TERM 2 WEEK 4 2025

RAINBOW RAMBLER

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CALENDAR

Term 2

Week 5

Monday 26 May National Sorry Day (Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander flag colours mufti)
Tuesday 27 May ESPSSA Soccer trials
Friday 30 May Round 3 PSSA

Week 6

Monday 2 June P&C Meeting 6pm (online)
Tuesday 3 June Kindergarten 2026 Open morning
(Please note change of date for this event)
Wednesday 4 June Second Hand Uniform Sale
Thursday 5 June Kindy Hospital Visit
Friday 6 June Round 4 PSSA

Week 7

Monday 9 June – King's Birthday Public Holiday Wednesday 11 June – School athletics carnival Friday 13 June – Round 5 PSSA

Week 8

Monday 16 June – Stage 2 Camp (Narabeen) Tuesday 17 June – Stage 2 Camp Wednesday 18 June – Stage 2 camp Friday 20 June – Round 6 PSSA

Week 9

Wednesday 25 June – Recorder and strings rehearsal Friday 27 June – Round 7 PSSA

Week 10

Tuesday 1 July – Festival of Choral Music - Snr Choir rehearsal

Thursday 3 July – Semester 1 reports published to School Bytes parent portal

Friday 4 July – Last day of Term 2

What's Been Happening At Rainbow Street?

Next week marks Reconciliation Week and Rainbow Street Public School will commemorate the occasion with a Sorry Day assembly on Monday 26 May 2025. Students are invited to wear the colours of the Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander flags instead of their

school uniform and will be singing *Red, Black and Yellow* by Aunty Wendy's Mob during the assembly.

The theme of this year's Reconciliation Week is Bridging Now To Next.



The design and artwork reflects the ongoing connection between past, present and future. *Bridging Now to Next* urges us to look ahead and continue to push forward, allowing lessons of the past to guide us. The beautiful artwork by Kalkadoon woman Bree Buttenshaw shows that now is a time for growth, reflection, and commitment to walking together.

What's Been Happening In Stage 2 This Week?

This week Stage 2 have been busy learning about patterns in mathematics. You will have noticed that some of our homework sheets have asked students to recognise patterns in the environment. Students have also been busy creating wonderful artworks that relate to our science unit about the sun and the moon. These look absolutely beautiful when displayed against the windows.













MONDAY 26 MAY 2025



National Reconciliation Week



Students are encouraged to wear the colours of the Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander flags on Monday 26 May 2025.

There will also be a special 'Sorry Day' assembly and activities organised on the day.





Sport News *PSSA*

There were no PSSA games last week due to the Zone Cross Country Carnival.

Cross Country

Congratulations to all the competitors at the Zone Cross Country Carnival last Friday. Rainbow Street PS performed strongly with six students qualifying for the Sydney East Regional Carnival.

10 Years Girls 4th Place: Livia 6th Place: Ellie Mae

11 Years Girls 5th Place: Maya 8/9 Years Boys
1st Place: Freddie

12 Years Boys 3rd Place: Felix 6th Place: Sonny











Student of the Week

Class	Student	Awarded for
KR	Annabelle	Being a critical and creative
		thinker
KK	Grayson	Trying his best across all
		areas of learning
KS	Adhithi	Always ready to listen and
		learn
1A	Sienna	Adding clear and interesting
		details in her writing
1M	Anna	Sharing her knowledge of the
		continents during geography
1 S	Luca	For trying his best during his
		KLA lessons
1/2H	Lubna	A great watercolour piece to
		show a shark's diet
2H	Hadi	Writing a detailed and funny
		sentence of the day

Class	Student	Awarded for
2W	Val	Writing a creative descriptive
		sentence using a simile
2/3C	Adam	Making some very positive
		decisions when faced with
		challenges
3L	Clara	Being a responsible,
		respectful and empathetic
		member of the class
3T	Ben	Demonstrating insightful
		reasoning during maths
		lessons
3/4V	Sofia	Showing initiative during all
		learning tasks to achieve her
		goals
4E	Joe	Approaching literacy tasks
		with curiosity and grit
4/51	Yaya	Writing creative sentences
		during grammar
5G	Emerson	Creating a positive classroom
		environment
5/6C	Bailey	Demonstrating his leadership
		skills
6M	Narla	her fantastic representation
		of Mulga Art
SDV	Sacha	Using great descriptions in
		his writing
SL	Lucas	Improved spelling skills
SM	Ethan	Positive engagement when
		completing learning tasks
SB	Violet	Confidence in addition
		activities

Learner Quality Badges

Collaboration	Poppy (3/4V)	
Empathy	Ana (3T)	





NSW Public School Student Survey

In Term 2, we are offering our students the opportunity to participate in the NSW Public Schools Student Survey. The survey gives students the chance to share their thoughts and feelings about life at school, including questions about their engagement, learning experiences and wellbeing at school.

Hearing directly from our students will help us understand what's working well and where improvements can be made to our school. The survey is confidential, takes around 10 to 15 minutes to

complete, and will be conducted online during school hours.

Participation is voluntary. If you prefer your child not to participate, please complete the opt-out consent form, which has already been sent home, and return it to the school. Further information about the survey is available at https://education.nsw.gov.au/npss

AFL -Auskick

On Tuesday 27 and Wednesday 28 May, trainers from the AFL will be visiting our school to run skills sessions with our students. Classes will be timetabled throughout the day to learn about the game of AFL and develop skills such as kicking and passing. Students can also sign up to the AusKick and SuperKick programs that will be run after school each Wednesday, from 11 June to 4 July 2025. More information is proved in the Community News section of the newsletter or by visiting the links below.

Auskick-

https://www.playhq.com/afl/register/d49638

Superkick-

https://www.playhq.com/afl/register/cc75a4

School Photos

School photos were taken this week.

If you still wish to purchase class photos or if your children took a sibling photo and you would like to buy a copy, visit:

https://store.theschoolphotographer.com.au/

To enter the site, you will need the code: X1041EL54R

Further information will be published in upcoming Rambler editions on how to purchase co-curricular photos.

For any further enquiries please contact: enquiries@theschoolphotographer.com.au or see Ms Heynes or Ms Meshel.



P&C Rambler Update – Term 2 Week 4

We hope you have had a great week and the school photos went well. There are a few things to mention that we have coming up in the next few weeks.

Firstly we have another P&C social get together at 'The Avenue' at Randwick bowling club on **30th May** at **5-7.30pm.** It is a kid friendly event and is open to any Rainbow Street parents/ carers as an opportunity to catch up with other families. (This is not a P&C funded event- people are welcome to buy their own food and drinks- the meals are pretty good!) Feel free to just turn up or see the WhatsApp announcement if you would like to confirm your attendance. At the moment we have tables reserved inside but if weather permits, we can always move outside!

As the nights are getting colder and darker earlier, our next P&C meeting will be held online from 6-7pm on the 2nd June. We would love you to login and join us. More information will be provided nearer to the time. There will



also be a **second hand uniform sale on the 4th June** in case you need to grab any extra jumpers or winter clothes. It will be under the **COLA at 8.30am** and everything is \$5. If you have any old uniform that no longer fits, we would love you to donate it to us. These donations can be handed to the office anytime.

Finally, there is limited stock of the wonderful tea towels created by your children, so if you would like to buy one you still can!

All that's left to say is have a wonderful weekend!

Links To Purchase RSPS Tea Towels:

https://rainbow-street-public-school-pc-association.square.site/

OR

https://www.rainbowstpandc.org.au/



Warm regards,
Amelie
Vice President, Parents, and Citizens Association
https://www.rainbowstpandc.org.au/



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.



