



Dear Parents and Caregivers

Dates for Your Diary

June

- 4 ICAS Science Competition
- 4 Flashmob Rehearsal
- 5-7 School Camp Yr5/6
- 8 Working Bee with Costa
- 10 Queens Birthday Public Holiday
- 11 P&C Meeting
- 11 Multi-Cultural Speaking Competition
- 12 Year 4 Council Excursion
- 13 Reconciliation Aboriginal Performance K-6
- 17 Year1 Excursion Little Diggers
- 19 Working Bee with Costa
- 20 Yamaha Band Concert
- 20 Year 3 Zoo Excursion
- 28 Red Nose Day
- 28 Last Day Of Term

July Term 3

- 15 Staff Development Day
- 16 First Day Back for Students
- 17 Primary Athletics Carnival
- 24 OC Testing
- 29 Education week
- 31 ICAS English Competition

August

- 13 District Athletics Carnival
- 13 P&C Meeting
- 12 ICAS Mathematics Competition
- 14 Primary Proms Rehearsal 9am-1:30pm
- 20 ½ Day District Athletics Carnival
- 27 Festival of Music Concert –Violin

September

- 5 Big Band Bash, Daceyville
- 10 P&C Meeting
- 10 Senior Choral Rehearsal 9am-1:30pm
- 10 Author Visit
- 14 Election Day BBQ
- 18 Primary Proms Performance
- 20 Last Day of Term

No PSSA SPORT THIS FRIDAY

A reminder that due to all of year 5 and 6 attending camp there will be no PSSA sport this Friday. School sport will continue as usual.

FOG LIFTED TO A SEA OF COLOUR



The Rose Bay PS children, teachers and parent helpers joined together on Wednesday morning to enjoy the special annual event that is the Sportathon.

The athletes arrived in glorious colour to participate in the sports party, but before they started Rose Bay's own PSY put the athletes through their 'Gangnam Style' paces. The 'Rose Bay PSY' had a hint of Greek-style about him, which made for some strange moves for the enthusiastic crowd, before the sports leaders joined in on stage and the event was 'opened'.

Then the athletes - dressed in their favourite sporting colours, ranging from Roosters jerseys to pink ballet dresses - took to the activities with vigour and plenty of smiles, all in the name of fun, fitness and fundraising.

A big thank you to Sam Mills, Costa, Yianni, Karen Collins (Event Coordinator) and especially all the parents who came along to help, the event couldn't work without you.

Ayse Burke

Rose Bay P&C President





SPORTATHON MONEY COLLECTION

Athletes have until Friday 14 June to return their money and forms to be eligible for the prizes (*see the great prizes on offer*).

- There will be a **collection desk** next to the office each morning from 8.50am-9.20am for all returning money and forms;
- Or place money with form in your child's plastic folder.

PRIZES FOR ALL

- All athletes returning money will receive a 'thank you prize' of a children's magazine and Rebel Sport voucher.
- Every athlete who raises over \$30 will go into a draw to win special vouchers and sports packs.
- Every athlete who raises over \$100 will also go into a second draw to win prizes including an extraordinary opportunity for double passes to watch a **live Sydney Swans match - sitting in a corporate box!** Also there are tickets to a Waratahs game, 'Leap Frogs Action Sports & Games' birthday party, Let's Go Surfing lessons and more!

WHAT ARE WE RAISING MONEY FOR?

Our aim this year is to raise \$32,000 for Mobile Learning Centres (each mobile centre has 30 laptops) that benefit all students at Rose Bay Public School. It is a big task but hopefully with the support of our students, families and community we can deliver the funds the school needs.



School Photographs

All ordered school photographs have arrived and have been handed out to the class teachers. The School Leaders, House Captains, Junior and Senior Band, Violin Group and whole school photos are on display now in the front office window. If you would like to order any of these group photos please fill in the envelope and enclose the payment by cheque or the correct money at the front office by **Wednesday 5th June**.

Please do not pay via the school online payment system. All orders must be made by enclosing the correct money or a cheque in the Advance Photo envelopes, which are available at the office.

Sarah Skelton

Working Bee dates

THIS Saturday 8th June

9:00 to 11:00

and

Wednesday 19th June

9:20 to 11:00

Come and help Costa in our school garden.

All hands welcome!

Jobs for everyone



Weeding, planting, tidying, composting, mulching, pruning and more.







A Freudian Slip is generally understood to be a slip of the tongue or a mistake in a document that shows the authors true feelings. Now given approximately 15 mums and dads of the school reviewed the Your Voice in Our School brochure that was sent home last week – what should we make of the school TERM dates (back page, middle panel) being labeled school ‘holiday’ dates. Oh and by the way I was one of those reviewers.....my 8 year old daughter looked at me sternly, took out her red pen and corrected it for me and then put in back on our notice board so it can act as a ready reference guide to dates.

More importantly, the brochure highlights our school community’s achievements each time you volunteer and support the P&C events, so congratulations to you all!

Now on to more business. The P&C has had wonderful volunteer coordinators for our previous events: Welcome Morning Tea – Tamara Leizer (supported by 10 volunteers); Picnic Under the Stars – Bianca Havas (supported by 20 volunteers); Mother’s Day Breakfast – Rachael Symmonds (supported by 20 volunteers); Sportathon – Karen Collins (supported by 40 volunteers); and for Father’s Day and Election BBQ – these will be coordinated by Mike Tipper and many volunteers. We have a vacancy for our final adult social/fundraiser event and we want YOU.

Calling on event coordinators, supermums, personal assistants and project managers that know that many hands make light work. We have plenty of experience with past events and will make sure you have as many volunteers and support, as you need. Come to our next P&C Meeting on 11th June, 7 – 8.45pm, School Library (there is the bonus of something to drink, nibbles and chocolates) or send me an email at rosebaypc@gmail.com.

Come and join the fun!!

Ayse Burke
P&C President



BAND

Here are some images from the band concert this term. The show was a hit and the students had a wonderful time. There were a lot of proud parents in the room and teachers too. A big thankyou to Miss Jen Brown for her wonderful teaching and a huge congratulations to the students for their hours of practising.



A note from the RBPS Parent Traffic Committee



The RBPS Parent Traffic Committee is here to provide parents with useful information and friendly guidance about the parking options around the school.

Following is a handy list of some of the offences and penalties which apply in a school zone. A useful diagram of the school parking plan is overleaf. Please remember that it is not only illegal, but also dangerous, to contravene these rules.

Offence	Fine	Minimum loss of demerit points
If you stop or park on or near a pedestrian crossing	\$353	2
If you double park	\$298	2
If you park on a footpath	\$147	2
If you park on or across a driveway	\$147	2
If you stop in a bus zone	\$298	2
If you disobey a no stopping sign	\$298	2
If you disobey a no parking sign	\$165	2
If you make an illegal u-turn	\$265	3
If you disobey a P5 sign	\$165	2

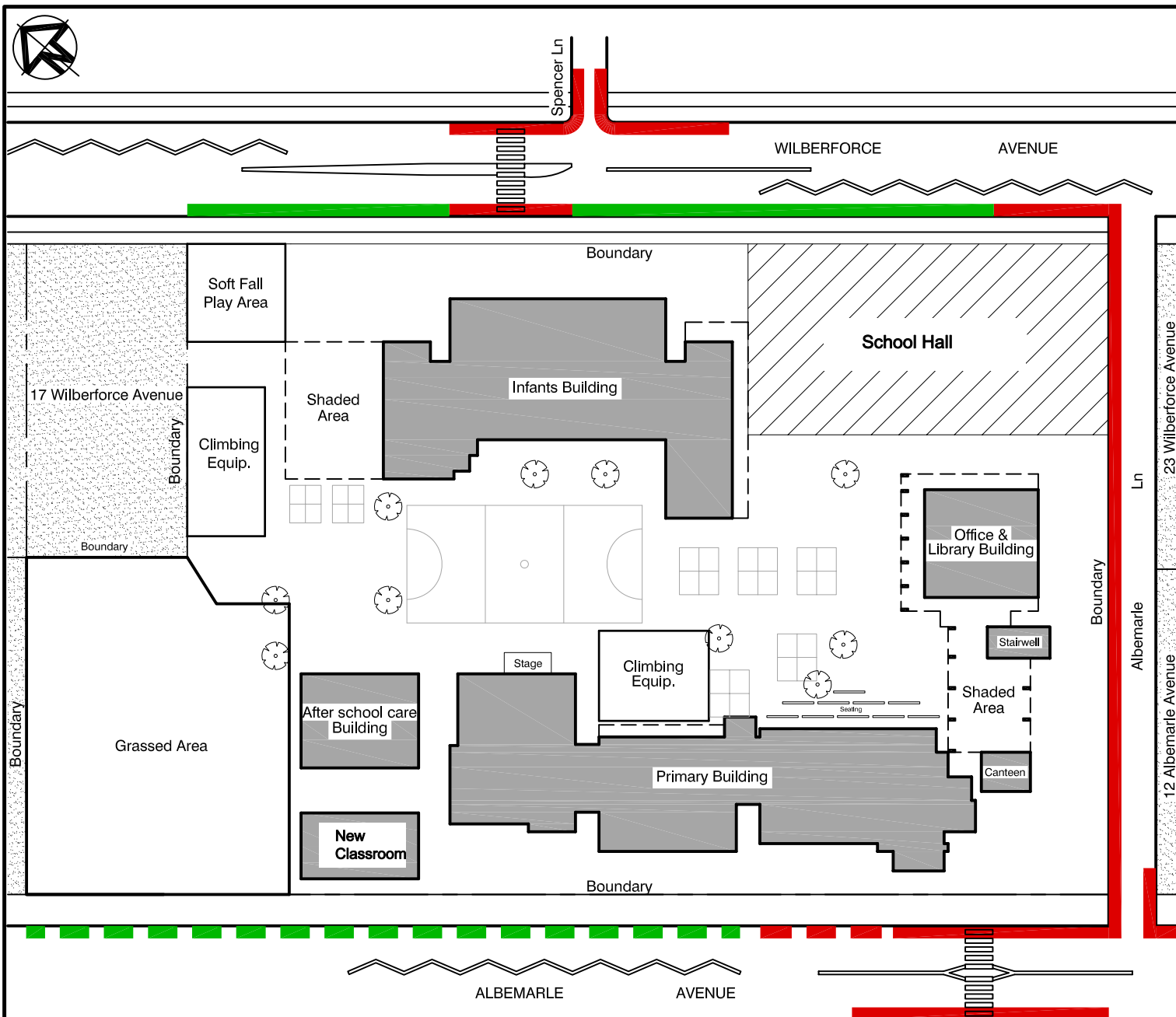
Go with the Flow: If you are using the **Wilberforce Ave** access point to drop off and pick up your child:

- Always stay in your car;
 - In the mornings you may stop in the "No Parking" zone, wait in the car, and watch your child enter the school.
 - In the afternoons you may stop for up to two minutes to wait for your child.
 - Please stop in the furthest available spot to allow room for other cars. If there are no spots please go around the block and return a few minutes later.
- Please do not double park while you are waiting to join the queue.**

If you wish to come into the school you are encouraged to **walk, cycle or scooter** if possible. This eliminates parking stress, encourages conversation, is great exercise and benefits the environment!



If driving is necessary, please **park in an adjoining street** and enjoy the short walk to school. There is usually ample parking along the golf course on Newcastle St. ☺



Thank you for helping keep our kids safe.







ROSE BAY PUBLIC SCHOOL PARKING PLAN

DRAWING LEGEND:

 **NO STOPPING**
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 You **MUST NOT STOP** in this zone. Stopping in a no stopping zone, even for a short time is illegal. The fine for stopping in a NO STOPPING zone is:
\$298 + 2 points

 **BUS ZONE**
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 8.00 - 9.30am
 2.30 - 4.00pm
 School Days
 You **MUST NOT STOP** in this zone. Stopping in a bus zone even for a short period is illegal. The fine for stopping even quickly to unload is:
\$298 + 2 points

 **NO PARKING**
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 8.00 - 9.30am
 2.30 - 4.00pm
 School Days
 This means that drivers are not allowed to stop their vehicles, except for when they are picking up or setting down goods or passengers. The driver of the vehicle may only stop for a maximum of 2 minutes and the driver cannot move more than 3 meters away from the vehicle. This is the equivalent of a kiss and drop. Stop, unload the bags and children, hug/kiss and drive away. Disobey this sign:
\$165 + 2 points

 **P5 MINUTE**
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 8.00 - 9.30am
 2.30 - 4.00pm
 School Days
 Allows driver to park the car and escort the children into the playground. Driver must return to vehicle and drive away within 5 minutes. This requires strict co-operation so that other parents of young children (kinder/infants) may also do the same. Disobey sign:
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DOUBLE PARKING
 Even for a short time, is illegal

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- Improve concentration
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- Improve balance and develop skills
- Maintain and develop flexibility



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