

## TERM 4 – WEEK 3

DATES FOR THE DIARY	
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Fri 24 Oct	Year 4 Sleepover in library
Fri 31 Oct	World Teachers' Day
Fri 31 Oct	Surf Lifesaving Talk – Stage 3
Mon 3 – Thurs 13 Nov	Swim School (K-4)
Mon 10-Fri 14 Nov	Surf Education / Kayaking – Stage 3
Tues 4 Nov 2:00 – students 3:15 – staff 6:00 - parents	'Cybersmart' Sessions
Tues 4 Nov 2:00	P&C Meeting
Fri 7 Nov	David Morgan-Mar (Scientist in Residence)
Fri 28 Nov	Year 6 Fete
Tues 2 Dec 2:00	P&C Meeting
Fri 5 Dec	P&C Bingo Night
Mon 8 Dec 11:00	Helpers' Morning Tea
Thurs 11 Dec 9:30-11:00	Presentation Day
Thurs 11 Dec 2:00	Christmas Concert
Fri 12 Dec	Year 6 Graduation 'Big Day Out'
Fri 12 Dec 6:00-8:00	K-6 Family Christmas Disco
Mon 15 Dec	Sausage Sizzle Lunch – free for winners of the House Spirit Cup!
Tues 16 Dec	Talent Quest
Weds 17 Dec	K-6 Picnic Day <b>LAST DAY OF TERM</b>

## From The Principal

### Cyber Safety Education

Managing children's safe and sensible use of digital technology is becoming an increasingly complex challenge. We know that sadly, some children are using social media such as Facebook and Instagram as early as Year 1, often copying their older brothers and sisters. The potential for emotional and psychological harm is always present and at Brookvale we do our very best to educate our students about how to be safe and not take unnecessary risks that could expose them to harm. To complement the programs that are taught in our classes, we have organised outreach presentations for students, teachers and parents on Tuesday 4 November.

Three separate presentations will be run on the day...

**2:00 – Students in Years 3-6**

**3:15 – Teachers**

**6:00 – Parents**

This is a great opportunity for parents to learn from the experts and ensure that you take all the necessary steps to safeguard your children. Regardless of how young your child/ren might be, I strongly recommend that you try to attend if at all possible.

A letter with more information will be coming home with an RSVP slip for you to return please.

### Central China TV Documentary

Central China TV (CCTV) is the national channel in China and on Thursday they will be filming at Brookvale for a documentary about young students from non-Chinese backgrounds learning to speak Mandarin. Very few public schools in NSW offer this opportunity and our program is attracting a lot of positive interest!

### Term invoices

Thank you to the families who have paid their term invoices; as we approach the end of the year it is really

helpful to have prompt payment. **Please note: payment for Swim School (K-4) is due by Friday 28 October.**

*Bev Maunder*

## Positive Behaviour, Engaging Learners (PBEL)

Congratulations to all students for following our school expectations and earning mini merits. Last week the Lucky Dip winners were:

**RESPECT** – Erica Dunstan **RESPONSIBILITY** –Loewy McMahon **PERSONAL BEST** – Felix Williams

## Assembly Roster

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Assemblies are held every Thursday in the hall at 2:25pm. Parents and friends are very welcome.		
Wk 3	23 October	Awards
Wk 4	30 October	KJ Performance
Wk 5	6 November	SRC
Wk 6	13 November	No Assembly
Wk 7	20 November	Awards
Wk 8	27 November	Gold, Silver, Bronze Certificates
Wk 9	4 December	Scripture Assembly (12:30pm)
Wk 10	11 December	Presentation Day (9:00-11:00am)

## Assembly Awards (From Week 1)

KJ	Alana Henry	Jaydon Gooley	Tanya Leupolu	Samantha Shepherd
KM				
1/2J	Mele Taofi	Daniel Yu	Reyan Noim	James Luckie
1/2LR	Jack Heffernan	Jack Westwood-Brokman	Anesita Sialafau	Erica Halai
3/4A	Tatyana Ngaro	Malaki Edwards	Rueban Roper	Jake Fincher
3/4D	Claudia Thomson	Savanna McNeil	Xavier Youngman	Vivian Xu
5/6P	Cherry Kumar	Sila Sankey	Zach Ghorra	Emma Dunstan
5/6S	Amelia Wells	Kayleen Falconer	Paea Sime	James Tupou
Mrs Staniforth	Jack Miao	Giulia Carnevale	Annysa Dormis	Malachi Halo
Mrs Hoskings	Annysa Dormis	Janayah Tracey		
Mrs Murphy-Haste	Sarah Randall	Lexus Cosentino		

## Mathletics and Reading Eggs Awards

Congratulations to our award recipients for Week 2!

	Super Mathlete	Reader of the Week
K-2	Rudransh Kala	Mackenzie Bell
3-6	Sofia Dailhou	Tyrone Latu

*Skye Surrest (Assistant Principal)*

## Kindergarten Orientation

You and your child are warmly invited to come along for a taste of 'big school' during Term 4. This is a great opportunity to become familiar with the school and make friends with other pre-Kindy children, ready for starting school in 2015.

Monday 27 October	12:00-1:00	Get creative in the art studio!
Friday 7 November	12:00-1:00	Bring your favourite soft toy for a Teddy Bears Picnic!
Thursday 20 November	9:30-11:00	Orientation in the classroom - and presentation on literacy for Mum and Dad
Thursday 27 November	9:30-11:00	Orientation in the classroom - and presentation on numeracy for Mum and Dad

To attend any or all of these events please call the office to register - 9905 4168

## From the Office

Group / Team photos are now available for viewing at the school office.

**deep sea savers**

## Rewarding regular savings with precious prizes.

The Dollarmites have uncovered the ancient Clam of Fortune. Inside they found these amazing prizes that you could win a share of:

- 40 x GoPro HERO3 White Edition Cameras
- 150 x Slip 'N Slide Double Wave Riders

**Here's how to win**

Every deposit you make with School Banking will automatically create one entry for you into the competition. So the more you save, the more chances you have to win (up to a maximum of 6 entries).  
Competition runs: 20 October–30 November 2014.

To find out more, visit [commbank.com.au/deepseasavers](http://commbank.com.au/deepseasavers)

**More chances to Win!**  
Every deposit you make is another chance you have to win.

*Bin 'n' Vain* *Frenzy Crossbar Challenge* *Badge Making Decorating* *Handball Competition* *Super Shootout*  
*Pop-a-Prize* *Water Splash*  
*Genius Mastermind* *Donuts* *Gators*  
*Time Test Obstacle Course* *Snake-It-Off* *Face Paint & Temporary Tattoos* *Coloured Hair spray* *Loom Band Stalls*

The School Fair is only 6 weeks away on Friday 28<sup>th</sup> November!  
The BPS School Fair is predominantly run by the Stage 3 students and the profits from the fair go towards the Year 6 Graduation Day at the Collaroy Centre and the whole school evening Disco on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> December.

We have been busy planning our stalls and activities to ensure the day is fun for all ages. Start saving your pocket money!

## !!Pop-a-Prize!!

Come to Pop-a-Prize stall at the 2014 school fair!!!

Many prizes to be won such as bouncy balls, tattoos, stickers, chocolate and lollies and all you have to do is just pop a Balloon!!!



50c = 1 token = 1 dart  
\$1 = 2 token = 3 darts



## HANDBALL COMP

COME ALONG  
AND ENJOY  
OUR FRIENDLY  
HANDBALL  
COMPETITION

  
KEEP CALM  
AND  
PLAY  
HANDBALL

