



**FRIDAY  
3 AUGUST  
School Library  
9.15 – 11.00am**

Books and novelty items will be available for purchase. The school receives a percentage of funds from all purchases that is used to support the Library learning Space. EFTPOS available.

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# Sackville Street Public School

**Term 3 Week 1**



**27 July 2018**

## *From the Principal*

It has been a great start to what will be both an exciting and busy term of learning. We have so many exciting events, excursions and incursions planned for our students. During the holidays we found out that Miss Suellen Mair was successful in being promoted to Deputy Principal at Narellan Vale Public School. Her dedication to our students will be sorely missed. Also Mrs Alyse Hezemans was also successful in gaining a relieving Assistant Principal position at Camden South Public School. Her work with our support unit was outstanding. We wish them both all the best.

Our school leaders have been given sky blue hats to help support them in peer support and making sure all our students continue to have a safe and enjoyable environment to learn and play in. Students who need advice or a peer to talk to will now find it easier to find our leaders.

We are trialling our first K-6 Athletics Carnival at Campbelltown Athletics Carnival on Monday 13th August. We cannot wait for younger students to join our carnival and participate in a day of fun. Parents are welcome to attend.

Michael Newcombe  
Principal

## Diary Dates

### July 2018

- 30 Education week starts  
Snake Tails  
Final payment Stage 3  
Camp  
Naidoc week starts

### August 2018

- 1 Naidoc Day
- 1 - 3 Education week continues
- 3 Open Day – book fair
- 6 – 10 School Dentist
- 10 Kindergarten Mowbray Park
- 13 K-6 Athletics Carnival
- 22 Premiers Reading  
Challenge ends today
- 23 Wollondilly 3/4B, 3/4H Y3 in  
3/4C
- 29 Keen Kinders
- 30 Wollondilly 3/4J, 3/4M Y4 in  
3/4C

### September 2018

- 3 – 5 Stage 3 Camp
- 5 Keen Kinders
- 12 Keen Kinders

## *From the Acting Deputy Principal*

Hello to everyone in our community and welcome back to another term. It's hard to believe we're already past the half way point of the school year. It was necessary for me to take leave last term and I am grateful to Mrs Murhan for stepping into the deputy's role during that time.

Mr Newcombe and I have had the opportunity to teach on some classes this week. We have thoroughly enjoyed being back to what we both enjoy the most and the reason we chose education as our work all those years ago. We're looking forward to a big week of events at Sackville Street next week. We are combining NAIDOC and Education Week so that we have a super week of learning and celebrating. I look forward to seeing families at our community events planned and parting with my money at the Book Fair next Friday.

### **School Development Day**

On Monday our staff engaged in updated Child Protection training, as well as collaborative planning for this term's teaching and learning. A collaborative approach to planning ensures our teachers are benefiting from each other's experiences and expertise.

On the Sunday and Monday our executive team was at a leadership conference with teams from three other schools. This gave us an opportunity to connect and learn from other school leaders as well as participate in workshops to develop our own skills.

### **Emergency Contacts**

Please ensure that a family member is contactable during school hours. There are many occasions when our school staff have not been able to contact an adult when a child has been sick or injured. This causes unnecessary distress for children and time spent by our staff making phone calls. Our office can be contacted if you wish to update any of your personal or alternate emergency contacts.

Acting Deputy Principal  
Kylie Lyneham

### **Assembly Dates**

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| K – 2 | Thursday 16 August 2018<br>Thursday 6 September 2018<br>Thursday 27 September 2018 |
| 3 – 6 | Thursday 9 August 2018<br>Thursday 30 August 2018<br>Thursday 20 September 2018    |



**2018 School leaders**

## PAYMENT REMINDERS

### Stage 3 Camp final payments.

Balance of payments must be made no later than Monday 30 July 2018.

### Stage 2 Wollondilly Heritage Centre Excursion

Full payment must be made no later than Wednesday 8 August 2018.  
\$16.00.

### Kindergarten Mowbray Park Farm Excursion

Full payment must be made no later than Wednesday 1 August 2018.  
\$30.00.



### K-6 Athletics carnival 2018

Full payment must be made no later than Wednesday 8 August 2018. \$8.00

### NO LATE PAYMENTS WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER THESE DATES.

## OPEN DAY

### FRIDAY 3 AUGUST 2018

Education week will be celebrated at our school from Monday 30 July until Friday 3 August 2018.

This year's theme is ***"Today's school – creating tomorrow's world"*** equipping young people with the skills and capabilities they need to thrive in a changing world.

9.15am – 10.30am	Open classrooms. Book Fair held in the library. EFTPOS will be available.
10.30am – 11.00am	Recess – have morning tea together. Book Fair continues in the library.
11.00am – 3.00pm	Normal classes resume

## 2019 KINDERGARTEN ENROLMENTS

Applications are now being accepted for Kindergarten 2019. If you are ***in area***, please collect an enrolment form from the office and return it along with proof of address, birth certificate and immunisation statement. If you are ***out of area***, please collect an application form from the office to be submitted to the principal. You will then be contacted and advised of the outcome. If accepted, collect the enrolment form from the office and supply the documents as above.

## SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

Catholic students in State schools in Year 6 or in High School who have already received their Sacrament of Holy Communion are due to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. An important meeting for the parents will be held on Monday 6 August 2018 at 7.30pm at the Holy Family Church, Oxford Road, Ingleburn. Baptism certificates are required for enrolment in the preparation program. For enquiries, please contact Father Peter 9605 2785.

## SNAKE TAILS

### MONDAY 30 JULY 2018

Snake tails is a program run by a reptile keeper Bob Withey, who spent some time in the outback with a traditional Aboriginal Mob. Through his show he teaches students a range of information about Aboriginal people's way of life, as well as bush awareness skills. Students may also get to touch some Australian reptiles.

## SCHOOL DENTIST

**Date:** Monday 6 August 2018 – Friday 10 August 2018.

**Cost:** Free service to all children eligible through the Child Dental Benefits Schedule (Medicare)

Permission forms have been distributed to all students. **If you would like your child to participate in this free service, permission forms must be returned prior to Monday 6 August.**

## K – 6 ATHLETICS CARNIVAL 2018

**Date:** Monday 13 August 2018

**Venue:** Campbelltown Athletics Stadium

**Time:** **Stage 3** students arrive at school by **8.15am**. Buses will leave at **8.30am sharp**. Senior 800m will commence upon arrival. Any student who are not on time will miss the 800m.

**Stage 2 & 8 year olds from year 2** to arrive at school by **8.30am**. Buses will leave at **8.45am**. Junior 800m will commence upon arrival. Any students who are not on time will miss the 800m.

**Kinder and remaining Stage 1** to arrive at school by **9.00am**. Buses will leave at **9.15am**.

**Cost:** \$8.00 per child.

**Lunch:** Children WILL NOT be able to order their lunch at the school canteen. The stadium canteen will be open however it is expensive and we recommend that students bring recess, lunch and drinks for the day.

**Attendance:** THIS IS A NORMAL SCHOOL DAY AND ATTENDANCE IS COMPULSORY. All staff will be attending this event.

**Clothing:** Children are to wear full sports uniform or their house colours. Please bring a hat and sunscreen. **LABEL ALL BELONGINGS CLEARLY.**

**Payment:** All permission notes and money are due no later than Wednesday 8 August 2018.



### Yarn up NSW State Parliament

Several of our Aboriginal students had the exciting opportunity to speak at State Parliament today as part of the Yarn Up public speaking program. We are so proud of their achievements.





### KINDERGARTEN MOWBRAY PARK FARM EXCURSION FRIDAY 10 AUGUST 2018

- Where:** Mowbray Park Farm, Picton  
**When:** Friday 10 August 2018  
**Who:** All Kindergarten students and teachers  
**Cost:** \$30.00 (includes coach travel with seat belts)  
**Dress:** Warm, farm appropriate clotting, including long pants, jacket, hat and comfortable walking shoes (boots or gumboots recommended)  
**What to bring:** Recess and a healthy lunch, water bottle, a strong plastic bag or small backpack with child's name clearly marked, sunscreen.  
**Money due by:** Wednesday 1 August 2018. ***Payment will not be accepted after this date.***

Students are to arrive at school no later than 8.15am. The bus will depart school at 8.30am sharp and will return to school at approximately 3.00 – 3.15pm.

### STAGE 2 WOLLONDILLY HERITAGE CENTRE EXCURSION

- When:** Thursday 23 August 2018 – 3/4B, 3/4H & Y3 students in 3/4C  
 Thursday 30 August FOR 3/4J, 3/4M & Y4 students in 3/4C  
**Transport** Private bus  
**Time:** arrive at school by 8.30am to leave at 9.00 return by 3.00pm.  
**Dress:** Full school uniform including a school hat  
**What to bring:** Lunch, recess, water in a backpack (lunches cannot be ordered on the day).  
**Cost:** \$16.00 which covers transport and entry. Money and permission notes to be returned to the school office no later than Wednesday 8 August.





- When:** Friday 3 August 2018 (Open Day)
- Where:** School Hall
- Time:** 8.30am – 9.30am
- What:** Second hand polo shirts, jackets, jumpers, grey pants, track pants
- Cost:** \$2.00 per item sold as is. **CASH ONLY**  
Limited new items \$5.00
- Proceeds:** All funds raised will be contributed to our sensory garden project.

## Keen Kinders

**Are you starting Kindergarten in 2019?**

**Come and visit our kindergarten classrooms for transition on**

Wednesday 29 August  
Wednesday 5 September  
Wednesday 12 September  
Wednesday 19 September

9.15 – 10.00am

**We are looking forward to seeing you.**