



ROSE BAY PUBLIC SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

16th November 2016

Green Day

STUDENTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO WEAR UPCYCLED, RECYCLED OR GREEN CLOTHING TO SCHOOL ON

Tuesday 29th November

AS ROSE BAY PUBLIC SCHOOL CELEBRATES PLANET EARTH.

THROUGHOUT THE DAY STUDENTS WILL ATTEND A 'RECYCLING' SESSION WITH COSTA GEORGIADIS AS WELL AS PARTICIPATE IN CLASSROOM AND PLAYGROUND ACTIVITIES FOCUSED ON CARING FOR THE ENVIRONMENT.

"Unless someone like you cares a whole awful lot,
Nothing is going to get better. It's not."

DR. SEUSS, *The Lorax*

WALK OR BIKE TO SCHOOL!

REDUCE, RE-USE & RECYCLE!

WASTE FREE LUNCHES!

RESPECT PLANET EARTH!

Dates for Your Diary

November

17	Disco Years 3-6 only
23	Chess Championship
24	White Ribbon Day
24 - 25	Stage 1 Science Viva
29	Green Day – Mufty Day K-6
29	Band Concert 6pm
30	Presentation Day

December

2	School Sport & PSSA Concludes
5	Parent Thank You Morning Tea
6	P&C AGM 7pm
7	Sport Awards Assembly
8	Year 6 Fun Day
13	Year 6 Farewell
14	K-2 Movie Day
15	3-6 Movie Day
16	Year 6 March Out
16	Last Day of School



PRIMARY
"BRIGHT AND
SPARKLY" DISCO
STEWART HOUSE
FUNDRAISER

YEARS 3-6

WHEN: THURSDAY 17TH NOVEMBER

WHERE: IN THE SCHOOL HALL

TIME: 5.30PM AND FINISH AT 7.00PM (SHARP)

COST: ENTRY IS \$5 AND INCLUDES AN ICE-BLOCK. ALL MONEY WILL BE COLLECTED ON THE NIGHT UPON ENTRY BY SUPERVISING TEACHERS. ALL PROCEEDS WILL BE DONATED TO STEWART HOUSE.

WEAR: THE THEME OF THE DISCO IS "BRIGHT AND SPARKLY". CHILDREN ARE ASKED TO GET INTO THE SPIRIT BY WEARING SOMETHING BRIGHT OR SPARKLES (OR BOTH!). PLEASE MAKE SURE YOUR CHILD IS WEARING SUITABLE CLOTHING AND SHOES (NO THONGS OR HEELS).

BRING: A WATER BOTTLE THAT IS CLEARLY LABELLED IS RECOMMENDED.

PLEASE SIGN THE PERMISSION SLIP ON THE NOTE SENT HOME IF YOUR CHILD IS ATTENDING THE DISCO.

Put this date in your diary:

P&C Annual General Meeting

**Tuesday 6th December 7pm
In the library**

ROSE BAY PUBLIC SCHOOL
PRESENTATION DAY

FOR YEARS 3-6

WEDNESDAY
30 NOVEMBER 2016

9:30 - 11:00 am

CLASS ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS FOR KEY
LEARNING AREAS
YEAR 6 AWARDS AND GRADUATION
CERTIFICATES
SCHOOL PERFORMANCE GROUPS



2nd Hand Uniform Shop

The 2nd Hand Uniform Shop is low on stock, especially small sizes in summer uniforms. Seeking donations from parents ASAP. Please drop to the office or to the Uniform Shop on Monday afternoons or Wednesday mornings.

Opening Hours:
Mondays 2:15 – 3:10pm
Wednesdays 8:45 – 9:45am



2017 Kindergarten Orientation

Over recent weeks we have welcomed all of our 2017 Kindergarten children and their families to Rose Bay Public School.

The children settled into the classrooms beautifully, participating in high quality learning programs with their peers, while parents joined up for an information session in the hall.

Special thanks to the junior choir and the current Kindergarten students who stood on stage and shared their own delightful stories of starting school, and also modelled our school uniform. They were articulate and enthusiastic and great representatives of Rose Bay Public School.

I look forward to the new students and families joining us in 2017.



The Salvation Army Giving Tree

Rose Bay Public School will be collecting Christmas presents for the Salvation Army again this year. We are asking for donations of new gifts for the Salvation Army's Christmas Appeal. There will be a focus on presents for teenage girls and boys, e.g. music vouchers, toiletries, costume jewellery, sport equipment, caps 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.

This great link for parents now on our school website.

Take a look

www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au

School A to Z Practical Help for Parents

School A to Z has been produced by the NSW Department of Education and Communities. The aim is to create an online community with comprehensive homework and 'school life' support for parents that is easy to use, relevant and engaging.

www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au

The screenshot shows the website interface with a navigation menu including 'Home', 'Homework and study', 'Wellbeing', 'Technology', 'School guide', and 'Conversations'. A featured article titled 'Phonics: helping your child with sounds & words' is visible, along with a 'Learn more on the scene' button and a book cover for 'School A to Z'.





DIRECTIONS IN **music** Inspire, Create, Perform.

RBPS Band News

Dear Rose Bay Band members and families,

With only 3 more rehearsals until our last concert for the year on **Tuesday November 29th at 6pm (Week 8)** both Junior and Senior Band members need to keep the practice up so our final performance is one to remember.

Here are the songs to be working on:

Junior Band - **The Spook, Trolls and Ka Boom and Procession of Heroes.**

Senior Band - **Quiet Moments, Bavarian BBQ, With Trumpets Sounding and Procession of Heroes.**

The final week for band and tutorials will be week 9, week starting Monday December 5th.

If you have any questions please don't hesitate to get in touch. We look forward to seeing you at the concert on the 29th.

Regards,
Woody.

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Junior Band 2017

Recently we ran a band expo in the hall for all Year 2 Students. The children were introduced to all of the instruments available in the band program, heard demonstrations and received information about joining the band program next year. We encourage you to think about enrolling your child in this program. Information and enrolment forms have been sent home with all Year 2 students. These are due back at school by 14th November. Alternatively, you can enroll directly through directions in Music.

WHAT DO I DO NOW?

Visit our website to complete our online enrolment form for the fastest way to apply. If you have any questions please give our friendly office a call on 9662 2211.



OUR SCHOOL VISION STATEMENT

At Rose Bay PS we aim for our students to become:

- successful learners
- confident and creative individuals
- active and informed citizens

Kindergarten
have been
learning how to
reduce, reuse
and recycle!



Now that we know
how to recycle, we
make sure that we
always put our
rubbish in the right
bin.

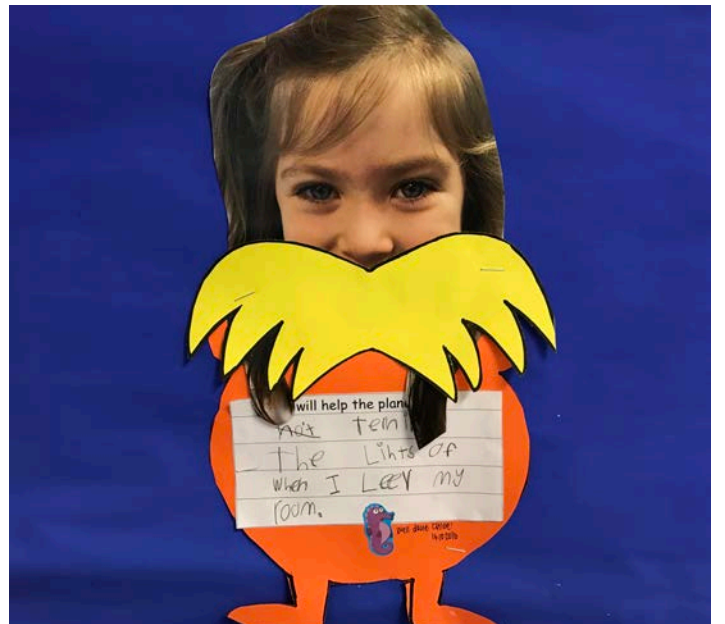
Our students have
been putting their
superhero capes on
and are spreading
their environmental
messages.





Etienne's Mum helped Kindergarten to set up a worm farm for our garden. Every Tuesday and Friday, our students can throw their scraps in the 'Worm Cafe.'

Just like Dr. Seuss's 'The Lorax', we believe "Unless someone like you cares a whole awful lot. Nothing is going to get better. It's not!"



Stage 1

The Empty Pot Artworks by 1P & 1H



Blaize



Jocelyn



Evie



Aoife



Raffy



Hania

Year 1 Penguin

Harry



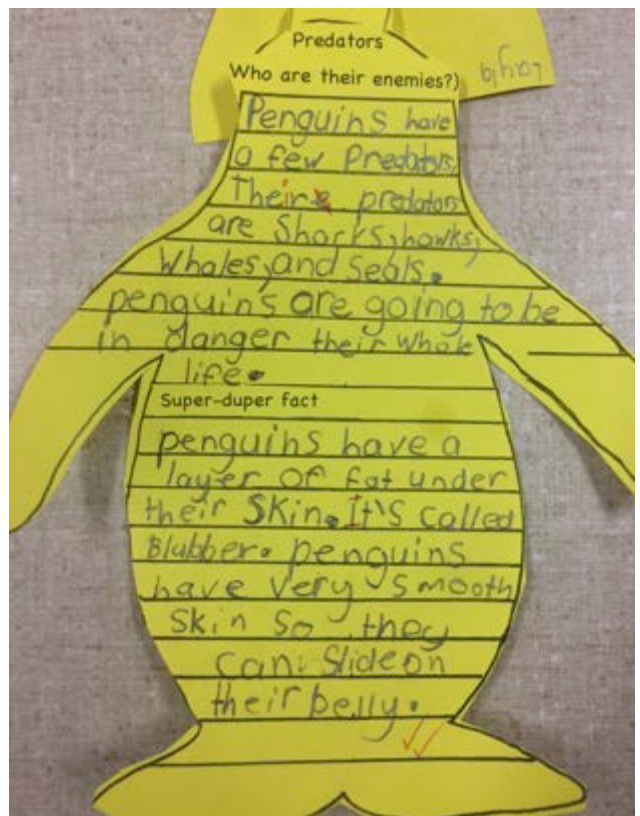
Katie

Art and Writing

Layla



Isobel



2016 TERM 4 INVOICE

Please pay on-line by Thursday 3rd November 2016

On-Line Payment Instructions:

Google Rose Bay Public School Website.

Click on **\$ Make a payment** link on the home page of the website.

Follow the instructions.

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

The costs below are for activities during Term 4, 2016

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	KG KN KD KF KT	1H 1P 1Z 1S	2A 2D 2T 2M	3H 3T 3W 3/4S	4H 4W 4S	5D 5E	5/6C 6E 6J
Stage 1 Scienza Viva Incursion	24-25/11/2016		\$7.50	\$7.50				
Kinder Gymnastics	8 weeks	\$45.00						
Yr 1 Athletics	8 weeks		\$15.00					
Science Resources Yrs 3 & 4	10 weeks				\$10.00	\$10.00		
Yr 2 Swim School	24/10-4/11/16			\$70.00				
Yr3 Art Gallery Excursion	9/11/2016				\$22.00			
Green Day	22/11/2016	\$4.00	\$4.00	\$4.00	\$4.00	\$4.00	\$4.00	\$4.00
Yr4 Art Gallery Excursion	16/11/2016					\$22.00		
Yr 6 Farewell	12/12/2016							Yr 6 only \$45
K-2 Movie Day	14/12/2016	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00				
3-6 Movie Day	15/12/2016				\$29.00	\$29.00	\$29.00	\$29.00
TOTAL		\$69.00	\$46.50	\$101.50	\$65.00	\$65.00	\$33.00	\$33 Yr 5 \$78 Yr 6

Name:

Class:

Payment is due by THURSDAY 3rd November 2016

Should you wish to round the amount off, all extra money will be donated to Stewart House



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Spring into Soccer



Winter has almost come to an end and we are just about to start our spring season program.

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All of our mid-week sessions start at 4pm and are at Centennial Park (opposite Queens Park) or in Dover Heights.

Soccer Saturday – 2pm Matches @ Centennial Park

Come and play – We will organise a weekly match – Teams will be allocated on the day.

Dates & Cost

Start: Monday 22nd August

Finish: Saturday 17th December

*No Training sessions during the School Holidays
**No Matches on Saturday 1st October

Option	Activity	Weeks	Cost
1	Training & Match	16	\$592
2	Training ONLY	16	\$432
3	Match ONLY	16	\$160

For more information visit

www.kickeroos.com.au

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Call 0416 628 531

ISRAELI SUMMER DAYS

Pack your bags for a summer tizul to Eilat Beach



CELEBRATE SUMMER!



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6 NOVEMBER 2016
10.30AM-2.30PM



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KIDS 0-10

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(¹and their families)
(²that sometimes come out as "bad" behaviours)

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