



**OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY SCHOOL KELLYVILLE**

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**NEWSLETTER**

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***OLOR STUDENT HIT BY CAR***

Is not a headline that anyone would wish to see. However, the behaviour and actions of a small group of parents are placing the safety of our children in real jeopardy. If you pick your child(ren) up in the afternoon and park in Delphinium Ave then I am (again) pleading with you to :

- a) put the safety of our children foremost in your mind and
- b) obey the road rules regarding parking and entry and exit of the quite narrow side street.

Castle Hill Highway patrol and Council Compliance Officers regularly patrol this area and will not hesitate to issue infringement notices to those parking/driving in an illegal manner.

If it means parking an extra hundred metres or so from the school prior to walking in to collect your child then you really have no other alternative. Even though the school has no jurisdiction over such matters, we would hope that common courtesy and general commonsense would prevail in situations such as this where the physical safety of school community members is being endangered by the selfish attitude of a small minority.

Regards  
**Mr Mark Devlin**  
*Assistant Principal*

**Sibling Enrolments 2011**

It's that time of the year again!!! If you have a child who is due to commence school next year, could you please fill in the slip below and return it to the office. We must know sibling numbers before our Information Evening in April to ensure enough spaces are left to cater for existing families. Enrolment forms will be sent home in April, but at this stage we need to know how many siblings we will have next year.



**Kindergarten Siblings for 2011**

Child's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Sibling's Name and Class \_\_\_\_\_

## 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent – Year C – March 7<sup>th</sup> 2010 Based on the Gospel – Luke 13: 1-9

In the beginning of this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus stresses that accidents and suffering are not a direct punishment for sinful people. They are no more guilty than the rest of society.

The Gospel goes on to remind us that we are given many opportunities and gift during our lives but we often disregard their importance to ourselves and others and they are lost forever. Think about the fruit we don't produce, the times we avoid offering others help and the "too busy" excuses we all make from time to time.

Despite this, God does not give up on us. Like the fig tree, we are nurtured and given another opportunity to flourish. Our God is a God of compassion and we are given countless opportunities to change, reform and grow. Lent is such a time.

Are you using this Lent to attend to those things which need attention in your life?

Nikki Callan (REC)

### UNIFORM EXCHANGE

Lowes have advised us they now have the correct uniform in stock. Parents who purchased the incorrect uniform can now go and exchange it for the correct one at no cost to themselves.

### School Banking

The Commonwealth Bank will be attending the school on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> March from 8.30 to 9.30am outside the office to answer any questions in relation to school banking.



### Haiti - Pancake Day

Thank you to everyone who supported our fundraiser for this worthy cause.  
Total amount raised \$582.00 .



### INFORMATION NIGHT FOR KINDERGARTEN 2011

An information night for Kindergarten parents, new to the school for the 2011 year, will be held on Wednesday 28 April in the Church commencing at 7.30pm

### Newsletter

- Once again we are experiencing problems with sending Newsletters via e-mail. This is not a problem at our end it is a system problem within CEO.
- We apologise for the inconvenience.

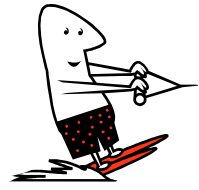
### SCHOOL FEES

- School Fee accounts have been sent home.
- Please note that payment is due by Friday 5<sup>th</sup> March. Any arrangements made previously need to be reviewed before this date.
- Payment can be made by: Cash, Credit Card, EFTPOS, Cheque and BPay
- Thank you for your help in this matter

### Diocesan Sport Trials

Congratulations to the following stars who have been selected for the Parramatta Diocesan teams. Soccer - Tahlia Silcock, Chloe Bromage  
Softball - Zac Baran, Sophie Martin and Emily Horne

# Congratulations



To Brock McMillan (SP) for a great finish in the NSW State under 10 Water Ski Championships. Brock was beaten by less than 1 second to be placed 2nd, congratulations on a great achievement.

## Chess—Final Reminder

A final reminder for those children interested in Chess - notes have to be to Mrs DelVecchio by Friday 5 March.

Also students interested in participating in the ICAS Competitions — notes and money to be returned by Friday 5 March

## Mathletics News

We are currently experiencing email issues as you would be aware from our Newsletter, so the new codes for Mathletics 2010 have not been issued yet. The children are still able to use last year's usernames and codes for the time being. The new codes should arrive by the end of the week. Thanks for your patience.

## A NOTE FROM THE FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE

Firstly a **BIG THANK YOU** to all the wonderful parents who have offered to help with fundraising this year. Your help as always is greatly appreciated.

A note will be going home today regarding **PAVERS** we have **15** paver spaces left. We will take the first **15 Families** who get their **FORM** and **MONEY** into school by **THIS FRIDAY**. **NO MONEY** will be accepted after this date. **THIS IS YOUR VERY LAST OPPORTUNITY TO LEAVE YOUR MARK ON OLOR.**

**HOT CROSS BUNS** – we will be sending home order forms in the next 2 weeks for our annual Hot Cross Bun Drive.

Thank you

The Fundraising Committee

Dates to Remember		
5 Mar	Fri	Diocesan Swimming
14-20 Mar		Catholic Schools Week
18 Mar	Thur	Open classrooms and IT Expo 2—3pm
19 Mar	Fri	Whole School Mass—11.30am
22 Mar	Mon	School Cross Country

**Michele Arundale**

**Registered Occupation Therapist**

Concentration  
Handwriting  
Learning difficulties

Preschool to year 12

Rebate for Private Insurance and Medicare on  
Enhanced Primary Care Plan

**Our Lady of the Rosary, Kellyville and  
Quakers Hill**

**Central enquiries  
0409 849 170**

## **ZONE SWIMMING**

What a fantastic Day!

Yesterday 31 of our swimmers competed at South Windsor Pool with outstanding results.

Regardless of whether they made the next level ie: Diocesan, this Friday at Mt Druitt our swim team demonstrated terrific determination, sportsmanship and pride in representing OLOR. I cannot believe the improvement in so many of our swimmers over the past year through their own hard work (and parents hard work). They looked fantastic in the pool.

Below are our athletes who will represent OLOR on Friday and their results from the Zone Carnival however I would like to make extra special mention of our swimmers who were age Champions today. If you glance down their list of achievements I hope you can appreciate the massive amount of effort and talent it took them yesterday for such wonderful results:

**Congratulations:** Mitchell Shorrock—Snr Boys runner up Age Champion  
 Emily Rozic—11yrs Girls Age Champion  
 Tommaso De Battista—11yrs Boys Age Champion and a new record for  
 11yrs Breast-stroke. ‘UNBELIEVABLE’

I would like to also make special mention of 2 of our Senior Swimmers—Mitchell D’Costa and Cassandra Lopez on their outstanding efforts yesterday swimming 4 and 6 races respectively. Unfortunately they didn't make it to Diocesan but congratulations on a great day.

Thank you to all our parents and grandparents who came to support our swimmers and especially to Mr Flore, Mrs De Battista, Mrs Watts, Mrs Rozic and Mrs Freeman who helped with the timekeeping on the day (as well as all our other great parents who volunteered but weren't needed) - Thank you!

### **RESULTS**

Christopher Watters	8yrs	50m Freestyle	3rd	Emily Rozic	11yrs	50m Freestyle 50m Backstroke 50m Breast-stroke 50m Butterfly 100m Freestyle	2nd 2nd 2nd 1st 6th
Erin Gracie	8yrs	50m Freestyle	3rd				
Kaitlyn Rozic	8yrs	50m Freestyle	2nd				
Maddison Martinuzzo	9yrs	50m Freestyle	2nd				
Emily Mooney	9 yrs	50m Freestyle	3rd				
Ben Wilson	10yrs	50m Freestyle	4th	Tommaso De Battista	Open 11yrs	100m Freestyle 50m Freestyle 50m Backstroke 50m Breast-stroke 50m Butterfly 200m Medely	1st 1st 1st 1st 1st
Megan Close	10yrs	50m Freestyle 50m Back-stroke 50m Butterfly	1st 2nd 3rd				
Maddison Gilmour	10yrs	50m Freestyle	4th				
Matthew Freeman	11 yrs	50m Breast stroke	2nd				
Jayden Arnold	12yrs	50m Butterfly	4th	Ben Wilson Luke Chessa Jordan Brown Frankie Zuvella	Jnr Boys	Relay	3rd
Mitchell Shorrock	12yrs	50m Freestyle 50m Back-stroke 50m Breast-stroke 50m Butterfly	3rd 1st 1st 4th				
				Megan Close Maddison Gilmour Kaitlyn Rozic Charlotte Miller	Jnr Girls	Relay	1st
				Tommaso De Battista Mitchell Shorrock Jayden Arnold Ryan Papenhuyzen	Snr Boys	Relay	2nd

## *News Flash!!!*

### **O.L.O.R—ZONE SWIMMING CHAMPIONS 2010**

#### *Rap to T.D.B*

Tommaso D.B, well he's our man  
If he can't win, then nobody can  
We all quiver, we all shake  
He leave's everyone in his wake  
He's the best in O.L.O.R history  
How he does it, well, it's a mystery  
He wins all distances  
He wins all stokes  
And his opponents hope he's a hoax  
Well he's not, and we'll shout it louder  
Here at O.L.O.R we couldn't be prouder

*Unknown*

#### CANTEEN NEWS

As was mentioned last week we will be trialling sushi on Fridays for this term.

If your child/ren would like sushi for lunch on Friday we will need the order on Thursday together with their money. The lunch bags need to go to the office so we can do our ordering for Friday.

PLEASE NOTE:

If your order is NOT put in on Thursday you WILL NOT get to have sushi on Friday. We order this in advance and our order will be finalised on Thursday afternoon.

<b>Sushi available</b>	<b>Sushi Lunch Boxes \$5.00 ea</b>
Tuna and cucumber rolls. \$2.80	Tuna and cucumber or
Chicken teriyaki rolls. \$2.80	Chicken teriyaki or
Vegetable roll. \$2.80	Mini combo (tuna cucumber and carrot )
Sweet chilli chicken roll. \$2.80	

**JELLY CUPS available for 50cents on TUESDAY and THURSDAY at lunch time.**

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KYM: 0430 753 382

#### **CANTEEN ROSTER - Week 6 Term 1**

<b>Mon 8 Mar</b>	<b>Tue 9 Mar</b>	<b>Wed 10 Mar</b>	<b>Thur 11 Mar</b>	<b>Fri 12 Mar</b>
Chris Susnjara Jo Gibbons Anna Valeriano	Carmen Gough Francine Silva Vicki Jakus	Anna Dunphy Zelka Winsloe Donna Findlay Louise Banno	Natalie Rozic Cathy Barko Michelle Dean Helen Kelava	Katrina Littlefield Sue Ellen Roberts Cathie Viertel