

# The Tuesday Times

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## CALENDAR

### MAY

22<sup>nd</sup> Fri O.C. Applications returned  
 25<sup>th</sup> Mon Education Week  
 27<sup>th</sup> Wed The Biggest Morning Tea  
 Police talk "Keeping me Safe"  
 P&C Meeting - 5.30pm

### JUNE

1<sup>st</sup> Mon MS Readathon begins  
 Premiers Sport Challenge  
 8<sup>th</sup> Mon Public Holiday  
 26<sup>th</sup> Fri ROAR Program begins

### JULY

2<sup>nd</sup> Thur Indigenous Dancer Performance  
 3<sup>rd</sup> Fri Half yearly Reports to parents  
 6<sup>th</sup> Mon to 10<sup>th</sup> Fri  
 Parent/teacher Interviews

## **The BIGGEST MORNING TEA**

The P&C are hosting Australia's Biggest Morning Tea and everyone is invited to come along. It will be held in the front of the school at 11am.

This is a community event to raise money in an effort to find a cure for cancer.



You will see friends and neighbours and be able to sample food from some the Surry Hills finest.

*Please bring a gold coin donation as well as your appetite.*

Hope to see you there!

Don't Forget to tell your friends!

## **P&C AGM Meeting**

The following people are the elected office bearers for the Bourke Street Public School P&C 2009.

President: Christine Anderson  
 Vice-President: Simon Cheung  
 Secretary: Jenny Cheing  
 Treasurer: Chris Gowland

Congratulations to all new incoming executive and I would like to thank the previous P&C for their efforts in supporting Bourke Street Public School.

The P&C are always looking for volunteers and helpers to improve and promote our school community. I urge all parents to get involved in supporting our school.

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**The P&C are always looking for NEW members. It only costs \$1. Get involved!**  
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## **P&C Meeting**

Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> May  
 at 5.30pm  
 in the Community Room



**Premier's Sports Challenge**

Bourke Street Public School will be participating in the Premier's Sports Challenge this term. The school will commence this challenge in Week 6 (1<sup>st</sup> June). Please visit the website for further information:  
<https://products.schools.nsw.edu.au/psc/home.html>

**Premier's Reading Challenge**

Bourke Street Public School is encouraging all students to participate in the Premier's Reading Challenge this year. Please visit the website:

<https://products.schools.nsw.edu.au/prc/rules.html>

**MS Readathon**

The school is encouraging students to get involved in the MS Readathon this year. They are celebrating 30years this year. Please get support your child to register by visiting the website:

[www.msreadathon.org.au](http://www.msreadathon.org.au)

June 1<sup>st</sup> to June 30<sup>th</sup>

**School Assemblies**

The school assembly was cancelled last week due to all staff either at training courses or absent from school due to illness. We thank you for your understanding and hope many parents were not inconvenienced. It is expected that an assembly will be held this week as usual.

**Community Liaison Officer**

Applications for the Community Liaison Officer have closed and applications are being process. The appointment of a successful applicant is expected to commence in June.

**Library News**

Students are always encouraged to borrow books from the library. We ask that parents try to reinforce this at home with their children. It is important that these books are taken care of and returned to the school library for others to enjoy.

Library bags can be purchased through the school for \$5 if your child requires one.

**YWCA Sports Coaching**

The YWCA started a sports coaching incentive for Year 5 & 6 on last Wednesday mornings at 8.20am prior to school. There was a great response from the students and we look forward to the success of the program extending to other grades in the school.

**ROAR Program**

The Reach Out And Read program is expected to begin on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> June for all students in K-2. This is another worthwhile initiative that the students and school benefit from. As a result of this program commencing at the end of term it will be extended into Term 4. The school assembly times may need to be changed in Term 3 to accommodate the program.

**From the Principal's Desk.....**

A timetable has been sent home today showing the times of the week your child's class participates in these programs. We encourage you to come along to any or all of the programs offered throughout Education Week.

Remember a table of books will be located outside the school library. Feel free to take home and enjoy.

I look forward to seeing you during Education Week

Peter Johnston

Acting Principal