



Normanhurst News

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Term 4 Week 8

24 November 2021

DATE	EVENT
25 November 2021	Kindergarten Transition Dates
2 December 2021	Year 6 Mini Fete
9 December 2021	Presentation Day Years 3-6
10 December 2021	Presentation Day Kindy – Year 2
13 December 2021	Year 6 Farewell
16 December 2021	Students Last Day
1 February 2022	Years 1-6 Return to School
3 February 2022	Kindergarten – First Day

Principal's Report

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are beginning the countdown to the end of the year and Normanhurst PS is a hive of activity.

Kindergarten Orientation

We look forward to hosting the 2022 Kindergarten students onsite on Thursday morning for a short orientation. Thank you to Mrs Veldon and the Kindergarten teachers for organising and running this event. There will be pictures in next week's Newsletter.

NOT RETURNING IN 2022

I would ask that if you have not already done so, please notify the school as soon as possible if your child/ren will not be returning or will be returning late to Normanhurst PS in 2022. Thank you to those of you that have already notified us of changes

Presentation Days

Please diarise the times below. Parents of students receiving awards will be notified early next week.

Thursday 9 December	Friday 10 December
9:30 – 10:30 Stage 3	9:30 – 10:15 Kindergarten
11:30 – 12:30 Stage 2	11:30 – 12:30 Stage 1

Have a wonderful week,
Warm regards,

Jacqueline Gordon
Relieving Principal



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Uncle Laurie Visit



Amazing Rock Carving by a few of our Students!

Year 6 Mini Fete

The Year 6 Mini Fete is next Thursday 2 December. There will be a variety of different stalls and activities run by Year 6 students for all to enjoy. Activities at the stalls will range in price from roughly 50c-\$3.

Students are encouraged to bring small change so they may participate on the day. We recommended that students bring at least \$10 so they can visit a range of different stalls. All money must be brought in a wallet, purse or zip lock bag that is clearly labelled with student name and class.

Students are to wear full sports uniform on the day, including their hat.



Year 6 Farewell Fundraiser Raffle

A HUGE thank you to all the students who purchased tickets in the raffle to raise funds for the Year 6 Farewell. The raffle was run and won and we raised just over \$1180!



Congratulations to our Winners!

First Prize Mega Sports Pack – Bella 4R

Second Prize Cool Pool Pack - Anthony 1K

Third Prize Backyard Action Pack– Raghav KV



The photo below is of the recipients of Striver Badges in Year 3.

Red badge: Arielle G, Michael I

Green badge: Alison L



Attached is a photo of the Stage 1 ribbon winners from the athletics carnival.

Congratulations!

Hayden A - 3rd 8yrs Boys 100m

Luella W - 3rd 8yrs Boys 100m

Zachariah S - 2nd 8yrs Boys 100m



Special Religious Education (SRE)

Dear parents/Caregivers,

To end Special Religious Education for 2021, SRE students involved will be viewing a video during Week 10 as an end of year combined service.

For our Catholic SRE students, here is a special message from the Catholic Diocese of Broken Bay provided by our Catholic SRE coordinator. <https://www.bbcatholic.org.au/our-faith/ccd/ccd-christmas-message/catholic-sre-christmas-message-2021>

Normahurst Public School is looking forward to working with our SRE providers for 2022.

Normanhurst Public School 2021 Talent Quest

Calling all talent! Calling all Talent!

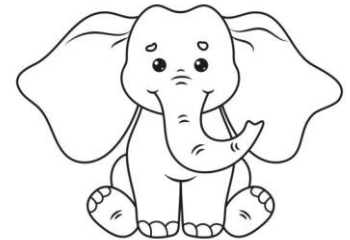
It's that time of year to celebrate the wonderful talented students at Normanhurst Public School with our annual school talent quest. Due to Covid-19 health protocols we will be holding the talent quest a little differently this year.

1. Students in K-2 must send a video of their performance to Mrs Chan by 4pm, Monday 6th of December. (ada.chan7@det.nsw.edu.au)
2. Students in 3-6 must send a video of their performance to Miss Patel by 4pm, Monday 6th of December. (louisa.patel3@det.nsw.edu.au)
3. Videos must be no longer than 3 minutes.
4. Please introduce yourself, what class you are in and your item at the beginning of the video.
5. Students are allowed one entry per student. Group items are ok.
6. The same video will be used for the audition as well as the final showing. Please ensure what is submitted is clear and audible.
7. The final showing will be held during school time on Thursday 16th of December 2021.



Year 6 Mini Fete White Elephant Store

With the Year 6 Mini Fete fast approaching we are seeking donations for the White Elephant store. Please have a look for any toys, games, books etc. that you no longer need and may like to donate. Any items you wish to donate to the White Elephant store can be sent to Ms Kettlewell (6B) or Ms Moore (6M) by Friday 26 November. All profits from the White Elephant Store go towards the Year 6 gift to the school.



Canteen News

The Canteen continues to operate by online order only. If you order a frozen treat on your child's lunch order they will need to bring their stamped lunch bag to the canteen to collect it. You can just order a frozen treat if you wish. We will WILL NOT be open for counter sales at recess or lunch until further notice. Please see School 24 for what is available to order each day.

With the end of the year approaching you may find that certain items will not be available as we run out of stock (the ones that we order in bulk). We aim to leave our fridges and freezers empty over the summer holidays to minimise any loss due to electricity issues. There are still plenty of options available but these may change each day. Thankyou for your understanding.

The canteen operates under strict food safety and Covid Guidelines. Please contact me at Canteen@npspandc.com if you have any questions.

Lisa Pang
Canteen Manager



P&C News

Last P&C meeting for 2021

This was held on Monday night via Zoom. Some topics up for discussion were: our COLA Building Mural “work in progress”, Trivia Night date set for 2022 at Magpies again, the Year 6 Farewell Gift - a new section in the school where our Y6 children will be allowed to leave their mark... by placing a painted handprint and signing their names on a wall (it will look Amazing!) We also discussed plans for future fundraising opportunities and the new Principal selection process, which is now underway, but also a “work in progress.”

We also elected Kerri Wickenden to the position of Canteen and Uniform Shop Subcommittee Convenor, she is taking over from Jeanne O’Riordan who took over from Me the year before! Kerri will be a fantastic addition to my new P&C team.

Our meetings are held on Weeks 3 & 8 (twice a term). Due to Covid restrictions they are currently by Zoom, but normally held on School grounds in the Staff room at 7:30pm. We always welcome and seek new members who want to contribute their input to the school and we also like to get feedback from the general school community about issues that affect you and our children, so please email us on: president@npsandc.com

Our P&C functions primarily to raise funds for the school to provide additional resources for the children, such as the upgrade of the Junior Playground and the new Oval (in conjunction with NSW Grants that we have managed to acquire in the last few years.) We also have co-contributed to the new iPad rollout earlier this year so that each Stage has a set to use from the ICT resource pool. The recently cleaned wall beside the Staff room will be getting a new Building Mural (with a theme to fit in with our Reconciliation Action Plan) and we would love to hear MORE ideas from you, as Parents, so please reach out to us. We create a “Wishlist” that gets prioritized and aim to tick off and acquire these over time. Our Normo children are amazing and we want to be able to achieve our goals and provide these resources for them. Please join us if you can and want to help! :)

If you are interested in reading the minutes taken of the recent meeting (or before), please contact: secretary@npsandc.com

Band update

Due to the position of Band President still being left vacant, the P&C have agreed to appoint Edd Smith (current Treasurer and also a Band parent) and Ali Kerr (Band Secretary) to become the bank “approvers” to manage payment of the band invoices in the interim, and so that we can continue to operate the Band smoothly with minimal disruption. We still seek to appoint a Band President and Treasurer officially to these roles in the Band Subcommittee.

REMINDER to renew your P&C Membership fees now - please pay your \$2 fee

Name: Normanhurst Public School P&C Assn
BSB: 032-084
Account: 691 588
Reference: Surname and PC Fee

Donations and Voluntary contributions

For any future donations and voluntary contributions, we kindly request that you do a Direct Bank (or EFT) transfer of funds to our School P&C bank account. This may be for the donations received in place of the Volunteer Recruitment drive, any Building Fund requests (note this is a different account), or for payment of fundraising goods. We will no longer accept CASH payments for P&C related items due to the risk (of loss), and the extra pressure placed on the office staff for the administration of tracking and handling it. Moving forward, this is also best practice for Covid-safe methods of payment. Thank you for your understanding.

Fundraising

There are still some 2021 NPS Commemorative Teatowels leftover as “extras” for sale... pick up a last minute gift for your extended Family and Friends for Christmas. Contact fundraising@npsandc.com for any questions.

Cherry Drive 2021

Please get your orders in before FRIDAY 3 DEC...! Delicious, large, juicy farm-fresh Cherries! Please see Flyer for details...! Let your Friends, Family and Neighbours all know...!! 😊

A flyer for the Normanhurst Public School Cherry Drive 2021. The background is a solid light pink color. Scattered across the flyer are several realistic-looking red cherries with green stems. In the top right corner, there is a dark red circular button with white text that reads: "Order via school24.net.au select 'Events' > 'Cherry drive'". Below this, the text "NORMANHURST PUBLIC SCHOOL" is centered in a dark red, sans-serif font. Underneath is a large, bold, dark red title "CHERRY DRIVE" with horizontal lines above and below it. Below the title, the text "DELICIOUS FRESH CHERRIES, STRAIGHT FROM THE FARMER THIS XMAS." is centered. This is followed by the pricing "1KG BOX \$25 / 2KG BOX \$40 / 5KG BOX \$80" in a large, bold, dark red font. Below the pricing, there is a paragraph of text: "Help to sell more for the school community - Share the offer with neighbours, aunts, uncles, grandparents, friends and colleagues. Simply collect the money, and submit the order via school24." Below this paragraph, the order and pick-up details are listed: "Order: by 9pm on Friday 3 December 2021." and "Pick up: Thursday 9 December 2021, from 9.30am outside Normanhurst Public School." Below the pick-up details, the contact information "Questions? Email fundraising@npsandc.com" is provided. At the bottom, it states "All profits raised go to the Normanhurst Public School P&C." In the bottom right corner, there is a small vertical text "Image: Freepik.com".

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Bonita Chan
NPS P&C Association President
president@npsandc.com

Uniform Shop News

Due to COVID restrictions, the Uniform Shop is only open for online orders for the remainder of this year. We are unable to have families coming to the shop to try on uniforms for size or purchase pre-loved items.

Please place your orders via the online shop at <https://www.npspandc.com/uniform/>.

Orders will be delivered to your child's classroom each week on a Friday. Please keep all packaging and tags attached until your child has tried on the clothes, in case you need to swap sizes. We are unable to exchange clothes without their original packaging.

If you have any spare coat hangers, we'd love to take them off your hands. Please ask your child to deliver them to the School Office. Thank you!

Kristie Whitehead
NPS Uniform Shop
Email: uniformshop@npspandc.com



可用\$100抵用券

Enrollment for Y2022

// 新学年开始招生啦 //

开设课程

Chinese-Mandarin	中文-国语
Chinese-YCT	中文小学生汉语考试
Fine Art	美术 (儿童画、素描、国画)
Oil Paint	油画
Chinese Calligraphy	书法

强大的师资

一流的校舍

快乐的氛围

Four Campus四大校区:

Normanhurst Public School	----- Monday
Wahroonga Public School	----- Thursday
Hornsby North Public School	----- Friday
Hornsby Girl High School	----- Saturday





Sherry LI



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www.hclcs.nsw.edu.au





Hornsby Chinese Language & Culture School (est.2003)



Normanhurst Public School

Kindergarten 2022 Transition to School Session

25 November

9:15am-10:45am

Please ensure you have completed your enrolment
to guarantee you receive all the updated
information.





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How to Enrol

1. Check eligibility requirements <https://my.education.nsw.gov.au/school-finder/index>. This will tell you if you need to complete an In Area or Out of Area Enrolment Form.
2. Go to the Normanhurst Public School Website <https://normanhurs-p.schools.nsw.gov.au/>.
3. Complete an Online Application Form for In Area or Out of Area Enrolments. See instructions below on how to access the online form. *Please note that online Out of Area Enrolments (OoA) will only be possible online from Thursday June 17 2021. Prior to this date, OoA Enrolments can be completed by printing the application form found on the website.*
4. Contact the school via email for information if required. Email your 100 point ID check documents (see document on the next page attached for details). The required 100 point check documents as well as your child's Birth certificate and immunization certificate can be emailed to the school.
5. If you would prefer not to enrol online - you can print the application from the website and email it to the school.
6. **Out of Area Enrolments**

As outlined in the department's enrolment policy, our school may accept enrolments from outside our local enrolment area if places are available. We will assess applications for non-local enrolment on a case-by-case basis.

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How to enrol

Apply online [↗](#). If you are an Australian or New Zealand citizen or permanent resident you are eligible to complete the [online enrolment application](#) [↗](#). You will then need to finalise the application at the school.

If you are not eligible or prefer not to enrol online, use the [application to enrol](#) [↗](#) (PDF 768.4KB) form. Please complete the form in English. A [translated application to enrol](#) [↗](#) may help you do this.

For more information, visit [primary school enrolment](#) [↗](#).

Out-of-area enrolments

As outlined in the department's [enrolment policy](#) [↗](#), our school may accept enrolments from outside our local enrolment area if places are available.

We will assess applications for non-local enrolment on a case-by-case basis.

Go to Normanhurst Public School Webpage and click **ENROLMENT**

Click **APPLY ONLINE** and complete the Enrolment Online & Submit your Application so the office staff can review your Application.

If you are unable to do the online form, please print this form and return to the School to **via email or post**.

100-point residential address check in some schools with a designated intake area

Schools that are above or near (i.e. the number of non-local enrolment applications received exceeds the number of enrolment places available outside the local enrolment buffer) their buffer level use the following 100-point residential address check to verify that the student being presented for enrolment lives within the intake area.

Document showing the full name of the child's parent	Points
1. Only one of (i.e. no additional points for additional documents) 1.1. Council rates notice 1.2. Lease agreement through a registered real estate agent for a period of at least 6 months or rental board bond receipt 1.3. Exchanged contract of sale with settlement to occur within the applicable school year	40
2. Any of the following 2.1. Private rental agreement for a period of at least 6 months 2.2. Centrelink payment statement showing home address 2.3. Electoral roll statement	20 each
3. Any of the following documents 3.1. Electricity or gas bill showing the service address* 3.2. Water bill showing the service address* 3.3. Telephone or internet bill showing the service address* 3.4. Drivers licence or government issued ID showing home address* 3.5. Home building or home contents insurance showing the service address 3.6. Motor vehicle registration or compulsory third party insurance policy showing home address 3.7. Statutory declaration stating the child's residential address, how long they have lived there, and any supporting information or documentation of this.	15 each

* up to three months old

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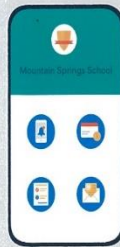
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The poster has a dark blue background with abstract yellow and white brushstrokes. It features a treble clef and musical notes. The text is in a mix of yellow, blue, and white fonts.

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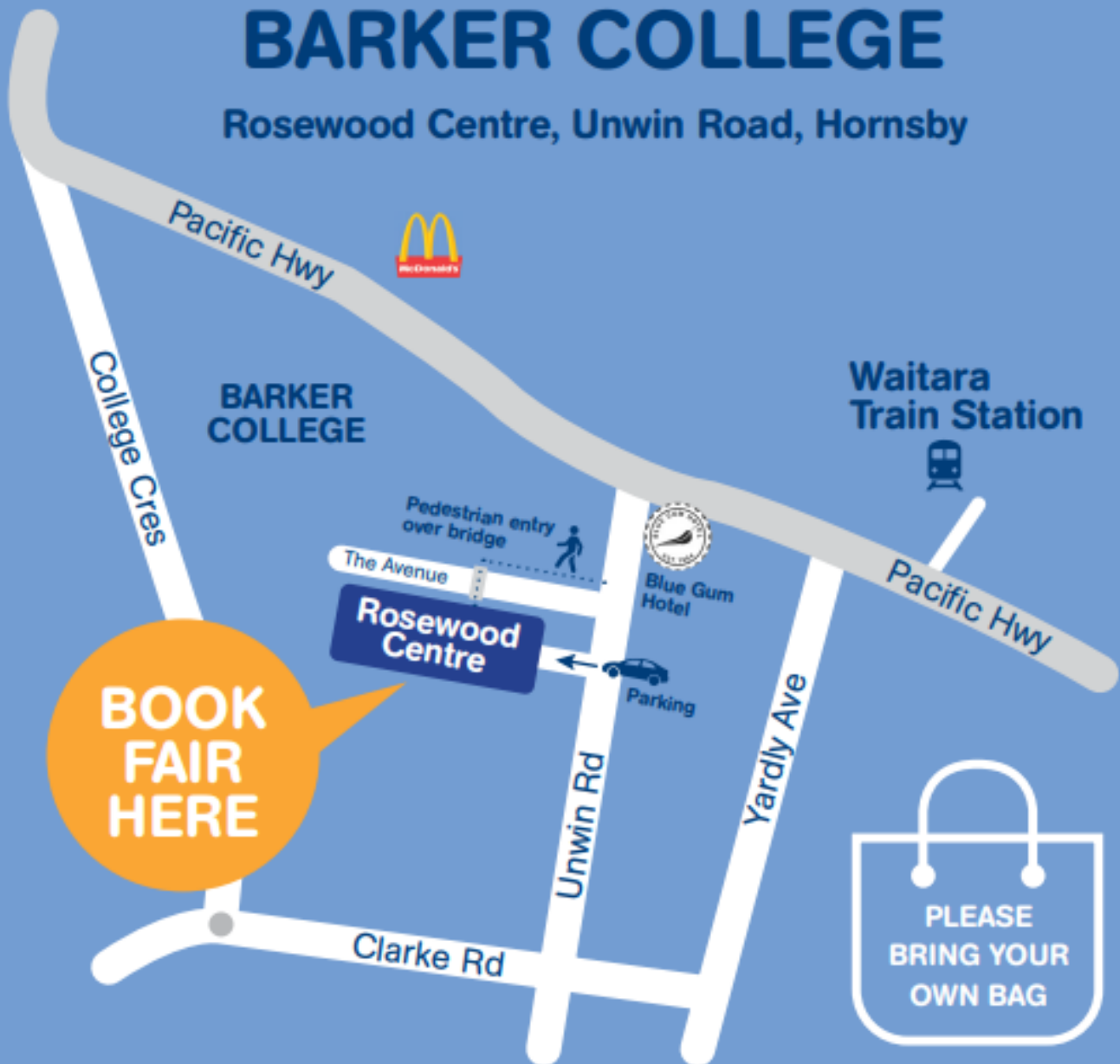
Sat 11 to Mon 13 December
8am – 5pm
Barker College, Hornsby

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