Newsletter 26th November 2014





Dates for Your Diary

November

27 White Ribbon Breakfast 27 Year 6 Fun Day 1:00 - 3:20

December

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1 Year 6 PD Lesson #2 2 Last day for band tutorials 2 Last Senior Band rehearsal 3 **High School Orientation** 4 Presentation Day in Hall 5 **PSSA Sport Concludes** 8 Year 4 French Performance 8 Last Junior Band rehearsal

Year 4 French Performance

11 K-2 Movie Day 15 Year 6 Farewell 16 3-6 Movie Day Year 6 March Out 17 17 Last Day of Term 4

School Planning -Survey

All NSW DEC Schools are in the process of collecting data to inform their school evaluation and strategic plans for 2015— 2017. As part of those process we have created a survey that asks you to describe 'what you would like your child to have in their school bag when they leave Rose Bay Public School.' We look forward to your thoughts.

Please click here for the Parent Survey Link.





Our Salvation Army Giving Tree is now up in reception. We are asking for donations of new gifts for the Salvation Army's Christmas Appeal.

This year there will be a focus on presents for teenage girls, e.g. music vouchers, toiletries, costume jewellery, etc. However, all gifts for all ages will be greatly appreciated.

Please wrap the presents in clear wrapping and attach a note labelling what age and gender the present is suitable for. Bring presents to the office and place under the tree. Thank you for giving to those in need



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Piñata Party

SPIDER DRINKS

POP!

HAIR SPRAY

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Year 6

Fun Day

Thursday 27th November

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1pm - 2:30pm

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THROW

Stalls will cost between 20 cents to \$2.00

Goal

Karaoke Zone If you have any concerns with your child participating in any activity, please inform your child's teacher.

Krazy Koin

Kups

ICE Cream Spin to Win

Disco

FACE PAINTING

PIZZA
(PRE-ORDERED
ONLY)

SPONGE THROWING





Rose Bay Public School Presentation Day 2014

> for Primary Classes

Staff, students and the community of

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2014 Presentation Day

a celebration of excellence and achievement

Thursday 4th December 2014

Rose Bay Public School Hall Albemarle Avenue Rose Bay Commencing at 9:30 am

Class Achievement Awards for Key Learning Areas Year 6 Awards and Graduation Certificates School Performance Groups

WORKING BEEV

This Friday from 3:20pm

Come and join us in the garden. Whether for half an hour or more. Everyone Welcome!



SCHOOL LEADERS FOR 2015

Last Friday, our 16 School Leader nominees presented their election speeches to Years 3-6, as well as their teachers. All nominees presented brilliant speeches that were thoughtful and articulate and gave great reasons why they should be a school leader. Votes were then counted and announced at Wednesday's whole school assembly. I am pleased to announce that the 8 school leaders for 2015 are:

Alix (5/6E), Gracie (5E), Tara (5H), Sunny (5H), Joshua (5E), Mark (5/6E), Spencer (5H) and James (5/6E).

These students will be presented with their leader badges at Presentation Day next Thursday, along with the announcement of boy and girl School Captain.

Ed Milts

Assistant Principal

Library Stocktake

The annual stock take is currently underway in our school library! Please assist us in this process by returning any overdue books asap.



Term 4 invoices are now due.

Please pay promptly at the school website.



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P&C Picnic Under the Stars

The bright blue, sunny skies on Thursday were perfect weather for a picnic!

The evening kicked off to awesome sounds from our DJ Nic from Night Moods - who kept both the young, older and inbetweeners entertained. No event is complete without the obligatory Macarena and YMCA and Nic certainly didn't disappoint.

Loads of picnic blankets were sprawled across the grass area while the kids expressed their artistic prowess with chalk drawing on the playground. If you were unlucky enough to miss the night, you will no doubt be able to check out the art work for some weeks to come......or at least until the next rains arrive!

None of this would have been possible without the assistance of some special people who kindly volunteered their time.

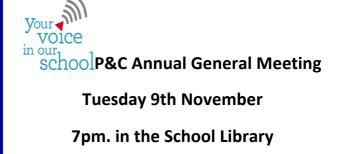
A huge thank you to those of you who helped out on the night. Cutting 65kg worth of watermelon and transporting 70 pizzas is no easy feat!

Thanks also to Mendy from Hatzolah, who bandaged and strapped the inevitable cuts, scrapes and bruises.

And lastly, thanks to everyone who joined in the fun. I'm sure you will all agree that it was a fantastic night and the buzz and laughter in the air was incredible.

I'm already looking forward to next year!

Karen Finnucane







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Rose Bay Public School Band Program

What a great year the Rose Bay Public School Band has had, with a number of performances to be proud of. Thank you all for a great year and all your hard work in making 2014 a success!

2015 looks certain to be even more successful with the increase in enrolments for Junior Band.

Both Junior and Senior Band have a number of performances to look forward to next year, so as soon as you get your new music start practising straight away in order to get the best result.

Performances to look forward to next year.....

Hot Cross Bun Festival, End of Term Concerts, NSW Band Festival, and many more!

What to practise:

Senior Band will be getting some new music for 2015, whilst the new Junior Band will get their starter packs in the New Year.

Practice tip - Remember, it's not a race!

Keep in mind that each person learns at varying speeds. Some are quick learners while others take time to progress. Don't be ashamed if you feel you're progressing slower than your classmates. The best musicians reached their level of success through determination and patience.

Reminder

<u>Last Junior Band rehearsal:</u> <u>Monday 8th December</u>

Last Senior Band rehearsal: on Tuesday 2nd December

Last day of tutorials
Tuesday 2nd December

Section of the week

This week it goes to the.......Percussion section!!!

Richard Sandham

RBPS Program Manager





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PARENTS:

WHAT DO YOU WANT YOUR CHILD TO HAVE IN THEIR SCHOOL BAG AT THE END OF THEIR TIME AT ROSE BAY PS?

The Staff of Rose Bay Public School hosted a morning tea on Tuesday 25th November to thank all of those who have volunteered their time this year. We would like to extend our thanks to those of who helped but were unable to attend.



This year's recipients of the Simone Moore award, Michael and Simi Hyde, and Leora Phillips.









A group of our hard working Year 6 parents.















Year 5 French students have enjoyed working on the play "Le chat et la Lune", learning new language structures and expanding their vocabulary. They recently performed the play IN FRENCH, demonstrating not only their impressive language skills but also their acting talents!



« Au secours, au secours! La lune est tombée dans l'eau! »

Help, help! The moon has fallen into the water!











« La lune ne peut pas tomber dans l'eau, mes amis. La lune est en haut dans le ciel tout le temps! »

The moon cannot fall into the water, my friends. The moon is up there in the sky all the time!

Final curtain call!





The Year 4 Package Criteria

The Drop

Could you create a package to stop a fragile object being broken when dropped from a school window? Year 4 had a major Science project recently involving just that...

Criteria

The materials needed to be inexpensive.

They needed to be sustainable (long lasting) i.e. reusable, recyclable or biodegradable.

The volume of the package needed to be less than 1000 cubic centimetres.

The fragile object needed to be successfully removed from its packaging less than 3 minutes after the drop.

The fragile object needed to survive the drop intact.



Here are some photos of the Year 4 Drop in action!













The SRC are working together to make a presentation about correct usage of the bins in the school playground.

SRC News







The SRC has been continuing to promote Waste Free Wednesday within classes across the school as a way to reduce playground rubbish.

Congratulations to the classes who have been awarded Waste Free Wednesday Winners: 1W, 2H, 3G, 3M, 4M and 5E



Here is a look at some delicious waste free lunches that have been spotted.



Waste Free Wednesday Winners!

Congratulations!
Your class was the most Waste Free this week!
'/ of lunchboxes were free of waste!
Thank you for thinking about our
environment!

SRC 2014







2014 TERM 4 INVOICE

Please pay on-line by Thursday 30th October 2014.

On-Line Payment Instructions:

Go to Rose Bay Public School Website.

Find the \$ Make a payment link on the front page of the website.

Follow the instructions.

You do not need to enter a student registration or Invoice number.

Each child needs a separate on-line payment.

The costs below are for activities during Term 4, 2014.

Please make sure all invoices are paid in full or alternatively call the office to discuss a payment plan.

Permission notes will be sent out separately for each excursion.

Please ensure they are signed and returned to the class teacher before the due date so that your child is allowed to attend the excursion.

ACTIVITY	DATE	COST	KC KN KS KD KF KH	1J 1P 1Z 1T	2H 2C 2T 2W	3G 3M 3S	4D 4M 4L	5H 5E	5/6E 6M 6J
Yr K Gymnastics	over 8 weeks	\$45	\$45.00						
Yr 1 Athletics	over 8 weeks	\$15		\$15.00					
Yr 2 Swim School	20th Oct-31st Oct	\$60			\$60.00				
Yr 1 Excursion Botanic Gardens	21st Oct	\$9		\$9.00					
Yr 5 Excursion Aust Museum	12th Nov	\$15						\$15.00	
Yr 3 Hyde Park Barracks/Museum	20th Nov	\$25				\$25.00			
K-2 Movie Day	11th Dec	\$20	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00				
Yr 6 Farewell	15th Dec	\$40							\$40.00
Yr 3-6 Movie Day	16th Dec	\$27		9		\$27.00	\$27.00	\$27.00	\$27.00
TOTAL	DAVAGNE		\$65.00	\$44.00	\$80.00	\$52.00	\$27.00	\$42.00	\$67.00

PAYMENT IS DUE BY THURSDAY 30th October 2014

Should you wish to round the amount off, all extra money will be donated to Stewart House, the official charity of the NSW Department of Education and Training.

Name:	Class:





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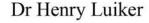
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