

Riverwood Rap

Principal's Message

P&C Meeting This Friday—7th December

Please come along to our final meeting for the year. Deslyn from the Healthy Homes and Neighbourhoods Program will be providing an update following the community consultation that happened earlier in the year.

It will also be an opportunity to share your ideas for what the P&C and the School could prioritise for next year. Something already underway is a breakfast club through the Food Bank and Healthy Homes and Neighbourhoods Program, as well as a learning or homework club with the Riverwood Community Centre.

I hope to see you at **9am** after morning assembly in the staffroom.

Presentation Day

It was wonderful to see the Riverwood Public School community come together and celebrate the achievements of our students this year. Congratulations to all students who have made good choices and who have grown as learners.



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School Safety

I have seen some fairly unsafe behaviours from pedestrians and cars out the front. I have had the Road Safety Officer and Traffic Engineer from Canterbury Bankstown Council attend to have a look at some options to improve safety measures on Union Street.

Work has started on some new fencing in and around the school. This is to make the school site safer. Fencing will screen off pedestrians from the car park near the hall and along the pathway into the school. Next year we will have installed an electronic gate for the car park entrance and have a more secure gate for pedestrians entering and visiting the site.

Year 6 Graduation Afternoon Tea and Assembly

The special assembly will take place on **Tuesday 18th December** in the hall. This will be followed by an afternoon tea at 2.30pm for Year 6 students and their families. We hope you can join us to celebrate this special achievement for Year 6 students.



New Noticeboard

I have had this placed on the outside of the office wall in the playground. We will be sharing information about things happening in the school and the wider community.

5 December 2018



Good as Gold Morning Tea

Families of students who have made it to Gold Level are invited to a special morning tea with me on **Monday 17th December at 11am**. You should receive your invitations shortly.

Awarding our staff

On Monday I had the pleasure of attending the Beverly Hills Principal Network Awards. Two staff members, Mrs Aimee Taylor and PJ were recognised for their outstanding contribution to improved student outcomes here at Riverwood Public School. Congratulations to them both!



Yours sincerely

Anne Davis
Principal (Rel.)

Upcoming Diary Dates

Thursday 6th December	Pre-school Yr 4 buddy program Swim Scheme and AFL
Friday 7th December	Last Assembly for 2018 Swim Scheme
Monday 10th December	Year 6 Luna Park Excursion
Wednesday 12th December	SHS cooking
Thursday 13th December	End of year Movie Day Preschool P1 & P2 Concert
Friday 14th December	Last day for Preschool
Monday 17th December	Gold Level Morning Tea
Tuesday 18th December	Year 6 Graduation Ceremony
Wednesday 19th December	Last day for Students

REMINDER

If you child will not be returning to Riverwood Public School in 2019 please notify the school office either in person or via a note. This will assist us with our planning for 2019.

If you child will be returning late in 2019, that is after the commencement of the school year, please send a letter to the school office to inform us.

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**ENROLMENT FORMS AVAILABLE AT THE
SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION OFFICE
CHILDREN AGED 4 YEARS IN 2019**

SCHOOL DATES FOR 2019

TERM	STUDENT FIRST DAY	STUDENT LAST DAY
1	Wednesday 30 January	Friday 12 April
2	Monday 29 April	Friday 5 July
3	Monday 22 July	Friday 27 September
4	Monday 14 October	Friday 20 December

Year 6 Graduation Day

Tuesday 18 December

*2pm - Afternoon Tea
2.30 - Graduation
Assembly*



UNPAID FEES

**ALL OUTSTANDING MONEY IS TO BE PAID TO
THE SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION OFFICE BY NO
LATER THAN THE 14TH DECEMBER 2018**

**ALL OUTSTANDING PRESCHOOL FEES WILL BE
REFERRED TO THE DEPARTMENT OF
EDUCATION FOR DEBT RECOVERY.**



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FREE BUS SERVICE



These school holidays, the City of Canterbury Bankstown is providing free buses to Cronulla Beach for young people and their parents/ guardians on the following days:

**Tuesday 15 January, Thursday 17 January, Tuesday 22 January,
Thursday 24 January**



Buses will pick up from the following pick up points

Route 1

- 9am - The Roundabout Youth Centre, Helen Street cnr Carlingford Road, Sefton
- 9.15am - Greenacre Senior Citizen Centre, 202 Waterloo Road, Greenacre
- 9.30am - 69 The Mall, Bankstown (on Paul Keating Park side, opposite Lincraft)

Route 2

- 9am - Panania Railway Station, Panania on Weston Street side
- 9.15am - Revesby Railway Station, Revesby on Blamey Street side
- 9.30am - Padstow Railway Station, Padstow on Howard Road side

Route 3

- 9am - Belmore Youth Resource Centre, 3/38-40 Redman Parade, Belmore and
- 9:15am - Riverwood Community Centre, 151 Belmore Road North, Riverwood

Route 4

- 9am - Ashbury Senior Citizens Centre, 66 Princess St, Ashbury
- 9:15am - Council Customer Carpark, 17 Shakespeare St, Campsie



All buses depart Cronulla Beach at 3pm SHARP and return to the pick up points as above.

Bookings are not required; the program operates on a 'first come, first served' basis. However if you pre-register online before 11 January each passenger registered will receive a free BBQ and Drink voucher to be redeemed at Dunningham Park, North Cronulla between 11am-1pm on the day of your choice.



All passengers must comply with the conditions and warnings, which can be found at cb.city/bustobeach or by calling 9707 9605.

Please make sure you check the Lost Property for any items that may belong to your child before the school holidays





Movie Day

Thursday 13th December

Please ensure your permission note and \$20 payment has been made to the Administration Office.



Lunchtime Garden Club





CAROLS IN THE PARK

**A FREE COMMUNITY EVENT
FOOD AND DRINK AVAILABLE**

Friday 14 December 2018

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Fun Activities 4pm – 6pm

Carols from 6pm

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