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Dear Parents and Caregivers

World Vision 40 Hour Challenge Appeal 16-18 June 2023

Saint Kentigern College has for many years been a strong supporter of the World Vision 40 Hour Challenge and due to our significant fundraising contribution we have our own specific project for the money we raise.

World Vision and Saint Kentigern College are continuing their partnership in Vanuatu and Solomon Islands.

In early March 2023, tropical cyclones Judy and Kevin tore through Vanuatu. Terrifying winds flattened homes and schools and destroyed power, water and food supplies. Children in Vanuatu and the Solomon Islands were already suffering from chronic malnutrition. Now they are trying to manage the challenges of climate change, the fall-out of COVID-19 and the global impact of the war in Ukraine.

Where does the money go?

We want to reach more people with the skills and tools to fight malnutrition and care for their children. This is our chance to change a child's world with nutritious food – to help a child's health and enable them to develop as they grow.

Inspiration and Challenge Ideas

- Your fundraising challenge could be 40 hours without food or electricity, motorised transport; no gaming or Netflix; going without digital devices; anything where the student goes 'without'.
- Students can be sponsored for the 20 km World Vision Walkathon - walking the coastal pathways/roads from Saint Kentigern College to Musick Point and back (approximately 20 km and taking approximately 4 hours) on **Sunday 18 June, 8.30am to 1.30pm**.

We encourage students, with parents' permission, [to use this link for online fundraising](#) through Facebook. This is a great way to get sponsors and easier to collect funds as they are direct credited into the official World Vision Famine account.

We appreciate your choice as parents and caregivers to decide if and how they are involved.

If you have any questions regarding the 40 Hour Famine, please do not hesitate to contact Mark Robinson (mark.robinson@saintkentigern.com).

Yours sincerely

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