

# RAINBOW RAMBLER

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### CALENDAR

#### **Week 3 – EDUCATION WEEK**

Tuesday 1 August – 8am ICAS English

Wednesday 2 August – Open Classrooms

Friday 4 August – Round 10 PSSA; 11:30am 3-6 Assembly (5/6R)

#### **Week 4**

Monday 7 August – 6pm P & C Meeting – Library

Wednesday 9 August – Stage 1 Excursion (1K, 2D and 1/2MR)

Thursday 10 August – 8:30am Information Booth

Friday 11 August – Round 11 PSSA; 2pm K-2 Assembly (2D)

#### **Week 5**

Tuesday 15 August – 8am ICAS Maths; Number Crunchers

Wednesday 16 August – Stage 1 Excursion (1R and 2C); Maths Olympiad 4

Friday 18 August – Round 12 PSSA; 11:30am 3-6 Assembly (5P)

### **Education Week**

We hope you are able to join us next Wednesday, 2 August 2017, to celebrate Education Week and Public Education.

- 8:30am Band Performance – COLA/Hall
- 9:15am K-2 and Support Unit open classrooms
- 10am Years 3-6 open classrooms

### **Major Capital Works Update**

The PRG met this week and were advised that the tenderers' submissions are still being evaluated. We are on schedule to commence the works in August with the plan still in place to hand back A block for the beginning of next year!

Information Booths will be held on:

- 28 July (Friday): 2:30pm – 3:30pm
- 10 August (Thursday): 8:30am – 9:30am
- 6 September (Wednesday) : 8:30am – 9:30am

On the School Development Day staff continued their work on preparing for teaching and learning in the new spaces. This professional learning, which commenced in 2016, will continue to be a focus for all staff over the next year.

Interested to know more about futures learning and what schools are doing? Check out the DoE Futures Learning website

<https://education.nsw.gov.au/futures-learning>

In regards to the demountable site, there will be some bits and pieces undertaken over the weekend to finalise a few areas. Our seating for the back area should arrive this coming week.

### **2018 Kindergarten Enrolment Interviews**

Letters regarding enrolment interviews for children starting school in 2018 will be mailed early next week. Enrolment interviews will be conducted during Week 8 and Week 9 of this term. If you have a child starting school in 2018 and have not yet completed an enrolment application, please do so ASAP!

### **Safety**

A reminder that students should not be at school before 8:30am unless attending TRAC or planned events such as Band as there is no teacher on duty until 8:30am.



### **Sport News**

#### **Netball Draw**

The updated netball draw is as follows:

Date	Fixture
21/7/17	Gardener's Road PS
28/7/17	Maroubra Junction PS
4/8/17	Malabar PS
11/8/17	South Coogee PS
18/8/17	Maroubra Bay/Botany PS
8/9/17	Pagewood PS

NOTE: All netball games are played at Heffron Park.



## Library News

### Premier's Reading Challenge

K-2 classes are completing the challenge in class. Some K-2 classes have already completed the Premier's Reading Challenge (PRC) and are already asking for a second tub of PRC books - how wonderful! So far we have 25 Years 3-6 students already finished - well done! There is still plenty of time to complete the challenge. Years 3-6 students, you must complete your online Student Reading Record by Friday 25 August (Week 6, Term 3) to receive a certificate. If you need any help logging your PRC books, please let me know.

*Mrs Soo*

*Teacher Librarian*

## ICAS Tests

The English ICAS Test is scheduled for this Tuesday, 1 August. Students are encouraged to arrive at school at 7:45am with tests to start at 8:00am sharp. Please be at the right room on time.

Year	Room and Supervising Teacher
3	3M with Mr Svanfelds
4	2C with Ms Counsel
5	4/5G with Ms Goldspink
6	5/6R with Mr Roche

Good luck to all forty-nine students involved on Tuesday. The final 2017 ICAS Test (Mathematics) will be held on Tuesday 15 August (Week 5) with room allocations and supervising teachers published in coming Ramblers.

*Ms Counsel and Mr Svanfelds*

*ICAS Tests Coordinators*

## Showcase @ The Juniors

Our dance troupe have been very busy developing the choreography for our Showcase performance and have been doing such an amazing job. We have just received our costumes and we are all very excited for the event!

Our rehearsal date is Monday 21 August 2017 and students will walk down to South Sydney Junior Rugby League Club with Miss Smith and Miss Wheatley. Please ensure students are at school by 8:30am on that day. Our performance date is Tuesday 22 August 2017. Notes regarding the rehearsal and ticket allocation have been sent home this week.

*Miss Smith, Miss Wheatley and Miss Cruz*

*Showcase Coordinators*

## K-2 Student of the Week

### Week 1

Class	Student	Awarded for.....
KD	Neave	Her great contribution in class discussions.
KE	Liam	Participation in class discussion.
KS	Samuel	Settling into his new school.
1K	Duli	Great work with equal groups.
1R	Alicia	Her 'out of the box' thinking.
1/2MR	Marley	Great addition using the split strategy.
2D	Jackson	Awesome effort in all class subjects.
2C	Joaquine	Starting Term 3 with a very happy and positive attitude.

### Week 2

Class	Student	Awarded for.....
KD	Ariel	Her hard work in writing.
KE	Margherita	A great first week at Rainbow Street.
KS	Jaeyoung	Settling into his new school.
1K	Orlando	Trying hard when working with Mrs Radford.
1R	Amelia	Neat and thoughtful work.
1/2MR	Tye	Making a great start at Rainbow Street.
2D	Juliette	Fabulous pronunciation of English words in reading.
2C	Matthew	Great feedback and reflection about his work.
SR	Fayaz	Excellent sentence writing.

## Rainbow Awards

Year	Student
2	Angela, Kobe, Isabel, Sara R, Behafarid, Abigail, Clairesa, Clara and Joaquine



### SAVE THE DATE!

Join us for the Rainbow Street Trivia Night

**When:** Saturday 2 September 2017 6:30 - 11pm

**Where:** Gymnasium at Randwick Boys High School

Doors open 6:15pm

Tickets just \$20 each (maximum 8 per table)

Payment is cash in an envelope to the RSPS office

Come and join the fun and raise some money for our school

**ADULTS ONLY! BYO**

Know anyone who can donate a prize for Trivia Night? Collect a donation letter from the P & C box in the school office to give the business/es when you ask for a prize from them. Thanks in advance!

Our next P & C Meeting is on Monday 7 August 2017 from 6-7pm. We will not be having a Connect Time topic this month. Remember you can book your children over the age of 3 years into TRAC for FREE – even if you don't normally use TRAC. Simply email Tanya at [tracrandwick@gmail.com](mailto:tracrandwick@gmail.com) by Friday 4 August. We will voting on spending some money for the Fathers' Day stall and an agenda will be emailed to our mailing list ASAP. If you are not on our mailing list and would like to receive agendas and minutes from our meetings please let us know via the P & C website at [www.rainbowstpandc.org.au](http://www.rainbowstpandc.org.au)

It's been great to hear positive feedback from parents and students about the new classrooms on the back field. We hope to bring you new information about what's happening next in late August or early in September. Stay tuned!

I would like to say a huge thank you to the cookbook team who have been working tirelessly editing recipes, gathering sponsorships from local business and for their time and effort contributed to this

fundraiser. We will be discussing the cookbook at our P & C Meeting and showing some photos and examples so come along to find out more about it.

Sal Notaras

P & C President

### Community News

*Disclaimer: Rainbow Street Public School, as a service to parents, will advertise community events which may be of interest. RSPS does not necessarily endorse or sponsor the events and accepts no responsibility for the management or organisation of these events.*

## Fun Group Music Keyboard Class At School

**Enrolment for Term 3**

**GREAT SONGS   MUSICAL FUN   MUSIC THEORY**

**Enrol to start Term 3**

- 🎵 K - 6 welcome 🎵
- 🎵 Convenient at-school venue 🎵
- 🎵 Small group - 45 min weekly lesson 🎵
- 🎵 Competitive rate - \$27 per session 🎵
- 🎵 Limited vacancy! 🎵

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