Calendar

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November
17th Mon  Selective HS 2016 applications close
20th Thurs  Yrs 3-6 Syd Girls HS Drama Performance
27 Thurs  2015 School Captains Speech @ Assembly

December
1st – 5th  Yr2 Swim School @ Prince Alfred Pool
3rd Wed  Yr 6 High School Orientation Day
          International Day of People with Disability
8th – 12th  Yrs 3-6 Swim School @ Prince Alfred Pool
11th Thurs  “Thank You” Breakfast for 2014 Helpers
12th Fri  Student reports sent home
15th Mon  Presentation Day Assembly @ Syd Girls HS
16th Tues  Yr6 Day-out (Entertainment Quarter)
          K-5 Fun Day @ School
17th Wed  Last Day for 2014 school year for students

School Holidays --- 18th Dec 2014 – 27th Jan 2015
Students Return --- Wed 28th Jan 2015

**Please note the change in Assembly Hosts**

WEEK 6 Bourkey’s Best!
KC  Gracie W
KK  Gracie E
K/1D  Adam
1G  Tia
1O  Maddy
2C  Iara
2S  leihajnee
2/3N  Josephine
3/4M  Hunter
4/5/6G  Aaliyah

CLASS OF THE WEEK
2/3N

Value of the Week
Kindness
PSSA Cricket Results

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Players of the Week 6
Junior: Hakan

From the Principal’s Desk...

Congratulations to Miss Cara Campbell and Ms Suzanne Willms who were the successful candidates in the recently advertised permanent classroom teacher positions at Bourke Street Public School. These positions will commence at the start of the 2015 school year. Special thanks to the panel, in particular, Nina Fordham as the parent representative.

Next year we are anticipating 13 classes, consisting of 4 Kindergarten classes. To accommodate our enrolments the school hall will be converted into two temporary classrooms until the planned upgrade later in 2015. As a result all community users have been advised that in 2015 they will need to operate out of a classroom environment should they wish to continue providing their services.

Music Starts will not be continuing to provide a guitar and keyboard tuition in 2015 at Bourke Street Public School. This could be an opportune time for your child to join the school band. It will be a worthwhile and enriching experience to extend your child’s love of music.

Don’t forget, swim school notes have been sent home to all year 2-6 students. Please ensure these are returned asap.

2015 Art Show calendar are still on sale at the school office for $10.

Peter Johnston
Principal

Annual School Report and 2015-2017 School Plan

Currently the school is gathering data for our Annual School Report and the 2015-2017 School Plan. This is being gathered in a variety of ways i.e. focus groups, surveys, etc. Your input is an important part of the process. We encourage you to go to the following links and complete the online surveys:

School Climate and Homework Survey
https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/LKJZLSV

Parent Engagement Survey
https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/PWXRSYY

Music! Music! Music!

The sound of music can be heard throughout the hallways of Bourke Street Public School in 2015 as there will be a lot of changes and options for parents and children to be involved...

1. The School Band will be starting in 2015 (see attached flyer)
2. Since Music Stars will not be continuing in 2015 but Music Partnerships will be offering guitar tutors. (see attached flyer)
3. Caleb is also available for piano lessons. Contact him directly on 0448-155-177

Orange for the Orangutan

Thank you for the $358 we raised.

Second Hand Uniforms

Just a year’s end reminder (for new families too) there’s a solid collection of second hand uniforms in the canteen box now. And additional donations of clean, good quality pre-loved uniforms always welcome.
BOURKE STREET STRING STUDENTS CONCERT

DATE: Wednesday December 3rd
TIME: 5-6pm.
VENUE: School Hall

Come and hear wonderful performances from all the talented Bourke Street Violinists, Violists and Cellists!

2014 CHRISTMAS CONCERT
AN EVENT NOT TO BE MISSED!!!
JOIN THE
BSPS BAND!

Would you like to learn a great instrument like the Trumpet, Trombone, Flute, Clarinet or Saxophone!

Play, perform and represent BSPS as part of our amazing school band!

Students who will be in Year 3-6 in 2015 are invited to begin lesson and join what is anticipated to be Bourke Street’s next big thing!

FOR MORE INFORMATION

email Alex at music partnerships:
alexbieri@musicpartnership.com.au

OR Speak with Mr Goode!
Surry Hills Children’s Program

Girls and Boys Brigade Building

402 Riley St Surry Hills 2010

Phone 02 9288 5660 Fax 02 9288 5661
surryhillscp@cityofsydney.nsw.gov.au

Thanks for Considering Surry Hills Children’s Program

Our program is focused around social interaction and development.

If you are considering enrolling your child into the program for the first time, we recommend contacting the Team Leader to have a chat.

The program operates a ‘drop-in’ system for children who are enrolled.

Please note certain access criteria needs to be met before your child’s enrolment can be confirmed. To find out more, contact the Team Leader directly.

• Quality After School Care
• Accessing GBB Homework Program
• Daily walking program from Bourke/Crown St Public Schools
• Nature play Park Program 3 times a week
• Safe and fun projects based on children’s interests

404 Riley Street Surry Hills, PH: 9319 4509,
gbb.enquiry@girlsandboysbrigade.com.au
www.girlsandboysbrigade.org.au

“Providing care, recreation and education activities since 1882”

The Girls & Boys Brigade provides a Vacation Care program for all enrolled children. This includes a wide range of low cost excursions and FREE care in centre.

Our hours are 10 am till 6pm Monday – Friday as well as Pupil Free Days.

Please call 9319 4509 to enquire about enrolment and our other services.
January 2015 School Holidays

Tennis & multi-sports for kids aged 5-16

$265 per week or $60 per day

TENNIS DAY: 9AM-3PM
- COACHING & COURT GAMES
- WET WEATHER ACTIVITIES
- LUNCH SPECIAL - $12

WEEK 1  5 - 9 January
WEEK 2  12 - 16 January
WEEK 3  19 - 23 January

1 Court Avenue Kingsford NSW 2032

For details and to enrol: eastcourtsstennis.com.au
Christmas in Pyrmont 2014

12 noon - 5:30 pm • John St. Pyrmont

Market Stalls | Variety Show | Kids' Activities

Featuring JAM ON TOAST

Santa Claus • Petting Zoo • Craft • Jumping Castle • Christmas Gifts • Food Stalls • Sausage Sizzle • Christmas Carols • Christmas Cakes & So Much More!