



# Normanhurst News

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Term 4 Week 9

12 December 2018

DATE	EVENT
Thursday 13 December	Presentation Day
Wednesday 30 January 2019	Year 1 – 6 Students commence
Friday 1 February 2019	Kindergarten students commence

## Principal's Report

### Carols Night

Thank you to all families who attended our Carols Night last night. It is always a fun and relaxing event for our school community as we head into the festive season. Thank you to the P & C for providing food and drink and an opportunity for a photo with Santa, and to Mr and Mrs Manton for their coordination of lighting and sound. Thank you to Ms Mafi who coordinated the event and all of the staff who assisted with the organisation, rehearsed songs with their classes and gave up personal time to attend.



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## Presentation Day

Please be reminded that our annual Presentation Day will be held tomorrow in our school hall, with the 3-6 assembly commencing at 9.30 a.m. and the K-2 assembly commencing at 11.30 a.m. We respectfully request that parents attending remain for the duration of the assembly and regret that due to space limitations in the hall we are only able to invite parents of students receiving awards. Relevant parents received a letter earlier this term inviting them to attend.

## Year 6 Mini-Fete

Our Year 6 Mini-fete was held last Thursday and was enjoyed by all students. The Year 6 students did an excellent job organising their stalls, with assistance from Ms De Palo and Ms Moore. There was a wide variety of food, activities and experiences in which to partake. Congratulations and thank you Year 6 and thank you also to the Year 6 parents who provided items needed for stalls and assisted on the day. The money raised from the fete will enable Year 6 to donate a gift to our school, with new sports flags being ordered from these funds.







### **Term 4 Invoices**

Term invoices are now overdue. We request that parents / carers who have not made payments for excursions or events that their children have participated in this year do so by the end of this week. We have tens of thousands still outstanding which impacts on all of our students.

### **Supplies for 2019**

Last week all families received a list of stationery supplies for 2019 so that these can be organised over the holiday break. These notes are also available on the "Notes to Parents / Carers" section of our app. Please note the 2019 Kindergarten supplies list will be posted with Best Start Interview information before the end of term.

### **Student Reports**

During this term teachers have been preparing Semester 2 student reports. These reports will be sent home in sealed envelopes next Monday 17 December. Please look out for your child's report on this day.

### **2019 Beginning of Year arrangements**

It is anticipated that students will remain in 2018 classes when they return such that we can ascertain our exact student numbers. We will form 2019 classes as soon as possible in the first week of school. 2019 Kindergarten students have their Best Start Interviews on Wednesday 30 January and Thursday 31 January and commence normal classes on Friday 1 February. Students in Years 1-6 will commence on Wednesday 30 January.

### **Student Leavers & Classes 2019**

If your K-5 child will be leaving Normanhurst PS next year and you have not yet informed us, please do so as soon as possible so we can account for this in forming 2019 classes. Please note planning processes for 2019 classes are now well underway and we are thus not able to accept any further requests regarding class placements.

### **Striver Badges**

Congratulations to the following students who received a Striver badge at a special assembly held yesterday:

Blue Badge – Tristan C, William M, Oscar R, Marcus S, Megan S, Ben Y

Red badge – Emma B, Olivia D, Madison R

Green badge – Joshua G

Yellow badge – Grace H

### **Positive Behaviour for Learning**

During this fortnight all classes are revising expectations for using the canteen and how our three values relate to this setting. This week's PBL draw recipients were Harrison B, Leo M, Eloise O and Aaron P.

Kind regards,

Amber Gorrell  
**Principal**

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## Library News

Thank you to everyone for returning their books to the school library. If you still have library books at home, please return them as soon as possible.

If you think you have misplaced a book, please contact Ms Spender our teacher librarian. It is our policy that if you have damaged a book beyond repair or lost a book that you pay for the original cost of that item.

Borrowing from the library will recommence in February 2019.

Thank you for supporting our school library programs.



### NSW Premier's Reading Challenge 2018

Congratulations to all students who have completed the 2018 NSW Premier's Reading Challenge. This year we had 264 students complete the Reading Challenge, which is our highest number of students to complete the challenge so far. Thank you to teachers, parents and students for supporting this event. All students should have received their certificates by the end of this week.

A special mention goes to the students listed below who have received either a Gold Award (for completing the challenge for four years) or a Platinum Award (for completing the challenge for seven years).

#### Gold Award recipients:

Aaron P., Adam T., Anna N., Arya S., Audrey E., Carla S., Chace L., Chelsea M., Daniel A., Eden P., Elissa U., Ella C., Emma B., Ethan P., Gabrielle R., Habib H., Haile M., Hailey W., Hannah D., Hoon K., Joel F., Josh G., Mimi Xu., Patrick R., Rhianna P., Scarlett H., Scarlett M., Valentina P., William M., Zoe D.

#### Platinum Award recipients:

Anna M., Chelsea S., Damien K., Lara U., Luke R., Phoebe D., Sera F., Toby C.

This is a great result and we encourage all students to complete the Premier's Reading Challenge in 2019!

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## Student School Transport Scheme (SSTS)

Students progressing to Year 3 **do not** need to re-apply **if** they:

- are continuing at the same school
- are residing at the same address
- have not been sent an expiry notification from Transport for NSW

Where a student meets the new distance eligibility, the system will automatically update their entitlement. If they do not meet the new eligibility, they will receive an expiry notification.

Students who have an entitlement approved under a medical condition which is due to expire will receive a notification advising them to re-apply.

Term Bus Pass holders will receive a notification to re-apply.

If any student needs to update their information or re-apply, they should go online to

<https://apps.transport.nsw.gov.au/ssts/updateDetails>

Applications need to be submitted before 31 December 2018 to ensure student entitlements are updated and their current entitlement/card is not cancelled. If their application is submitted after 31 December 2018, the system will automatically cancel a card and a new one will need to be issued.

### Transport for NSW

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## P&C News



[www.npsandc.com](http://www.npsandc.com)



<http://www.facebook.com/NormanhurstPublicPC>

Another busy week is done and dusted and the end of term is in sight. We have plenty of events happening across the school in the next week and a half.

I would like to extend our thanks to Tupperware with Jo, Harris Farm Pennant Hills, Ruth Archer and Jamerry Products and Andrew Veldon and Magpies Waitara who donated prizes for our raffle for the Carols Night.

Thanks to all of the volunteers who helped on the night, the fundraising committee and everyone who helped with preparations for the evening.

Melissa Logan  
**P&C President**

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## Uniform Shop

Last day Open for Term 4:

14 Dec 2018 (Friday) with extended hours from 8.15-10:00 a.m.

Frist Open day of 2019:

School Development Day – Tuesday 29 January

Followed by normal hours each Friday during school terms: 8:15-9:15am each Friday. Any questions, please ring me on 0452 198 170.

Cherry Zeng  
**NPS Uniform Shop Coordinator**

## Canteen News



We are so excited to announce that we have finally been given our Healthy School Canteen Award! Ruth and Lisa have worked so hard towards achieving this recognition and now we can proudly show our award for it.

On top of that we also came Second in the “Menu Check” competition, so we have \$2000 to spend at our wholesale suppliers. What an amazing prize for our little School to win! Well done guys!

A Reminder to All that the last day of trade is Wednesday 19 December and we are limiting the variety of food available due to a clear out of the fridges for the Summer break. Our apologies if your child cannot order their favourite food.

We are also currently including a little goodie giveaway (until sold out) in every lunch order received.

Lisa and I would also like to formally thank every Parent/Carer volunteer for their time and efforts helping us in the Canteen this year. Without your support we would not be able to run as efficiently as we do! We are very grateful to have these wonderful people within our school community. Thank you and a

Merry Christmas to Everyone!

### Canteen Volunteer Vacancies

Can you please spare an hour (or two) and help us in the Canteen?? We love to see all parents and carers getting involved...

The vacant volunteer shifts left in the last few weeks are:

- Thursday 13 December 11.00 a.m. - 1.30 p.m.
- Wednesday 19 December 9.00 a.m. - 10.00 a.m. LAST DAY of Term
- Wednesday 19 December 11.00 a.m. - 1.30 p.m.

Please use your regular sign-in procedure. You can find these rosters at [www.school24.net.au](http://www.school24.net.au)  
If these don't suit you, but you are available at other times, let us know, we can work something out.

Note: If you are unable to work a shift (you committed to) for whatever reason, please send me a text message or email Lisa [canteen@npspandc.com](mailto:canteen@npspandc.com) and we can log in to take you off that shift. Unfortunately the system does not allow parents to 'delete' once you have hit 'register'. We appreciate your time and understand emergencies happen but please just keep us informed, thank you.

You will also receive a coffee voucher for Number 38 Cafe (down by the train station) to say “Thank You” and at the end of the term you go into the draw for your Child to win a \$20 Canteen top-up to your School24 account (Winners will be announced in this Newsletter.)

As your new Canteen Co-ordinator please contact me with anything you wish to share about your School Canteen experience, I would love to hear from you.

Cheers,

Bonita Chan

**Canteen Coordinator**

Mobile: 0414 505 800

[canteencommittee@npspandc.com](mailto:canteencommittee@npspandc.com)

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## P&C Social and Fundraising

### Tea Towel Update

The first batch of tea towels were distributed yesterday. Don't they look fabulous? If you have ordered one and have not received it this week, it's likely it is in the re-order batch which we are waiting on the arrival of. I did not anticipate such a positive response – thank you to all those who purchased a tea towel and supported this fundraiser. For any queries please contact me directly.

### Obstacle-a-thon Update

As reported a few weeks back, Lachlan M 1K was our highest individual fundraiser and will receive a thank you certificate and a voucher for Sydney's Wet n Wild. Lachlan and our other individual highest fundraisers (raising \$100 and over) received their invitation to lunch today and will be celebrating this Friday at a special lunch with Ms Gorrell.

3M was our highest fundraising class. Thank you to Davina G who assisted me in the organisation and hosting of the party which we held yesterday. Hope you all had fun – I know we sure did!

**Emma Veale**

[emmav77@optusnet.com.au](mailto:emmav77@optusnet.com.au)

**0410 440 664**



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## NPS Band News

### Term 4 Parent Band Roster for Week 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 Reherasal

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

**Friday 14 Dec**        Macca's breakfast

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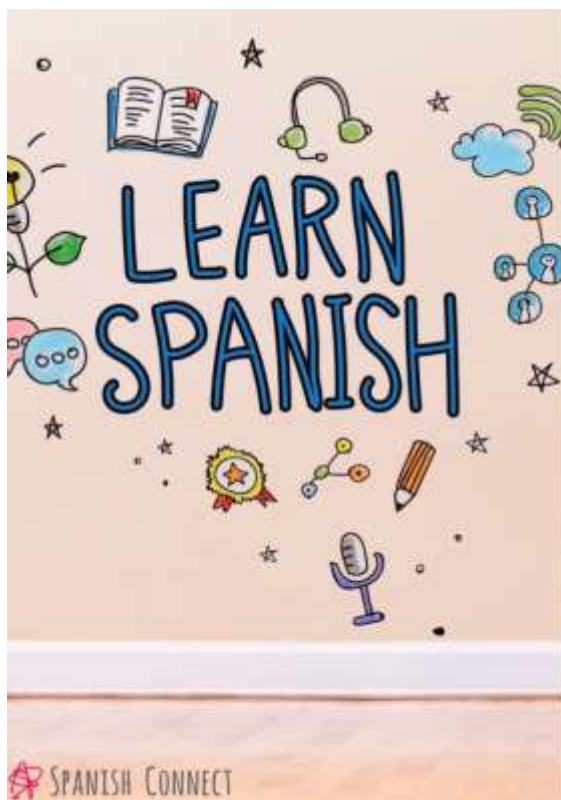




# WAITARA KIDS CLUB

**Holiday Program**  
**22-25 January 2019**  
**Tuesday – Friday**  
**9am-12pm**

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



## WOULD YOU LIKE YOUR CHILDREN TO LEARN SPANISH?

We are assessing the possibility of offering Spanish lessons before or after school starting Term 1 2019. If you would like your child to attend, please follow the link below and submit your expression of interest.

[www.spanishconnect.com.au/interest](http://www.spanishconnect.com.au/interest)



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**DRAMA ACADEMY**



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# RECREATIONAL HOLIDAY GYMNASTICS



## Hornsby RSL Youth Club Gymnastics

1 Ashley Lane Hornsby NSW 2077

Phone: 9476 6689

Email: [info@hornsbyrslgymnastics.com.au](mailto:info@hornsbyrslgymnastics.com.au)

Website: [www.hornsbyrslgymnastics.com.au](http://www.hornsbyrslgymnastics.com.au)

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NOW**

**JANUARY 2019 PROGRAM**

Our popular recreational holiday gymnastics program will be running again throughout the January school holidays for all children aged 5 – 12 years (no experience necessary). The days are fun filled, fast moving and include use of all the gymnastics apparatus. Children have the opportunity to learn new gymnastics skills, participate in games, circuits, group activities, mini competitions and much, much more!! Classes are run by fully accredited Gymnastics Coaches, holding Senior First Aid Certificates.

Bookings are essential and must be made via our website.

Class numbers are limited, so hurry and get your friends together so you don't miss out!

### PROGRAM DETAILS:

Time: 9am – 3pm each day

Dates: Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> January  
Friday 11<sup>th</sup> January  
Monday 14<sup>th</sup> January  
Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> January  
Friday 18<sup>th</sup> January  
Monday 21<sup>st</sup> January  
Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> January  
Friday 25<sup>th</sup> January

Theme: **Under the Sea**  
Theme: **Summertime Fun**  
Theme: **The Detectives**  
Theme: **Wacky Wednesday**  
Theme: **Fluro Mania**  
Theme: **Hawaiian Party**  
Theme: **Super Hero's**  
Theme: **Australia Day Fun**

Cost: Members Price\* = \$45 per day    Non Members Price\* = \$50 per day  
\* A member is a person who is registered for term time gymnastics classes in 2019

What to bring: Morning tea, lunch, water, sunscreen and a hat. No nuts permitted.

What to wear: Dress to suit the theme for the day!! Please ensure clothing is suitable for gymnastics or the dress up items can be removed for the activities!!

Cancellations: Please note that refunds or credits are not permitted.

### VISIT OUR WEBSITE FOR MORE GREAT HOLIDAY GYM OPPORTUNITES:

- ✓ Tumble, Tricks and Flips sessions (8 Years plus)
- ✓ Advanced Gym Sessions
- ✓ Senior Gym sessions (high school students)

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**Camp two 21<sup>st</sup> January to 25<sup>th</sup> January 2019 (\$195.00)**

**EARLY BIRD DISCOUNT OF \$5 IF YOU BOOK AND PAY ONE WEEK PRIOR  
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**SIBLING DISCOUNT OF \$5 AVAILABLE FOR 2<sup>ND</sup> 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

Phone: 0411 426 554

Email: [stopfordalan@gmail.com](mailto:stopfordalan@gmail.com)

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**Information for Term Lessons:**

- ☐ Wednesday Squad (intermediate/advanced) 30<sup>th</sup> January 5.30-7.00pm at Mills Park, Asquith \$200.00 for the term.
- ☐ Thursday Junior/Intermediate class 31<sup>st</sup> January 3.30-4.30pm at Normanhurst Boys High, \$155.00 for the term.
- ☐ Saturday Junior class 2<sup>nd</sup> February 10.00am – 11.00am at Normanhurst Boys High, \$155.00 for the term.
- ☐ Saturday Intermediate 2<sup>nd</sup> February 11.00am – 12.00pm at Normanhurst Boys High, \$155.00 for the term.
- ☐ Adult Clinic 14<sup>th</sup> February 6.30pm to 7.30pm 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 ☐





Netball Registration 2019 ( online )

Normanhurst Netball Club

From under 8s - seniors welcome

Registrations close Sunday February 3<sup>rd</sup> 2019

Come and play netball if you are aged between 7 through to seniors. Mums you might like to find some friends and bring a team. You are never too old for netball.

Season starts early May

Come and try session for under 10s

Friday Feb 1<sup>st</sup> 2019

5.30 – 7pm

Bryan Avenue Netball Courts

Normanhurst

Registration is online. We need your email details to keep you in the loop. Email us if you are new and we will include you in all our material.

[normonetball@gmail.com](mailto:normonetball@gmail.com)



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REGISTRATION DAYS FOR NEW PLAYERS  
**FEB 2  
FEB 9**

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**FEB 2  
FEB 9**

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**PLAY FOOTBALL WITH NORMO EAGLES IN 2019**



## Kids Club Term 4 2018

19- Oct	23-Nov
Minute to win it	
26-Oct	30- Nov
	Water Games
2-Nov	7-Dec
Asteroids	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](mailto:simps.ruth@gmail.com)

## TENNIS CAMP & TERM 1- 2019 LESSONS JIM WATTS TENNIS SCHOOL

- ❖ WESTLEIGH – RUDDOCK PARK
- ❖ BEECROFT LAWN TENNIS CLUB

### Clinic - details



WESTLEIGH  
 9am – 12noon  
 MON 21<sup>ST</sup> TO FRI 25<sup>TH</sup>  
 JANUARY 2019

6 TO 14 YEARS  
 FOR CLINIC BOOKINGS, CONTACT  
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### TERM 1, 2019 LESSONS

- WESTLEIGH
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- the Hummy Mummies Choir

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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](http://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**

Ages: 5-12 year olds

Cost: \$10.00 per child

**Berowra**

**Community Centre**

**Thursday 17 January,  
10.30am-11.30am**





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Join us for our 2-day SUMMER CAMP and give your son/daughter one of the best experiences available. Let us bring the beach to you with our WILD WATER Sports. Although we still get through our usual series of trademark sports, each afternoon is jam packed with wet & wild sports sure to cool campers down during summer.

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## CHILDREN'S SCIENCE PROGRAMS

TERM 1, 2019

A series of interactive science programs presented by the Children's Discovery Museum. Children will develop ideas and skills that will inspire further scientific exploration, discovery and learning.

### THE JUNIOR SCIENCE CLUB

A four week program aimed for 6 to 8 years young scientists presented by the Children's Discovery Museum. Participants will be able to learn and explore themes from different branches of science through numerous practical experiments.

**SESSION 1: Animal Superheroes**  
Monday 18 March, 4.30pm-5.30pm

**SESSION 2: Changing States**  
Monday 25 March, 4.30pm-5.30pm

**SESSION 3: Six Bricks**  
Monday 1 April, 4.30pm-5.30pm

**SESSION 4: Stop-motion Animation**  
Monday 8 April, 4.30pm-5.30pm

**Location:** Hornsby Library  
28-44 George Street, Hornsby

**Ages:** Strictly 6-8 years.  
Children 7 and under must be accompanied by an adult.

**Cost:** \$60 for the 4 week program.

Book online at [hornsby.nsw.gov.au/library](http://hornsby.nsw.gov.au/library)  
or at any Hornsby Shire Library branch.



## CODING FOR KIDS

TERM 1, 2019

**Y1 - Y7 STUDENTS, Hornsby Library**

### LEARN TO CODE AND BUILD YOUR OWN ONLINE PROJECTS WITH CODE4FUN

Year 1 to Year 7 students are welcome to join. STEM focused programs - students develop critical thinking and problem solving skills by learning to code.

- Hornsby Library Meeting Room
- Every Tuesday, 5 Feb - 9 Apr (10 weeks)  
**New Beginners Course**  
Y1 - Y6 Beginners students: 4:00pm - 5:00pm
- Every Tuesday, 5 Feb - 9 Apr (10 weeks)  
**Advanced Course: Introduction to Java**  
Y3 - Y7 Continuing students: 5:10pm - 6:10pm
- Laptops are provided
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# **NORMANHURST OUT OF SCHOOL HOURS (NOOSH) VACATION CARE**

## **SUMMER HOLIDAYS**

**Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> December – Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> January 2019**

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	<u>Monday 17<sup>th</sup> December</u>	<u>Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> December</u>	<u>Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> December</u>	<u>Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> December</u> <b>CHRISTMAS CRAFTS</b> <small>IN CENTRE DAY</small>	<u>Friday 21<sup>st</sup> December</u> <b>BOWLING, HOLEY MOLEY &amp; KARAOKE</b> <small>EXCURSION</small>
	<u>SCHOOL DAY</u>	<u>SCHOOL DAY</u>	<u>SCHOOL DAY</u>	<b>EARLY BIRD COST: \$55</b> <b>LATE BOOKING: \$60</b> <p>'Tis the season to be crafting! Get into the spirit of Christmas as we create gorgeous decorations, whip up some delectable treats, design some fabulous artworks and prepare for our favourite day of the year!</p> 	<b>EARLY BIRD COST: \$78</b> <b>LATE BOOKING: \$83</b> <p>A three-in-one excursion! Everyone gets a go at showcasing their tenpin bowling abilities, honing their mini golf skills at holey moley, and belting out your favourites at Karaoke!</p> <p>Departure time: 9.00am Arrival @ NOOSH: 2.45pm</p>  
<b>WEEK ONE</b>					

	<u>Monday 7<sup>th</sup> January</u> <b>HAPPY NEW YEAR CARNIVALE</b> <small>IN CENTRE DAY</small>	<u>Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> January</u> <b>MOVIES &amp; TIMEZONE @ HORNSBY</b> <small>EXCURSION</small>	<u>Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> January</u> <b>WACKY WATER DAY</b> <small>IN CENTRE DAY</small>	<u>Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> January</u> <b>CIRCUS AKIMBO INCURSION</b> <small>INCURSION</small>	<u>Friday 11<sup>th</sup> January</u> <b>WAVES POOL EXCURSION</b> <small>EXCURSION</small>
	<b>EARLY BIRD COST: \$50</b> <b>LATE BOOKING: \$55</b> <p>Bring in the New Year with a parade of music, dancing, games and make your own fruit slushies!</p> 	<b>EARLY BIRD COST: \$70</b> <b>LATE BOOKING: \$75</b> <p>It's your choice: relax in the cinema with your popcorn and your friends as we watch the latest flicks or aim to beat your best score at Timezone! Which will you choose?</p> <p>Departure time: 9:30am Arrival @ NOOSH: 2:30pm</p> 	<b>EARLY BIRD COST: \$50</b> <b>LATE BOOKING: \$55</b> <p>It's time to make a splash as NOOSH takes water play to the next level! Prepare to get drenched as we coast down the slip n' slide and grab some glory for your team as we compete in the water mini Olympics!</p> 	<b>EARLY BIRD COST: \$68</b> <b>LATE BOOKING: \$73</b> <p>Learn the tricks of the circus trade as Circus Akimbo come to train us in juggling, hooping and acrobalance! This is the perfect time to stretch your creativity!</p> 	<b>EARLY BIRD COST: \$68</b> <b>LATE BOOKING: \$73</b> <p>Cast that summer heat aside as we make the journey to Waves at Baulkham Hills and cool down in the water, with trampoline fun and more!</p> <p>Departure time: 9.00am Arrival @ NOOSH: 3:00pm</p> 
<b>WEEK TWO</b>					


### **REFERENCE:**

**In Centre Day** = Children participate in activities at the Centre for the duration of the day

**Incurtion** = An external provider comes to the Centre to facilitate the activity/activities. Children stay at the Centre throughout the day also.

**Excursion** = An outing away from the Centre. Generally, children travel by hired bus. Depart the Centre approx. 9am and arrive back at the Centre approx. 3pm. Permission Forms **MUST** be signed each Vacation Care for when children depart the Centre.



	<b>Monday 14<sup>th</sup></b> <b>January</b> <u><b>MONKEY BAA</b></u> <u><b>THEATRE</b></u> <b>EXCURSION</b>	<b>Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup></b> <b>January</b> <u><b>CLUEDO MYSTERY</b></u> <u><b>DETECTIVE DAY</b></u> <b>IN CENTRE DAY</b>	<b>Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup></b> <b>January</b> <u><b>GAMES 2 U</b></u> <u><b>MINECRAFT</b></u> <b>INCURSION</b>	<b>Thursday 17<sup>th</sup></b> <b>January</b> <u><b>WET 'N' WILD</b></u> <b>EXCURSION</b>	<b>Friday 18<sup>th</sup></b> <b>January</b> <u><b>BINGO AND BOARD</b></u> <u><b>GAME BONANZA</b></u> <b>IN CENTRE DAY</b>
	<p><b>EARLY BIRD COST:</b> <b>\$70</b> <b>LATE BOOKING: \$75</b></p> <p>Are you ready to learn about all things icky? NOOSH is heading to the children's theatre, Monkey Baa, to experience the show 'Ickypedia' – the dictionary of disgusting new words. Perhaps you can even take a 'smellfie'!</p> <p>Departure time: 9.00am Arrival @ NOOSH: 3:00pm</p> 	<p><b>EARLY BIRD COST:</b> <b>\$49</b> <b>LATE BOOKING: \$54</b></p> <p>Stealth and intrigue await as we delve into NOOSH's mysteries. Use your deduction and critical thinking skills to uncover the true culprit!</p> 	<p><b>EARLY BIRD COST: \$65</b> <b>LATE BOOKING: \$70</b></p> <p>NOOSH is having a massive game of Minecraft together! Play with your mates to create the coolest world ever! Filled with Minecraft themed activities, this promises to be one fun filled day!</p> 	<p><b>EARLY BIRD COST:</b> <b>\$80</b> <b>LATE BOOKING: \$85</b></p> <p>With over 40 slides and activities, Wet 'n' Wild has become one of NOOSH's favourite excursions! Grab your rash shirt, your sunscreen and take on the rides or chill at the beach!</p> <p>Departure time: 9.00am Arrival@ NOOSH: 4:00pm</p> 	<p><b>EARLY BIRD COST:</b> <b>\$49</b> <b>LATE BOOKING: \$54</b></p> <p>Strategy and luck are needed for this day of board games and bingo! Be introduced to games you've not experienced before, and battle against your friends in the bingo challenge!</p> 

	Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> January	Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> January	Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> January	Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> January	Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> January
	<u>FOOD FIESTA</u> <u>AND SIESTA</u> IN CENTRE DAY	<u>SHIPS AHOY</u>  EXCURSION	<u>NOOSH'S</u> <u>COMIC-CON!</u> IN CENTRE DAY	<u>BUBBLE SOCCER</u>  INCURSION	<u>ROBERTSON PARK</u>  EXCURSION
<b>WEEK FOUR</b>	<b>EARLY BIRD COST:</b> \$50 <b>LATE BOOKING:</b> \$55  Cooking has never been so much fun! Make some delicious snacks, undertake cooking challenges with your friends, and make a scrumptious lunch!	<b>EARLY BIRD COST:</b> \$75 <b>LATE BOOKING:</b> \$80  Ahoy me hearties! All hands to the deck as NOOSH takes to the high seas! (Or Sydney Harbour, really). Learn about our maritime history, and experience firsthand what it takes to sail a tall ship!	<b>EARLY BIRD COST:</b> \$49 <b>LATE BOOKING:</b> \$54  Come as your favourite character! NOOSH's Comic-Con is about celebrating what you are a fan of, whether its comic related or not! Cosplay and write fan fiction to your delight as we embrace fandom!	<b>EARLY BIRD COST:</b> \$60 <b>LATE BOOKING:</b> \$65  Bubble soccer is back! Scoring a goal is trickier than you think as we take on our friends and decide to will win the NOOSH cup!	<b>EARLY BIRD COST:</b> \$68 <b>LATE BOOKING:</b> \$73  Overlooking the harbour, Robertson Park is a great place for a summer's day. Bring along your swimmers and take a cool dip, play on the equipment and enjoy a picnic lunch!
	 <u>Lunch is provided</u>				

	<b>Monday 28<sup>th</sup> January</b>	<b>Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> January</b> <b>WE CAN BE HEROES</b> <b>DAY</b> <b>INCURSION</b>	<b>OTHER INFORMATION:</b> <p>Children <b>MUST</b> always have closed-toe shoes, unless otherwise stated in the program. (No thongs, crocs, or heels on shoes. Sandals, which cover the front and heel of the foot, will be accepted).</p> <p>Please pack lunch for your child unless specified on the program.</p> <p>Children <b>MUST</b> always have a sufficient amount of food packed, whatever would typically be packed for them on a regular school day. Please ensure a variety of healthy, balanced foods, and bottled water to drink.</p>
<b>WEEK FIVE</b>	<b>AUSTRALIA DAY HOLIDAY</b>	<p><b>EARLY BIRD COST:</b> <b>\$50</b></p> <p><b>LATE BOOKING:</b> <b>\$55</b></p> <p>Today is a day where we learn about our everyday heroes. We are lucky to have the camp quality puppet show come and speak to us about cancer, and a visit from the fire brigade in the afternoon promises to be great!</p> 	<p><b>VACATION CARE CHECKLIST:</b></p> <p><i>Please pack for your child:</i></p> <p><b>Day Camps/Incursions:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Morning tea &amp; lunch (unless otherwise stated above)</li> <li>✓ Water bottle</li> <li>✓ Broad-brimmed Hat or bucket hat &amp; sunscreen</li> <li>✓ Costumes which match the theme of the day</li> <li>✓ A spare pair of clothes depending on the day/ activities taking place</li> </ul> <p><b>Excursions:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Morning Tea &amp; lunch</li> <li>✓ Water bottle</li> <li>✓ Closed Toe shoes/joggers</li> <li>✓ Hat &amp; Sunscreen</li> <li>✓ Wet Weather gear</li> </ul>



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## Normanburst Public School Term 4 Calendar - 2018

	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT	SUN
<b>WEEK 1</b>	15 OCT	16 OCT	17 OCT	18 OCT	Swimming Commences 19 OCT	20 OCT	21 OCT
<b>WEEK 2</b>	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
<b>WEEK 3</b>	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
<b>WEEK 4</b>	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
<b>WEEK 5</b>	12 NOV	KINDY 2019 TRANSITION MORNING 9.15-11 A.M. 13 NOV	SCHOOL CHESS TOURNAMENT 14 NOV	K-2 ASSEMBLY NORMAN-HURST BOYS HIGH SCHOOL VISIT 15 NOV	Swimming Day Obstacle-A-thon Band Showcase 16 NOV	17 NOV	BAND MOVIE FUNDRAISER – HORNSBY 18 NOV
<b>WEEK 6</b>	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
<b>WEEK 7</b>	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
<b>WEEK 8</b>	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
<b>WEEK 9</b>	10 DEC	CAROLS NIGHT 11 DEC	XMAS SCRIPTURE SERVICE 12 DEC	PRESENTATION DAY 13 DEC	BAND BREAKFAST 14 DEC	15 DEC	16 DEC
<b>WEEK 10</b>	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