



Normanhurst News



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Term 4 Week 7

28 November 2018

DATE	EVENT
Friday 30 November	Swimming – Please note there is no swimming this week due to the Stage 3 Milson Island Camp
Wednesday 28 - 30 November	Milson Island Camp – Yrs 5 & 6

NOTES SENT HOME	
Wednesday 21 November	Tea Towel Fundraising Order Forms – Years K-6
Friday 23 November	School Swimming Scheme Program: Years 2-6 Change of Date
Monday 26 November	Banking Reminder Note – Eldest Child Presentation Day for Award Recipients – Selected Students Only

Principal's Report

Ms Gorrell is continuing to recover and will return to work later this week.

Assistant Principal's Report

Merit Certificates

Congratulations to the following students who received a merit certificate at last week's assembly:

For Being Responsible

Tom E	3M	Alexsander Z	4G	Tristan Y	6D
Emily A	3P	Saxon M	5S	Lila K	Computers
Scarlett M	3/4W	Lola W	5/6M	Ashleigh D	Library

For Being Respectful

Heath A	3M	Ben W	4G	Jack L	6D
Jawarn A	3P	Louis M	5S	Natalie R	Computers
Darvan T	3/4W	Jayden Y	5/6M	Isabella L	Library

For Striving for Success

Jack L	3M	Oliver P	4G	Amelie B	6D
Carla S	3P	Ashleigh D	5S	Roman G	Computers
Sarah A	3/4W	Tom L	5/6M	Grace A	Library

Positive Behaviour for Learning

During this fortnight all classes are revising behavioural expectations for using the Library and how our three values relate to this setting. The Week 7 recipient of our PBL draw was Carla S.

Striver Badges

Congratulations to the following students who received a Striver badge at our last assembly:

Blue badge – Chiara M, Chloe K

Green badge – Joshua P

Student Leadership Elections

This week staff and students from Years 2-6 voted for who they would like to be their Student Leaders in 2019. We had 13 girls and 9 boys stand for the positions of School Captains, Vice-Captains and Prefects. Each nominee did an outstanding job giving a speech to the school on why they would make a great student leader. Voting was carried out straight after the speeches on each day, and an announcement will be made on Presentation Day as to who our leaders will be for 2019.

A big thank you to all our candidates. It is not easy to get up and speak to a large group of people. You all did an amazing job and showed that the school would be lucky to have any of you as our new student leaders.

Kind regards,

Stephen Sheridan

Assistant Principal

Green Team



This week the Green Team made a Spinach Dip from our garden. The students chopped the spinach and blended it with mayonnaise and sour cream. It was delicious!

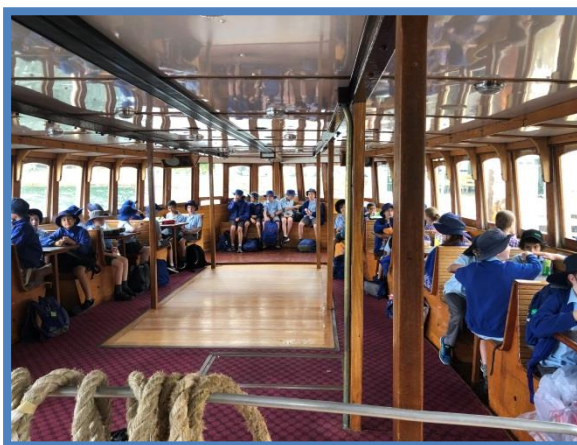
Kathy Ironside and Tanya Khoo

Green Team Coordinators

Lesson Afloat Excursion – Stage 2

Do you know what Cockatoo Island was used for by the early colonialists? Or what now stands on the site of Eora man Bennelong's hut? Do you know why Sydney Cove was chosen for the first colony? Our students in Stage 2 can answer these questions and many more! Our excursion involved a cruise around the picturesque Sydney Harbour in a 2-storey ferry turned into a floating classroom. The excursion was organised to support our Stage 2 history unit, **First Contacts** about the British colonisation of Australia. We stopped for lunch and to stretch our legs at Clifton Gardens. What a spectacular and informative day it was! Many thanks to the teachers, parent helpers and students for making this such a wonderful experience.

Linda Grimmond
Organising Teacher



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Mosaics

In Term 3 & 4 our Stage 3 Mosaic group have completed the Solar System - complete with a rocket! We hope you enjoy this bright and colourful addition to our COLA. A big 'thank you' to Mr Gleeson for taking the time to attach the sun and planets to the wall for us.

Janelle Duncan
Learning & Support Teacher



League Tag Gala Day

On Tuesday 20 November, the Normanhurst Senior Oz Tag teams took part in the NRL Bears League Tag Gala Day at Montview Oval. Both teams played extremely well and showed excellent enthusiasm, football skills and sportsmanship. Congratulations to the boy's team who finished on top of their pool and were unlucky to lose their semi-final in the last few minutes. Well done to the girl's team who won their semi-final and progressed through to the finals to be held next week. Unfortunately, the girls will not be able to play in the finals due to Stage 3 camp. Thank you to the parents and grandparents who offered their time and assistance on the day.

Blake Roseworn
Oz Tag Coordinator



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Cough etiquette

Cover your cough



- When coughing or sneezing, use a tissue to cover your nose and mouth
- Dispose of the tissue afterwards
- If you don't have a tissue, cough or sneeze into your elbow.

Wash your hands



- After coughing, sneezing or blowing your nose, wash your hands with soap and water
- Use alcohol-based hand cleansers if you do not have access to soap and water

Remember hand washing is the single most effective way to reduce the spread of germs that cause respiratory disease.

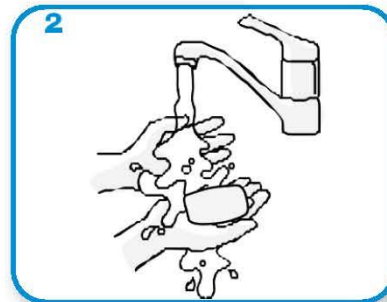
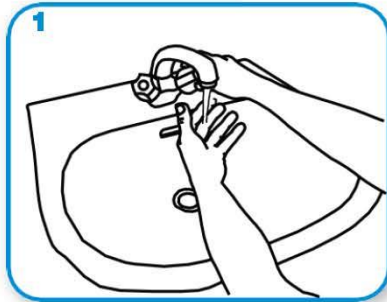
Anyone with signs and symptoms of a respiratory infection, regardless of the cause, should be instructed to cover their nose/mouth when coughing or sneezing; use tissues to contain respiratory secretions; dispose of tissues in the nearest waste receptacle after use; and wash their hands afterwards.

How to handwash? in the community

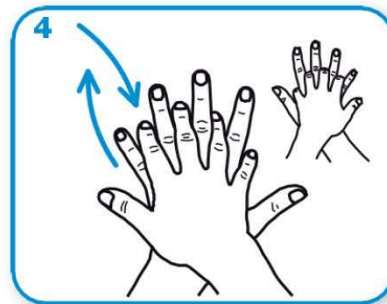
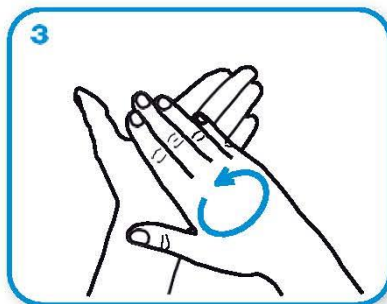


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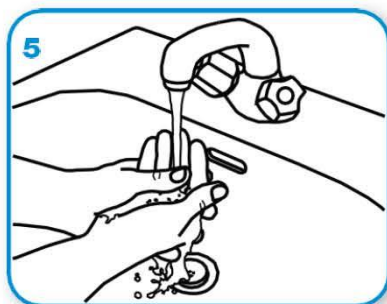
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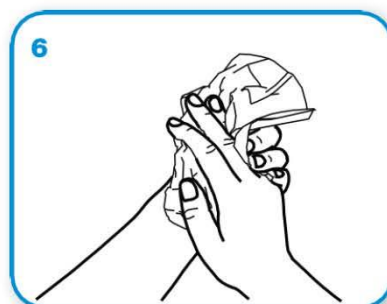
Wet hands with water and soap



Wash hands together making sure you wash your thumbs, between your fingers and the backs of your hands



Rinse hands with water



Dry thoroughly with a single use towel












Clean Hands Saves Lives
















SHPN (CS) 0900361

Too sick for school?



Generally if your child feels unwell, keep them home from school and consult your doctor. This chart and the information it contains is not intended to take the place of a consultation with your doctor.

Bronchitis	Symptoms are coughing, a runny nose, sore throat and mild fever. The cough is often dry at first, becoming moist after a couple of days. There may be a slight wheeze and shortness of breath. A higher fever (typically above 39°C) may indicate pneumonia.	 ... until they are feeling better. Antibiotics may be needed.
Chickenpox (Varicella)	Slight fever, runny nose, and a rash that begins as raised pink spots that blister and scab.	 ... for 5 days from the onset of the rash and the blisters have dried.
Conjunctivitis	The eye feels 'scratchy', is red and may water. Lids may stick together on waking.	 ... while there is discharge from the eye unless a doctor has diagnosed a non-infectious cause.
Diarrhoea (no organism identified)	Two or more consecutive bowel motions that are looser and more frequent than normal and possibly stomach cramps.	 ... for at least 24 hours after diarrhoea stops.
Fever	A temperature of 38.5°C or more in older infants and children.	 ... until temperature is normal.
Gastroenteritis	A combination of frequent loose or watery stools (diarrhoea), vomiting, fever, stomach cramps, headaches.	 ... for at least 24 hours after diarrhoea and/or vomiting stops.
German measles (Rubella)	Often mild or no symptoms: mild fever, runny nose, swollen nodes, pink blotchy rash that lasts a short time.	 ... for at least 4 days after the rash appears.
Glandular Fever (Mononucleosis, EBV infection)	Symptoms include fever, headache, sore throat, tiredness, swollen nodes.	 ... unless they're feeling unwell.
Hand, Foot and Mouth Disease (HFMD)	Generally a mild illness caused by a virus, perhaps with a fever, blisters around the mouth, on the hands and feet, and perhaps the nappy area in babies.	 ... until all blisters have dried.
Hayfever (Allergic rhinitis) caused by allergy to pollen (from grasses, flowers and trees), dust mites, animal fur or hair, mould spores, cigarette smoke	Sneezing, a blocked or runny nose (rhinitis), itchy eyes, nose and throat, headaches.	 ... unless they feel unwell or are taking a medication which makes them sleepy.
Head lice or nits* (Pediculosis)	Itchy scalp, white specks stuck near the base of the hairs; lice may be found on the scalp.	 ... while continuing to treat head lice each night. Tell the school.

Hepatitis A	Often none in young children; sudden onset of fever, loss of appetite, nausea, vomiting, jaundice (yellowing of skin and eyes), dark urine, pale stools.	 ... for 2 weeks after first symptoms (or 1 week after onset of jaundice). Contact your doctor before returning to school.
Hepatitis B	Often no symptoms in young children. When they do occur, they can include fever, loss of appetite, nausea, vomiting, jaundice (yellowing of skin and eyes), dark urine.	 ... if they have symptoms. Contact your doctor before returning to school.  ... if they have a chronic infection (not the first outbreak) and no symptoms.
Impetigo (School sores)	Small red spots change into blisters that fill up with pus and become crusted; usually on the face, hands or scalp.	 ... until antibiotic treatment starts. Sores should be covered with watertight dressings.
Influenza	Sudden onset fever, runny nose, sore throat, cough, muscle aches and headaches.	 ... until well.
Measles	Fever, tiredness, runny nose, cough and sore red eyes for a few days followed by a red blotchy rash that starts on the face and spreads down the body and lasts 4 to 7 days.	 ... for at least 4 days after the rash appears.
Meningococcal Disease	Sudden onset of fever and a combination of headache, neck, stiffness, nausea, vomiting, drowsiness or rash.	Seek medical attention immediately. Patient will need hospital treatment. Close contacts receive antibiotics.
Molluscum Contagiosum	Multiple small lumps (2–5mm) on the skin that are smooth, firm and round, with dimples in the middle. In children, occur mostly on the face, trunk, upper arms and legs. Symptoms can last 6 months to 2 years.	
Mumps	Fever, swollen and tender glands around the jaw.	 ... for 9 days after onset of swelling.
Ringworm* (tinea corporis]	Small scaly patch on the skin surrounded by a pink ring.	 ... for 24 hours after fungal treatment has begun.
Runny nose or common cold		 ... unless there are other symptoms such as fever, sore throat, cough, rash or headache. Check with school.
Scabies*	Itchy skin, worse at night. Worse around wrists, armpits, buttocks, groin and between fingers and toes.	 ... until 24 hours after treatment has begun.
Shigella	Diarrhoea (which may contain blood, mucus and pus), fever, stomach cramps, nausea and vomiting.	 ... until there has not been a loose bowel motion for 24 hours. Antibiotics may be needed.
Slapped Cheek Syndrome (Parvovirus B19 infection, fifth disease, erythema infectiosum)	Mild fever, red cheeks, itchy lace-like rash, and possibly cough, sore throat or runny nose.	 ... as it is most infectious before the rash appears.
Whooping Cough (Pertussis)	Starts with a running nose, followed by persistent cough that comes in bouts. Bouts maybe followed by vomiting and a whooping sound as the child gasps for air.	 ... until the first 5 days of an antibiotic course has been completed. Unimmunised siblings may need to stay home too until treated with an antibiotic.
Worms (Threadworms, pinworms)	The main sign of threadworms is an itchy bottom. Sometimes children feel 'out of sorts' and do not want to eat much. They may also have trouble sleeping, due to itching at night.	 ... and tell the school as other parents will need to know to check their kids.

*It is important that the rest of the family is checked for head lice, scabies and ringworm



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P&C News

16 November 2018 | Obstacle-a-thon



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It's been a productive week at NPS, with a great turn out for our Waratah working bee and Carols Night planning now well underway.

Thank you to the families who worked hard to improve our grounds at the working bee. It was nice to enjoy some muffins donated by No.38 Cafe and a Sausage Sizzle at the end. We value all of your contributions to making this a social and successful day.

On Carols Night, P & C will be hosting a BBQ, some raffles and Santa Photos and there will be drinks, snacks and sweets to purchase from 4pm. Please bring your cash along to enjoy these activities, as there will not be eftpos at this event.

A reminder that next Monday (3 December at 7.30 p.m.) is our P & C meeting.

Please come and be a part of our discussion. We will be voting on several items listed in last weeks newsletter. If you haven't attended a P & C meeting before, please pay your \$2 to the box in the office prior to our meeting to be financial to vote. Nominations for our secretary and uniform shop auxillary committee are still open.

Our new committee look forward to meeting you.

Melissa Logan
P&C President

Grounds News

NPS held it's final working bee for 2018 and it was by far the most attended bee all year - well done team Waratah! The main focus of the day was the garden bed outside the office, the hall area, the upper playground and hill, 3/4W and the fence line behind the hall. The conditions were miraculously kind after the maddening wind we experienced just the day before and there was such a wonderful spirit from our team work and a fantastic presence from many new Kindergarten families.

Food replenishments kept appearing which sustained the workers and after a solid three hours gardening and some sore and tired bodies, much was achieved. A huge thank you to the following families: Air, Jaques, McCubbin, Erickson, Nicholls, Ball, Fisher, Cowan, Lam, Gins, Jorqueras, Ueki, Penrose, Veale, Rankin, Khamlu, Wickenden and Thorp. Thanks also to Ben Nicholls for sourcing a wonderful donation of Lilli Pillis (yet to be planted) and the Lam and Air families for their plant donations.

A big shout out to the Veale family for providing a delicious sausage sizzle at the end of the bee. I would also like to thank the whole school community who have supported working bees over the past three years. It's been lovely meeting other families and feeling like we've made some difference to our school grounds. I am grateful to Ian Air for taking over the role and I encourage you to support him as Grounds Coordinator. He has many wonderful ideas and long term visions for the school grounds and I thank him enormously for all the hard work he has always put in at every working bee he attends.

As a final tally, the winner for the most attendance is BANKSIA with 15 points, followed closely by Waratah with 13 points, Acacia with 9 points and Eucalypt with 8 points.

Thank you all.

Kriena Thorp
Grounds Coordinator

Canteen News

Thank you very much to all parents who have so generously given up their time to assist Lisa in the Canteen this year so far. I hope you were able to attend the Morning Tea to 'Thank the Volunteers' last Wednesday morning in the staffroom. There were certainly some yummy baked delights provided to us and a heartfelt mini-speech from Mr Sheridan.

We only have a few more weeks left so I thought I should let you know that on the last day of Term (Wednesday 19 December) although it is a trading day, we will be limited in the varieties of food available due to clearing out the fridges for the Summer break. Please accept our apologies in advance if you cannot order your favourite food. We will be back in the New Year!

Canteen Volunteer Vacancies

Have you got an hour (or two) to spare on a Wednesday, Thursday or Friday?? We would Love your Help! Most of this and next week's shifts are already covered by volunteer parents (Thank You!), so the only vacant timeslots left are:

- Thursday 29 November 11.00 a.m. - 1.30 p.m.
- Friday 30 November 11.00 a.m. - 1.30 p.m.
- Wednesday 5 December 9.00 a.m. - 10.00 a.m.
- Thursday 6 December CANTEEN CLOSED due to Mini Fete
- Wednesday 12 December 9.00 a.m. - 10.00 a.m.
- Wednesday 12 December 11.00 a.m. - 1.30 p.m.

You can find these rosters at www.school24.net.au (using your regular sign-in.) If these times don't suit you, but you are available at other times, please let us know, we can work something out.

Please Note: If you are unable to make a shift, please send me a text message as soon as possible so I can log in to take you off that shift. Unfortunately the system does not allow parents to delete or edit once you have hit register. We understand things come up at the last minute, so please just keep us informed.. Alternatively you could also email myself canteencommittee@npsandc.com or Lisa on canteen@npsandc.com.

Don't forget you will also receive a coffee voucher to redeem at Cafe 38 (to say "Thank You" for your time; and at the end of the term you also go into the draw for your child to win a \$20 Canteen topup to your School24 account (winners will be announced in the newsletter).

As your new Canteen Co-ordinator please contact me with anything/feedback you wish to share about the Canteen experience.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Cheers,

Bonita Chan

Canteen Coordinator

Mobile: 0414 505 800

canteencommittee@npsandc.com

P&C Social and Fundraising

Hi, I would like to introduce myself as your new Fundraising Coordinator. A BIG thank you goes out to Emma Veale and her committee for the endless time they have put into making the school it is now.

My main role is to coordinate and assist fundraising and social activities at Normanhurst Public School which will provide an avenue to acquire additional funding to enhance our children's learning environment.

I would like to acknowledge and give thanks to my committee; Emily Mc, Uldouz V, Bonita C and Sarah A for being super supportive and eager. I am looking forward to working with you all!

Whilst I have a committee of four I still call on help from the wonderful parents at Normanhurst Public School. I will be posting some events in the coming months that we are looking at holding next year so please if you feel you can help in any come and see me. I am at the school every morning and every afternoon.

See you at the Carols on Tuesday 11 December.

Pam Gins

P & C Fundraising Coordinator

fundraising@npsbandc.com

NPS Band News

Term 4 Parent Band Roster for Weeks 7, 8 and 9:

Thu 29 Nov	Concert Band	7.20 – 8.40	NO BAND due to Camp
Thu 29 Nov	Training Band	12.50 – 2.00	Kirralie Fogarty
Fri 30 Nov	Intermediate Band	12.50 – 2.00	Miriam Papantoniou
Mon 3 Dec	Training Band	7.20 – 8.40	Jason Ives
Mon 3 Dec	Concert Band	12.50 – 2.00	Kyoko van der Woude
Wed 5 Dec	Intermediate Band	7.20 – 8.40	Bob Cowan
Thu 6 Dec	Concert Band	7.20 – 8.40	Jason Ives
Thu 6 Dec	Training Band	12.50 – 2.00	NO BAND due to Mini Fete
Fri 7 Dec	Intermediate & Training Band	12.50 – 2.00	Cate Riley
Mon 10 Dec	Training & Intermediate Band	7.20 – 8.40	Caroline Mulligan
Mon 10 Dec	Concert Band	12.50 – 2.00	Davina Gill

OTHER BAND DATES for your DIARIES

SUPER BAND Rehearsal

Training Band and Intermediate Band will have combined rehearsals on Friday 7 Dec at lunchtime and Monday 10 Dec before school. If this is not your usual rehearsal day please ensure your child has their instrument with them on those days.

Tuesday 11 Dec Christmas Concert
Super Band playing 'Three Carols for a Celebration'
CB playing 'Mary's Boy Child'

Thursday 13 Dec Presentation Day
CB performing at both assemblies
(Raiders March, Canyonlands, National Anthem and School Song)

Friday 14 Dec Macca's breakfast

Please ensure if you are currently in Band but not intending to return for 2019 that you advise the Band Committee by the end of Week 7.



Normanhurst Public School

CAROLS NIGHT

Tuesday 11th December | 4 PM

Carols. Raffles. Sausage Sizzle & Drinks. Santa Photos

Please bring cash on the night



*Tis the season
to be jolly!*

Sausage and Drink \$5
Santa Photo \$5
Raffles
Snacks available

For more information, please email
fundraisingenpspandc.com

Would you like your children to learn Spanish?

We are assessing the possibility of offering Spanish lessons before or after school at Normanhurst Public School starting in Term 1 of 2019. If you would like your child to attend, please send your expression of interest to Ms. Kyra at spanishconnectaustralia@gmail.com.



Wow! It is hard to believe it is the end of the year already! It seems to have flown by! NOOSH has had a cracking term with lots going on as per usual. As this year draws to a close, we wanted to let you know about a few things we are celebrating:

Farewell to those leaving us



As our Year 6's head off to high school, and some of our other students move onto bigger and better things, we are having a farewell to wish them good luck for the future. This is happening on **Tuesday 4 December** – if you are not booked in to NOOSH next Tuesday but are one of our “leavers”, please come along! We would love to see you! Please RSVP to info@normanhurstoshc.com.au by Friday 30 November.



Gingerbread House Night

Back by popular demand! Our gingerbread house night is always a hit, so mark **Friday 14 December** on your calendar! This year our booking is a bit different – to reserve your spots go to <https://www.trybooking.com/ZLHO>. All are very welcome – the cost is \$35 per NOOSH family, \$40 for a non-NOOSH family. Join us for a fun social night – a light meal will be served.

CENTRE CLOSING OVER THE CHRISTMAS BREAK

We will be closed from Monday 24 December to Sunday 6 January 2019. Re-opened on Monday 7 January 2019. We trust you and your family will have a safe and restful holiday period.

Summer Vacation Care

Our Summer Vacation Care is now open!

We begin with 2 x Pupil-Free Days on Thursday 20 & Friday 21 December.

We resume on Monday 7 January - Tuesday 29 January 2019.

We have some great activities such as Wet N' Wild, Bowling & Holey Moley @ Strike Castle Hill, Movies & Timezone, Games 2 U Minecraft Day, Monkey Baa Theatre, Waves Pool Baulkham Hills, sailing on a tail ship and bubble soccer! Make sure to book soon to avoid disappointment! Please note our new cancellations policy – we now require five business days notice for cancellations in order to avoid being charged.



2019 Re-enrolment....

As we are expecting a waiting list on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons, now is the time to make sure your enrolment is completed so that your spots can be confirmed. To enrol, you must log into our website: www.normanhurstoshc.com.au and “finalise” your bookings for 2019.

Santa Claus is coming!

On Wednesday 19 December (the final day of term) we are having our end of year party! With tasty treats, a disco and maybe some water games, join us for a fun afternoon which may involve a visit from someone very special!

If you have any other questions, or need any assistance with anything related to NOOSH, please feel free to email us: info@normanhurstoshc.com.au

Kerri Wickenden
NOOSH DIRECTOR



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Fraser Road, Normanhurst

Camp one 20th and 21st December 2018 (2 day camp) (\$100.00)

Camp two 21st January to 25th January 2019 (\$195.00)

EARLY BIRD DISCOUNT OF \$5 IF YOU BOOK AND PAY ONE WEEK PRIOR TO CAMP (full camp only – not casual bookings).

SIBLING DISCOUNT OF \$5 AVAILABLE FOR 2ND CHILD

Camp features:

- * Coaching of forehand, backhand, serves, volleys. Correct grip /ready position.
- * Fun games, challenges and tournaments. Footwork and movement training.
- * Multi-sport activities including – soccer, basketball, dance contest, amazing race and table tennis. Golf Clinic/Putt Putt on Wednesday afternoons at Thornleigh Golf Centre.
- * **FREE pizza lunch on the last day of each camp. Prize money will be given for advanced group. Medals given for each group.**
- * **Wet weather program operates when necessary using the school facilities.**

Times: 9.00am – 3.00pm daily

After camp care available from 3.00pm - 5.00pm at a cost of \$10.00 per hour

Half day option available : \$70 for camp one and \$145 for camp two.

(9.00 – 12.00) for the week.

Casual day rate: \$60.00 (for golf clinic price is \$80.00)

½ day casual rate: \$40.00 (9.00-12.00)



Contact: Alan Stopford Tennis Australia Qualified Coach

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Website: stopfordtennis.com.au

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Pay by cash , cheque or EFT (direct deposit)

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125 Baulkham Hills Road, Baulkham Hills NSW

Information for Term Lessons:

- Wednesday Squad (intermediate/advanced) 30th January 5.30-7.00pm at Mills Park, Asquith \$200.00 for the term.
 - Thursday Junior/Intermediate class 31st January 3.30-4.30pm at Normanhurst Boys High, \$155.00 for the term.
 - Saturday Junior class 2nd February 10.00am – 11.00am at Normanhurst Boys High, \$155.00 for the term.
 - Saturday Intermediate 2nd February 11.00am – 12.00pm at Normanhurst Boys High, \$155.00 for the term.
 - Adult Clinic 14th February 6.30pm to 7.360pm Asquith \$95.00 for 4 weeks.
 - Private lessons available by appointment.
- *****

December 2018/January 2019 School Holiday Camps: Please detach and complete.

Names: _____

Address: _____ Email Address: _____

Home Phone and mobile: _____

Medical Conditions: _____

School: _____

Date of birth: _____ School Year: _____

Please tick: Camp 1 _____ Camp 2 _____ Half day _____ Casual day _____

Kids Club Term 4 2018

19- Oct	Minute to win it	23-Nov	
26-Oct		30- Nov	Water Games
2-Nov	Asteroids	7-Dec	Kid's Choice
9-Nov		14- Dec	Christmas Party

3:30-6:00 Friday Afternoons during term, \$3
Normanhurst Uniting Church, 2 Buckingham Ave, Normanhurst
For more information contact
Ruth Simpson simps.ruth@gmail.com

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TRY AFL DAY

TUES 4th DEC 5-7PM

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5-17 YEARS
SUNDAY GAMES**



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WAITARA KIDS CLUB

Holiday Program
22-25 January 2019

Tuesday – Friday
9am-12pm

Level 2, Waitara PCYC
Cost: \$75 full week
Day rate also available



CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE

5-6PM
FOX VALLEY COMMUNITY CENTRE



Join us

at St John's Uniting Church Wahroonga
Corner of Coonanbarra Rd and Stuart St Wahroonga

Sunday | 16th December | 8PM

A Service of Lessons and Carols

featuring:

- the Choir of St John's
- the Hummy Mummies Choir

Raising funds for the
Hornsby Ku-ring-gai Women's Shelter
hornsbykuringgaiwomensshelter.com.au



St John's Uniting Church
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Kids CHRISTMAS PARTY

Children*
M \$18 / G \$15
*AGES 3-12 YEARS

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Be astounded and wowed by the Magic of Joey Presto, Master Magician. And, direct from the North Pole, Santa will make a welcome appearance with gifts for the kids. Bookings essential.

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SUMMER READING CLUB LAUNCH

Followed by *The Gigalees* and their Crazy Comedy Show!

Give your children incentive to read over the holidays and the opportunity to win great prizes by signing them up for the Summer Reading Club. A child's library card is essential to join the Club and attend the show.

Club Registration with child's library card will open from 4:30pm.

Come early so you don't miss our great show.

Hornsby Library

Thursday 6 December,

Ages: 0-14 year olds

Registration: 4.30pm

Show: 5.30pm

Cost: Free for all Summer Reading Club members.

No bookings required.

GINGERBREAD HOUSE MAKING WORKSHOP

Bring the whole family and be guided in making a wonderful Gingerbread House for the Christmas table. The cost includes all the materials needed such as house, icing, lollies, silver foil, board and cellophane for wrapping. Great Christmas fun for the whole family.

Hornsby Library

Wednesday 5 December, 6.30pm-8pm

Pennant Hills Community Centre

Saturday 8 December, 2.30pm-4pm

Cost: \$35.00 per family.

Children 7 and under must be accompanied by an adult. Bookings essential. Book online at hornsby.nsw.gov.au/library

SANTA CLAUS SUPERSTAR CHRISTMAS PANTOMIME

Santa Claus Superstar is a delightful comedy which will thrill its young audiences.

Now that Santa has a magic cape he can make all of the toys by himself. Poor old Rudolf and the elves have their world turned upside down – they're out of a job! The scheming Daredevil Dan and Grumpy Gran plot to steal the cape, and its high adventure with the children involved every step of the way. Featuring the gorgeous *Music Box Dancer*, the *Jolly Green Christmas Tree*, *Drummer Boy*, *Jack in the Box*, *Harlequin*, and many more surprises.

Hornsby Library

Tuesday 18 December, 11.30am

Berowra

Community Centre

Friday 21 December, 10.30am

Pennant Hills

Community Centre

Thursday 20 December, 10.30am

Ages: 2-7 year olds. Parents and children under 2 years accompanying a paying sibling do not require payment. Children must be accompanied by an adult.

Cost: \$8.00 per child

FEATURE CREATURES - REPTILE SHOWS

Be fascinated by this interactive and educational wildlife event where you will be able to get close to frogs, snakes and crocodiles.

Hornsby Library

Tuesday 15 January, 10.30am-11.30am

Pennant Hills

Learning & Leisure Centre

Wednesday 16 January, 10.30am-11.30am

Berowra

Community Centre

Thursday 17 January, 10.30am-11.30am

Ages: 5-12 year olds

Cost: \$10.00 per child





Normanhurst Public School Term 4 Calendar - 2018

	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT	SUN
WEEK 1	15 OCT	16 OCT	17 OCT	18 OCT	Swimming Commences 19 OCT	20 OCT	21 OCT
WEEK 2	BAND AGM 8.00 P.M. 22 OCT	23 OCT	School Tour 9.15 a.m. 24 OCT	K-2 ASSEMBLY 25 OCT	Swimming Day BANDANA DAY Staff Appreciation Dinner 7.00 p.m. 26 OCT	27 OCT	28 OCT
WEEK 3	P&C Meeting 7.30 p.m. AGM 29 OCT	STAGE 2 SCIENCE INCURSION (IN HALL ALL DAY) 30 OCT	SRC Meeting 31 OCT	3-6 ASSEMBLY MUSIC COUNT US IN Band Info Night 1 NOV	Swimming Day 2 NOV	3 NOV	4 NOV
WEEK 4	5 NOV	YEAR 2 EXCURSION SCHOOL HOUSE 6 NOV	YEAR 1 EXCURSION SCHOOL HOUSE 7 NOV	K-6 ASSEMBLY KINDY 2019 TRANSITION MORNING 9.15-11 A.M. 8 NOV	Swimming Day 9 NOV	10 NOV	11 NOV
WEEK 5	12 NOV	KINDY 2019 TRANSITION MORNING 9.15-11 A.M. 13 NOV	SCHOOL CHESS TOURNAMENT 14 NOV	K-2 ASSEMBLY NORMANHURST BOYS HIGH SCHOOL VISIT 15 NOV	Swimming Day Obstacle-A-thon Band Showcase 16 NOV	17 NOV	BAND MOVIE FUNDRAISER – HORNSBY 18 NOV
WEEK 6	KINDY 2019 TRANSITION MORNING 9.15-11 A.M. 19 NOV	STAGE 2 INCURSION: LESSONS AFLOAT 20 NOV	STAGE 3 INTERRELATE THANK YOU MORNING TEA 21 NOV	3-6 ASSEMBLY STAGE 3 INTERRELATE 22 NOV	Swimming Day 23 NOV	Working Bee WARATAH 2 – 5 p.m. 24 NOV	25 NOV
WEEK 7	LEADER SPEECHES GIRLS KT,KR,K/1V PANTOMIME 26 NOV	LEADER SPEECHES BOYS 27 NOV	STAGE 3 CAMP 28 NOV	NO ASSEMBLY STAGE 3 CAMP 29 NOV	No Swimming STAGE 3 CAMP 1G/1K/1B PANTOMIME 30 NOV	1 DEC	2 DEC
WEEK 8	Year 5 INTERRELATE P&C MEETING 7.30PM 3 DEC	2B/2I/2M PANTOMIME Year 6 INTERRELATE 4 DEC	School Tour 9.15 a.m. Swimming Make Up Day 5 DEC	NO ASSEMBLY YEAR 6 MINI-FETE 6 DEC	Swimming Day 7 DEC	8 DEC	9 DEC
WEEK 9	10 DEC	CAROLS NIGHT 11 DEC	XMAS SCRIPTURE SERVICE 12 DEC	PRESENTATION DAY 13 DEC	Last week of Swimming BAND BREAKFAST 14 DEC	15 DEC	16 DEC
WEEK 10	YEAR 6 FAREWELL Reports home to parents 17 DEC	TALENT QUEST 18 DEC	LAST DAY FOR STUDENTS 19 DEC	STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAY 20 DEC	STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAY 21 DEC	22 DEC	23 DEC