



26th July 2017
Term 3 Week 2



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Berowra

Public School



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Welcome back to all our Berowra PS families. To our new families joining our community this term, a very warm welcome is extended to you all.

Congratulations to all on a wonderful start to Term 3. The children look smart in their uniforms with most wearing the correct footwear. The correct wearing of uniforms show respect and pride in the school and the individual and I commend the school community for their commitment to these values.

We are now taking enrolments for Kindergarten 2018. If you know of any families within our area wishing to enrol their child next term please ask them to contact the office for enrolment forms.

Berowra Public School is definitely 'the place to be' – there are so many opportunities for our students. Congratulations to:

Our dance groups – amazing performances at the Sydney North Dance Festival

Fiona T (5/6K) – selected to attend the State Junior Music Camp last week.

Our drama groups – who will perform Thursday evening at the Arts Alive Festival of Drama at NIDA

Band News

We welcome Michael Votano to BPS this week as the new band conductor and wish him all the best. I know our students and parents will give him a very warm welcome.

Zone Athletics Carnival

Zone permission notes will be going home shortly. To finalise our team we need competitors for the Discus events. If you are a 'discus competitor', please bring in a copy of your Little A's book with your discus results by **Monday, 31st July**. Please hand these to Mr Parkinson.

Di Bower

Principal

ENROL NOW FOR KINDERGARTEN 2018

Enrolments for Kindergarten are well underway.

If your child or you know of a child ready to start school next year make sure they are enrolled.

Beginners Group starts week 2 next term and Kindergarten Orientation Day is on Thursday 23th November.

For more information contact the school office on 9456 1319.

**canteen Volunteers
urgently needed**

Any amount of time on a Wednesday, Thursday or Friday that you can spare would be greatly appreciated. Lunch provided.

Call Teresa on 0402 855 941, see her in the canteen any Wednesday, Thursday or Friday between 9.00am - 2.30pm or leave your details at the office.

Upcoming Events

JULY

Thurs 27	Drama Festival evening performance 7pm
31/7-4/8	Education Week

AUGUST

Tues 1	Open Day and Book Fair UNSW English
Sun 6	Band BBQ at Thornleigh Bunnings
Tues 8	Arts Alive Choir Sydney Town Hall concert
Mon 14	Kindy Teddy Bears Picnic excursion
Tues 15	UNSW Maths Student Parliament mufti day
21-25	Book Week
Tues 22	Fathers Day stall Choir rehearsal at Waitara PS
Fri 25	Zone Athletics Carnival
28-30	Stage 3 Canberra excursion

SEPTEMBER

Fri 1	Fathers Day breakfast BPS Disco
Mon 4	Music Festival matinee performance, Hornsby RSL
Tues 5	Festival of Instrumental Music Opera House perf.
Wed 6	Music Festival evening performance
Thurs 7	End of term dance performance
Mon 11	Area Athletics Carnival
Tues 12	State Dance Festival at Seymour Centre
Fri 15	Musica concert at Berowra Community Centre
18-20	Year 4 Broken Bay camp
Fri 22	Last day of term 3

OCTOBER

Mon 9	Staff and students return for term 4 School Spectacular rehearsal at Homebush
Fri 13	Kindergarten commence gymnastics on Fridays
16-18	Year 3 Gibberagong Camp
Sat 21	Family Portrait
Mon 23	MaDD Night performance-Music Dance and Drama
Tues 24	Student Parliament Mufti Day
Thurs 26	School Spectacular rehearsal
Fri 27	BPS Disco

Class Awards

Week 10 term2 and 1 term3

KB	Tristan L, Zoe P, Orrin W, Sophie Y
KR	Rocco D, Dylan H, Gia M, Liam Mc, Henry W
KY	Gabby B, Beau D, Lachlan L, Alice M, Luca R, Sienna R
1D	Patrick B, Rachael H, Naomi H
1S	Acacia E, Mia F, Brady M, Abbie R, Beau R, Jayden S
1T	Maddie B, Harry DS, Darcy F, Zali H, Ellie L, Ruby N, Emma W
2C	Ben D, Owen M
2P	Freya C, Isobel F, Trent H, Maddi H, Asad I, Rubin L, Harper S
3A	Jonathan C, Raiph C, Luca D, Luke E, James F, Baylin G, Edward G, Taj G, Dominic H, Charlie M, Lily P, Max T, Skye T
3R	Harrison B, Megan D, Zane D, Lucy H, Farrah P, Joshua R
3/4P	Timeka C, Omar D, Gabe H
4P	Harrison B, Jayden B, Scott T
5/6B	Aedan K, Allisha M, Ella M, Anna O, Leela S, Haylee S, Maximus V, Daniel V
5/6K	Madeleine B, Zara G, Alex H, Millie T, Lucy T, Saxon W
5/6S	Freyja C, Katie C, Imogen G

Does your child require medication during the school day?

If your child needs to take any prescribed medication during school time, the office can administer it for you.

The medication must be handed into the office in the morning together with a completed 'Medication Request Form'. This form can be located on our website under 'Our School' tab then 'Missed a Note?' or completed at the office.

Only prescribed medication in original packaging can be accepted or over the counter medication with a doctor's note.

Please do not give medication to children to self administer during the day for their safety and the safety of other children.

The only exception is Ventolin for asthma.



INTERSCHOOL SPORT

Friday 28th July

Games start by 12:45

Friday 4th August

PSSA Football and Netball

v Hornsby South
at

Montview Oval
Montview Oval

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Football
Netball

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v Warrawee
at

The Glade
Warrawee School

PSSA AFL
always at
Foxglove Oval

**Don't forget The Crest is also available
on the school website:
www.berowra-p.schools.nsw.edu.au
Click on the Newsletter tab.**

**Parent Online Payments can also be
made from the BPS website using the
'Make a payment' tab.**

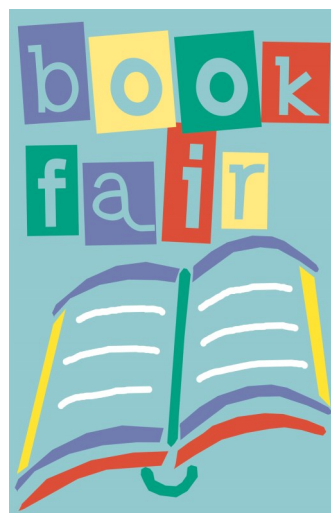
Education Week

Open Day and Book Fair



Tuesday 1st August Berowra Public School Open Day and Book Fair

- 9.45am - Open Day concert commences in the hall.
Every child in the school is performing plus some of our performance groups.
- 11.20am-11.50am - Recess - Parents and friends are invited to purchase tea, coffee and cakes and have morning tea with their child/children.
- 12pm-12.30pm - Open classrooms - come and view your child's work and see some of the exciting things that are happening in their classrooms.
- **Scholastic Book Fair** - feel free to visit the library COLA at any time during open day, where you will have a chance to purchase quality books for your children or purchase books to donate to the school library.
- 12.45pm - Lessons resume.



Looking forward to a great day.

Growing and learning together for life

MAKING SCHOOL PAYMENTS

Please note that money collection days at Berowra Public School are
Tuesdays and Thursdays only.

For security of payments it would be appreciated if money only be sent to school on these days in a signed payment envelope, not plastic bags. This includes any payments for the choir, drama, sport or extra curricular activities.

We have only two days a week allocated to receipt money so please remind your child to give it to their teacher in the morning as receipting and banking are completed during the day. Correct money is appreciated as the office is unable to hold change.

Please do not hand payments into the office after school.

Handing money into the office after banking has been completed may result in confusion for the teacher and your child's name not marked off as having paid for an excursion, sport or an activities.

Any payments for the P&C or Support Group fundraisers and the canteen special lunch days can also be handed to the class teacher, but please include these in separate envelopes and with separate payment. Do not include with school payments.

You can make multiple payments for multiple students with the one cheque or credit card if you like. Just make sure all details are included and permission is forwarded.

Don't forget that you can also pay online. However, signed permission envelopes are still required to go to the teacher for excursion. Just mark on it that you paid online.

Please also be aware that when using the Westpac Parent Online Payment system, all payments processed after 6pm will not be seen at the school until the second business day eg payments made after 6pm on Monday evening will be on the Westpac report on Wednesday morning, payments made after 6pm Friday will be seen on Tuesday morning.

Thank you for your cooperation.



BORROWED CLOTHING

From time to time students need to have a change of clothes during the day. The office holds a small amount of clothing which we lend to the students.

If your child has come home with different clothes and a note from us, please wash the items and return them to the school office, or classroom, as soon as possible so they will be available for use again.

To assist with this process it would be helpful if Kindy parents packed spare underwear in their child's school bag.

Thank you



ANGLICARE WINTER PANTRY DRIVE

THANK YOU

St Marks Anglican Church representative was overwhelmed at the number of donations that the Berowra School Community so generously donated to their Winter Pantry Drive. The office foyer was overflowing.

Here is what they said:

"Last Friday over 55 boxes full of pasta, tinned products, soups, cereals and toiletries were loaded into a van and taken to Anglicare's warehouse at Villawood. These products will be distributed via the Mobile Community Pantry to those who are struggling and in great need this winter. On behalf of Anglicare and St Marks Berowra, I would just like to say a huge THANK YOU to Berowra Public School for the tremendous support you gave for our Winter Food Drive. We were overwhelmed with the response we received from everyone but especially the local schools. Thanks again for your support and please pass on our thanks to your school community."

GIVING BLOOD FEELS GOOD

Every donation can save three lives.

Mobile Blood Service visiting: **Berowra Community Centre**

The Gully Road, Berowra

Monday 7 August	1:30pm – 6:30pm
Tuesday 8 August	1:30pm – 6:30pm
Wednesday 9 August	1:30pm – 6:30pm

Drink up! Have 3 or 4 glasses of water or juice in the hours before you donate
Eat! Have a good sized breakfast or lunch
Please bring photo I.D. with you

To make an appointment call **13 14 95**
or visit donateblood.com.au

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**Parenting Anxious Children
SEMINAR FOR PARENTS - 2017**

A seminar for parents of children aged 4-10 yrs discussing:

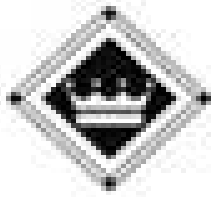
The nature of anxiety and the different ways it may present in children, risk factors and potential implications for parents and children, as well as identification of practical strategies & resources to assist.

**Wednesdays
15/3, 31/5, 23/8,
Friday 10/11**

**Time:
10am-12pm**

- The seminar will be facilitated by CYMHS staff (which includes Psychologists, Social Workers & family therapists).
- The seminar will be run at **Hillview Community Health Centre 1334 Pacific Highway Turramurra. Entry via Boyd Ave.** Please allow enough time for parking and arrive 10 minutes before the registered start time.
- Unfortunately, we cannot provide childcare facilities and are unable to have infants/children attend with their parents.
- The seminar is available to families who live in the Hornsby Ku-Ring-Gai local government area.
- The cost of the seminar is \$10 but there will be no charge for concession card holders.
- Registration is essential as groups fill quickly.
- **To confirm your place please call CYMHS on 9485 6155.**
- Participants will be asked to complete feedback forms.
- The service reserves the right to postpone or cancel seminars in the case of insufficient registrations.

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or call Shelagh 02 4232 2494

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If you live a long way from public transport and need to drive a student to a public transport pick up point or to school, you may be able to get financial assistance.

The School Drive Subsidy provides eligible parents and guardians twice-yearly payments to help cover some of the expenses of getting children to school.

To find out if you're eligible, and to apply online, visit
transport.nsw.gov.au/schooldrive

Can't get online?

Ask about the School Drive Subsidy at your school, or call **131 500**.

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MOBILE PHONES AT SCHOOL



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Term Three	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SAT/SUN
Week 1	17 July SCHOOL RESUMES	18 July	19 July P&C Meeting 7:30pm	20 July Drama Rehearsal	21 July Year 1 Gymnastics	22 23 July
2 Sydney North Drama Festival	24 July STEWART HOUSE CLOTHING COLLECTION 	25 July SSG	26 July OC Testing NAIDOC DAY – Buddy activity and assembly	27 July 7pm Drama Performance	28 July Year 1 Gymnastics	29 30 July
3 EDUCATION WEEK	31 July	1 August UNSW English OPEN DAY	2 August	3 August	4 August Band-Bunnings BBQ Calendar Art Due-SSG Year 1 Gymnastics	5 6 Aug
4	7 August	8 August Arts Alive rehearsal and concert – Town Hall	9 August	10 August School Leaders' Morning Tea – Matt Kean – 10am-12pm	11 August Year 1 Gymnastics	12 13 Aug
5	14 August Teddy Bears' Picnic 	15 August UNSW Mathematics STUDENT PARLIAMENT MUFTI DAY	16 August P&C Meeting 7:30pm	17 August	18 August Year 1 Gymnastics	19 20 Aug
6	21 August	22 August Father's Day Stall Hornsby District Music Festival Choir Rehearsal 	23 August BOOK PARADE 	24 August	25 August Year 1 Gymnastics ZONE ATHLETICS	26 27 Aug
7	28 August VALID S & T Y6 Stage 3 Canberra	29 August Stage 3 Canberra	30 August Stage 3 Canberra	31 August	1 September Year 1 Gymnastics Fathers' Day Breakfast 	2 3 Sep
8	4 September Hornsby District Music Festival – Matinee- Hby RSL	5 September 7pm FOIM – Opera House	6 September Musica Tour Hornsby District Music Festival – Evening- Hby RSL	7 September	8 September Election Year 1 Gymnastics	9 10 Sep
9	11 September AREA ATHLETICS	12 September Principal's Morning Tea 	13 September	14 September	15 September Year 1 Gymnastics Berowra Musica	16 17 Sep
10	18 September Yr 4 Broken Bay Sport & Rec	19 September Yr 4 Broken Bay Sport & Rec	20 September Yr 4 Broken Bay Sport & Rec P&C Meeting 7:30pm	21 September	22 September Year 1 Gymnastics	23 24 Sep
Hols	25 September	26 September	27 September	28 September	29 September	30 Sept 1 Oct
Hols	2 October	3 October	4 October	5 October	6 October	7 8 Oct