



# PROUILLE NEWS

21 September 2011

Dear Parents and Friends,

Thank you to the many parents who commented on the prophetic wisdom within the three inspirational pieces of writing included in the past three newsletters. I was particularly taken by Mrs Janet Wise (Prouille's piano teacher) who informed me that, as a child, she had three pieces of inspirational writing on a wall in her bedroom. She was thrilled to see the first piece I published was "If" (R Kipling) because this was one of the three she had on her wall ... She was even more thrilled, and shocked, to see the second piece I published was "The Desiderata" because this, too, was on her wall. Janet waited in anticipation for me to publish the third and final piece of writing but it was not the same as the third piece of writing on her 'childhood wall'. I couldn't resist publishing the third piece of writing on Janet's wall, because it can indeed take us 'into the deep' and closer to our maker. (Thank you, Janet)

## At the Gate of the Year

I said to the man who stood at the gate of the year  
'Give me a light that I may tread safely into the unknown.'

And he replied,  
'Go into the darkness and put your hand into  
the hand of God  
That shall be to you better than light and safer than a  
known way!'

So I went forth and finding the Hand of God  
Trode gladly into the night  
He led me towards the hills  
And the breaking of day in the lone east.

So heart be still!  
What need our human life to know  
If God hath comprehension?

In all the dizzy strife of things  
Both high and low,  
God hideth his intention."

by Minnie Louise Harkins 1875-1957  
Included in King George V1 broadcast 1939

## **Congratulations to all our Prouille Staff who ran and ran in the Sydney Marathon last Sunday:**

Prouille staff all shaped up pretty well on Monday morning after a marathon effort on the weekend in The Sydney Marathon ... Congratulations to all staff who were able to participate ☺ -

(I particularly thank Mrs Rachael Lees who 'cracked the whip' and co-ordinated all the conscientious energy of our staff) ... Congratulations to all our students and parents who ran too ☺ ... Thank you to all the families who were able to sponsor the staff in this event too ☺

## **Building Update:**

Everything is still on schedule for completion of Stage 2 before the end of Term 4

(ie hall/Courtyard/Chapel etc)

After discussion and deliberation with Staff, Parents and Parishioners earlier in the year, the following was decided on:

What will our new Hall be called?

**"Veritas Hall"**

What will our new Chapel be called?

**"St Dominic's Chapel"**

What will our new Courtyard be called?

**"The Meeting Place"**



## **TERM 4 - SWIMMING PROGRAMME**

Last week a permission note was sent home which included a swimming ability checklist. Both notes need to be completed and returned to school immediately.

We have attached a timetable for your information which also indicates requirements for this programme.

**Swimming caps are available from the office for \$3.**

**(Please note that swimming is in addition to P.E.)**

### **Philip Ledlin (Principal)**

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### **Holy Name Parish Mass times:**

**Saturday 5.00 pm – Saturday Vigil Mass**

**Sunday 9.15 am – includes Children's Liturgy**

**Sunday 5.30 pm – Youth Mass**

### **Holy Name Parish Church**

35 Billyard Avenue Wahroonga

**Ms Gail Gill:**

**Co-ordinator of Parish Life**

**Fr Martin Aye Ngwe**

**Priest of the Parish**

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### Year 6 End of Term Celebration

Due to the athletics carnival and logistical difficulties with the present building works it was decided to cancel the end of term "treat" celebration for Friday 22 September. We will look at organising something next term.

### Support for the Homeless/Needy in Hornsby A proposed initiative for Prouille (special emphasis in Yr 5):

Parents and friends may recall a note in a newsletter last term gauging community support for the Homeless/Needy in Hornsby by way of utilising the St John's Uniting Church Soup Van.

It is now extremely likely that Prouille will be able to assist as a community on two or three evenings each school term (ie: Prouille will be responsible for about 9 or 10 evenings each year).

We are proposing to team up with other school communities in Wahroonga and ensure meals are provided every Tuesday evening during school terms only. The commitment from Prouille is twofold:

1. Meal preparation for up to 20 homeless/needy people (Proposal to have Yr 5 as the targeted year group re food preparation) (NB there will be an education programme for the students, and clear instructions re food preparation etc)
2. Managing meal distribution at and around Hornsby Pool (Managed by volunteer Prouille parents/friends from all year groups ... and school staff too ... (not students) ... 6pm-7.30pm)

### INVITATION:

There will be an "on site" meeting for key players from each of our collective Wahroonga school communities – Tuesday 11 October 6pm

Venue: Northern end of Hornsby Pool (opposite Hornsby Police Station ... Enter via driveway at northern end of the pool area to the car-park area below)

Any parents and friends from our Prouille community are warmly invited to attend and "learn the ropes".

If you are keen to be a Soup Van Bus Driver for Prouille's shifts, please bring a copy of your driver's license (stating # points lost) ... NB the bus has a manual gear-box with 5 gears 'on the column'.

It is proposed that we commence our Soup Van work in Term 4 this year:

To give some continuity and order to the Soup Van project, Prouille will be assigned the third Tuesday of each month in School Term time. Following are proposed dates for Term 4 2011:

Tuesday 18 October - Prouille  
(ie 3rd Tuesday of the month)

Tuesday 15 November – Prouille  
(ie 3rd Tuesday of the month)

Tuesday 13 December – Prouille  
(NB Prouille will do this because other school communities will be on holidays)

I hope to see some of you on Tuesday 11 October 6pm, at Hornsby Pool for a general, informative meeting (with driver's license copied if applicable) Please inform our school office if you will be able to attend the meeting 11/10/11 6pm at Hornsby Pool ... Thank you!

Yours sincerely,

Philip Ledlin  
Principal

### Whole School Assembly reminder:

Parents / friends are reminded that whole school assemblies in Terms 1 and 4 are at 9.00 am.

So, Fridays in Term 4 will see our whole school assemblies at 9.00 am in our lower playground amphitheatre area. (Please enter via pathway behind and beside our Kindergarten rooms)

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

### Important Calendar Addition



### 11.11.11 – Friday

Prouille Carols Night – 6 pm

Peter Kearney, songwriter and singer, will work with the community here at Prouille during the day in preparation for a concert at Holy Name in the evening.

### 21.9.11 – Wednesday

Year 4 Space Day

### 22.9.11 – Thursday

Gateway Enrichment Programme-Celebration at St. Leo's

Year 3 Pirate Day

### 23.9.11 – Friday

Last Day of Term 3

### 10.10.11 – Monday

First Day of Term 4

### 13.10.11 – Thursday

2.00 – 4.00 pm North Shore Numeracy Group Meeting at Pymble – Topic 'Plotting Growth Points'.

### 14.10.11. – Friday

Staff Development Day (Pupil Free Day)

No staff members onsite this day

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### Orientation Day for Kindergarten 2012

Friday 21 October from 9.00 am – 10.45 am

### Playgroup Mornings for Kindergarten 2012

Thursday 27 October from 9.00 am – 10.00 am

Thursday 3 November from 9.00 am – 10.00 am

## **STAFF DEVELOPMENT (Pupil Free) DAYS**

**Friday 14 October 2011**

**Monday 19 December 2011**

**Tuesday 20 December 2011**

**Staff Development Day (Pupil Free Day) - Friday 14 October 2011**

All Prouille staff will be participating in a Staff Development Day (SDD) on Friday 14 October (the first Friday of Term 4).

On this day there will be NO staff at Prouille School. All staff will travel to Waitara Hall to join with colleagues from the 14 schools in our cluster.

Teaching Staff will be focusing on:

- How do we know when teaching is effective?
- How do we increase time on task?
- How do we improve the quality of the tasks?

### ***Fund Raiser***



Diabetes Buzz Day is held across Australia during September to raise funds to help improve the health and enhance the lives of people living with or at risk of diabetes.

Please support this event by purchasing the following items from the front office.

Wristband	\$5.00
Pen	\$5.00
Mini Buzz Bear	\$5.00
Enamel Pin	\$2.00
Mini soccer balls	\$7.00

### **Lolly guessing Competition Results**



Hannah and Aidan Lonsdale ran a lolly guessing competition to raise money for an orphanage in Sunshine Village Cambodia.

Thank you to all who participated – they raised \$136 and will be taking this money to the orphanage in Cambodia in the school holidays. This money will be used to buy much needed art and craft materials for the children.

Congratulations Mrs Lees who guessed 268 lollies.

## **CHESS NEWS**

Sydney Academy of Chess will be running a children's chess tournament at Prouille on Friday 9<sup>th</sup> December 2011. A flyer is attached.

## **LOST AND FOUND**

The lost property basket outside KB is overflowing with unclaimed labelled and unlabelled items. During this week the senior students will sort out all lost property and return all labelled items to their rightful owners. If you have a school item missing,

we would encourage either you or your child to check the lost property basket and claim any lost items. All unclaimed items will be donated to St Vincent de Paul if not claimed by the end of the term. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

## **HOLY NAME PARISH NEWS**

### **Walk to Water**

A big thank you to all the families who participated in the Walk to Water on Sunday 11 September. It was a fabulous day and we raised \$943 for the Open Doors organisation. A great result.

### **Holy Name Spring time Surprises**

This week at **YouJu**, Rhonda is coming along to tell you about the Vietnamese charity we are donating the school clothes to. We have a slide show of the pictures of the crazy dress up antics from a few weeks ago. Plus some fun activities. This will be the last YouJu for term. First YouJu next term will be October 27.

### **Oct 29 – Big Camp Out**

Bring your tents and spend the night in the Church gardens. Bon fire, marshmallows, singing and pizza for dinner followed by a BBQ breakfast the next morning. More details next term or contact Fidelma Hunt or Sandi Candotti.

### **Nov 20 - St Cecelia's Music Festival**

Big day of music at the Sunday morning Mass

### **Nov 26 – Gingerbread House Making Day**

Last year was jam packed with lollies and creativity so make sure you come along this year to create a great Christmas Day centerpiece.

## **SPORTS NEWS**



On Thursday, Joseph Asnicar, Patrick Cass, Jeremy Williams, Nicky Chan and Jackson Singh from Year 5 participated in the Rugby Gala Day. The five boys made up a team with Northbridge and Willoughby, playing four games resulting in 2 losses, a draw and a win. Well done to those boys who proudly represented Prouille. They may not have won on the day, but they did get to have a photograph taken with the 1987 World Cup Trophy and the Tri-Nations Trophy (both the real deal!!)

### **Congratulations, Faith (Yr6):**

Last Sunday, Faith competed in the NSW Gymnastics State Championship (Level 5) at Homebush.

We are thrilled to report that she came out as the State Vault champion (1st)!

Her other team mates did very well too, and their team, Hornsby RSL, came 4th overall.

*Diary dates: Mon. Oct 24 - Milo Cup Cricket – Northbridge Oval.*

## WATER ST NETBALL

### **WATER STREET NETBALL AGM and PRESENTATION DAY – 18 SEPT**

*Congratulations to all our players, Coaches and Managers for a great year of netball. Special congratulations to our 9C Grand Champions, and our 11B, 10B and C2 finalists, with the 11Bs being Minor Premiers.*

*Special recognition to our following club members:*

*President's Award: Cath Feurtado*

*Coach's Award: Samantha Carolan*

*Sportsmanship Award: Jacqueline Feurtado*

*Thank you to all our volunteers who have remained on our committee or have joined fresh for next year. Your contribution is hugely appreciated.*

*New volunteers are always welcome as are any positive contributions that are made. Please consider joining the committee and have a greater influence on how your club operates. We value all positive actions and ideas that are expressed by the parents of the girls who play for Water St. Without the valuable time that the committee members volunteer, your club would not be able to operate.*

*We look forward to seeing you in November for 2012 season registration.*

*Sally Oong, President Water Street Netball, 0433 817 114*

## SOCCER NEWS

Another beautiful Spring morning framed our Parish Picnic and Presentation Day on Sunday. A great turnout of Parishioners, Footballers, and Netballers – Father Martin declared it the Best-Picnic-Ever. Who am I to argue?

A big congratulations to all players, with special mentions for:

- Our U12 Pennant winners
- Our winners of the Prouille FC Club Commitment award: Anthony Kelly, Sam Kelly, Joel Kelly, Ryley Delmage, Corey Wright, Declan Montgomery, Meg Le Patourel, Jack Hill
- Our winner of the Mary Schneider Award (Annual Best and Fairest): Joel Kelly
- Our winner of the much-coveted Spirit of Prouille Award for his many years of service and commitment (and many more to come): Paul Christenson

A big thank you to the committee who put in the hard yards all year, with a sprint finish to the Presentation Day final whistle: Silvio 'The Trophy King' and Registrar Sella, Irene 'The Event Queen' Dean-Jones, Steph 'The Sec' Recchia, Megan 'Clothes Horse' Mooney, Anthony 'The Bagman' Ryan, our henchmen Alan Montgomery and Andy Howden, our seniors representatives Jackie Coles and Andrew McCallum, and our Head Coach Steve Szaf. Thanks to all the others that contributed during the year – every little bit helps more than you will ever know.

Of course none of this would be possible without the work of our coaches and managers, so I would ask that you take the tome over the coming week to thank those who worked to keep your kids on the field over the 2011 season.

On the housekeeping front, any outstanding kit, please drop off at the school or contact Alan (montythepainter@hotmail.com).

Upcoming events:

- Annual General Meeting – date TBA however I am planning to supply refreshments as long as I can convince the Treasurer
- Annual Men's Dinner - 7.30pm 22<sup>nd</sup> October, venue TBA. This is a seriously funny evening for past, present, and future O35 Dads and O45 Golden Oldies. Tales of woe, tales of victory, and the retelling of many a folklore event will build towards a finale of tired-and-emotional speeches (notably not by me). A great night every year and one that wins all Prouille Dads a morning-off the following day because we have made a gigantic man-effort to get to know the Prouille community a little bit better. Really, it's all for the kids.

Our O35 Mums have been busy in their spare time and this has been recognised in the local rag:

<http://north-shore-times.whereilive.com.au/news/story/close-knit-footballers-unite-for-fistula-clinic/>

It has been an ongoing source of mirth to see them sitting watching their kids play and knitting. Seriously old-school, and all in a good cause.

As in life, play hard, play fair, and keep your eyes on the big picture.

Michael Trinder, President, Prouille FC Mo: 0406 753 029

Proudly sponsored by Alto Pennant Hills, Autohaus Northshore, and NorthPoint Motor Body Repairs.



**Total so far is 7200 points.**

Keep collecting and bringing in your **Woolworths** shopping dockets! **The collection has now been extended until 18th October.**

There is one box for students at the students' window in Reception and one box for parents at the counter.

All that is needed is the **Woolworths Earn & Learn part of the receipt (at the bottom of the receipt).**

Thank you to those families who have already provided some receipts. ☺

## COMMUNITY NEWS



St Lucy's Creative Arts are pleased to offer a series of holiday workshops during the September school holidays. These workshops offer children of all abilities the opportunity to extend their skills in the Arts, while providing a safe and creative environment for exploration and self expression. Enrolment is necessary. The full brochure and enrolment form can be found on the St Lucy's School website - [www.stlucys.nsw.edu.au](http://www.stlucys.nsw.edu.au) in the 'NEWS' section.

Please post the enrolment form to:

Creative Arts Holiday Program  
St Lucy's School  
21 Cleveland Street  
Wahroonga NSW 2076

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### LOCATIONS & DATES

\*Free Private Lesson

#### Cricket Clinics\*

5 - 16 years girls & boys

#### Multi-Sport - Boys

Cricket, Soccer, Touch football, Softball (5 - 13 years)

#### Multi-Sport - Girls

Netball, Softball, Cricket, Soccer, Touch football (5 - 13 years)

#### THE KING'S SCHOOL Residential Cricket Clinic

Boys - 12 - 16 years  
(4 nights/ 5 days) \$850

#### Turrumurra Oval, Turrumurra New Venue

26 - 29 September 2011 - 9am - 1pm (4 days)

#### The King's School, Parramatta

26 - 29 September 2011 - 9am - 1pm (4 days)

#### North Sydney - Oval No. 2

27 - 30 September 2011 - 9am - 1pm (4 days)

#### St. Ives, Hassell Park

4 - 7 October 2011 - 9am - 1pm (4 days)

#### Lindfield, Tryon Oval

4 - 7 October 2011 - 9am - 1pm (4 days)

#### Baulkham Hills, Ted Horwood Reserve

5 - 7 October 2011 - 9am - 1pm (3 days)

#### Pennant Hills Rd., Parramatta

25 - 29 September 2011 - 9am - 1pm  
Registration on Sun 25th Sept 3 - 4 pm

\*Free for each player Cricket clinic; \*private cricket lesson

Bookings and details: 0401 382 409 or 9489 8187

Email: [geoff@cricketcoachingclinics.com.au](mailto:geoff@cricketcoachingclinics.com.au)

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# Parenting Programs

## Child & Adolescent Parenting

Northern Sydney Local Health Network

(Phone: 9887 5830)



### Triple P (Positive Parenting Program)

Behaviour management program suitable for parents of children (3-8yrs). Clear strategies on how to encourage desirable behaviour and manage persistent misbehaviour.

(7wks/2.5 hrs - 4 group sessions/ two 1:1 phone sessions over 3 weeks, with final group session Wk 8)

◆ Chatswood (19/10)

### Communicating with Kids (based on PET)

6 week/2.5hrs course providing communication skills for building effective long term relationships with your children and other important people in your life. (Age group: 4-12 yrs)

◆ Chatswood (20/10)

### Communicating with Teens <sup>5wks/2.5hrs</sup>

Aims to increase your understanding of your adolescent's needs & behaviour with skills to relate to them.

◆ Chatswood (1/11)

### Workshops for Parents (2.5 hours)

- \* Teens Workshops Dealing with Teen's Back Chat at Chatswood (25/10)
- \* Understanding Your Toddler and Discipline at Chatswood (17/10)
- \* Bully Busting Workshop, at a school near you
- \* Transition to School, at a school near you
- \* Transition to High School, at a school near you
- \* Triple P (PPP) Seminar Series (1-12 years) and (Teens)
- \* NEW Resilient Kids at Chatswood (16/11)

Workshops/Seminars available on request - to organise these or for details of those scheduled for this term, phone 9887-5830

**Term 4, 2011 Courses/Workshops begin from 17/10**

Please phone for a brochure or information about the courses/workshops/seminars on 9887 5830

## Holiday Handwriting Happenings

### BUILDING BLOCKS Occupational Therapy Suite 613 Avanti

1C Burdett Street, Hornsby 2077  
Ph/Fax: 02 9482 3082  
Web: [www.bbot.com.au](http://www.bbot.com.au)

*We offer small group tuition for Primary School children.*

#### Fun Fingers: Kindy-Year 2

*Reinforce correct grasp and posture, writing rules of spacing & size, creative writing FUN & more!*

#### Happy Hands: Years 3-6

*Correcting grasp/posture errors, organisation, improve legibility & more.*

**WHEN:** Mon 29 Sep-Fri 30 Sep (first week of school holidays)

**1 hour daily sessions. Second week subject to demand.**

**WHERE:** Building Blocks Occupational Therapy, Suite 613, Avanti, 1C Burdett Street, Hornsby

**PHONE:** 9482 3082 for more details or to book.

**COST:** \$50 per session (\$250 for the week) claimable thru health funds.



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please visit our website

[www.movingbodies.com.au](http://www.movingbodies.com.au)

or call our office on 02 9940 5240.



# HOLIDAY PROGRAM

Spring 2011

26 September to 7 October 2011

**Abbschool**



AUSTRALIAN CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY

INSTITUTE OF COUNSELLING

INFORMATION EVENING – Strathfield Campus

29 September 2011 at 5.00 pm

For information please call 9704521

or email [admin.ioc@acu.edu.au](mailto:admin.ioc@acu.edu.au)

<http://www.abbotsleigh.nsw.edu.au/abbschool>

(Limited flyers available from the office)

## TERM 4 SWIMMING PROGRAMME WHAT TO BRING

Towel  
Swimming cap (\$3 avail. from office)  
Thongs/slip on shoes (only to be worn to & from the pool)  
Sunscreen (to be applied at home before coming to school).  
It is suggested that sunscreen be sent each day to be applied by your child if needed

T-shirt (to wear to & from pool)  
Drink bottle

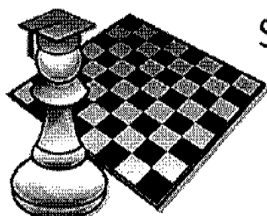
Togs  
Bag for wet items

### K – 3 CLASSES WEDNESDAY WEEKS 2 – 9

Time	Class	Duration	Teacher	Procedure
<p>➤There are 5 minutes between each lesson to allow for children leaving the pool and next group to arrive and settle.</p>				<p>➤Classes to change/ walk to pool 15 minutes prior to their allotted lesson time.</p>
9.05-9.35am	1D	30 min	Catherine Davidson	<p>Children come to school already dressed For Swimming. (Full Uniform in bag)</p> <p>*****If coming by bus/before school care - Full uniform must be worn/Change at school.*****</p> <p>9.00am -Walk to Pool.</p>
9.40-10.10am	1T	30 min	Miranda Trlin	9.30am -Changing clothes/Walk to Pool.
10.15-10.45am	KB	30 min	Talia Brennan	11.50am -Changing clothes/Walk to Pool.
10.50am-11.10am Recess				
11.15-11.45pm	KO	30 min	Louise O'Brien-Poude	<p>Changing clothes before recess.</p> <p>11.10am -Walk to Pool.</p>
11.50-12.20pm	2E	30 min	Jane Emmerig	11.35am -Changing clothes/Walk to Pool.
12.30pm-1.30pm Lunchtime				
1.30-2.00pm	2AC	30 min	Carmel Chivers	<p>Changing clothes before lunch.</p> <p>1.25pm walk to pool</p>
2.05-2.55pm	3HO	45 min	Linda O'Brien/ Mary Anne Haines	1.50pm -Changing clothes/Walk to Pool.

### 4 – 6 CLASSES THURSDAY WEEKS 2 – 9

Time	Class	Duration	Teacher	Procedure
<p>➤There are 5 minutes between each lesson to allow for children leaving the pool and next group to arrive and settle.</p>				<p>➤Classes to change/ walk to pool 15 minutes prior to their allotted lesson time.</p>
9.05-9.55am	5S	45 min	Kate Selkirk	<p>Children come to school already dressed For Swimming. (Full Uniform in bag)</p> <p>*****If coming by bus/before school care - Full uniform must be worn/Change at school.*****</p> <p>9.00am -Walk to Pool.</p>
10.00-10.45am	5M	45 min	Dominic Meagher	9.45am -Changing clothes/Walk to Pool.
10.50am-11.10am Recess				
10.50-11.35pm	4WD	45 min	Tracey Wiggins	10.35am -Changing clothes/Walk to Pool.
11.40-12.25pm	4L	45 min	Rachael Lees	11.25am -Changing clothes/Walk to Pool.
12.30pm-1.30pm Lunchtime				
1.35-2.20pm	6F	45 min	Michael Ford	<p>Changing clothes before lunch.</p> <p>1.30pm walk to pool</p>



## SYDNEY ACADEMY OF CHESS

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### **Prouille Primary School Chess Championship 2011**

Dear Parents,

Sydney Academy of Chess will be running a chess tournament at your son/daughter's school, **Prouille Primary School**. To enter this tournament, your child must have an understanding of the rules of chess.

The tournament will be held on **Friday, 9<sup>th</sup> December, 2011**, from **9:30am–12:30pm**.

The tournament will be run as a Swiss, with approximately 7 games. This means that all children play in all the rounds and no one is knocked out.

There will be **trophies** awarded for the highest 3 scorers, **medals** presented as age prizes, as well as a perpetual trophy for the school with the name of each year's winner engraved on it.

Each child playing will also receive a participation certificate. There will also be encouragement awards, depending on the number of entries.

The cost of participation in the tournament is **\$16.50**. Cheques are to be made payable to **Sydney Academy of Chess**.

If you are interested in your child taking part in this activity, please fill in the form below and return it to the school office. Numbers are limited so to avoid disappointment, please ensure the notes are returned **no later than Friday, 2<sup>nd</sup> December, 2011**.

Thanks and regards,

Brett Tindall  
Sydney Academy of Chess

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### **Prouille Primary School Chess Championship, Term 4, 2011**

I would like my son/daughter to take part in the chess tournament organised by the Sydney Academy of Chess on **Friday, 9<sup>th</sup> December, 2011** and have enclosed payment of **\$16.50**.

Student's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents name and signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

If you would like to receive information and upcoming chess events and tournaments, please enter your email above



Your Broken Bay Catholic School  
Diocesan Parent Council  
in conjunction with the  
Catholic Schools Office presents ...

## Family Camp – Challenge Ranch

NOVEMBER FRIDAY 4<sup>th</sup> – Sunday 6<sup>th</sup>

The DPC invites your family to join us for a weekend of family activities and adventure at the Broken Bay Diocese Challenge Ranch Outdoor Education Centre.

The weekend will provide families with the opportunity to participate together in supervised activities including:  
Abseiling, Flying Fox, Rock Climbing & Archery.  
Other activities include Swimming & Canoeing.  
Come along to a great weekend and enjoy fun times, memories and laughter in activities with your kids that you may not have tried before.

Arrival: Friday evening Departure: Sunday 2.00pm

Prices start from \$235 one adult / one child

\$445 for 2 adults / 2 children

ALL MEALS, ACCOMMODATION AND ACTIVITIES

INCLUDED IN THE PRICE.



Contact: Margaret Channing – DPC Central Coast Coordinator



Tel. 0419 001 890



Email [parentcouncil@dbb.catholic.edu.au](mailto:parentcouncil@dbb.catholic.edu.au)



Parents Walking Together in Partnership with School and Parish.