



FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents

Postponed Event:

In the last Newsletter I advertised the Sex Consent and Protective Behaviours Webinar for parents of students with a disability. Unfortunately, this event has been postponed by the organiser to Term 1, 2022. We will provide more detail as and when it becomes available next year nearer the time.

Remembrance Day: Lest We Forget

Last Thursday 11 November students had the opportunity to participate in the Remembrance Day Liturgy in class. It is always lovely for our community to witness our students respond to such important and solemn occasions and how they seem to sense its importance and be quiet and reflective in response. Thank you to Mrs Dillon our REC for organising this once again.

End of Year Carols Concert: Friday 10 December

We are planning the end of year Christmas Carols Concert on the last student day of Term 4, Friday 10 December. Just to be clear IF we are allowed to have parents on site then we will need all concerned to be fully vaccinated to be present, QR code in and out and have proof of vaccination. The Concert will also be streamed live to assist those who, for whatever reason, cannot make it in person. However, because it is an open-air concert the sound quality of the transmission may not be a wonderful. We will of course let you know nearer the time what is allowed according to the Covid restrictions.

Parent Survey Thanks:

Thank you to the large number of parents who have responded by last Friday to our Annual Parent Survey. It is always important that such a large number do respond and have your say to help the school continue to celebrate, reflect and improve. More detail to follow when we have had a chance to analyse the results.

Webinar for eSafety:

On the following page you will see a section advertising the Council of Catholic School Parents eSafety Parent Guide [webinar](#) on 22 November 7.30 to 8.30pm and how to register to attend. As we know social media and various platforms and the Web are all spaces our students can enter and explore. It is important for parents to stay informed so you are best able to respond to these sources of information that can be both helpful and unhelpful for our students to engage in. I commend the webinar to you.

MOVING
TOWARDS **K-12**
19 November 2021

TERM 4 DATES

Thursday 2nd December

Men's Group 6.30pm
West Pymble Bowling Club

Friday 3rd December

Year 6 Graduation

Friday 10th December

Christmas Carols

Friday 10th December

Term 4 concludes for students

2022 DATES

TERM 1

Commences 31 January 2022
Concludes 7 April 2022

TERM 2

Commences 27 April 2022
Concludes 24 June 2022

TERM 3

Commences 19 July 2022
Concludes 23 September 2022

TERM 4

Commences 11 October 2022
Concludes 9 December 2022

www.stlucys.nsw.edu.au Ph: 9487 1277

Principal: Mr David Raphael

Disability Royal Commission:

As you may be aware there are various forces and lobby groups seeking to question the place of Special Schools such as St Lucy's in the Commission arguing that all students should be included in mainstream settings only and not in Special Schools. St Lucy's is a member of Association of Catholic Special Schools Services (ACSSS) seeks to share information as well as resources and discussion across these Catholic special needs schools and settings. Consequently, ACSSS has made a submission to the Royal Commission arguing the place for schools such as St Lucy's to exist and the reasons why, to counter the ill-informed lobby groups seeking to influence the Commission in this way.

I provide a link for you here to read the submission from ACSSS to the Royal Commission for your interest. You will see that each school or setting has then provided their own school/setting inclusion perspective in the submission.

Royal Commission Submission:

<https://indd.adobe.com/view/1950c0a9-71a2-4e95-a0a7-5f5323595594>

First Eucharist

We celebrated the sacrament of First Eucharist for 4 of our students on Wednesday at Holy Name Church. Grateful thanks to Fr Anselm, Vanessa Dillon & Sr Helen who prepared our students so beautifully for this important occasion.

Finally, remember to stay safe and connected with the School as we continue to transition to post-lockdown normal and reach out for help as needed.

David Raphael
Principal

eSafety parent guide

to digital technologies and mental health



http://ccsp.schoolzineplus.com/_r/NmQ6/6192ec4ea6699

LEADERSHIP • ADVOCACY • SUPPORT

Join the **eSafety Commissioner's** expert education and training team for a **FREE** live webinar on **Monday 22 November from 7.30-8.30pm**

This Term 4 webinar will provide parents and carers with strategies to help young people and their mental health when they are online.

22 November 7.30 to 8.30pm

The webinar will cover:

- what do to about accidental exposure to content about suicide, self-harm or eating disorders
- using games, apps and social media to support mental wellbeing
- the pros and cons of digital mental health platforms
- strategies for young people to support friends online.



Register now: <https://register.gotowebinar.com/register/2827035028368125199>



ccsp.catholic.edu.au esafety.gov.au

<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/2827035028368125199>

CREATIVE ARTS NEWS

CHRISTMAS CAROLS



We warmly invite you to join us for Christmas Carols at St Lucy's
Friday 10th December 2021 • 11.00am Christmas Carols Concert • 21 Cleveland Street, Wahroonga
At the conclusion of the concert, parents may collect their child.

RSVP by 6th December <https://www.trybooking.com/BVIDF> or 9487 1277



www.karukaphotography.com



At St Lucy's we have many creative and artistic students. Year 7 student Karuka is a talented photographer and Visual Artist. Karuka has her own website which showcases her photography and has even sold one of her photographs. To visit Karuka's website, follow this link www.karukaphotography.com

Alessandra Picone
Head of Creative Arts



ONLINE AUCTION

All profits from this online auction will go towards the refurbishment of the school playground to ensure all our students have the opportunity to learn through play.



Support St Lucy's School by bidding on some fantastic prizes in our online auction.
Stock up for Christmas presents and support St Lucy's School.
Auction closes on Monday 22nd November 2021 8.00pm.

3 DAYS TO GO! DONT' MISS OUT!!! 3 DAYS TO GO!



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personally signed by
Gai Waterhouse

Register via Browser

Go to <https://app.galabid.com/stlucys>

Click on the 'Register' button

Follow the instructions to complete registration.

Register via TEXT

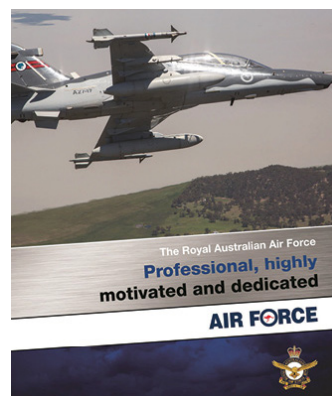
Text: stlucys and your full name

To +61 458 678 678

Example: stlucys John Smith

Follow the registration link you are sent by text from GalaBid.

Or scan the QR code:



FLIGHT SIMULATOR
EXPERIENCE



SIGNED WALLABIES JERSEY



CHRISTMAS WALL HANGING/QUILT

GIFTS FOR CHRISTMAS



TOY HAMPERS



KNITWEAR



BOOKS



ST LUCY'S SCHOOL

RAFFLE!

Please support St Lucy's School by purchasing tickets in our 2021 raffle. The aim of the raffle is to raise funds for our Central Coast Bus Service.

8 FANTASTIC PRIZES TO BE WON!



1ST PRIZE

WEEKEND AWAY IN MANLY



INCLUDES \$200 cash

- 2 nights accommodation in a 1 Bedroom Harbour View Apartment at Quest Manly.
- Includes \$200 cash to spend
- Valued at \$1000!

Kindly donated by Quest Manly and Grahame & Maria Sproats

2ND PRIZE

WEEKEND AWAY AUSTINER BEACH



INCLUDES \$100 cash

- 2 nights accommodation for two guests at Headlands in Austinmer Beach
- Includes \$100 cash to spend
- Valued at \$900!

Kindly donated by Steve Crowe and the Sandman family

3RD PRIZE

BUNNINGS HAMPER



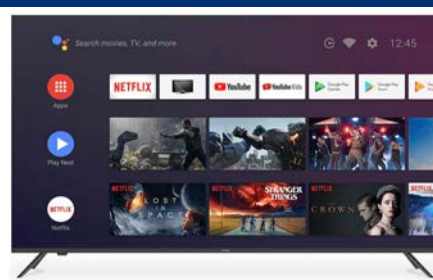
\$500 Gift Card

Donated by Bunnings Thornleigh

- \$500 Bunnings gift voucher
- Portable charcoal BBQ
- Non-stick BBQ tool set
- BBQ Rub
- Ryobi 18 V Home Essentials Kit
- Ryobi 3 blade knife
- Work gloves (3 pack)
- Valued at \$860!

4TH PRIZE

BLAUPUNKT 65" 4KSMART TV



- Android TV
- Ultra HD
- Frameless design
- 2018 model
- Valued at \$750!

Donated by Paul Reid

5TH PRIZE

ST IVES VILLAGE \$500 GIFT CARD



- A gift card valued at \$500 to spend at St Ives Shopping Village
- Gift cards can be redeemed at all Village retailers including supermarkets, restaurants and cafés.

Donated by St Ives Shopping Centre

6TH PRIZE

WESTFIELD \$200 GIFT CARD



- A gift card valued at \$200 to spend at any Westfield
- Valued at over \$200!

Donated by Alison & Patrick Quinn

7TH PRIZE

GAMES AND SCIENCE HAMPER



Kindly donated by Special Needs Resources and Hasbro

- Includes: Junior Monopoly, Spell Cat, Go Fish, Banana Balance Cluedo, Magnetic Dominoes, Puzzles, Essential Chemistry and Electric Science, Solar System, Explosive Experiments, Volcano Excavation
- Valued at \$200

8TH PRIZE

CHAMPAGNE, BEER & WINE GLASSES



- 6 Rona City collection Champagne Flutes
- 6 Rona City collection Beer Glasses
- 6 Rona City collection Wine Glasses
- Valued at \$150

Donated by Janine Jones

1 Ticket for \$10 | 3 Tickets for \$25 | 10 tickets for \$75 | 15 tickets for \$100

Please visit: rafflelink.com.au/stlucysraffle2021 or scan the QR code to purchase your tickets. Drawn on 10th December 2021.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AND PASTORAL CARE



Diwali is one of the most beautiful Hindu festivals, often referred to as the ‘Festival of the Lights’. This festival was celebrated recently, and symbolically represents ‘the spiritual victory of light over darkness, good over evil and knowledge over ignorance.’

Hanukkah will soon be celebrated within the Jewish faith, beginning November 28th. Hanukkah, which is Hebrew for “dedication,” is also known as the Festival of Lights. It commemorates the victory of the Maccabees over the Syrian Greek army, and the subsequent miracle of rededicating the Holy Temple in Jerusalem and restoring its menorah, or lamp. The miracle of Hanukkah is that only one vial of oil was found with just enough oil to illuminate the Temple lamp for one day, and yet it lasted for eight full days.

The beautiful menorah is lit in Jewish homes each of the eight nights for the duration of the festival.

Similarly, in Christianity, we too acknowledge in many rites and rituals the significance of the symbol of light. Indeed, our very own St Lucy is often referred to as the patron Saint of light.

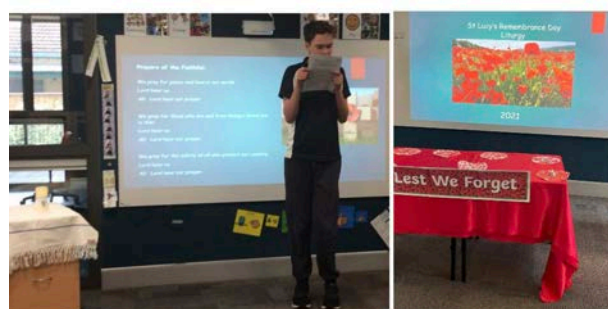
“For if we walk in the light, as He is in the light, then we have fellowship with one another.”

Remembrance Day Liturgy:

Last week we gathered within our class teams to acknowledge and pay our respects for Remembrance Day. Each class engaged in the liturgy that had been prepared, as well as to share stories, songs, images and symbols. The students were able to pray for those courageous men, women and children who have died in conflict, as well as to pray for peace and love in our world. They also made banners and artworks reflecting the common theme of the red poppy, plus held and smelt another symbol of remembrance – fresh rosemary. These occasions are special within the culture of our society, and our world, and engaging our students in these moments helps them learn of their importance. Lest We Forget...

Celebrating First Holy Communion: Congratulations to Beau, Angelo, Madison and Ollie who received their First Holy Communion during the week! This was the culmination of a year long journey through our school-based Sacramental Program, and was such a joyous celebration that was shared with family and friends at Holy Name Church.

Beau, Angelo, Madison and Ollie were involved in so many parts of



the liturgy which helped bring life and grace to the whole occasion – their prayers, their reverence, their awe and wonder... it was evident throughout!

A massive thank you to Fr Paul, Fr Anselm and Sr Helen for helping to make this occasion such a memorable one for each of the four children and their families. It was simply beautiful!



UPCOMING BAPTISM CELEBRATION: Next Wednesday 24th November will be a very special occasion for one of our students, Ava, and her family as she prepares to receive the Sacrament of Baptism! This will take place at Holy Name Church with Fr Paul, and will also include her class friends and class staff, along with additional family members and family friends! We look to sharing with you some more information about Ava's special day in our next Newsletter! Meanwhile, please keep Ava in your prayers.

GENTLE REMINDER An invitation from C3 Church: Our wonderful friends at C3 Church Wahroonga are inviting parents and carers to attend a FREE shopping trip at their C3 Cares Warehouse next Wednesday 24th November from 10am. A TryBooking link has been provided below for you to register your attendance, as has a QR code which will take you to the link. This opportunity will require you to do the following so as to ensure it is COVID Safe:

- Masks are to be worn at all times whilst inside the facility
- Proof of double vaccination must be provided upon arrival
- Sign in via the provided C3 Cares Warehouse QR Code to be undertaken upon arrival
- Each attendee is to find their own means of transport to and from the venue
- Please bring along additional bags to place the items you 'purchase' for free when you go

<https://www.trybooking.com/BVJPQ>



Also, our friends at C3 Church Wahroonga wish to extend an apology for being unable to provide Christmas Hampers to families this year. I'm sure we can appreciate and understand that this is perfectly acceptable, especially when we think about the emotional, financial and social impact COVID-19 has had on many families this year, including those who usually are so generous in what they provide by way of hampers to families in our school community. We continue to thank and pray for our friends at C3 Church who offer so much kindness and support to us each and every year!

SPECIAL INVITATION FROM OUR BISHOP: Bishop Anthony Randazzo would like to extend a warm invitation to our community of St Lucy's to attend the annual Diocesan Mass of Inclusion on Sunday 5 December 2021. This event will take place at Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral, 23 Yardley Ave, Waitara at 9.30am.

Please note that due to COVID restrictions, places are limited, so please register by Tuesday 30 November at the following link: <https://form.jotform.com/213147605999063>

The Mass will be livestreamed, for those who can't make it. The livestream can be viewed at: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCNenwlf7i14XB9TsVBrLvQ>

For more information, please contact Stephanie at events@bbcatholic.org.au.

Wishing you peace and blessings,

Vanessa Dillon

YEAR 8/9 FUNDRAISING INITIATIVE

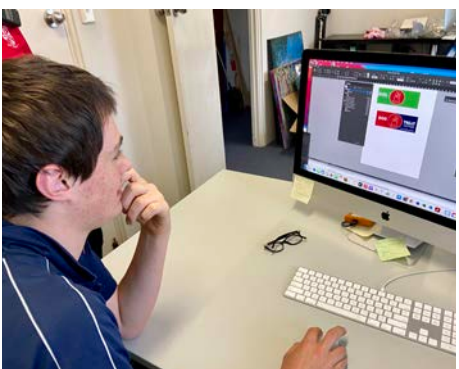
In Work Education we discussed what an enterprise is and why people decide to open their own business. We looked at how COVID has impacted businesses and the importance of choosing a business that wouldn't be affected by COVID. A dog treat business was the winner when we voted, and it has proven to be very successful with our first order from staff totalling a whopping 363 dog treats!

The dog on the label was designed by Ben, in Year 8 and Joshua helped design the label.



As part of this fundraising initiative, one of our High School students Joshua did some work experience with our Communications Officer designing labels for their project using specialised design software.

Josh did a fantastic job creating the design and learning how to use the program!





HIGH SCHOOL MERIT AWARDS



MERIT AWARDS WEEK 6

AMBER	Maggie Noonan
AQUAMARINE	Alex Gordon
EMERALD	Oliver Whittaker
MALACHITE	Ben Sherlock
PERIDOT	Karuka Uthayakumaran

MERIT AWARDS WEEK 7

AMBER	Jai Watson
AQUAMARINE	Paddy Sweeney
EMERALD	Tiarnan Malone
MALACHITE	Mia Richardson
PERIDOT	Samuel Lewis



STAR OF THE WEEK PRIMARY AWARDS



STAR OF THE WEEK (WEEK 6)

AMETHYST		PEARL	Branson Atkins
CITRINE	Monty McNeil	RUBY	Darcy Richards
DIAMOND	Sofia Shepherd	SAPPHIRE	Uriel Cheah
GARNET	Bradley Chien	SUNSTONE	Ruby Mercer
JADE	Abigail O'Keefe	TANZANITE	Edward Price
JASPER	Stella Shen	TOPAZ	Daisy Bradbury
MOONSTONE	Gabriel Cheah	TOURMALINE	Rose White
ONYX	Leo Seeto	TURQUOISE	Jordan Szeto
OPAL	Heidi Foxall		

STAR OF THE WEEK (WEEK 7)

AMETHYST	Eva Quinn	PEARL	An-Yu Chueh
CITRINE	Liliana D'Silva	RUBY	Levi Richey
DIAMOND	Finlay Jameson-Vine	SAPPHIRE	Rocky Knox
GARNET	Gavin Hunter	SUNSTONE	Andrew Chibika
JADE	Rachel Stewart	TANZANITE	William Fitzgibbon
JASPER	Matthew McArthur	TOPAZ	Mikaeel Karami
MOONSTONE	Axel Maloney & Sydney Cameron	TOURMALINE	Claudia McWilliam
ONYX	James Deasy-Kennedy	TURQUOISE	Max Macgugan
OPAL	Caitlyn Shin		



FAMILY SUPPORT

MENS GROUP

Dads, Granddads and Uncles.

The everything celebration: end of year, Christmas, freedom..... **West Pymble bowling club Thursday evening 2 December at 6.30 for dinner. (163 Ryde Rd West Pymble).**

The Men's Group has continued through the year and we have a great deal to celebrate. So much to talk about. So many stories. New Dads are very welcome. One of the great benefits of the group is the advice/experience that we can share on NDIS, relationships, medical issues etc.... an endless list.

We look forward to seeing you.

Warren Hopley: hopleywarren@hotmail.com

Brendan Wingrave: brendan.wingrave@gmail.com

Jono Carey: Jonathanc@stlucys.nsw.edu.au

Dear St Lucy's community,

Here is a list of services and links that can assist you through the Christmas holiday period. Please get in contact if you need support over the holidays.

Jonathan Carey • Family Support Worker • Mob: 0456 681 710 • jonathanc@stlucys.nsw.edu.au

Christmas Holidays

The Christmas holiday period is fast approaching and many services are operating again, after a year of restrictions. What a year!

I encourage you to make a plan, make a plan, did I say make a plan!? At this time of year the motivation levels can certainly drop but a little planning NOW can pay dividends for LATER!

I encourage you to call up services you have accessed previously and call around to see what is available in your area. If you need assistance in locating services, supports workers or ideas of where to go, I am happy to point you in the right direction.

NDIS & Services

Part of my role is to assist your family in putting together NDIS Support letters on behalf of the school. If you know in advance that you need a support letter please let me know with at least 2-4 weeks' notice. Let me know if you need support in connecting to services or surrounding the NDIS.

Covid Response

I just want to say a huge thank you to our St Lucy's community, staff, parents and wider networks. It has been incredible to see the focus on family wellbeing during the year of 2021. I thank you for keeping in contact closely with our school community, for trusting in sharing real family challenges through covid lockdown and for keeping in close communication despite restrictions that prevented face to face contact. I am incredibly amazed by how our school continually binds together, going the extra mile to look out for each other especially in 2021.

Thank you to our vast array of organisations and volunteer cooks who have supported families wellbeing and contributed meals to our families. A special thank you too Hornsby Connect, Wahroonga IGA, Catholic Care, donations from St Lucy's parents, Dinner Ladies, Dinner on the table, Volunteer Cookers – St Lucy's Staff, Cassandra, Anusha, June, Ranu, David, Helen, Pam, Michaela, Jenny, St Vincent De Pauls and the Turramurra Arc Angels. I thank you for supporting our families.



FAMILY

GENERAL HOLIDAY PROGRAMS & RESPITE SERVICE LIST

ABA Link Supersitters – Sydney Metro
Ability Options - Northern Beaches Interchange
Autism Spectrum – Australia Wide
Active Opportunities – Sports Program, Northern Suburbs
Care Centric
CatholicCare Loriekeets Holiday Program
Cerebral Palsy Alliance – Disability Services
Danceability - Eastern Suburbs
Early Ed - North and Western Sydney
Football4All – Northern Suburbs
GymAbility – Gymnastics, Northern Suburbs
Hills Swimming – Western Sydney
Hire Up – Online Support Search
Homecare Heroes – Disability Service, Sydney
Jaybelle – Disability Service, Northern Sydney
Kickability – Special Needs AFL, Pennant Hills
Learning Links – Northern Suburbs and Northern Beaches
Lifestart – Across Sydney
Lifestyle Solutions – Disability Service, Sydney
Luz Services – Individual & Group Service, Northern Sydney
Magic Mania – Magic Show, Sydney City
Northcott – Disability Service, Western Sydney
Northern Beaches Interchange – Holiday & Vacation,
NWDS – Disability Service, North West Sydney
NWSF – Football for all Females, Sydney
Rhythm Works Dance – Inner West Sydney
Sahara School Holidays – Vacation Care, Western Sydney
Sense Rugby – Northern Suburbs
Rainbow Club – Swimming, Northern Suburbs
Reach Up – Individual & Group, Northern Suburbs
You Should Be Dancing! – Northern Beaches
Unisson Art Class – Terrey Hills

supersitter@abalink.com.au
Jayne.parums@abilityoptions.org.au
www.autismspectrum.org.au
www.activeopportunities.org.au
www.carecentric.com.au
www.catholiccaredbb.org.au
www.cerebralpalsy.org.au
www.danceability.com.au
www.earlyed.com.au
www.activeopportunities.org.au
www.hornsbyrslgymnastics.com.au
www.hillsswimming.com/
www.hireup.com.au
www.homecareheroes.com.au
jaybellecare@gmail.com
juniorvicepresident@pennanthillsjaafc.com.au
www.learninglinks.org.au
www.lifestart.org.au/
www.lifestylesolutions.org.au
www.luzallabilities.com.au
www.magicmania.com.au
www.northcott.com.au
www.nbi.org.au
www.nwds.org.au/activities----supports
www.nwsf.com.au
info@elevateperformingarts.com
s.zgolak@saharaservices.com.au
www.senserugby.com.au
www.rainbowclubaust.com.au
www.reachup.org.au
www.youshouldbedancing.com.au
Fergusonhello@unisson.org.au

CAMPS

Hands and Feet Camp
Wheelchair Sports, Programs and Camps – Northern Sydney
Sony Camps - Book 1 year in Advance (Sydney)
Marist Sony Foundation Children's Holiday Camp
Start Up Kidz – Disability Camps, Sydney and Regional NS

reuben@handsandfeet.com.au
www.wsnsf.org.au/sports/
www.sonyfoundation.org
maristcamp@joeys.org
www.startupkidz.com.au

EMERGENCY CONTACTS

In an Emergency
NSW Police (non-emergency)
Mental Health Line
Parentline
Carer Gateway Contact Centre
Kids Helpline

Call 000 or go to a hospital emergency
131 444
1800 011 511
1300 1300 52 www.parentline.org.au
1800 422 737 www.carergateway.gov.au
1800 55 1800



CLUB ALL IN

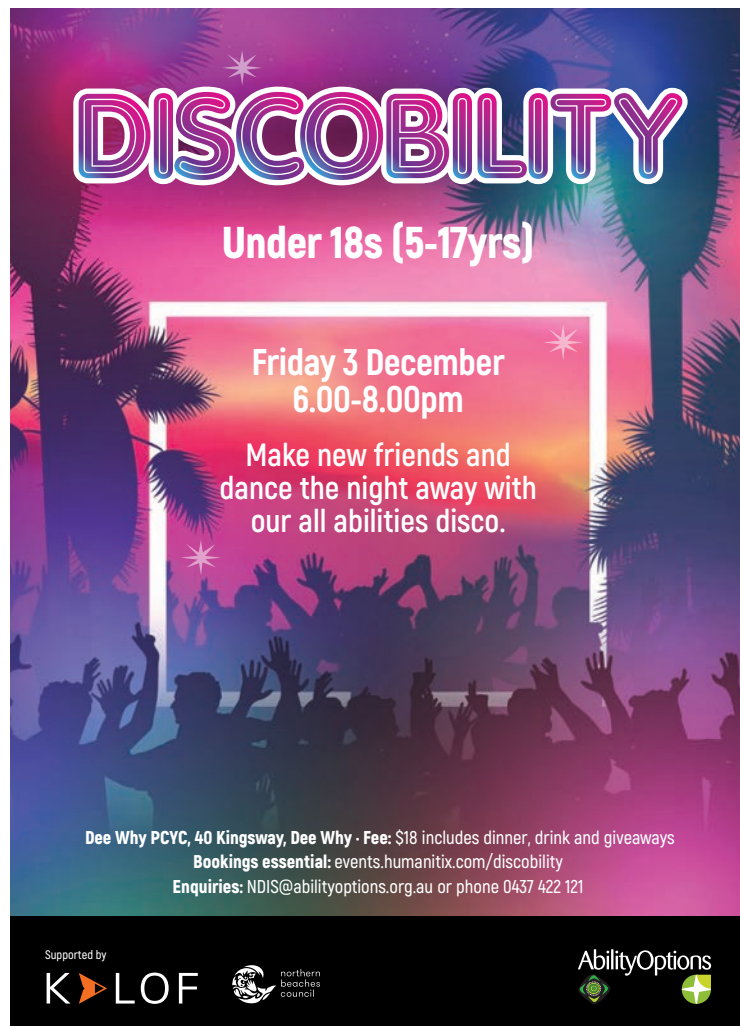
Over 18s Disco

Friday 3 December, 8.30-10.30pm

Make new friends and dance the night away with our all abilities disco.

Dee Why PCYC, 40 Kingsway, Dee Why - Fee: \$18 includes dinner, drink and giveaways
Bookings essential: events.humanitix.com/club-all-in-over-18s-disco
Enquiries: NDIS@abilityoptions.org.au or phone 0437 422 121

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DISCOBILITY

Under 18s (5-17yrs)

Friday 3 December 6.00-8.00pm

Make new friends and dance the night away with our all abilities disco.

Dee Why PCYC, 40 Kingsway, Dee Why - Fee: \$18 includes dinner, drink and giveaways
Bookings essential: events.humanitix.com/discobility
Enquiries: NDIS@abilityoptions.org.au or phone 0437 422 121

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LORIKEETS HOLIDAY CAMP

FOR 5 - 18 YEAR OLDS

Come and make some friends and join in our great excursions with our experienced staff

9.00am - 4.00pm
 5 January - 28 January 2022
 11 April - 22 April 2022
 4 July - 15 July 2022
 26 September - 7 October 2022

Arranounbai School
 5 Aquatic Drive
 FRENCHS FOREST

Holiday program activities may include:

- Ferry rides
- Taronga Zoo
- Picnic/park days
- Reptile Park
- BBQ/park days

We can support on a 1:1 or 1:2 NDIS ratio (daily price exclusive of excursion costs and resources).

FOR ALL ENQUIRIES:

P: (02) 9488 2500
 E: lynn.murphy@catholiccaredbb.org.au
 W: catholiccaredbb.org.au



Autism Advisory & Support Service
 Proudly Presents:

LOTS Gala Day

SUNDAY 20TH FEB 2022

Free Entry

REGISTER HERE

ART WORKSHOP

FACE PAINTING

First Responders

Rides & Games
 Ride pass can be purchased on the day

Food Trucks

OPEN MIC TALENT SHOW
 For anyone with ASD
 Registration required to enter.
 email: lisa@aass.org.au to register

SPECIAL GUEST APPEARANCES
 Performance by Lah Lah's Big Live Band

SENSORY ZONES
 Including a designated Adults with ASD area

PETTING ZOO

Service Provider Information Stalls

Cathy Freeman Park Sydney Olympic Park

10am - 4pm

Register Here

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January school holiday choice sheet

School Holiday Program *Please note program and costs are subject to change			
Week 1	830am -4pm	Date	Cost
Australian Reptile Park – Somersby			
We've waited a loooong time to see the amazing animals at this reptile park! Did you know there's 20 new alligators?		Monday 10 th January	\$51 under 16 \$74 16 and over. Inc transport
Carss Bush Park – Carrs Park			
Hidden along the Georges River we head off for a picnic along the water and games on the grass.		Tuesday 11 th January	\$15
Plaster Painting – In Centre			
Let your painting skills loose and your imagination run wild with colours.		Wednesday 12 th January	\$15
Bowling and Laser Tag – Chatswood			
Who will you knock out with your laser? or maybe you'll roll a strike at bowling?		Thursday 13 th January	\$31
Come Cook with Me – Seven Hills			
Our catering kitchen waits for our next master chef, what delicious meals will you stir up?		Friday 14 th January	\$22
Week 2	830am -4pm	Date	Cost
Putt Putt – Dural			
36 holes and counting! by the end of this round you'll be sure to have mastered your putting skills.		Monday 17 th January	\$32
Ferry and Fishing at Ettalong			
Grab a reel and worm and let's see if lucks on our side?		Tuesday 18 th January	\$20
Sailability – Manly			
Enjoy the wind in your hair as we set sail around Manly.		Wednesday 19 th January	\$20
Tie Dye tote bags– In Centre			
A new library bag, a handing shopping bag or an overnight bag – what whacky colours will yours be?		Thursday 20 th January	\$15

Newington Armory and foreshore – Olympic Park		Friday 21 st January	\$15
An amazing playground, Parramatta River foreshore and a possible exhibition makes for an adventurous day.			
Week 3	830am -4pm	Date	Cost
Spin Cars		Monday 24 th January	TBA
Details to be confirmed once reopened			
Train trip to Woy Woy for fish and chips lunch		Tuesday 25 th January	\$20 + Opal Card Lunch included
How long has it been since you've stepped on a train? We head for fish & chips at Woy Woy.			
Closed – Public Holiday		Wednesday 26 th January	
Jewellery and Key ring making – In Centre		Thursday 27 th January	\$15
Get creative with these colourful beads, gems and stones.			
Alphabet Scavenger Hunt – Northern Beaches		Friday 28 th January	\$15
How many letters can you find in nature? We search the beaches from top to toe for all 24 letters.			



NORTHERN BEACHES

DISABILITY CRICKET PROGRAM

We're running a 4 week cricket program for boys and girls with disabilities from 6 – 16 years.

- Personalised coaching
- All Equipment provided
- Fun & safe environment
- Get a Woolworths Cricket Blast Pack that includes a ball, drink bottle and drawstring bag

Starts Saturday 29th Jan 2022
9am -10am @ Lionel Watts
 Register using the QR Code

Cost: \$30pp



Sense Rugby Seaforth – Holiday Group

📅	14 Jan 2022
🕒	8:30 am - 11:00 am
💰	\$60.00
📍	Bantry Bay Oval, Seaforth
👤	4-7 and 8-12 year olds

To register, visit:
<https://www.playhq.com/cricket-australia/register/33dd95>

To register, visit:
<https://occupationaltherapy.com.au/sense-rugby-seaforth-registration/>

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9:00 AM – 3:30 PM



Nominations by 30th of November



Week 1

Lunch and Movies

14th December 2021

Cost: \$40



Swimming at Hornsby Pool

15th December 2021

Cost: \$20



Bowling at Castle Hill

16th December 2021

Cost: \$20



SEA LIFE Sydney Aquarium

17th December 2021

Cost: \$40



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Week 2

Christmas Dress-up,
Craft and Party

21st December 2021

Cost: \$20



Putt Putt at Thornleigh

22nd December 2021

Cost: \$25



BBQ and Paddle Boats
at Crosslands

23rd December 2021

Cost: \$40



Christmas Eve
No Activity

Sahara Services wishes everyone a
safe and happy time with your families
over the holidays

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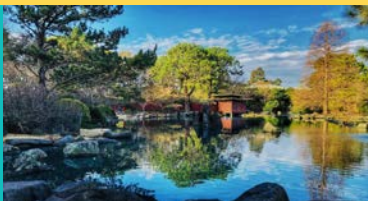


Week 3

Auburn Botanical Gardens (Lunch
Included)

28th December 2021

Cost: \$20



Lunch (Fish and Chips) at the
Entrance

29th December 2021

Cost: \$25



Aqua golf & Harry de Wheels Pies at
Penrith

30th December 2021

Cost: \$30



Picnic at Fegan Park & New Year
Artwork at Hub

31st December 2021

Cost: \$15



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Week 4

Shine Shed North West
In Vineyard NSW

4th January 2022

Cost: \$35



Sailability

5th January 2022

Cost: \$20



Laser Tag and Bowling at
Macquarie Centre

6th January 2022

Cost: \$30



Taronga Zoo

7th January 2022

Cost: \$45



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Week 5

Sculptures at Q-station & play
at Manly Beach

11th January 2022

Cost: \$10



Middle Dural Putt Putt

12th January 2022

Cost: \$25



Ryde Aquatic Centre

13th January 2022

Cost: \$20



Beach Games and Lunch
at Long Reef

14th January 2022

Cost: \$25



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Week 6

Madame Tussauds
Sydney Live, Feel the Music!

18th January 2022

Cost: \$40

Madame Tussauds
SYDNEY



Sailability

19th January 2022

Cost: \$20



Hornsby Pool Swim Time

20th January 2022

Cost: \$25



Time Zone and Sport Games at
Crosslands

21st January 2022

Cost: \$40



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Week 7

Aquatopia Water Park

25th January 2022

Cost: \$40



PUBLIC
HOLIDAY

Public Holiday
No services

26th January 2022



Outdoor Paint and BBQ
In Fagan Park

27th January 2022

Cost: \$25



Maritime Museum Sydney

28th January 2022

Cost: \$20



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Important Information

COVID-19 safety rules apply to all our community group programs and activities

- Bring lunch, drinks and snacks on all activities unless otherwise stated. Always bring water.
- Groups will be divided into subgroups to maintain social distancing.
- Give at least 48 hours notice if you need to cancel attendance to any activity to avoid being billed for the day in accordance with NDIS guidelines.
- Bring hat and apply sunscreen for all groups, We will help to re-apply at midday on high UV days.
- Petrol/vehicle costs have been incorporated into the overall cost of activities.
- In case of wet weather, we have options to change to indoor activities (e.g Bowling).
- Will inform Families via SMS or email.
- Any future changes in activities due to Covid-19 regulations will be informed via email.

This Program only shows the cost of activity and does not include the associated NDIS cost of staffing support on the day. This additional cost will be determined by the level of support required by your participant, the numbers of participants in the group and the nature of the activity.

Once booked in if you are unable to attend any of the above activities, or if you have any queries, please contact: v.kaur@saharaservices.com.au | 02 84060842

We look forward to meeting with you soon.

Vinnie Kaur
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Please support St Lucy's School by purchasing
a St Lucy's limited-edition umbrella featuring student artwork:
'Sunshine Through the Rain'
Proceeds will go towards refurbishing the school playground

The beautiful artwork 'Sunshine Through the Rain' featured on the limited edition St Lucy's School umbrella was painted as a collaborative piece by St Lucy's students as featured in the photos below.

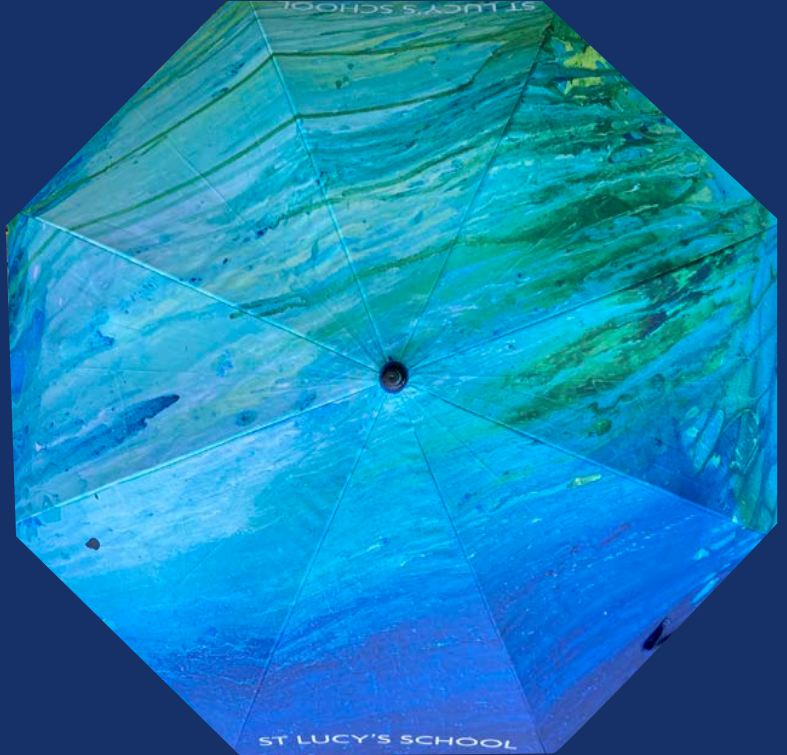
St Lucy's Visual Art classes are a time for joy, expression and exploration. By experimenting with materials and techniques, students discover their artistic talents, build skills and develop confidence and self-esteem.

All profits from the sale of umbrellas will go towards the refurbishment of the school playground to ensure all our students have the opportunity to learn through play.

The school playground provides an environment for students to develop their social skills, along with flexibility, motor skills and muscle strength.

If you would like to purchase any St Lucy's limited-edition umbrellas, please order through Flexischools <https://www.flexischools.com.au>. When ordering your umbrella on Flexischools, go to the St Lucy's School 'Shop' tab.

Once payment is received your purchase will be sent home with your child. If you have any difficulties, please contact our Fundraising and Events Officer Amy Dillon (amyd@stlucys.nsw.edu.au).



\$50



Size: 27" • Black auto open golf umbrella
Fiberglass shaft and frame, • EVA foam handle

