Bourke Street

TERM 3 – Week 10

Calendar

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September
14th Mon Regional Spelling Bee
15th Tue Canteen Pizza/Pikelet Day
16th Wed Primary Proms @ Town Hall
18th Fri Bourke Street Beats – Navy Band 10am
2pm Whole School Assembly under COLA

School Holidays --- Mon 21st Sept – Mon 5th Oct
Students Return --- Tues 6th Oct

TERM 4

October
14th Wed Year 3-6 Smart Start Money Workshop
15th Thurs Year 1-2 Smart Start Money Workshop
15th Thurs Year 3-6 Macbeth Visiting Performance
15th Thurs CyberSmart Visit Student/Parent Presentations
19th Mon Kindy Transition
21st Wed Kindy Transition
21st Wed InterRelate Student/Parent evening
23rd Fri Grandfriends Day
26th Mon Kindy Transition
28th Wed Kindy Transition
P&C Meeting 6pm
30th Fri Year 5/6 Choral Choir performance at Opera House

Congratulations!

WEEK 9 Bourkey’s Best!
KK Billy
KL Sofia
KM Charlie
KS Tyson
1G Camille
1O Abigail
1/2C Jude
2Z Mia
2/3B Sammy
3S Rameel
3/4G Hugo
4/5M Hunter
5/6L Vasili

CLASSES OF THE WEEK
KS & 3S

Value of the Week
Responsibility
Congratulations to Florance Daley on her sporting achievements in basketball. She received the Most Valuable Player Award during the Grand final qualifying game for the Basketball NSW State Cup, and then competed at this event from the 5th-6th of September, representing Glebe Spirit U/12’s in what was a high intensity weekend of basketball.

Glebe Spirit won the State Cup and Florance is to be congratulated on her commitment to training and display of talent.

A hive of activity is currently happening behind the scenes at Bourke Street Public School. Due to planned building developments happening in the school everyone will start to see lots of changes happening.

The DoE (Dept of Education) has just completed renovating the Bell Tower room. As a result part of the school office that shares the OOSH kitchen area will be relocated permanently into this new space.

As from this week the school library is will be disassembled and books will be distributed to all classrooms. A Library POD (cupboard) will be placed in all classrooms for students to access library books. Throughout the year these will be interchanged amongst classes so that all children can access other books.

From the Principal’s Desk…

Thank you to Mr Goode for doing an outstanding job as relieving Principal during my 3 weeks absence. It was an extremely busy time with many whole school events and school camp.

Thank you also to the staff for their effort during this period to ensure Book Week, Science Week, National Literacy and Numeracy Week continued to be very successful and enjoyable opportunities to showcase our talented students’ achievements.

Once all books and resource have been removed from the Library existing shelving and furniture will be collected by Darlington Public School. We thank them for offering to recycle our furniture into refurbishing their school library.
Early Term 4, all computers currently in the computer room will be distributed back into classrooms throughout the school. This will then allow for 4/SM to be relocated into the Computer room for the remainder of the year in preparation for demolition of their existing building to occur late October.

In the next couple of week the existing OOSH kitchen area will be completely refurbished into a proper kitchen. During the several weeks of renovations OOSH will access the staffroom kitchen for food preparations.

I just want to reassure parents that a lot of planning is happening behind the scenes in preparation for the major building developments that will occur over the next 17 months and please be rest assured that the safety of our students, staff and visitors is paramount throughout this disruptive period.

I would like to thank you for your patience, flexibility and understanding during this exciting time that is going to revolutionize Bourke Street Public School into a fantastic learning facility for children.

Peter Johnston
Principal

Next P&C Meeting
Wednesday 28th October 2015
at 6pm

Come along and get involved
😊ALL WELCOME😊

E-Safety For Parents

It can seem daunting, trying to keep up with technology and online social platforms. Fortunately tools are available to help parents keep their children safe when they’re online. It’s important for parents to understand basics about cyberbullying and how you can help protect your child and enable them to use technology safely and responsibly.

For further information please visit:
https://www.esafety.gov.au/education-resources/parent-resources

In Term 4 there will be an in school CyberSmart Workshop for all students in Year 3 – 6 on Thursday 15th October followed by an evening parent presentation.

Blackmores Half Marathon
First of all I would like to say a HUGE thank you to all of you who have taken the time to sponsor me so far. It really has spurred me along.

The City2Surf is now a distant memory and the Blackmores half marathon is just a week away. I have been religiously training and the legs are feeling well prepared for what should be an enjoyable but challenging experience. I would just like to remind people that they still have time to sponsor me as I run for the Georgia Rock Fundraiser at Sydney Children’s’ Hospital. The goal is to get a preschool teacher in the hospital for all the young patients who need to spend continued time in care. Please visit my fundraising page and let’s get these kids the education they deserve:


Thank you all very much!
Mr Stone

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Tell Them From Me: Partners in Learning survey

You’re invited to participate in the *Tell Them From Me (TTFM)* Partners in Learning survey designed for parents and carers. This survey complements the TTFM student and teacher surveys, which focus on student engagement, wellbeing and effective teaching practices. All Department of Education schools have the opportunity to participate if they choose.

**Why should I participate?**
Parents and carers are an important and valued part of the school community. Schools can use survey feedback to make practical improvements and inform school planning.

**What does it involve?**
This online survey takes about 15 minutes to complete. It is anonymous and voluntary. If you have more than one child at this school, and feel that your children’s experiences differ, you can complete the survey more than once.

**How can I participate?**
You can access the survey in your own time, between 17 August and 16 October 2015. Follow the link below on your computer or tablet:

*Bourke Street Public School* parents and carers access the survey via this direct link: [https://nsw.tellthemfromme.com/j_acegi_security_check?j_username=parent17790&j_password=Bou7408](https://nsw.tellthemfromme.com/j_acegi_security_check?j_username=parent17790&j_password=Bou7408)

**Important Note:**
The link should open directly to the ‘Begin Survey’ page of the parent survey, and no login details should be required.
If the survey opens to a login page, please **copy and paste the link into your internet browser**. This will ensure the survey launches directly to page one of the survey.

Dear Parents,

On Tuesday 15th September we will be having a Pikelet and Pizza Day in the Canteen to celebrate the end of Term 3. On this day students can order Elham’s homemade pikelets for recess and yummy pizzas for lunch.

Pikelets are $1 each and come with honey or maple syrup. Pizzas come in three flavours, are personal-size and $5.00 each. To avoid disappointment make sure you complete and return the slip below to the Canteen no later than Friday 11th September 2015.

Elham
Canteen Manager

PIKELET and PIZZA DAY
at BOURKE STREET CANTEEN

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Elham
Canteen Manager

Pikelet and Pizza Day Order Form

Please deliver this form and your payment to the Canteen (not the office) by Friday 11th Sep 2015.

NAME: _______________________________________________ CLASS:_______________________

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Grand Total: $___

*Please note that students will be able to order sushi from the Canteen on this day if they do not wish to place a special order.
REWIN!
A like totally awesome spectacular!

WHEN? Tuesday 10th November 2016
MATINEE - 12pm  EVENING 6:30pm
WHERE? Sydney Girls High School
TICKETS? Sold in School Playground in Term 4
watch the Newsletter for Details

ALL AUDIENCE MEMBERS ARE ENCOURAGED TO WEAR THEIR BEST 80'S GET UP!
The two most funkilicious and radly dressed dudes and dudettes will then enjoy the concert in comfort and style.
FROM THE FLURO THRONES!
THE BEST SEATS IN THE HOUSE.

BOURKE STREET PUBLIC SCHOOL PRESENTS

Featuring far out performances by every class as well as the choirs, special dance and drama group!

WHACK ON YOUR LEG WARMERS AND CRANK UP THE CRIMPER!
PLAY MORE
SCHOOL HOLIDAYS AT SEYMOUR
22 – 26 SEPTEMBER, 2015

CRANKY BEAR
A rollicking cabaret style show packed with music, laughter and mayhem

FREE STUFF
• PARKOUR PERFORMANCES & WORKSHOPS
• REVOLTING RHYMES WORKSHOPS**
• COURTYARD BANDS
• BIKE AND BLEND
• POP-UP BOOK STORE

ROALD DAHL’S REVOLTING RHYMES & DIRTY BEASTS
A spectacular new live show, taking the world’s best-loved fairy tales and rearranging them with some unexpected and hilarious twists

SPECIAL SCHOOL TICKET PRICE $20 – QUOTE “CRANKY”
SEYMOURCENTRE.COM | 9351 7940

* A TRANSACTION FEE MAY APPLY  ** REGISTRATION REQUIRED
We sentence kids to fun these school holidays!
Sydney Living Museums presents a unique interactive theatre experience for children 5-12 years that puts them in the centre of the action!
This exciting immersive adventure challenges kids to complete a convict quest at Sydney’s only UNESCO heritage-listed convict site.
Along the way, they’ll get mustered by the mean superintendent and meet lots of colourful convict characters.

PROMO CODE – SAVE 20%
We would love it if you could pass on this promotion to the students, parents and friends associations of Bourke Street Public School.
Please let them know that they can use the promo code CONVICT497 to save 20% on admission!

Where: Hyde Park Barracks Museum
When: 25, 26 & 27 September
Times: 10am, 12pm & 2pm daily (90 minutes per session)
Single ticket: $15 (adults and kids) or $12 with promo code
Family ticket: $40 (up to 4 people) or $32 with promo code

CONVICT ESCAPADES SNEAK PEAK!
Take a sneak peek at your quest map below with some of the colourful characters you’ll meet and exciting activities you’ll have to complete on the day!
SCHOOL HOLIDAY WORKSHOPS

Fun, creative & practical photo courses for teens. Get creative with your camera with guidance from ACP’s expert tutors.

Camera Craft for Youth 13 - 15 yrs – 29 & 30 Sep 2015
Camera Craft for Youth 16 - 18 yrs – 29 & 30 Sep 2015

Visit www.acp.org.au or call 9332 0555 to book or find out more.
SMART-FIT- TENNIS

KIDS HOLIDAY TENNIS CAMPS

MOORE PARK TENNIS CLUB (bottom of Moore Park Golf Club)
DATES:  
WEEK 1: September 21, 22, 24  
WEEK 2: September 28, 29, October 1  
WEEK 3: October 6, 7

ALOHA STREET TENNIS COURTS (Mascot Memorial Park, Mascot)
DATES:  
WEEK 1: September 23, 25  
WEEK 2: September 30, October 2

TIME: Full Day: 9am- 3 pm  ½ Day: 9am-12 pm
COST: Full Day $65/day (Includes free pizza and apple juice for lunch)
      Half Day $50/ Day
SPECIAL: IF YOU SIGN UP FOR 6, OR MORE, FULL DAYS YOU GET $10 OFF PER DAY PER
      CHILD (AT EITHER OF THE LOCATIONS)

For more information and to obtain a registration form please email Gavin at:

info@smartfittraining.com.au or call 0431511012
24th & 25th of September
SURLY HILLS

*School Holiday Workshop*

The Creative Arts is a wonderful way for children to explore and express their personalities, building confidence and self-awareness. We are passionate about providing access to the Creative Arts for ALL children to experience and empowering kids to be who they are - whilst having FUN!

**Activities Include**
- Theatre Sports
- Improvisation
- Story Telling
- Comedy
- Music - Singing
- Music - Instruments
- Movement & Dance
- Outdoor Sports
- Arts and Crafts

**About Us**
Caleb Alloway and Jodie Harris are Performing Arts professionals appearing in stage and screen productions at home and abroad. Both have music and theatre degrees with extensive experience in teaching children. They are excited to join forces in offering this diverse workshop.

For more information contact:
Caleb – caleballoway@googlemail.com