

St John's Happenings - Week 7, Term 4

Did you know the St John's What's Happening is always available on our school website for easy access and printing if you'd prefer not to have to jump back into Compass? Click the [link](#)

Merit Assembly- Week 7

Due to a larger number of awards and notices, Merit Assembly, tomorrow 25 November will begin promptly at 2:20pm.

Christmas Concert

We look forward to seeing everyone tomorrow evening, 6pm at Waterford Hall, St Paul's Catholic College Manly. Please ensure you have read the Christmas Concert Compass message shared on **Tuesday 22 November**.

Semester Two Reports

Keep an eye on your Compass notifications on **Friday 2 December** as your child's Semester Two Reports become live on the platform. You will also receive your child's 2023 Stationery List as well as access to book in your child/ren's Mathematical Assessment Interview for 2023.

Sixty Acts of Kindness

As a part of Wellbeing Week, every class is taking part in our school's 60 Acts of Kindness for our 60th Anniversary. The SRC (Student Representative Council) members have led discussion with their class to identify 5 random acts of kindness. They will live these out throughout Wellbeing Week next week. Keep an eye on our social media platforms for posts sharing these acts with our community.

Parish Family Mass and Sausage Sizzle – Saturday 3 December at 5:30

This will be a special celebration where we bless and welcome our 2023 Kindergarten children. Mr Frazer is coming along to help us with music and we invite everyone to come and join us to make this a beautiful faith-filled event. Please complete the [Google Form](#) to let us know you are coming. All of the children attending will be allocated ministries (and we need numbers for our sausage sizzle!)

We will also be celebrating the second Sunday of **Advent**...our time of preparing for Jesus' birthday at Christmas. What does your family have planned to prepare (spiritually) for Christmas? This Mass would be a great opportunity!

Crazy Sock Day- Year Six Fundraiser Friday 2nd December

Children are invited to provide a donation on Qkr or bring in a gold coin and wear their CRAZIEST socks. Please see the Compass shared on **Thursday 24 November** for more details.

Gingerbread House Orders

We are super excited to be selling Gingerbread Folk house kits this Christmas for \$45. This is a great activity or great gift. Each kit contains 4 walls, roof and chimney, baseboard plus royal-icing mix, piping bag and full instructions. All you need to provide is the lollies. The gingerbread house stands at approximately 16cm high, 15cm wide and 12 cm deep when completed. There is a gluten free option available.

Orders must be made via Qkr! by Wednesday 30 November and the kits will be handed out at school during the week of the 12 December. Get your order in quickly as we have limited supply.

[Upcoming Dates- Week 8 \(28-3 Dec\)- Wellbeing Week](#)

Talent Quest heats continue to run this week- see Compass message for more information

Monday- Last Basketball Clinics

Kindergarten 2023 Transition Session 3- 3:30pm

Tuesday- Last Basketball Clinics

Wednesday- Year 6 Season's for Growth Celebration (2:30pm- Library)

Thursday- Year 6 Motiv8 Day

Kindergarten, Year 3 & Year 5 Class Mass, 11:15am (Church)

Kindergarten 2023 Transition Session 3- 3:30pm

Friday- Crazy Sock Day- Year 6 Fundraiser (Qkr payment) - **See Flyer [here](#): (Or see attach)**

Saturday – Parish Family Mass and Sausage Sizzle at 5:30 (Blessing of our 2023 Kinders)

[Link to Google Calendar on school website: Google Calendar – St John the Apostle](#). Please view the google calendar in the 'monthly' overview setting.

Merit Award Recipients

KB- Levi L, Knox C & Lara C
KW- Tommy H, Madeline V & Abigail W
1B- Harvey F, Ryan M & Alessia P
1W- Olivia T & James K
2B- Milla H, Archy N, Savanna S & Ava P
2W- Matteo F, Marcel O, Allegra A & Isla H
3B- Angus M, Deyron D & Sienna T
4B- Mitchell J, Jake J, Hannah F
4W- Willow B, Gabriella A, Alessandro C & William F
5B- Ilana A & Noah M
5W- Benjamin L, Sophia M & Owen N
6B- Alby R, Skye B, Elianna A, Sophia H & Lachlan M
St Lucy's- Dylan A

Library- Isabella W (5W) & Deanna P (1B)

Sport- Fawn S (2W), Michael M (2W), Joshua D (5B) & Logan C (KW)

Music & Drama- Giselle L (6B) & Ariana S (KB)

S&G- Fletcher M (5B)