

# Newsletter



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*Since the object of our love is infinite, we can always love more and more perfectly.*

Dear Parents and Guardians

Perfect weather for the Athletics Carnival yesterday. The day was full of excitement and competitiveness; fun, cheering and elation. No matter the finishing place, big smiles abounded. Congratulations to Arranmore on a magnificent win! It's been a long time between wins for the team and was well deserved. A big thank you to Mr Tsang, staff and parents who helped make the day an outstanding success!

**Grandparents Day** celebrated here next Wednesday from 8:45am beginning with a prayer liturgy. Grandparents and families will be invited to visit children in classrooms, share activities, join in games and share morning tea with children and then with other grandparents in the hall. All welcome!

8:45am Prayer  
9:15am Classroom Visits  
10:35am Recess  
10:50am Tea & Coffee in Hall

**Morning Teas** after assemblies in Term Four:

25 October Code of Conduct Workshop  
8 November 2020 Curriculum & Booklist Chat  
29 November General School Chat

**Code of Conduct Workshops Term Four:**

25 October After Assembly  
13 November 6:30pm Library

*Please note more workshops will be held early Term One 2020. Parents/Guardians and family members are asked to have signed off on the Code of Conduct before volunteering in the school. This is to ensure the general wellbeing and safety of all community members.*

**Technology Update** The School Board is supporting the introduction of a 1:1 mobile device program beginning with the 2020 Year Four students. All parents/guardians are invited to a hands-on presentation Wednesday 30 October, 6:30pm. The meeting will involve parents working on devices; learning of the management of devices and how best the devices will be used as teaching and learning tools. Hope to see many of you there.

**Catholic Youth Festival** *Listen to the Spirit* is the theme of the Australian Catholic Youth Festival to held in Perth, 8-10 December. Parents of students in Years Five and Six maybe interested in learning more about this event. Please see 'www.youthfestival.catholic.org.au' for further details.

**Telephone Number Change** the school has moved to the Telstra TIPT service, *Telstra Internet Protocol Telephony*. The new number is **6318 7800**. The 9444 9366 number will be diverted to the new number for some time to come. Please make adjustments in your contacts.

**School App** thank you to all who have downloaded the school app. During the holidays we will be adding to areas to provide you with quick information. Please have a look at the 'Events' area as you'll find dates of all upcoming events.

Parents/Guardians and Visitors (including contractors) to the school are being asked to sign the school's **Code of Conduct** agreement. For parents/guardians, this is a one-off request. The purpose of the Code of Conduct is to describe minimum standards of conduct in all behaviour and decision-making to ensure the safety and well-being of students, staff and parents. The Code of Conduct promotes positive relationships in our school community. The Code of Conduct is a Catholic Education initiative and compliments Child Safe practices in our school.

Jonnine Lamborne  
Principal

*May love & peace be found here*

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

### MISSION WEEK

At Aranmore we will be holding a prayer assembly on Friday 25th October to come together and think about the Popes message for Mission Week 'I am a mission, always; you are a mission, always.... As far as God's love is concerned, no one is useless or insignificant.' The Pope asks us to think about the needs of the world and to set a mission.

As a family you can discuss the needs of the world and think about what God would like us to do. A dove will be sent home today which you can write your families mission on. Write this mission on the middle of the bird, decorate it anyway you would like, cut the bird out and send it back to school by the Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> October. This will then be included in our prayer assembly, which you are all welcome to attend.

### FEAST OF ALL SAINTS – NOVEMBER 1

One of the most beautiful traditions of the Catholic Faith is the celebration of the lives of the Saints. Not only do these men, women and children give us inspiration by the way they lived their faith, and often died for it, they also continue to offer us help in our daily lives.

### FEAST OF ALL SOULS –NOVEMBER 2

All Souls Day is when the Church commemorates and prays for the holy souls in Purgatory, undergoing purification of their sins before entering heaven.

## ADMINISTRATION

### HATS & SUNSCREEN

We ask for your cooperation as the school's sun safety procedures become even more important as the weather starts to warm up. Please ensure your children bring their school hats to school every day. The school rule applies, if there is no hat – there is no play. Even when the children are waiting in Kiss and Ride – they must wear a hat, unless sitting in the shade areas.

We also encourage children to come to school with sunscreen already applied. Sunscreen is available in the classrooms for re-application during the day and we would like children to be familiarised with re-applying for sun safety.

### SUMMER UNIFORM COMMENCEMENT OF TERM FOUR

This is a reminder that students in Years Pre Primary to Year Six must wear summer uniform in Term Four. The Uniform Shop is open each Tuesday morning from 8.00am till 9.30am but will not be opened during the school holidays.



School Sandals in 2019 are now black. Please note, students are to wear school uniform sandals and not fashion sandals. An example of acceptable sandals are pictured. If you are unsure, please see one of the Assistant Principals prior to purchasing the sandals.

### LOST PROPERTY

Please check the lost property boxes outside the Library. There are many jumpers and sports jumpers along with other lost items such as lunchboxes, hats etc.

Mrs Sarah Pracilio & Miss Kate Johnston  
Assistant Principals

## P & F

Thank you to the Year Five Parents who ran the cake stall yesterday and to all the families who baked goodies for the stall.


The P&F are looking at running a mini market at the AGM on 19th November, if you or someone you know would be interested in having a stall, please let me know by email on [aranmorepnf@gmail.com](mailto:aranmorepnf@gmail.com) before Friday October 25th.

Mrs Andrea Tan  
P&F President (2019)

### END OF YEAR DATES

- Students will finish on Friday 13 December
- Year 6 Graduation and Mass will be held on Thursday 12 December – 6:00pm St Mary's
- Thanksgiving Mass will be held on Wednesday 11 December
- Combined Kindy Christmas Concert – Thursday 5 December

For parents of 2-12 yo



**behaviour tonics** presents

### 1-2-3 Magic™ and Emotion Coaching

To help parents manage difficult behaviour in children 2 to 12 yrs

A **humorous** look at parenting, a **serious** look at discipline!  
To help manage difficult behaviour in children, calmly and effectively. Learn how to use empathy so kids begin to identify their emotions and become better at managing them. This enables them to take more responsibility for their own behaviour.

**Behaviour Tonics Rooms, 352D Cambridge St, Wembley**  
Presented over 3 sessions. Cost \$180 per person or \$340 per couple. 7 to 9pm


Held over 3 Monday evenings of  
28th Oct, 4th & 11th Nov  
OR  
25th Nov, 2nd & 9th Dec 2019

**You will learn:**

- The two approaches to parenting.
- How to discipline without arguing, yelling or smacking
- How to handle kids testing behaviour.
- How to show empathy while developing emotional intelligence in your child.
- How to teach and encourage positive behaviour, social skills and independence.
- How to strengthen the relationship with your child.
- How to control obnoxious behaviour.

**What people are saying...**

- An end to the yelling and arguing!
- It saved our lives
- Simple, sane, effective
- What a relief to come across a program that preserves the dignity of the child, maintains the self control of both the parent and the child and is actually easy to remember at those times when memory is the first thing to go



For more information about this workshop call (08) 9285 8100 or  
(Register Online) at [www.behaviourtonics.com.au](http://www.behaviourtonics.com.au)