

ROSE BAY PUBLIC SCHOOL

What's On...

November Thursday 29 Band Concert

December Wednesday 5 Year 3-6 Presentation Day Friday 7 **PSSA and School Sport Concludes Tuesday 11** Year 6 Fun Day Wednesday 12 Sport/Chess Assembly Thursday 13 Year 6 Graduation Monday 17 K-2 Movie Day **Tuesday 18** 3-6 Movie Day Wednesday 19 Last day for students

January 2019 Wednesday 30 2019 School Year Commences Years 1-6 only

School Newsletter - 21st November 2018 Term 4 Week 6



An aspect of learning that we increasingly talk about is the importance of quality learning experiences in STEM. The focus is on integrating the learning across these disciplines and approaching learning from an inquiry point of view.

I was delighted to share in these learning experiences. Students from K-6 participated in a range of collaborative learning experiences which included transporting programmable robots (Dash and Sphero) across a void through the design and engineering of bridges, analysing and replicating the movement of particles through coding and applying mathematical thinking to create varied solutions to identify distances, speed and amount of rotation in order to successfully travel from destinations combating hazards along the way.

Students displayed great problem solving, initiative and critical and creative thinking. All students enthusiastically participated in these hands-on experiences and gained a deeper knowledge of how Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics interrelate.

Thank you to all of the teachers who made this great week of learning take place.

School Finance

School finances are a tricky beast. As a school, our teachers always wish to provide a varied and stimulating curriculum and at times, this incurs a fee, particularly for special events, excursions or performances.



However, we currently have \$85,000 in fees outstanding for the year. Whilst we understand that there are times when there may be a need for financial support, this is an extraordinary amount of money. To put in in perspective, this is roughly the equivalent of a teacher 4 days per week. Or the cost to install another set of interactive whiteboards.

We encourage all members of our community to pay their invoice in a timely manner. And of course, please contact us immediately should we be of any assistance with paying an outstanding levy. Reminders will be sent home shortly.

It would also be remiss of me not to thank Vicki and Alex for their professional manner in handling payments and invoice queries (on top of all the other things they do).



Nautical Night

What an amazing evening!!

Thank you to the P&C and all those involved in the organisation of the recent parent evening, A Nautical Night. Events such as this take an extraordinary amount of work behind the scenes - from catering and organising the event, to ticket sales, coordinating raffles and silent auctions and even the publicity. I know that the committee worked exceedingly hard to make this night special.

Thank you to all those who were involved. Your valuable contribution supports the school in educating your children.



Smart boards

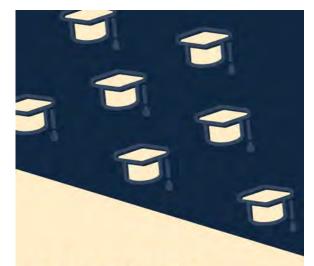
Our new smart boards have been installed and are already getting a work out from teaching staff and children alike. Smart boards are an excellent tool for promoting engagement, critical thinking and collaboration. These boards were installed at a cost of approximately \$56,000.

Thank you to the P&C and the OOSH for their contribution towards these valuable learning tools.

The Salvation Army Giving Tree

Our Salvation Army Giving Tree will be displayed in the office area in the next few weeks. 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 teenagers 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 by Monday 17th December. Thank you for giving to those in need.





ROSE BAY PUBLIC SCHOOL Y3-6 Presentation Day 2018

CLASS ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS, YEAR 6 AWARDS, GRADUATION CERTIFICATES, SCHOOL PERFORMANCE GROUPS

9.30 AM • Wednesday December 5 2018 • Rose Bay PS Hall • Parents & guests welcome •



P&C News

The Nautical Night was a fabulous event for the Rose Bay Public School community. Thank you to the hard working committee who toiled endlessly to make this night a success.



A Nautical Night could not have happened without our amazing community, volunteers & prize donors



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Decorating committee



Entertainment

Resident DJ Steve The Eastern Prophets – featuring Robbie Woolf, Winston Stephenson & Band



If you would like to order a photo from the Nautical Night, please contact our P&C for the link. <u>rosebaypc@gmail.com</u>

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2018 OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENTS IN SPORT

Sydney East and State Representatives



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REPRESENTED SYDNEY EAST AT THE NSW AFL CHAMPIONSHIPS

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REPRESENTED SYDNEY EASTAT THE NSW ATHLETICS CHAMPIONSHIPS HIGH JUMP

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL THE CHILDREN WHO REPRESENTED ROSE BAY AT DISTRICT CARNIVALS THIS YEAR AND TO THE NUMEROUS CHILDREN WHO REPRESENTED SYDNEY COASTAL AT REGIONAL CARNIVALS.







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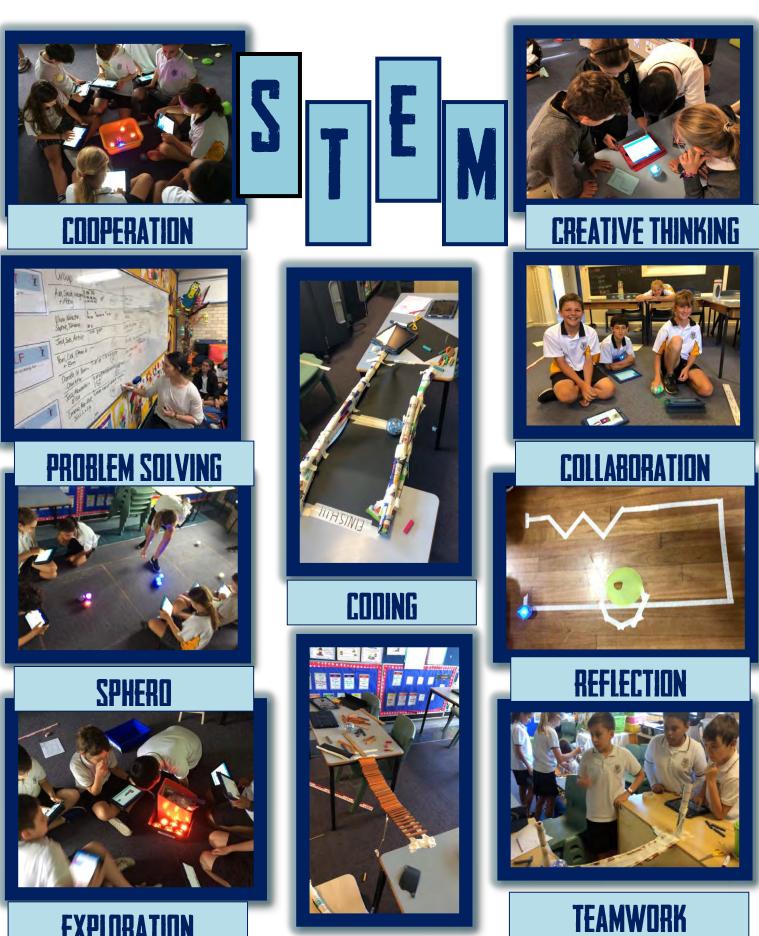
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EXPLORATION

Year 2 Swim School

Year 2 students recently completed the Department of Education's two week School Swimming and Water Safety Program including water safety briefings and in-pool skill development.

> "I learnt how to save a drowning person by using a towel." Ethan

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"I learnt to lie on my back in a current or a rip so I can breathe and call for help." Coralie

Students made their own water safety posters and wrote to convince everyone to learn to swim.

JUNIOR BAND WANTS YOU!

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FIT WOMAN ACADEMY

Play soccer all year rou **Term 4 Skills Training** Fun Club 2-5 yrs, Academy 5-12 yr **Development Squads, I-I training 2019 Upcoming Tournaments**

erm I: Fun Social Matches: U6's-U8's Feb-June: League Tournaments: U8's-UII's eb-Mar: Advanced pre-season: UI

MUMS FITNESS CLASSES IN LYNE PARK MON-FR

INTRO OFFER: \$15 for 3 Classes in any 1 week

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psychologists help kids¹ with sad, angry, anxious or confused feelings²

(1 and their families)

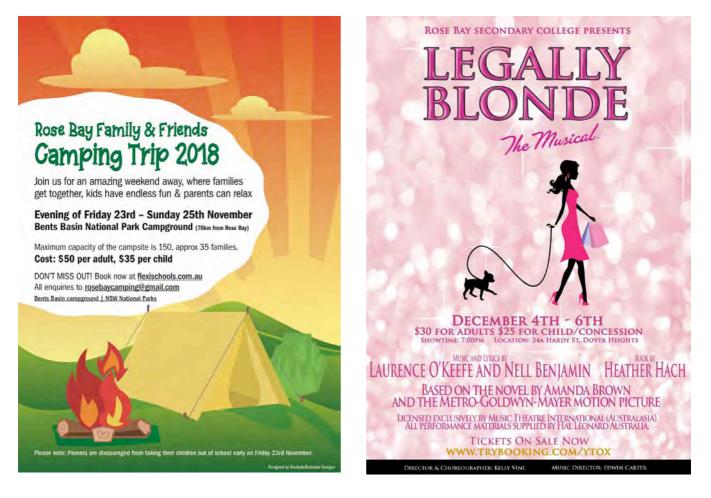
(2that sometimes come out as "bad" behaviours)

speech & language pathologists help kids communicate better



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