

TERM 2 – WEEK 6

DATES FOR THE DIARY

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Mon 2 –Weds 4 June	Life Education (Healthy Harold)
Tues 3 June 11:30-1:00pm	Mayor Michael Regan visiting Stage 2 students
Tues 3 June 2:00pm	P&C meeting in the staffroom
Mon 9 June	Queen's Birthday Public Holiday
Mon 16 June 9:00am	Aboriginal performance in hall
Mon 16-Tues 17 June	Yr 6 Leaders' Camp
Sat 21 June 5:30-7:30pm	Art Show and Auction
Mon 23 June	Stage 3 to CARES (road safety)
Mon 23 June	Semester 1 reports sent home
Tues 24 June	Athletics Carnival
Thursday 26 June	K/2 and 3/6 lunchtime discos
Fri 27 June	LAST DAY OF TERM
STUDENTS RETURN ON TUESDAY 15 JULY FOR START OF TERM 3	

From The Principal

Northern Beaches Eisteddfod

Congratulations to our choir who sang beautifully at the eisteddfod last week. Many people in the audience commented on their performance, saying that they had great harmony and lots of spirit. Thank you to Miss Greatz for doing an excellent job of training the choir and conducting, and also to Mrs Richardson who accompanied them on the piano... fabulous work all of you!

Kindergarten Open Day

On Friday we held Kindergarten Open Day and the library was full with parents who are enrolling their children here next year. We already have two full classes and numbers are building very quickly considering how early it is in the year. Thank you to Ms Kortekaas and Miss Surrest for presenting to the parents and to Mrs Sally Hall for talking about her experience of Kindy at Brookvale. 2015 looks to be another exciting year of growth for our school!

3-6 Music Performance

Last Tuesday the whole school enjoyed a concert in the hall with performances from our 3-6 music groups. What a very high standard of musical ability we heard. The instrumental band, the trash percussion group, the choir and the recorder

ensemble entertained us with their recently learned repertoires, and showed what great progress they have made this semester.

Life Education

This week classes are visiting the Life Education van for important lessons with Healthy Harold. Each class learns about a different topic, including healthy lifestyles, peer pressure, resilience, bullying, smoking, alcohol and safe decision-making.

Girls' Uniform

Please note that girls are to wear a **white collared shirt** under their winter tunics, also grey tights or white socks. No leggings please.

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 – Max Davis **RESPONSIBILITY** – Liberty Halo **PERSONAL BEST** – Mackenzie Bell

Assembly Roster

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Assemblies are held every Thursday in the hall at 2:25pm. Parents and friends are very welcome.		
Week 6	5 June	Awards
Week 7	12 June	5/6S Performance
Week 8	19 June	SRC
Week 9	26 June	Gold, silver, bronze awards

Mathletics and Reading Eggs Awards

Congratulations to our award recipients for Week 5!

	Super Mathlete	Reader of the Week
K-2	Quy Tran	David Song
3-6	Jasmine Cheng	Paea Sime

Skye Surrest (Assistant Principal)

Library News

So many students have come into the library asking for the books they heard about at the Sydney Writers' Festival! Inspired by Ms Surrest I bought copies of books by the authors who shared their stories with us, the covers of which are on display in the library. If you would like to reserve one of these titles or suggest another, fill in one of the suggestion forms near the silver box in the library.



Jeremy Ongosia loves the conspiracy 365 series



Both Zach Ghorra and Tyler Smith suggested Guinness World Records – Gamer's Edition

What Research Says about Parents' Impact on Reading

Research has repeatedly shown that parents of successful readers.....

- believe they can have an impact on their children's literacy development
- impart a sense of both the joy and the value of reading to their children
- spend time, money and effort to nurture their children's literacy
- read to their children throughout the grades
- exhibit the characteristics of good reading role models for their children

Adapted from Steven Layne -

http://www.stevelayne.com/webdata/resources/Handouts/What_Parents_Can_Do_To_Nurture_Lifetime_Readers.pdf

Annette Murphy-Haste Teacher Librarian

Around the Stages – Stage 1

On Tuesday 20 May 1/2LR and 1/2J, as well as Kindergarten, went to Ku-Ring-Gai Wildflower Garden for an excursion about Minibeasts. Each class had their own ranger as a guide. We participated in 4 activity rotations. We went dipnetting, where we dipped a net into a pond and caught Minibeasts such as Water Spiders, Backswimmers and Tadpoles; we went for a bushwalk exploring different Minibeast habitats; we made some Minibeasts using twigs, sticks, leaves and clay and we had an experience touching and holding Minibeasts up close. We had a fantastic time!



We went to Kuringai Wildflower Garden. First we went on a bus. When we got there we saw a Ranger. She introduced herself. Her name was Ranger Danielle. Second we saw a stick bug. Then we saw flowers. They were beautiful. Then we went in the forest. We looked for insects. We saw a leech and we saw a Redback spider and a Funnel web spider. Then we saw a termite nest. Then we went fishing.

Shaqilla

Yesterday we went to Kuringai Wildflower Garden. First we saw the rangers. Next we saw a stick insect. After that we had recess. Then we went on a bush walk and found bugs. Brie and I caught an ant but it climbed out of the blow holes. After that we went to a park and made clay models. I made a wasp. After that we ate lunch. Then we went to the pond and caught tadpoles. I caught a freshwater shrimp. Then we went back to school. It was fun!

Brydie

On Tuesday 1/2LR, 1/2J and KJ and KM went to Kuringai Wildflower Garden. It took a long drive. First we sat down on the carpet. We listened to Ranger Danielle. There were lots of beautiful flowers. We went on a bush walk. I liked the Dip Netting best. We went back on the bus. I sat at the back. After we got back to school we played on the oval.

Qorina

Zone Cross-Country



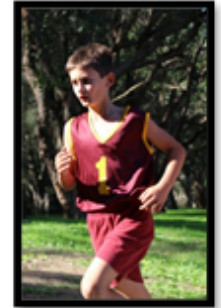
Jackson



Great news from Zone Cross-Country!

We took a team of 11 to Curl Curl for a great day of running. Younger children ran 2km and older children ran 3km. It was more like a summer day so the children had the added obstacle of the heat but all ran amazingly well. We had a range of results which the children can be very proud of. I'm very pleased to say that Keith managed a 6th place and will go on to the regional Cross-Country against the fastest runners of the other local zones.

Well done to everyone and good luck to Keith in the next round!



Keith



Eli



Malachi



Tara



Sara



Jesse



Qilahon



Elwyn



Liberty

PSSA Soccer

Juniors - Brookvale 0 – Manly Village 5
Seniors - Brookvale 5 – Manly Village 0

Same result again! A win for the Seniors and a loss for the Juniors. Our Juniors picked up their game after half time and showed what they can really do. I hope they can do this again this week and we will be sure to score a goal or two.

Our Seniors waited until half time before they started scoring, blasting five into the net in 20 minutes. Thanks to Nate for 2 goals and Jackson Morgan for 3 goals!

Best and Fairest Player – Juniors, Malachi Halo (also receives award for the most spectacular nosebleed in the history of school sport!)

Senior – Keith Allen

PSSA Netball

The Senior and Junior netball teams went to John Fisher Park for PSSA. The Junior team played against Manly West, they won 4-0. The best and fairest player for the Juniors was Vivian Xu.

The Senior team played against Curl Curl North Lime and they won 24-0. The best and fairest player for Seniors was Giulia Carnevale.

WE ALL HAD LOTS OF FUN!

Community News



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LAKES SCHOOL
MARKET

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9 AM - 3 PM

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