FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents, Students and Staff,

Stuart Centre and Alison Waldren Room Opening

Last Friday, November 8, the Year 7 Community Learning Space was officially opened by the Hon Gabrielle Upton MP. This community event was also attended by Sr Joan Pender Provincial, members of the Waldren Family, Alumnae from the Class of 1990 and 1981, parents, staff and students.

The space will be now known as the Stuart Centre, in recognition of Sister Janet Erskine Stuart rscj. The centenary of Janet Erskine Stuart’s death is being celebrated throughout the world in 2013–2014. Sr Stuart was the sixth Superior General of the Society of the Sacred Heart. She was an outstanding educator who believed in the importance of offering every child the opportunity to grow and develop her individual creativity and talents. Education for her was about change, discovery and transformation. Her philosophy was that schools should teach “How to learn and how to live rather than how to gain a living.”

The top room of the centre was named the Alison Waldren Room after alumna Alison Waldren from the Class of 1990. Alison, who died tragically at the age of 24 in a light plane accident, was a great contributor to the community. According to her classmates, Alison was an extremely loyal friend who had a beautiful outlook on life and had a quick wit and great sense of humour. Her friend and classmate, Catherine Cusack said, “Alison is a worthy example to the current and future students of Kincoppal-Rose Bay because she was a loving, capable and happy person.”

The Year 7 Learning Space was designed to support our students in the crucial transition from primary to high school. During the design stage we knew we wanted it to be place for our Year 7 students to feel they belonged. It is always a challenge to create learning spaces for 21st century students in heritage buildings. We wanted the spaces to:

♥ be bright, colourful and welcoming
♥ have flexible spaces to support individual and collaborative learning supported by the latest technology
♥ provide a sense of community
♥ be a home base within the Senior school
♥ provide an Assembly and gathering space for the Year group
♥ provide a Common Room and Kitchen for our students.

We certainly feel that our Year 7 group have settled well into Senior school as a result of being in the Stuart Centre. Next Friday we shall be welcoming our new Year 7 Students for next year for Orientation.

FROM OUR STAFF

TWEET OF THE WEEK

KRBSports@KRBSports

5 Nov

Congratulations Claudia Jones on your Bronze medal at CIS gym
pic.twitter.com/tExBAIZNag
Q&A @KRB
On Monday the 4th November, KRB students, parents and students from Newington, Scots, Trinity and Cranbrook enjoyed the third annual Q&A@KRB which was focused on the future of Australia and our economy.

The panel who engaged the audience with heated discussion was chaired by former KRB student and Partner and Managing Director with The Carlyle Group, Natasha Nankivell, mother of Georgia (Year 10) and KRB included special guests Adam Creighton, economics correspondent for The Australian, Caroline Overington, author, associate editor of The Australian Women’s Weekly and two-time winner of the Walkley Award for Investigative Journalism and Paul Bloxham, the Chief Economist for HSBC in Australia and New Zealand. Challenging the panel and answering questions themselves were students Christina Han from KRB, Thomas Van Der Velde from Newington and Colin Suvak from Scots. A live Twitter feed was shown on screen for students wanting to engage in the debate online.

“Q&A@KRB attempts to expose students to big ideas beyond the classroom and inspire thought and curiosity. The evening had a real buzz and students stayed around after the event to enjoy Woofys hotdogs and discuss the issues of the night,” said HSIe teacher, Victoria Vidler, who organised the event with help from HSIe Staff and Year 11 students.

Bush Fire Sports Fundraiser
All Year 7 – 11 students participated in a Walk/Swim/skipathon on Friday 1st November at lunch time. All girls had to find sponsors to sponsor them for each minute of physical activity they could do in their lunch hour. It was so good to see so many students involved in the various activities across the school. We are very pleased to be able to present $3,980 to the NSW Bush Fire Appeal.

Year 9 and 10 Programs
Our Year 9 and 10 students have now finished their examinations and are currently participating in a variety of programs to enhance their classroom learning and their life skills. These programs challenge them and provide them with opportunities to gain skills for their future.

Young Entrepreneur Week (YEW) is an intensive ‘hands on’ learning experience, which aims to provide Year 10 students with an introduction to the world of Business and Innovation. For the first time Year 10 students are to develop unique service businesses that will aim to be low on costs and high on innovation. In small teams students will develop their concepts and encounter daily business dilemmas that they must solve along the way. The week will culminate in groups pitching their business concept to venture capitalists. The week will involve entrepreneurs, small business owners and business professionals coming in to talk and collaborate with our students.

The City Immersion Program is a challenging program designed specifically for Year 9 students to assist the development of our students as leaders and responsible citizens, as well as fostering independent learning. It gives students the opportunity to work collaboratively in groups using their strengths and acknowledging the strengths of others. Members of staff working with each group act as facilitators while the students are responsible for all aspects of their group work including choosing transport, costs and the different roles for each group member. The girls participate in varied activities in the city, including:

- **The Amazing Race**: Students in small groups race around the City on public transport to find various famous landmarks.
- **City Project**: Students Research a particular topic like tourism to broaden their knowledge of Sydney.
- **Social Justice**: Students visit the Wayside Chapel, St Canice’s Church and Oasis where they are involved in a number of presentations.
- **Work Experience at the International College of Management, Manly**: This program involves students organising and presenting a major function. This is dinner for their parents and teachers.

At the conclusion of the program the girls display all their work at an Expo held at KRB. I look forward to seeing them at the dinner at Manly and viewing their projects at the Expo.

Junior School Sports Awards
This was held this afternoon in the Edwina Taylor Clark Auditorium. It was wonderful to acknowledge the huge participation in a wide variety of sports of our students in the Junior School, and also to affirm the many students who have participated at Representative, State and National level.

Our Year 6 students thrilled everyone with their energetic and exciting Dance at the conclusion.
Year 12 Graduation Ball
I look forward to seeing our graduates from the Class of 2013 at their graduation ball this Saturday evening. The event will be held at the newly refurbished Doltone House near Hyde Park. Our guest speaker will be Clarie Galt (KRB 1998) who is a Senior Associate at Allen and Overy and the mother of two young children. She will share something of her story with our new graduates.

New Parents & Friends Association Executive 2014
I would like to warmly welcome our new P&F Executive for 2014 who were elected at the AGM on 6 November:
- President – Hugh Windsor (Molly Yr10)
- Vice President – Andrew Horsley (Olympia Yr7)
- Treasurer – Daniel Conrick (Chloe Yr7)
- Assistant Treasurer – Sandra Conrick (Chloe Yr7)
- Secretary – Jo Dacres-Mannings (Grace Yr3 & Charlotte ELC),
- Assistant Secretary – Melinda Gardiner (Christopher Kindy, Jessica Yr7 & Sarah Yr11).

I would also like to thank the 2013 P&F for their generous contribution to the KRB Community - Greg Cooper, Tim Murphy, Sonia Jolliffe, Anne O’Neil, Kimberlee Wilde, Jan-Marie Jacobson and Michele Carnegie. We have really appreciated their efforts this year.

Speech & Awards Ceremony 5 December 2013
This ceremony brings our School year to a conclusion and it is expected that all students from Years 3 – 11 attend. We also warmly welcome all our parents. It is an opportunity for us as a community to affirm the efforts and achievements of our students across all areas of school life this year.

With Regards,
Mrs Hilary Johnston-Croke
Principal

Gilly Parmenter
Gilly Parmenter, Mother of Lara in Year 9, sadly passed away on November 5 after a long illness.

Gilly was farewelled at a service of Celebration for her life at St John’s Church Darlinghurst on Wednesday 15 November.

Our thoughts and prayers are with Geoff, Lara, and their family, at this very sad time.
TEACHING & LEARNING

COR UNUM SILK PENNANTS

Congratulations to the following children who were awarded Silk Pennants for 2013. These are awarded to children who applied themselves consistently to their studies, achieved to their ability in a particular assessment task or class activity and who have contributed positively to the learning environment for that class.

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JUNIOR SCHOOL ICAS COMPETITION RESULTS

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KRB’s Transition Program 2013

The penultimate sessions of KRB’s Transition program for 2103 have been completed and were a great success. On Wednesday, the 30th October, Mrs Cath Maric (School Counsellor) talked to all of our Year 6 students about “Planning and Organisational skills” and gave some insights into working in a productive and meaningful way in Year 7. I think you will be able to gauge from the students’ comments that this was a very worthwhile session for them:

Mrs Maric gave us tips on how not to procrastinate. A good tip is using different colours for different subjects - colour coding subjects.
Charlotte

The presentation was really clear especially the use of a power point as each section was very well organised.
Dominic

Mrs Maric told us to prioritise our work and put things into categories. Don’t leave things until the last minute. Be organised and pack your bag the night before.
Jessica

Because I haven’t really studied before she gave us ideas of good study techniques. She showed us how to take notes and how to organise our work and time. Caitlin

The Transition session on Wednesday the 6th November focussed on Social transition skills and being a good friend. This was a very interactive format and the students came up with their own ideas about the importance of good friendships and being a loyal person. Mrs Maric commented here on the mature insights contained in the students’ contributions.

Orientation Day will be held on Friday 22 November and KRB is very much looking forward to working with each student on this day to ensure each feels confident about entering Year 7 in 2014.

Marie Wood
Director of Students

Australasian Problem Solving Mathematical Olympiads

A group of students in Stage 3 participated in the Australasian Problem Solving Mathematical Olympiads throughout the year. This competition is a series of problem solving tests competing against students throughout Australasia. Bella Lamaro in Year 6 was awarded a medal for achieving a score in the top 10% of participants. She was also awarded a trophy for the highest individual score in her team. Natasha Ong in Year 5 was also awarded the trophy for the highest score in the Year 5 team. Zoe Davidson, Caitlin Mulveney, Laeticia Pajanacci and Natasha Ong were also awarded a patch for achieving in the top 25% of the overall competition. This is an excellent result for these students.

Bella Lamaro also recently attended a special enrichment session for gifted young mathematicians. Bella was invited to attend the day hosted by the Kings School as she performed extremely well in the recent Australian Mathematics Competition. The focus of the day was to teach young students to ‘think mathematically’ using topics which are not found in the regular school curriculum, but which are an important part of the problem-solving. A great achievement for Bella.

Reflection by Bella Lamaro, Year 6

On Thursday 7 November, I went to The King’s School, Parramatta, for a Mathematics Enrichment Day, put on by the University of Canberra. I was invited there, along with 24 other children from different schools in NSW, who had achieved the highest marks in the recent Australian Mathematics Competition set by the Australian Mathematics Trust. I met many extremely intelligent students, some of whom were gold medal Mathematic Olympiad winners.

During the day, we attempted some impossible questions that had no answer or couldn’t be done! We were given problem solving challenges which had answers that you would not have thought of, and learnt new formulas and rules applying to 3D shapes and networks. We also learnt reasoning for answers, questions and solving, and different ways and strategies to work out problems. Overall, the Enrichment Day was a fun and exciting experience, while being challenging and interesting. I thoroughly enjoyed the day. Here is one of the problems we had to tackle. See if you can work it out...

Consider a cup of milk and a cup of tea, each containing the same amount of liquid. Three tablespoons from the cup of milk are poured into the cup tea, and the liquid is thoroughly mixed. Then three tablespoons of this mixture are poured back into the cup of milk. Is there more milk in the tea, or tea in the milk?

The answer is not as simple as it seems…!
Q&A
“Q&A was a fantastic opportunity to engage in current topics with successful and diversely opinionated people on the panel (including the students from Scots and Newington). It kicked off with live music; Bondi Bikkies were provided throughout the night, and ended with Woofy’s hot dogs. The discussion on the night was lively and, at times, humorous. It definitely was an unforgettable experience.”
Christina Han, Year 11

‘CRAZY SOCK DAY’
During World Mission Month the Junior School held a ‘Crazy Sock Day’ to raise money for the work of Catholic Mission. Catholic Mission is the official mission aid agency of the Catholic Church which supports initiatives in over 160 countries worldwide. On Children’s Mission Day, the Junior School children were asked to wear a pair of crazy socks for a gold coin donation. The total amount raised for Catholic Mission was $581.40. Thank you to all those who donated so generously.

SALVATION ARMY BUSHFIRE APPEAL
by Matisse Nettis
The Salvation Army dollar for dollar Appeal in conjunction with Woolworths, was a successful initiative that enabled Barat Burn and the Senior school to create awareness about the bush fires and actively participate by collecting money and donating it to Woolworths. After consulting the manager at Double Bay Woolworths, we were presented a cheque on behalf of KRB which was much appreciated. This appeal was a great opportunity for the school to get involved and support those who have been severely impacted by the devastating fires.

RICHARD HARLAND VISIT
On Monday 4th November, Richard Harland, acclaimed Australian author, visited Kincoppal-Rose Bay School. He spoke to Year 8 English and all Year 7 students about his experiences as an author. Richard has written and published 17 novels. He has been successful in gaining international recognition and several awards for his writing. Students were encouraged to write about something they are good at and to find their talent. He aimed to inspire the students as readers and for them to write creatively. Richard’s novel ‘Song of the Slums’ is written in the current trend of steampunk fantasy. Richard explained ‘steampunk fantasy’ with images and demonstrations. His steampunk guitar and hat were most entertaining! His visit was a valuable experience for our students and staff.

JUNIOR SCHOOL BAND
This week the Junior School Band gave a very polished performance at the Years 3–6 Primary Assembly. The audience of students, parents and teachers was entertained with the three pieces played by the Band and were very impressed by the growth that all the students have made instrumentally. These students will progress to the Senior Band in 2014 while a new beginner band will be formed.
YEAR 10 TRIP TO CANBERRA

Students from KRB have recently undertaken an education tour of the national capital. Students were given the opportunity to participate in a variety of educational programs with a focus on Australia’s history, culture, heritage and democracy. The Australian Government recognises the importance of all young Australians being able to visit the national capital as part of their Civics and Citizenship education. To assist families in meeting the cost of the excursion the Australian Government is contributing funding of $20/per student under the Parliament and Civics Education Rebate program towards those costs. The rebate is paid directly to the School upon completion of the excursion.

YEAR 7 HISTORY EXCURSION TO SYDNEY UNIVERSITY

On Monday 4 November Year 7 travelled to Sydney University for a tour of Nicholson Museum. We learnt a lot on this excursion about ancient Egypt, ancient Greece and ancient Italy.

When we first got there we split into our classes to participate in different activities. My class started learning more about ancient Egyptian mummies. We were shown the differences of coffins and wrappings depending on your wealth and different aspects of the mummification process.

After that we went to do a really fun activity, which was to do an archeologists job. What we had to do was pick an ancient artifact, draw it, and describe what it was like. We then wrote an analysis on what it was, where it came from, who it belonged to, when was it used and why it was used, which taught us a lot about that particular artifact.

The next activity we did was to learn about ancient Greece and the ancient Greek gods. We were spoken to about ancient Greek gravestones, which was really interesting. We were also shown a statue of Cupid and an ancient Greek god and where they both originated from. After that we saw the Lego Acropolis someone had built, which was really fascinating as it showed both the modern and ancient times.

Our last activity for the day was learning about ancient Rome and Italy. We were shown more statues of ancient gods and learnt about their ancient burial traditions of the Etruscans.

Overall it was a really fun day and I would recommend this experience to anyone who loves learning about ancient artifacts and ancient times. History really came alive for me on the day.

Year 7 Historian – Madeleine Maganas

YEAR 3 AND 4 CAMP 2013

Fitzroy Falls

During Week Four, Tuesday 30 October to Friday 1 November, Years Three and Four travelled to Fitzroy Falls for their camp run by the Outdoor Education Company, Optimum Experience. The focus of the camp was to develop friendships and the ability to work as a team. The children were invited to meet a variety of challenges whilst working together as a member of a group and achieve their personal best. With the camp motto, NED (Never give up, Encourage others and Do your best), constantly repeated it was a strong reminder of what the camp instructors wanted the children to achieve.

At the beginning of the camp, each student was issued with a coloured bandana (red, blue, green or yellow) along with a lifetime to signify membership of their “tribe”. It also symbolised the commitment they made to each other and to the camp leaders upon their arrival at Fitzroy Falls Conference Centre. The lifelines would indeed prove to be their life line over the course of the camp, as it was essential that they be presented on request; especially at meal times!

The two days (Year Three) and three days (Year Four) spent away from home were action packed as the children participated in a variety of challenging activities. The “campers” were divided into groups for these activities, with the highlights for both groups being the Koori experience with Dave, water games and swimming as well as the exciting “Giant Swing” high wire activity.

In 2013 Optimum introduced a bigger and tougher challenge for the Stage Two students. The daring “Tree Climbing Challenge” was an experience that all were looking forward to.

In order to conquer the trees, each student was attached to a safety harness and ropes under the professional assistance of the camp instructor. Then as they climbed the ladder to get started, the other team members who were attached to the safety rope, walked in the opposite direction in order to assist the climb and act as the brake, an essential safety measure.

When they had reached the summit of their first tree they abseiled back down to the ground, assisted by their team members. The two groups then swapped over and took on the challenge of the second tree.

The children also took part in games of trust, teamwork and communication. Another camp highlight was the night time entertainment of the local Southern Highlands legend, Slab Face who, accompanied by several of the Optimum instructors, sang songs and told local stories.

The Year Four students also participated in the 2013 Fitzroy Falls X-Factor Competition and there was a lot of talent on display from individual and group songs, comedy routines and skits and tribe performances. The three judges gave great feedback to the performers and it was a fun-filled event.

Years Three and Four thoroughly enjoyed their time and are eagerly anticipating next year’s camps where they will build on the skills that they have acquired and developed.
SCULPTURE BY THE SEA

By Sophie Bradley (Year 8)

Last Thursday, on the 7th of November, all of Year 8 went on excursion to visit the bicoastal exhibition, Sculpture by the Sea. It is staged along the Bondi to Tamarama coastal walk. Sculpture by the Sea runs every year for two weeks and showcases over 100 creative and interesting sculptures including site-specific, kinetic, found objects and ephemeral works made to capture the nation’s imagination. We saw a variety of sculptures that were all very different, some promoting environmental issues and some that were just humorous.

We began our excursion at Tamarama and under the scorching hot sun; we made our way to Bondi enjoying all of the amazing works that artists spent months creating leading up to the exhibition. While exploring the different works, we had challenges and activities to do, which were amusing and made the excursion more exciting than it already was! When we got halfway, we had a nice, long break for lunch in Mark’s Park to observe some more sculptures and catch up with our activity booklets. After that, we began our Science activities which were very interesting and continued the walk until we reached Bondi and got on the bus back to school.

Some of my favourite sculptures were “Polyrock” by Bev Goodwin, “Goodnight Uncle John” by Eko Bambang Wisnu and Ida Lawrence, and “Diminish and Ascend” by David McCracken.

“Polyrock” was a vivid sculpture made out of many different coloured Hawaiian lays. It was very eye-catching from a distance and I thought it was very pretty and funky. “Goodnight Uncle John” was made out of many mattresses and covers of different patterns and sizes. When you first look at it, it just looks like a bunch of mattresses stacked on top of each other, but when you observed the other side there were two men’s feet sticking out the bottom, which were very humorous. It looked really realistic and gave lots of people a shock! Lastly, “Diminish and Ascend” was a very clever work of stairs getting smaller and smaller over the edge of the park, and looked like stairs going into the sky - it was like a ‘stairway to heaven’.

As well as the artistic creations of Sculpture by the Sea along the coastal walk, there are many geological wonders! Ms Hodges taught us about the different kinds of weathering and we also learnt about the vegetation around this area. We also focused on the different materials used to create some sculptures and whether they were renewable or non-renewable. This part of the excursion was very fascinating and we learnt a lot.

Sculpture by the Sea is a very enjoyable exhibition that did not lose our attention at any point! All of Year 8 had a really entertaining time and we thank all of the teachers who made it possible. I recommend everyone to go and see it next year because it is completely worth it!

2014 SCHOOL MUSICAL CAST

After two weekends of auditions early in Term 4, the 2014 musical production of Once On This Island has now been cast.

Congratulations to the 55 students from Years 3-10 who were all successful in their audition. Also congratulations to the girls who have been cast in principal and featured roles; Reema Hindi, Lena Albin, Isabel Sigalla, Francesca Gazzal, Antoinette Radford, Sarah Cooper, Georgia Boonen, Lili Jackson, Eloise Bridgers, Georgina Kearney, Michela Castiglia, Natalie McDowell, Olivia Klinger and Emilie Oayda.

Joining the cast in the male roles, are 11 students from Cranbrook, St Ignatius and Waverley College.

Once On This Island is a contemporary musical written by Stephen Flaherty and Lynn Ahrens. Based on the 1985 novel My Love, My Love by Rosa Guy, it is set in the French Antilles in the Caribbean Sea. It tells the story of a young peasant girl on a tropical island, who uses the power of love to bring together people of different social classes. The production will be staged in the Maureen Tudehope Centre from 3 – 6 April 2014.
KRB & KNOX COLOUR RUN AND BBQ

On Sunday 3 November the Year 7 and 8 boys from Knox came to KRB to join with our Year 7 and 8 boarders for a colour run and BBQ. The boys arrived at 4.30pm and after a short briefing on how to complete the colour run they teamed with a KRB boarder. Each team was given a map and then sent on the run to be tagged with the various colors. The winner was Georgia Strain. After the run the boys and girls enjoyed a BBQ dinner and ice-cream at the MTC followed by ball games on the fields. The students’ behaviour was exemplary and a wonderful time was had by the students and staff.

“When the Knox boys arrived we went into the MTC and got paired up with one of them, this was going to be our partner for the colour run. Some of the Year Sevens and Eights got paired up with two of the Knox boys because there were not enough of us. I think we all had fun and nearly everyone got all of the colours but there were some people who were the fastest in their year so they got a box of Favourites. After that was over we ate dinner, the Year Sevens sat in a circle and the Year Eights sat in a circle, we all introduced ourselves and met each other. Once everyone had finished dinner we played a few games like Red Rover and Touch Football. Then the boys left to go back to school.

I think that everyone cooperated in the games and the colour run and socialised well with the boys.”

Lily Ricardo, Year 7

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NSWCIS GYMNASTICS

Last week Coco Remond, Claudia Jones, Maddisen Gazal, Georgia Strain and Olympia Denton represented KRB at The NSW CIS Gymnastics Competition.

Our best results were achieved at NSWCIS:

♥ Coco Remond 2nd on floor
♥ Claudia Jones placed 3rd in clubs
♥ Maddisen Gazal placed 4th on ball

SPORTS RESULTS & SPORTS TRAINING BEFORE SCHOOL

When there is wet weather overnight and your son/daughter has sports training before school, please check the KRB Sports page on twitter to check if the training has been cancelled. This will be updated at 6am. We are also posting results on this KRB sports page.

The link is as follows: https://twitter.com/KRBsports

K-12 SPORT PHOTOS

All KRB sports team photos and photos taken at School Swimming, Athletics and Cross Country Carnival are available for purchase online through the following website:

www.akphotos.com.au

USERNAME: krb
PASSWORD: sports

SPORTS EVENTS

Saturday 16 November:
Saturday Sport - Tennis, Basketball, Water Polo, Touch Football

Saturday 22 November:
Saturday Sport Finals - Tennis, Basketball, Water Polo, Touch Football
COMMMUNITY

FROM THE DEVELOPMENT OFFICE

Opening of Year 7 Community Learning Space

“The casualties are increasing day by day. There are dead bodies everywhere. People are traumatised. The most urgent needs are for food and water. We really need all the help we can get.” – Fr. Edwin Gariguez, Executive Secretary Caritas Philippines

The destruction of the monster storm that hit the Philippines last weekend has been likened to the 2004 Boxing Day Tsunami. Over 9.5 million people have been affected and urgently need shelter, clean water, sanitation and health supplies.

Samar, the first location where the storm made landfall, has about 733,000 people. Days after the typhoon struck many residents have still not been contactable and thousands are reported missing.

We urgently need your help to deliver emergency aid. Please, make a donation today.

Caritas Australia is working with our long term partners to respond quickly and effectively to this latest crisis, having already committed $1 million to support the relief efforts. Supplies are arriving in transport hubs such as Cebu, a critical step in getting live saving assistance to those who need it most.

Through our network of partners, including CRS (Caritas USA) and Caritas Philippines, we are helping to provide essential supplies to those most in need. This includes emergency shelters, water and sanitation and relief items such as blankets and cooking utensils. Initial response efforts will help at least 32,000 families across three of the most vulnerable regions in Leyte and Samar, where aid efforts have not previously reached.

Donate today to give crucial support.

Your generosity will make a real difference to the many people affected by this devastating crisis.

> $460 – could provide four families with much needed emergency shelter.
> $105 – could provide three families with essential water and sanitation kits to keep disease at bay.
> $50 – could provide four families with vital cooking kits.

Please, donate today and help respond urgently to those most in need.

For more information and to donate, visit our website.

Thank you in advance,

Jamie Davies
Acting CEO, Caritas Australia.

PS: You can also donate by calling tollfree: 1800 024 413

PPS: If you have already donated and our messages have crossed paths, thank you!

2014 FEES IN ADVANCE

If you wish to pay your school fees in advance and receive a 5% discount, please email Ms Lizzy Wang on wangli@krb.nsw.edu.au.

OFFER ENDS 6 DECEMBER 2013
Christmas Carols

SUNDAY 1 DECEMBER
MAUREEN TUDEHOPE CENTRE
6.30–7.30PM

Featuring KRB Junior, Senior, Chamber Choirs singing festive music for
the season | Guest soloists from Years 6 –11 | Guest artists KRB Alumnae
Talia Kuo (KRB ‘13) & Julian Kuo (Barat Burn ’02) |Community singing of
traditional and modern carols | An appearance by Santa

A fun night for all to wrap up the year!

FROM THE UNIFORM SHOP

Lines on Pockets – End of Year 2013

Blazers needing Lines on Pockets can be handed in on Friday
6 December between 10am – 1pm only. The day after school
finishes as blazers are required for Speech & Awards on Thursday
night. No blazers will be accepted after 1 pm. Please make sure that
the blazer has been dry cleaned during the last week of school, or
it will not be accepted. Please remove all badges and make sure
pockets are empty and that your name is on it.

You will need the approval letter/s from the relevant Head of
Department/s for the line to be done. Blazers will be ready for
collection first week back of Term 1, 2014. Payment is made upon
collection of blazer. Cost for blazers for Years 6 – 10 is 1st line $40
every line after that is an extra $10. Cost for Year 11 & 12 blazers is
for pocket and line/s $65 and additional lines to existing pocket is $40.

Current students

A friendly reminder for ELC students going into Kindergarten next year
that they need to purchase the school uniform this term. The uniform
they are wearing at present will be the sport uniform next year. The
school uniforms are a generous fit so growth over the holidays will
not be a problem. You can leave tags on and try on late January and
exchange any items that you think are not correct.

It would be appreciated if existing families K – Year 10 could check
their uniform requirements for next year now and purchase items
before the end of the term, as priority for appointment times in January
is given to new families.

Contact details for the Uniform Shop is krbshop@krb.nsw.edu.au or
call 9388 6046 Tuesday and Friday 8am – 3.50pm.
CALENDAR

Saturday, 16 November 2013
IGSSA Semi Finals & Play Offs 8.00am
IPSHA Tennis, Basketball & Cricket Round 6 8.00am
Year 12 Graduation Ball 5.00pm
Sunday, 17 November 2013
Music Camp Senior Choir & Orchestra Dep 2.00pm
Monday, 18 November 2013
Feast of St Philippine Duchesne
Music Camp Senior Choir & Orchestra
Year 10 Goals Project Week
TUCKSHOP: Ines Tejero, Eva John
Tuesday, 19 November 2013
Music Camp Senior Choir & Orchestra
Junior School Music Camp - Choir & Orchestra Members 8.00am
Year 10 Goals Project Week
TUCKSHOP: Karen Harris, Megan McIesh
Wednesday, 20 November 2013
Year 9 City Immersion Expo
Year 10 Goals Project Week
TUCKSHOP: Clare Mulham, Caroline Ryan, Magdalen Clements
Thursday, 21 November 2013
Birthday of The Society of The Sacred Heart
Jojiny End of Year Celebration 1.00pm
Year 9 City Immersion Manly Dinner 6.00pm
Year 10 Goals Project Week
TUCKSHOP: Anna Marchant, Sam Owen
Friday, 22 November 2013
New Boarder Orientation & Sleepover Years 7-11 Orientation
New Boarding & Day Parents Welcome Evening 5.00pm
Year 10 Goals Project Week
TUCKSHOP: Jacqui Thackray, May Ong
Saturday, 23 November 2013
IGSSA Finals 8.00am
IPSHA Tennis, Basketball & Cricket Round 7 8.00am
Year 7 Assessment/Allwell Testing 9.00am
Year 7–12 Boarder Orientation 9.00am
Monday, 25 November 2013
Year 10 Australian Business Week
Year 9 Peer Support
Tuesday, 26 November 2013
Year 10 Australian Business Week
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Year 6 Mass of Thanksgiving & High Tea 2.00pm
TUCKSHOP: Sue McGrath, Jillian Cressey
Wednesday, 27 November 2013
Year 10 Australian Business Week
Year 9 Outdoor Education Program
K-2 End of Year Concert 1.30pm
TUCKSHOP: Tina Ekis, Gabrielle Carr
Thursday, 28 November 2013
Year 10 Australian Business Week
Year 9 Outdoor Education Program
Year 10 Dinner Dance 7.00pm
TUCKSHOP: Emma Maynard, Vicki Caldwell
Friday, 29 November 2013
Year 10 Australian Business Week
Year 9 Outdoor Education Program
TUCKSHOP: Annie Debelak, Kate Gale
Sunday, 1 December 2013
Carols Evening 6.30pm

The Principal, Mrs Hilary Johnston-Croke, invites you to attend the 2013 Years 3–11

Speech & Awards CEREMONY

Thursday 5 December 2013
All guests and students are asked to be seated by 5.30pm

Maureen Tudehope Centre
Kincoppal–Rose Bay School
New South Head Road, Rose Bay