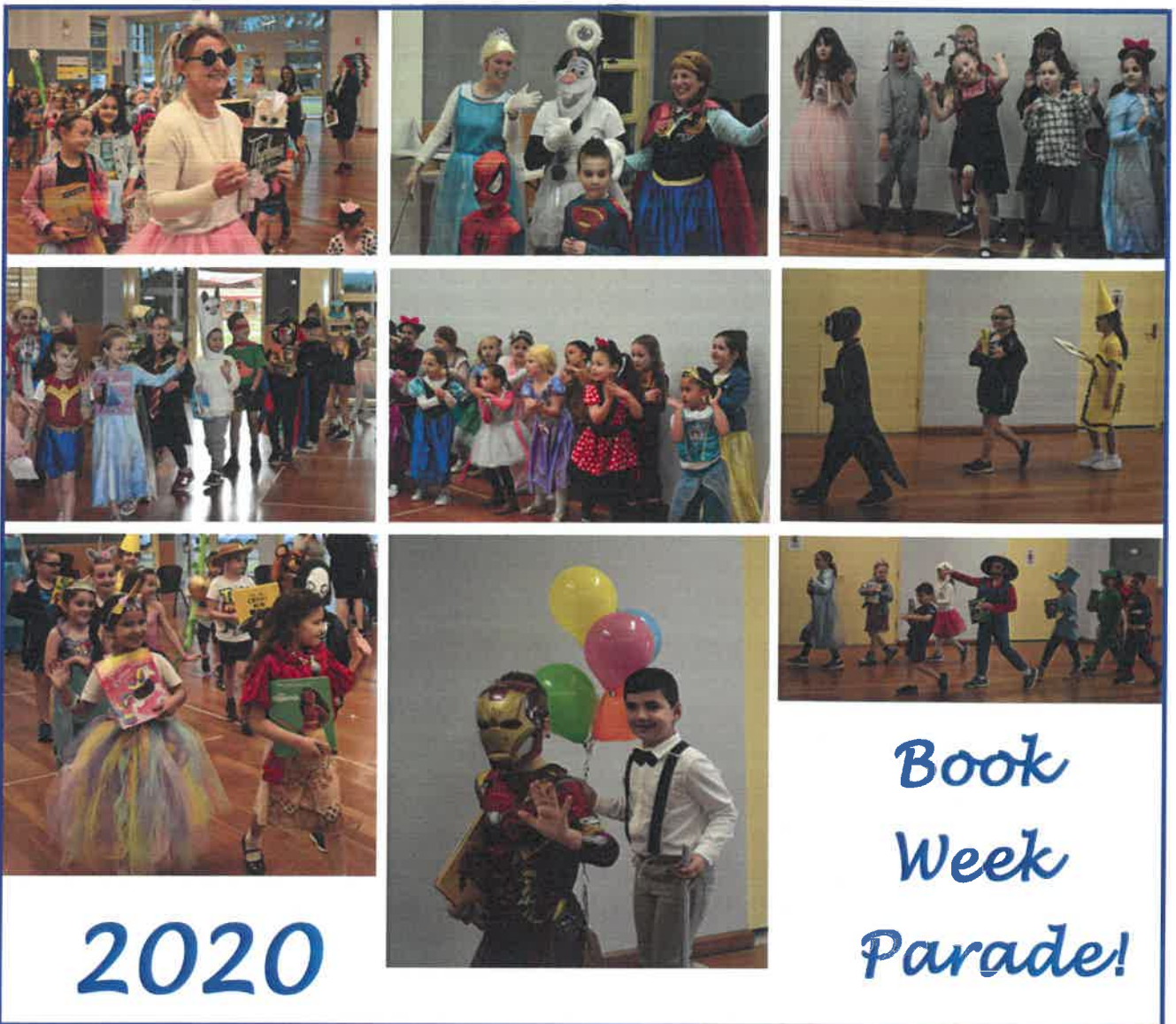
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Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Our Book Week celebrations were a little different this year due to the COVID-19 restrictions! However, our families of students in K-2 still went to great lengths to prepare awesome costumes for the parade. This is a great event that promotes the enjoyment of reading! We look forward to celebrating it next year with all our Holy Family 'family'.



Term 3

10th September 2020

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At Holy Family we are:

- Safe
- Respectful
- Responsible
- Learners

The following events are on hold pending further advice later in the term. We will confirm the status of these events as soon as possible.

Grandparent's Day (23 October), Term 4 Whole School Assemblies (26 October, 16 November, 11 December), Kindergarten 2021 Transition (12, 19, 26 November), Thanksgiving Mass/Awards Ceremony (8 December), Swimming Carnival (9 December), Year 6 Farewell Dinner (10 December), Year 6 Fun Day (11 December).

Let us also keep in our prayers the children from Holy Family that will celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation this week. We pray that this celebration brings them into a closer relationship with our loving God.

Anthony McElhone
Principal



Tell Them From Me Survey

Thank you to the parents and carers that completed the Tell Them From Me (TTFM) Partners in Learning survey. We value the role of parents and carers within our school community and greatly appreciate your feedback. A summary of the survey data will be published in the school newsletter later in the year.

Tell Them From Me

Long Service Leave - Term 3

Mr McElhone is taking long service leave from Monday, 21 September to Friday, 25 September. Mrs Van As will be Acting Principal during this period of leave.

Mrs Hughes is also taking long service leave in Week 10. Mrs Christine Hall will be taking the class whilst Mrs Hughes is on leave. Mrs Hall is very familiar with all class and school procedures and will work with Miss Ohlsen and Mr Platt to ensure that class routines and the continuity of the learning programs are maintained during this time.

2020 School Calendar

The key date of events and celebrations for 2020 can be viewed in our online school calendar. The calendar can be viewed on our school website <http://www.hfluddenham.catholic.edu.au/en/Our-Community/Events>



Change into Summer Uniform

The students are able to transition to summer uniform after Father's Day. During the transition period (7 -25 September) the students can elect to wear either the summer or winter uniform, but not a combination of both. The transitional arrangements apply until the start of Term 4. Please ensure that your child complies with all aspects of our school uniform policy.

Teacher Professional Learning

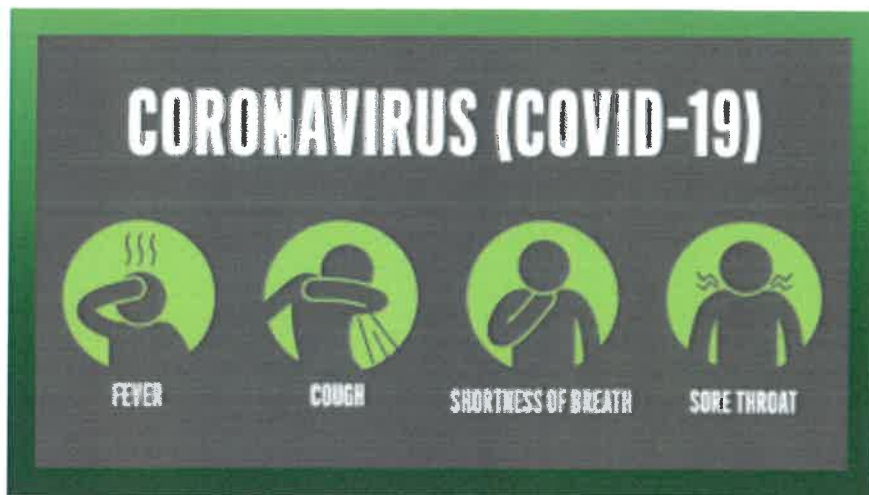
At Holy Family the staff has an ongoing commitment to professional learning. The staff benefits from attending in-services, in curriculum areas, that assist them in providing quality learning opportunities for the students in their class. However at this time no staff will attend professional learning off site.



Important Self Isolation Information

Advice about how to manage self-isolation, particularly with siblings, is available from [NSW Health](#) and from the Western Sydney Local Health District [Community Resources website](#). Importantly:

- In most cases, siblings of students identified as a close contact are able to return to school as normal unless they also have been identified as a 'close contact' by NSW Health or are not able to isolate from the the sibling who is a confirmed close contact;
- Where families find it difficult to isolate siblings from other family members who are a confirmed close contact of someone with COVID-19, the sibling should not attend school during the period of isolation;
- If a parent/carer is unable to isolate effectively from a child identified as a close contact, they should not attend work during the close contact's isolation period. Family members of close contacts are asked to keep a very close watch for COVID-19 symptoms and follow the advice provided previously about what action to take if they have concerns.



Warradale Little Athletics

Registration is now available via the LANSW website. (<http://www.lansw.com.au>).

Select "Warradale" in the drop down box.

Payment is via credit/debit card or PayPal. **No** manual registrations will be available at club.

Use your **ACTIVE KIDS** Voucher to supplement payment. Don't know where to get one? Go to Service NSW website and follow the ACTIVE KIDS Voucher links **BEFORE** you register!

Rego number collection day: Friday 11, 18 & 25 September from 6:00pm – 7:30pm at the Warragamba Sporting Oval. New athletes (those who have never done little athletics or trialed previously) are welcome to trial for two weeks at a cost of \$10.00, also done on-line. Balance to be paid on-line when fully registering. Proof of age is required e.g. birth certificate, hospital blue book, passport or stat dec.

Fees: Tiny Tots - \$85.00 and U6 -17 - \$130.00

Family discounts available for three or more children. (Discount for trialling families is not available).

Fundraising Fee - \$25.00 per family. Payable at rego number collection day.

Uniforms – Tiny Tots t-shirt \$15.00 to U6 – 17 Comp uniform \$50.00 - \$55.00

Season starts Friday 2nd October with "Come & Try" day. Competition commences 9th October. New start times: Tiny Tots at 6:00pm and U6-17 at 6:30pm due to COVID restrictions.

For more information email: warradale45@gmail.com and checkout our **Facebook: Warradale LAC**



Mix personal training

Are you wanting to challenge yourself and meet new people in a friendly environment?

Come and join my **Mix Personal Training** class on a Tuesday night at 6:30pm at the Holy Family School Hall.

The classes are designed for everyone whether you are just starting out or a bit more advanced in the fitness area.

I cater for people with injury and other illnesses.

The classes are moderate intensity however you can make it more intense as I run cardio boxing and weight training.

Ladies and gentlemen come and join the fun class on a Tuesday night.

All are welcome over the age of 18.

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Modifications made
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