Term 3 Week 10

Monday 14 September  
Yr2 Swimming Scheme
Luna Park – 6S
Primary Proms Choir Performance

Tuesday 15 September  
Yr2 Swimming Scheme
SRC Mufti Day

Wednesday 16 September  
Yr2 Swimming Scheme

Thursday 17 September  
Yr2 Swimming Scheme
K-2 Assembly (12.30pm)
3-6 Assembly (2.05pm)

Friday 18 September  
Yr2 Swimming Scheme
Last day of Term 3

Korean Dance Contest
Tomorrow a small group of students will be representing the school at the Korean Dance Contest to be held at the Korean Education Office (located in the city). We know the students will have a lot of fun as they perform their routine. Thank you to the parents who are assisting with travel arrangements.

Term 4 Resumption
At the end of this week the students will enjoy two weeks’ vacation – an opportunity to re-charge the batteries, read a book, learning their times tables, etc. Due to the public holiday on October 5, the students will return to school on Tuesday, 6th October.

Mark Hoppitt
Principal

Term 4 Week 2

Thursday 15 October  
K-2 Assembly (12.30pm)
3-6 Assembly (2.05pm)

Saturday 17 October  
Granny Smith Festival

Principal’s Message

Swimming Scheme
It has been great to see the Year 2/Year 3 students heading off to the Special Swim Scheme each day. The teachers have been very impressed with the level of improvement shown by the students. The students have been pretty good at remembering to bring all their equipment but the teachers are still finding the odd piece of lost property after the children have changed back into their school uniform.

Summer Uniform
With the warmer weather around, most students will revert back to the summer uniform at the commencement of the new term. Please remember to label all clothing but especially jackets and hats.

Stage News

Kindy
Hello Everybody and welcome to Week 10! Our sounds for this final week of term 3 are ‘sm’ and ‘pl’ and our sight words are ‘up’, ‘down’, ‘day’ and ‘night’. Please remember to keep practising our sight words and sounds during the holidays. Make a little game of it so the words stay fresh in their holiday-mode minds - it really makes a difference if they can recognise their words immediately! For news, we have the ever popular Free Choice when our students can speak about any topic they choose! Thursday is our K-2 Assembly which commences at 12.30 in the hall. This week KS will be happily hosting on the stage and KR will be presenting a zippy item to entertain you. KS would like to request empty ice cream containers and more paper towels for their room please. Once again could we ask that you return your child's blue portfolio folder to your teacher asap? Finally, we Kindy teachers would like to say a huge and very sincere thank you to all our wonderful parent helpers who have given generously of their time and energy throughout the term. Without you, our job is that much harder and we really have appreciated your help! Have a fantastic week and a safe and relaxing holiday break!
Stage 1
Welcome to Week 10. Our Doctor Visit is on Wednesday at 11:30am as part of our H.S.I.E. unit 'Workers in the Community'. We are looking forward to having Dr Miller come in to tell us about his role in the community. On Thursday we have our K-2 Assembly at 12:30pm. All are welcome to attend. If there are any parents who are able to contact some books, could you please see Mrs Lade. Over the holidays could you please restock your pencil cases. Have a lovely week and a fantastic holiday.

Stage 2
What a great job children in Stage 2 did creating their musical instruments. We had an interesting time listening to all the various tunes composed for these instruments. Please remember to send in Gymnastic permission notes and notes for the calendar art. Hopefully everyone will enjoy a well-earned rest during the holidays as there has been much sickness this term. Looking forward to all returning to school refreshed and enthusiastic for term 4

Stage 3
Welcome to the last week of Term 3! The Project Based Learning (PBL) unit has been well received by the students this term. Year 6 are going to print their Eureka Stockade newspapers very soon. Well done to our Spelling Bee champions Audrey and Sriram as they succeeded at the Regional Final. Congratulations to Audrey who will be representing at the State Final next term! This is a reminder for Year 6 students to bring in a scrapbook for their precious memoirs. Please ensure to replenish your own stationery supplies over the holidays. We would also like to kindly request that students bring in some tissues and paper towels. Thank you to all the parent helpers who have assisted in class activities, excursions and school events this term. We hope you all have a safe and relaxing spring break!

Library News
To finish this fabulous Book Week term we are having a good look for any overdue books. Please help students to search around the house for any books that may have gone astray. Overdues can come back to the library any day, not just on your child’s library day.

Proms Choir
Congratulations to all the students who performed in the Arts Unit Proms Choir at the Sydney Town Hall last night. They sang with 16 other primary schools who had been chosen by audition from around the Sydney region. The standard was very high and the students were very well behaved. A big thank you to all the parents who met us after the rehearsal and helped to supervise the students while they had dinner at McDonalds in the city.  

S. Barton (Proms Choir Teacher)

Woolworths Earn and Learn
The Earn and Learn programme has concluded and we collected 733 sheets. This is a total of 43 980 stickers. This number has to be validated by Woolworths and then we can spend our points on art supplies and maths equipment. A big thank you for all your support.

Mrs Sparrow

Kiss and Ride Roster
PLEASE email colettegrundy@yahoo.com.au if you can spare 15 minutes to help once per month.

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School Crossing Supervisor
Ever thought about being a “lollypop” lady or gentleman? If so, then please go to the Jobs NSW website and apply under School Crossing Supervisors. The process may take weeks as there are a number of checks required as well as the training. This may be something you wish to do full-time or perhaps help out when a crossing supervisor is unable to attend. Go to the website for more details.

Around the school
PSSA
All PSSA sports will be playing at Meadowbank Park. Buses leave school at 12:20pm.

Science & Technology
This week Kindergarten students will be bringing their pea plants home in a pot. Hopefully you have a spot in the garden ready for them. They will need water, sunlight and a garden stake or stick for the plant to grow tall. In a couple of months you should be harvesting yummy peas to eat.

Mrs Amat

Aerobics Club
The children are having a wonderful time at aerobics club and we can certainly see the improvement in their skills and fitness. Just a reminder that there is no aerobics club tomorrow. It continues next term on the following dates - 7th, 14th, 21st and 28th October. Please ensure your child is picked up promptly at 4:05pm.
CANTEEN NEWS

Canteen Closed Every Wednesday
We desperately need another 2 volunteers for Mondays or Tuesdays – if you can help, please contact Wendy 0412154004.

End of Term Stock
Some canteen supplies may be unavailable towards the end of the week due to running our stock low for the holidays eg ice-creams, milk and salad veggies. Please ask about availability when ordering, thankyou.

Canteen Clean-up Day
We need some helpers for our regular canteen clean-up on the last day of term. This should only take about an hour from 1.30 this Friday. Please come along and help out, thanks!!

Canteen Roster
Wednesday CLOSED
Thursday 17/9 Melinda, Alex (am), Clarissa (pm)
Friday 18/9 Wendy, Robyn, Clarissa

School Hols
Monday 5/10 PUBLIC HOL
Tuesday 6/10 Wendy, HELP NEEDED
Wednesday CLOSED
Thursday 8/10 Colette, Kate E, Anne H
Friday 9/10 Wendy, Mel, Joy (am), Simone (pm)

If you are unable to work your shift please try to find a replacement, if you are unable to find a replacement, please contact Wendy wlarocca@optusnet.com.au

PSSA - School Holidays Water Polo Camp
Drummoyne Water Polo Club is hosting a September School Holiday Camp for Boys and Girls interested in trying the fun sport of water polo. Boys and girls born in 2002, 2003 or 2004 are welcome to register.

Time: 10.00am to 3.00pm each day
Where: Drummoyne Swimming Pool

For more info or to register, please contact Lora Cipriani at lora_cip@hotmail.com or Phone 0402 306 996. Registration forms can be downloaded and printed from the PSSA website www.pssa.net.au/Ryde from the Resource Section.

Newsletter Deadline
Articles should be submitted electronically to the School Office by 12 noon Monday. These should be sent to: ermanning-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au
Subject: Newsletter Insert

The school often publishes information on behalf of community groups – parents need to decide on the appropriateness of activities involving their child. It is the responsibility of each parent to research the bona fides of any organisation in which you wish for your child to be involved. The school accepts no responsibility with regard to advertisements placed in the newsletter. Parents and guardians should make their own decision.

Tennis Camp - Ryde Tennis Academy
Skills Development, Match Play, Drills, Games and Prizes.
Mon, 21st Sept – Thurs, 24th Sept - $130
Camp runs from from 9am – 1pm.
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For more information please call Ray Brennan P: 9809-0882 or 0418 168 888

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Cost: $276 for 10 days’ $160 for 5 days’ $40 per day’

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Child's Name: ______________________
(If your order contains more than one child's art, please complete an order form for each child)

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