TERM 2  
WEEK 7  
2014

CALENDAR

**Week 8**
Monday 16 June – 8.00am ICAS Writing  
Tuesday 17 June – 8.00am ICAS Spelling  
Wednesday 18 June – Interrelate 6.00pm (Years 3 & 4)  
7.15pm (Years 5 & 6)  
Thursday 19 June – 11.30am Debate against Double Bay PS; 1.45pm RSPS teams debate each other  
Friday 20 June – 2.00pm K-2 Assembly (KR); Round 6 PSSA

**Week 9**
Monday 23 June – 7.00pm Acacia Concert at the Opera House (Recorder)  
Tuesday 24 June – Kindergarten Excursion to SeaLife  
Thursday 26 June – Athletics Carnival (3-6); Student reports sent home  
Friday 27 June – 11.30am 3-6 Assembly (5/6M); Last day of school

**Term 3 Week 1**
Monday 14 July - School Development Day  
Tuesday 15 July – Students return; School Swimming Scheme begins  
Friday 18 July – 2.00pm K-2 Assembly (KE); Round 7 PSSA

The Scheme will continue daily for two weeks from Tuesday 15 July to Friday 25 July (Term 3, Weeks 1 & 2). The total cost for the 9-day scheme is $90.00. **All students who are not able to swim 25m confidently are encouraged to attend.**

**Visiting Teachers**
Today we have hosted 28 teachers from Hong Kong. These teachers are completing an immersion visit to NSW schools as part of their studies with the University of New South Wales. They observed lessons in the computer lab, sport, mathematics and English. They also attended our primary assembly. Their first impressions of our school this morning were very positive. Thank you to the teachers who hosted our visitors.

**Creative Arts News**
Congratulations to Willow who recently participated in the Sydney Region Primary Drama camp. The three-day camp was held at the Seymour Centre, Chippendale. Willow attended specialised workshops in a range of drama and performance focus areas. Ten students from Years 4-6 auditioned for the Sydney Region ‘Create East’ production in a range of areas such as dance, drama, visual arts, multimedia, band and choir. Congratulations to Amelia (Visual Arts) and Alyssa (Dance) who were selected for the three-day workshop and performance at NIDA, Kensington to be held in July.

**School Swimming Scheme**
Places are filling in the The Department of Education and Communities ‘School Swimming Scheme’. This intensive learn-to-swim program, which develops water confidence and provides students with basic skills in water safety and survival is being held next term. The scheme is conducted over nine days. Each daily lesson begins with a 15 minute water safety and awareness lesson, followed by a 45 minute lesson in the pool. Students are placed in small groups according to their needs and are taught by DEC-trained teachers with AustSwim accreditation.

**Year 2-6 students** who have not reached a satisfactory standard of water safety and survival skills, and are unable to confidently swim 25m unaided in deep water, are eligible to participate in the School Swimming Scheme.
Please contact the office or Ms Mayhew for more information.

App of the Week
This week’s App is “World Map 2014 FREE” by “Appventions”. Did you know that South Sudan became the world’s 195th country following separation from Sudan on 9 July 2011? View large, quick reference, World Maps on your device today by going to: https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.appventions.worldmapfree.

Mr Svanfelds
Technology Coordinator

Mental maths strategies
We teach children a range of different strategies to add and subtract numbers. By showing them several methods for solving maths questions, we’re helping them to look for patterns. All this builds a good sense of “number” which means they understand the relationships between different numbers and why different ways to add and subtract work well. The goal is that your child will understand many ways to approach a maths problem and will be able to choose a way that makes the most sense to them. School A to Z has a lot of resources, including help sheets on mental maths strategies. The site can be found at www.bit.ly/JkiUsY

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<td>Gabriel</td>
<td>Excellent work using Photoshop for the Art Show!</td>
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<td>Lochie</td>
<td>Working well in class.</td>
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<td>Maylyn</td>
<td>Beautiful cello playing in class.</td>
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<td>Jaiden</td>
<td>Fantastic participation during sport.</td>
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<td>Aaron</td>
<td>Outstanding TV presenter skills!</td>
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<td>Always trying her best in class activities.</td>
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<td>Annabelle</td>
<td>Dedication towards her learning and the school values.</td>
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<td>Ashly</td>
<td>Always working well with others.</td>
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Rainbow Badges

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Community News
Disclaimer: Rainbow Street Public School, as a service to parents, will advertise community events which may be of interest. RSPS does not necessarily endorse or sponsor the events and accepts no responsibility for the management or organization of these events.

HOLIDAY CAMPS
Tennis & Multisports

Winter Camps
Week 1: June 23-27
Week 2: June 30-July 4
Week 3: July 7-11

NEW
Great prizes & lots of fun

Tennis, T-ball, Basketball, Soccer

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2014 WORLD CUP FEVER
JUNE/ JULY HOLIDAY CAMPS

VENUES
Maroubra Bay Public School
City Holker, Randwick
Wakehurst Public School
Glen Street, Belrose
Newington Public School
Beverley Hills, South

SPECIAL OFFER
Book by 50th of June and receive 10% off daily price!

To book visit mrsoccer.com.au or call 1300 MR SOCCER

KANGA CAMPS

Multisports camps. A great introduction for kids to camps at Maccabi Tennis. Bookings essential.

Winter Camps
Week 1: June 30-July 4
Week 2: July 7-11

Spring Camps
Week 1: September 22-26
Week 2: September 29-October 3

December Camps (TBC)
Week 1: December 8-12
Week 2: December 15-19

* at White City only

9am-1pm
Ages 3-5
$60 p/day

BOOKINGS
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Go4Fun

Dear families,

Your local health service would like to offer you a FREE program filled with games, fun activities and loads of healthy living tips!

Do you want to:
- be part of a team?
- play some of your favourite activities and sports?
- feel fitter, healthier and happier?

Prizes for all eligible children who register

For more info or to register for your local Eastern Suburbs program contact
Linda Trotter (Local Go4Fun Coordinator) on: 9382 8641 or SMS 0409 940 334

Great fun and quality family time!
School Holiday Camps

June / July School Holiday Camps at Moore Park and Matraville

Our Sports Fun Holiday Camps run for three consecutive days (Mon-Wed) or Tue-Thur. Camps are available in two camps, with treatments 3 and 5

Moore Park Tennis:
Men 12” June West 2nd & Fri 4th July
Men 7” West 3rd & Fri 11th July
Bookings: Karen on 0402 138 324

Matraville Sports Centre:
Tues 1st & Thurs 3rd July
Tues 8th & Thurs 10th July
Bookings: Jamie on 0430 013 113

or email: info@sportsfun.com.au for more details or to make a booking.

Also weekly sports classes for 2-6 year olds can be booked inc. tennis, basketball & swimming at Matraville.

www.sportsfun.com.au