Gardeners Road Public School SCHOOL GAZETTE





Term 4 | Week 7

| Thursday 29 November 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you to all our families that supported the swim scheme over the last few weeks. Teachers and students had a wonderful time and we have received lots of positive feedback on the program. A big thank you to Mr Admaou and Mrs Meliss for their organisation for a whole school program.

The end of term brings with it many events and opportunities for our families to join us in the celebrations of our school, students and staff. We ask you to set the following dates aside on your calendar;

K-2 Presentation Day	17/12/18
3-6 Presentation Day	18/12/18
Last Day of school	19/12/18

2019 Key Dates

Students return	30/1/19
Kindergarten Best start dates	30/1/19-1/2/19
Kindergarten commences	4/2/19

Extra Curricular activities

I extend my sincere gratitude to the teachers that have volunteered throughout the year to run the after school activities. It has been a huge success with every program filled. It is a clear indication of our community needs and we hope that we will be able to offer this in 2019 to support our families.

School Choir

This last week I had the pleasure of seeing our wonderful school choir perform for the City of Sydney Christmas festivities. They did an outstanding job in representing our school. A big thank you to Mr Rueger and Ms Murray for their dedication and enthusiasm in organising this event for our students. The next performance outside of school: The Cannery Roseberry on Sunday 16 December at 11am.

School Fees/ Payments

We ask that you please finalise any outstanding payments you have with the school. These payments assist us in running the programs. If payments are not finalised the school ends up having to cover the cost taking away the opportunity for us to dedicate our funds to much needed resources for our students and school. Please finalise ASAP.

Ms Drtega Kardasis





2018 EVENT CALENDAR

Week 8

4/12/18 Multicultural Day

4/12/18 Music Soiree from 5:30pm

6/12/18 Year 6 Fun Day

7/12/18 K-6 Assembly at 2pm

9/12/18 City of Sydney Xmas BBQ Concert

Turruwal Park 4pm –10pm

Week 9

12/12/18 Whole school picnic day

13/6/18 Year 6 dinner

13/12/18 Thank you morning tea

PARKINGSAFETY

PLEASE DO NOT PARK IN STAFF PARKING ZONES.

Pedestrian entry and exit via the corner of Botany Road and Gardeners Road throughout the day.

PLEASE BE SAFE.

GATES

GATES MUST REMAIN LOCKED BETWEEN 9:00AM - 2:50PM.

Enter school on foot to pick up child early or late arrival.

KEEP EVERYONE SAFE.

SCHOOL CONTRIBUTIONS

Please make payments to support the purchasing of necessary resources.

Thank you for you support with this!

- \$30 Workbooks
- \$10 Paper levy
- \$20 Mathletics & Reading Eggs

School Contribution

\$40 (or a discounted family rate of \$35 per student).

827 Botany Road Roseberry



Daily schedule					
8:30am	Playground is supervised				
8:55am (MON)	Students line up for Monday morning assembly under				
8:55am (TUE - FRI)	Students line up in designated class areas ready to go				
11:00am - 11:30am	Recess				
1:15pm - 2:00pm	Lunch				
3:00pm	School finishes				

Late arrivals and changes to Monday morning schedule

Please make sure that your child arrives to school on time in a calm manner to assist them in having a successful school day. If you are running late and no arrangements have been made with SMOOSH we ask that you contact the school and let us know. This will assist us in notifying your child and keeping them calm and happy.

We advise parents and carers to park outside the school and enter via Gardeners Road and Botany Road to assist us in keeping everyone safe on school grounds.

Please note: Monday morning we hold a whole school short assembly as we all stand together to welcome the new learning week. The student leaders will ask the students to stand for the National anthem followed by the school pledge. Messages will then be read out by an executive staff member on the week's events. For the remainder of the week students will line up in the morning and go straight to class. All messages or information for parents will be going through the school app, school website and school newsletter.



Gardo Sport Report

By Mr Adamou

Swim Scheme Officially Completed for 2018

Swim Scheme is officially finished for all of Gardeners Road with our last group, Kindergarten – Year 1, completing their program earlier this week. The students have enthusiastically participated in the program for ten straight days. refine their skills whilst new swimmers have begun to learn the basics of swimming and survival skills. Well done to all students who have participated in the Swimming Program for the past 5 weeks!







K-2 Sports Stars of the Week



Every fortnight at K-2 assembly, two students from each grade are recognised for outstanding sporting achievement from sport and PE lessons. Congratulations to the following students: Daniela, Sophia (Kindergarten), Emily, Alek (Year 1), Tyler and Tara (Year 2).

Thankyou Parents!

A very big thankyou to the parents/carers who gave up their time to attend the Swimming Program and assist the teachers with ensuring everything ran smoothly! Your help has been greatly appreciated!





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27 November 2018

Year 6 Fun Day Reminder

Dear Parents and Carers,

On Thursday December 6 our senior students will be holding their YEAR 6 FUN DAY. The Year 6 students have organised a number of stalls with fun activities and games for all other students to participate in including:

Goalie Shootouts	Netball Shootout
Ping Pong Skill Challenge	Trivia
Sour Challenge	15 Second Craze Out
What is in the Box	Identify the Flag
Chopstick Challenge	Guess the Teacher
Ring Toss	Ninja Warrior
Sock Wrestling	Staring Contest
Whipped Cream Challenge	Beauty Table

Students will be required to purchase tokens to play the games.

50c = 1 token

\$5 = 12 tokens

\$10 = 25 tokens

Students can win a variety of prizes and all proceeds go towards the Year 6 graduation and the Year 6 gift to the school.

There will also be a pizza stall set up in the playground that offers slices of cheese pizza for 4 tokens.

The year 6 students have been working hard preparing for the day and can't wait for the rest of the school to have fun!

Ms Y. Ali, Ms J. Hunt, Mr E. Lukins, Mr R. Tacuri Year 6 Teachers Ms E. Ortega Kardasis Principal (Acting)





Year 6 Fun Day Stall Preview

Students: Ellen, Fatema and Ceyda

Name of the Stall: 15 Second Craze Out

Sneak Peak: Do you have 15 seconds to spare? Come! you only need that many. Drawing and guessing only takes 15 seconds!!

Students: Drew, Atilla and Clarence

Name of the Stall: Ring toss

Sneak Peak: Prepare to throw

Students: Taner, Alonso, Kuntapon, Jeremiah

Name of the Stall: MR.PIE

Sneak Peak: Get ready to get creamed

Students: Armita, Azra and Abigail

Name of the Stall: Sourstall

Sneak Peak: GET READEY FOR AN EXPLOSION IN YOUR MOUTH



Students: Karleisha and Izabelle

Name of the Stall: The whipped cream stall

Sneak Peak: Whipped cream is tasty!

Students: Rayyan, Fordyrick

Name of the Stall: IDENTIFY THE FLAG

Sneak Peak: guess the flag!

Students: Sorrachet, Lukas, Jalarna

Name of the Stall: Ninja Warrior

Sneak Peak: Have you got the will of the warrior?

Students: Shakti, Aiden

Name of the Stall: Guess the Teacher

Sneak Peak: How much do Teachers change as they grow up?

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Presentation Days

Please join students and staff to celebrate the strengths and successes of 2018

K-2 Presentation Day

Date:Mon 17 Dec, 2018Time:9:30amPlace:School Hall

3-6 Presentation Day

Date: Time: Place: **Tues 18 Dec, 2018** 9:30am School Hall

Please note that parking will not be available on site on either day. Pedestrian access to school via gates on the corner of Botany Road and Gardeners Road and via gates on Botany Road.

We hope to see you there!

Contact: School office 9667 2193 Email: gardeners-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au



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END OF YEAR FICHIC Call Sorts SKY ZONE indoor sports

22 November 2018

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

The 'End-of-Year Picnic' for all students and staff will be held;

Date: Wednesday 12th December, 2018 **Location**: All Sorts Indoor Sports Centre + Sky Zone Alexandria **Time:** 9am-3pm **Cost:** \$35 per student

Classes from K-6 will be walking with their classroom teacher to All Sorts Indoor Sports Centre. Students will participate in a range of sporting activities which include; soccer, basketball, hockey, trampolining, gymnastics and inflatables. All activities will be supervised by qualified coaches. Students will need to bring all their food and drinks with them on the day in a plastic bag with the students name and class clearly labelled on it.

Please note that the canteen will not be open on this day and there will be no lunch orders available.

Students will need to wear comfortable clothing on the day (no singlets, slogan t-shirts, sandals, thongs permitted). All students will also need to ensure that they bring their sunscreen and a hat.

To finalise numbers and payment to All Sorts, notes and money must be returned to the office no later than **Thursday 6th December**, 2018. Notes or money will not be accepted after this date.

Staff members with emergency care and CPR training will be present throughout the day with the students. A risk assessment of this activity has been undertaken and all necessary actions have been approved by the Principal. Students who are of concern because of recent unsafe behaviours at school may be excluded attending the incursion. Parents will be notified if staff are considering excluding any particular student from participating.

Ms E Ortega Kardasis Principal (Acting)

END OF YEAR PICNIC 2018 PERMISSION NOTE

□I have enclosed \$35.00 as payment.

□ I have paid online - RCT No:

Does your child have a medical condition that requires prescribed medication?	YES / NO
Please state your child's condition, medication required and dosage:	

Parent/Caregiver Signature

____/ ___/ <u>2018</u> Date

827Botany Road, Rosebery, 2018 Phone: 9667 2193 Fax: 9667 4906 Email: <u>gardeners-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au</u> Website: <u>www.gardeners-p.schools.nsw.edu.au</u> 2018 Gardener Road Public School

Performing Arts Soiree

We would love to invite you to Gardeners Road Public School Performing Arts Soiree.

We will be celebrating the various performance programs running in our school by hosting a performing an Art Soiree

Date: Wednesday, 5th December

Time: 5:30pm-7:00pm

Where: School Hall.

Our Junior and Senior choirs, K-2 Dance group and School Band will be performing on the night.

The Soiree will include dance and music performances that celebrate the creative work the students have been learning throughout the year.

A light snack will be provided at intermission. Please bring your own water in a reusable bottle.

Ms. Alvarez, Ms Brennan, Ms Gomez, Ms Murray & Mr Rueger Performance Group Co-Ordinators

Ms E. Ortega Kardasis Acting Principal

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EXTRA-CURRICULAR DANCE GROUP PERFORMANCE

29 November, 2018

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

You are invited to attend the end of term school assembly in Week 9, Friday 14th December held in the school hall at 2:00pm.

The assembly will include a dance performance that celebrates the creative work your child has been learning during extra-curricular activities.

We encourage students to wear black and denim clothes for our performance. Students are to have their costumes packed in their schools bags and will change into their clothes prior to their class going to assembly.

Looking forward to seeing you there.

Ms S. Gomez and Ms R. Alvarez Extra-Curricular Dance Teachers Ms. E. Ortega Kardasis Principal (Acting)



We need volunteers, sponsors and donations!

The GRPS P&C Association have begun to organise their second Fete on Saturday 23 March 2019 and we need your help to get sponsors and donations!

Can you spare some time to ask:

Hayley Jarick

Volunteer Fete Coordinator

- your business/workplace?
- relatives businesses/workplaces?
- friends businesses/workplaces?
- a few businesses on your block?

If you answered yes to any of these. We need your help to spread the word about opportunities to sponsor the Fete or donate prizes for the raffle and silent auction.

We will provide you with a brochure with details of opportunities and a buddy to call/text if you need help. We will follow up with all interested businesses and do all the boring administration of the agreements, marketing confirmations and money transfers or donation pickups. The Fete is a wonderful community carnival that draws the community to Gardeners Road

What is the Fete?

Public School and is a major fundraiser for the GRPS P&C

Who are the GRPS P&C Association?

The Gardeners Road Public School Parents and Citizens Association are a small but active group that punches above its weight for our children.

What is the money for?

Our school! We just finished the new park and want to buy books, buy technology, build a sensory garden and fix up the old hall.

When is the P&C meeting? Tuesdays 6.30pm weeks 2 & 7 every term in Building B staffroom. NEXT MEETING 27TH NOV

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This sounds awesome, I'd love to hel	p!	
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Call/text/sms Hayley on	grpsparents@gmail.com	m Find Hayley at P&C meetings or
0407 921 801		SMOOSH pick ups
Or drop this form to the school office		
Your name:		How can you help?
Your phone number:		
Your email:		

CITY OF SYDNEY CHRISTMAS CONCERT BBQ

When: Sunday 9 December Where: Turruwul Park, Rosebery

What: The City of Sydney is holding their annual Rosebery Village Christmas concert and our school P&C has been given the opportunity to run the Sausage Sizzle on the night. This will help us to raise funds for our children for books and technology.

We need volunteers to help us in shifts:

4.00pm Set up 6.30 - 8.30pm Service 8.45pm Pack up

Please email <u>grpsparents@gmail.com</u> to confirm your interest and preferred time slot and task.

Come and join us at this fun community event!



Donate your drink containers

Congratulations Gardeners Road Public School!

Our Return and Earn collection container was counted up at Citizen Blue and we have 415 eligible containers!

The money raised goes straight to the P&C to fund learning at our school.

Please put all drink containers with a 10c refund symbol into the container. You can also bring plastic and aluminium containers from home (no glass as it's in the playground).

Happy recycling, from the Sustainability Committee



COOGE BEACH



MEET & GREET WITH CAPTAIN BARNACLES AT 12:30PM PERFORMING LIVE AT 11AM & 1:30PM!





FUN WITH FRANKY SHOW & KIDS ON CONGAS LOADS OF RIDES & ARTISAN MARKET STALLS









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Term 4 2018

SMOOSH News



Safe, Multicultural Outside School Hours Care

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Welcome, hope your looking

forward to the End of year break. We would like to take this opportunity to wish all the children starting High School and their parents all the best for the future. If your child is starting High School this year please make sure you cancel their permanent bookings prior to the school term starting.

Kindergarten 2019 places are filling fast. If you have a child who will be starting school in 2019, please complete your enrolment as soon as possible and return to the office with documentation. Children starting Kindy in 2019 are also eligible to attend the Summer vacation care program .If you have any questions regarding this please ring 0431427176..

END OF YEAR PARTY

SMOOSH will be organizing an end of year party for all children and families from both services to thank them for all their help and support this year. The party will be held on 19th of December from 4pm to 5.30pm. There will be a performance by children , and Santa will be visiting SMOOSH to entertain the children on the day. Please lock the date in your diaries as we

SMOOSH CHRISTMAS CLOSURE

SMOOSH will be closed for two weeks in December over the Christmas break. The dates are from 24th of December 2018 to 6th of January 2019. we reopen on 7th of January 2019 for 3 weeks of vacation care before children go back to school in 2019.

We will have two pupil free days on 20 and 21 in December at the end of the School term.

SUMMER HOLIDAY PROGRAM

The Summer program is packed full of wonderful activities to occupy your children over the term break. A massive range of art and craft to challenge your child's creativity will be on hand. There will be lots of great indoor and outdoor water games and some cooking as well. To secure a place please book early. You can download the holiday booking form from www.secc.sydney. We have some new excursions like Cool cats indoor play center, Santa's workshop in Centennial park and plenty of old favorites like -Luna park, Sky Zone, and Movies. Rekkha Moda

KEEP KIDS SAFE

At SMOOSH it is our responsibility to keep your children safe, but we also need your assistance. If you notice something that you believe is potentially harmful to children, staff and families, please notify SMOOSH Nominated Supervisor immediately.

Service Hours: The service operates from 7.00am to 9:00am for Before School care and 3.00pm to 6.00pm for After School Care. Parents and children are not allowed to enter the premises before 7.00am, or 3pm as we are not licensed outside of these times.

Signing in and out: It is the responsibility of parents to sign their child in and out each morning and afternoon. By law, SMOOSH staff are not permitted to sign children in (except for after School care) or out (before School care) on parents' behalf.

Leaving SMOOSH before school drop off: If your child is required to leave SMOOSH for school before 8:45am we require a written note to give permission for your child to leave early,

Leaving SMOOSH for after school activities: If your child is required to attend extracurricular activities in the school grounds such as dance or code club, we also require a written note stating the reason, dates, time of classes and location. No children will be allowed to leave the service if this is not received by staff or the note is not written by a parent or guardian.

Car park safety

Parents are requested to park in the allocated car spaces/park on Botany Road gates and abide by the relevant speeds with which to be moving. We must insist that all children hold their parent's hands whilst moving to and from SMOOSH.

Contact us

02 8338 9678

www.secc.sydney



www.facebook.com/ SECC.Families/

Give us your email address to join SMOOSH's private Facebook group

Important Notices



Seniors Program- (Year 5 and 6)

SMOOSH aims to meet the broad range of each child's social, emotional, recreational, physical, intellectual and creative outside school hours needs. We are aware of the differing needs of "older SMOOSH" children and program accordingly. A new seniors program was successfully trialled out this term involving the year 5 and 6 students. This program entailed these children going on walking excursions to local places like Manhattan bowling, Sky Zone, Messina, Ole etc. with educators. This helped to foster positive self-esteem and meet the individual needs of children as children actively contributed to the program by suggesting the activities and paid for the activities themselves.

SMOOSH WON the award !!!

South Eastern Community Connect has been announced as the overall winner in the Excellence **in Education and Child Services category** of the inaugural Bayside Business Awards, held at Stamford Plaza Sydney Airport.

Bayside Council partnered with the Bayside Business Enterprise Centre (BBEC) to recognise local businesses that have excelled in their field and made a positive contribution towards making Bayside a dynamic and economically vibrant place to live, work and shop.

To ensure the awards process was delivered credibly and transparently, Bayside Council engaged ACA Research to accept the award nominations and conduct the judging process. The award is a fantastic recognition of the SMOOSH services delivered and wishes to extend its thanks and gratitude to SMOOSH Families and the extended community for their ongoing support of our service.



Sun smart

Our Sun Smart policy requires children to wear broad brimmed hats at all times when outdoors. We supply sunscreen for the use of children at the program, however children are able to bring their own if preferred. Our program includes outdoor activities. Please ensure that your children arrive with sunscreen applied and that clothing is Sun Smart, covering shoulders, back and upper arms .Please dress them in clothes that will allow them to participate in active and messy play, but also provide good sun protection. Shoes should be secure fitting on the foot eg, sandals or runners that enable them to run and climb without slipping. Thongs are not suitable. Please remember hats and drink bottles every day.

We are committed to sun safety & health.



<u>SMOOSH Curriculum</u>



Sustainability

Sustainability is a continuous part of the SMOOSH curriculum and we strive to teach and encourage children to be environmentally friendly .

- Composting: we encourage children to use the compost and assist us in making sure food scraps are put into the compost when possible.
- Children assist by helping stir the compost, water the gardens, plant and pick fruit and veggies and sell the produce to families.
- Children assist in looking after/feeding the chickens and selling the eggs
- We keep the lights off when natural light is sufficient
- We open doors and windows for natural ventilation and cooling
- We have bench top compost bin at afternoon tea time for food scraps to go into (for composting in the main composting bins outside).
- We collect food scraps and other compost material from the local shops (eg bird shop)
- Children have a recycled materials box which they can access at any time for art and craft and any projects
- We encourage children to use recycled paper for paper planes and other paper craft.
- We encourage children to take only 1 paper towel to dry their hands after washing.
- We encourage children to turn off taps when not in use.
- We often use spontaneous conversations to discuss caring for the environment, and how we can be sustainable.

Daily Evaluation /Documentation

Our daily evaluation documentation book is located on the sign in/out desk. There are photos and reflections of what your children have been up to at SMOOSH.

All our program activities are linked with My Time, Our Place Framework Outcomes for children.

Outcome 1: Children have a strong sense of identity Outcome 2: Children are connected with and contribute to their world

Outcome 3: Children have a strong sense of wellbeing Outcome 4: Children are confident and involved learners Outcome 5: Children are effective communicators

Adhering to the framework ensures that we are able to provide children with opportunities to maximise their potential and develop a foundation for future success in life.

Keeping special toys & iPad safe

It is important for children to learn how to keep their belongings safe, respect the property of others and understand the consequence of not returning their belongings to their bag. Where possible please discourage your children from bringing 'precious' items to SMOOSH. We understand that some children need iPads and other electronic devices at school and appreciate these are expensive, fragile items. Please remind children that iPads and electronic devices should be handed in and collected from the SMOOSH Educators each day. This will help to minimise the risk of damage or loss of these items while at SMOOSH. Please remember that SMOOSH cannot take responsibility for lost or damaged items.

Label your belongings:

Please label everything that comes to Vacation Care. At the end of the holiday program there is always a large amount of lost property, much of this is never collected & is donated to charity. If your child has lost an item please check the lost property box, located outside the SMOOSH room.



Notification of absence

It is critical to let us know if your child will not be attending in the afternoon so that we can accurately account for children's whereabouts and ensure their safety. If your picking your child up directly from school or if they are unwell please notify us.

Cultural Experiences

We would like your help with teaching the children about all the wonderful cultures of the world. We try to make cultural presentations as interesting and informative as possible! We want to know about your culture, your experiences and performances!

If you have any cultural stories, performances, music, special foods you would like to share we would love to hear from you!



Educator Profile Afternoon Tea

ZAEED UL HUQ



Cultural background: Bengali

Languages spoken: Bangla and English

Qualifications: First Aid, Child Protection Training; Asthma and Anaphylaxis, Studying Bachelor of civil engineering and finance and 3 years SMOOSH experience

Hobbies: Playing/watching sport, Jiu Jitsu and boxing, acting, gym, and watching movies.

How long have you worked at SMOOSH and what inspired you to get into Outside of School Hours Care?

I started working at SMOOSH from late November 2015. Working with and helping children has always been a passion. I feel that making a positive impact on children is a highly rewarding experience.

What is your favourite part of day at the Centre?

Afternoon tea is the most enjoyable part of the day because get to interact with most children at one place and hopefully teach or discuss a few things.

What do you remember about your first day at SMOOSH?

The most memorable thing about my first day was the amount of children who helped me learn SMOOSH's daily routine and remember everyone's names.

What is the funniest thing a child at SMOOSH has ever said and how did you react?

One time I asked a child how to make ice-cream. At first he said to mix milk and sugar and cream, but then she said you have to "cook" it. I smirked and said "are you SURE"? And then later she laughed and said you have to freeze it.

OAT SLICE

Equipment 1 bowl 1 lamington pan 1 saucepan Ingredients 1 cup oats 1 cup sultanas optional 1/2 cup sugar 1/2 cup self-raising flour 1/2 cup coconut 125 g margarine 2 tbs honey



Method

STEP 1 : Melt margarine and honey together in saucepan.

STEP 2: Mix dry ingredients in a bowl then add melted margarine and honey.

STEP 3Mix well and spread in a lamington pan.

STEP 4: Bake in at 180C for 10-15 minutes. STEP 5Cut into squares or bars while still warm.

Notes

Sultanas optional. Can add other cereal such as All Bran instead of sultanas. Great for the lunchbox. The original recipe asked for around 140 g of margarine - this does work better but I cut it down to slightly lower fat content.

Children's Comments

"I like that when it starts to rain we play in the hall and I like the computers" Daniel

"Halloween is the best and I love trick or treating " Ava

> "I like Jess for Sports!! " Taylor

"The teachers are funny. They make me laugh" Kimora



"I think SMOOSH is good I really like the activities and going outside I enjoy going to SMOOSH because we get to have presents. I like SMOOSH". Alexis

"I love SMOOSH because we get to go outside." Laria

SMOOSH is a very excellent place and very nice. They give us afternoon tea and cook delicious but more important they look after the children and parents pay less. " Sandra



SMOOSH people care for us when we get hurt and when we are mad" Tara

I like SMOOSH because I get to play with my friends and I like to cook in the kitchen and play outside. I like the food that SMOOSH gives us especially the chicken noodles and macaroni "

Harley and Scarlett W



Eastlakes SMOOSH







Art and craft

Children were very excited to start term 4. During the term we did many fun and exciting things.

During art and craft time, painting became one of the most popular things to do and was incorporated into many different craft activities. They painted spring themes and painted patterns on plates. Children also had fun experiment with colours during a variety of different colour experiments. Another popular activity and experiment was making slime. First children used glue and eye drop solution and then were treated to using a real slime kit with proper slime activator. We also had Halloween this term, Children took time to make scary Halloween poster and then dressed up for our Halloween party. made posters with sayings and greetings in the languages the children speak at home were also made and displayed.



Eastlakes SMOOSH

Cooking and Afternoon tea- children enjoyed cooking a variety of things this term. This term we made homemade ice blocks, ready for our hot summer days. They also made jelly, cake and Yum balls and most popular was our muesli slice



Sustainability We support sustainable practices throughout our centre and program. Some new additions to our commitment to building a sustainable future are collecting and planting seeds from our fruit & veg platters, using Enjo to clean our indoor environment & appointing 'Water & Energy Saver Spies' to keep an eye on our sustainable footprint. We aim to practice sustainability in all aspects across our operation and program.



Sports and extra curricular activities

Most children were especially excited for sport this term and nearly all children joined up for it. They were excited to do dancing again with Jess from Jess Academy. They loved learning the dances but also loved the variety where they played different games and were also ninja warriors especially excited for sport this term and nearly all children joined up for it.







Vacation Care FUN clicks!!!















Vacation Care FUN















Family Support Program Calendar January to June 2019

Family Case Management Assistance Available

All Programs are run during school terms Bookings are essential for all parenting and information sessions FREE

Parent information Sessions

ALL OUR PROGRAMS ARE FOR GRANDPARENTS TOO

PARENTING ON THE SAME PAGE

CPR & 1st Aid for Babies & Children

Wednesdays 13 February Wednesday 27 March Wednesday 8 May 10.-12pm NO CHILDCARE BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL NO CHILDREN IN SESSION

Early Communication in Babies & Children

Tuesday 18 June 10.00am-12.00pm BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL

TOY LIBRARY

Hiring of toys Mon, Wed & Fri 10.00am-4.00pm Return of toys Monday-Friday 10.00am-4.00pm Special p/up for working parents 7.30am-6.00pm South Eastern Community Connect Shop 84, Eastlakes Shopping Centre, Eastlakes Over 1,000 toys for children 0-8+ \$30 annual family membership fee

School Holidays

FREE and FUN kids craft activities & games, dance, music during School Holidays Eastlakes Shopping Centre, Eastlakes

FREE

Parenting Programs

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Play Power for Dads with children 0-3 years

Saturday 9 March 9am-11am NO CHILDREN IN SESSION Gardeners Rd Public School

Dads & Bubs Bonding

Saturday 19, 23 Feb & 2 march Gardeners Rd Public School

Triple P Seminar Series

For families of children 2-12 years Tuesdays Evenings 12, 19 & 26 March 5.30pm-7.30pm NO CHILDCARE-NO CHILDREN IN SESSION Gardeners Rd Public School

Play Power for Parents/Grandparents

with grandchildren 0-3 years Tuesday 9 April 10am-12pm NO CHILDCARE-NO CHILDREN IN SESSION Eastlakes Public School

Triple P Group

For families with children 2-12 years Thursdays 2, 9, 16 & 23 May 10am-12pm NO CHILDCARE-NO CHILDREN IN SESSION Eastlakes Public School

Wise Choice Kids

For families with 2-12 year olds Tuesdays 12, 19, 26 February & 5 March Eastlakes Public School

Supported Playgroups

ALL OUR PROGRAMS ARE FOR GRANDPARENTS TOO PARENTING ON THE SAME PAGE

MONDAY

Gardeners Rd Supported Playgroup

Gardeners Rd Public School, Rosebery 10am-12pm Term 1, 4 February—8 April

Term 2 6 May—1 July

TUESDAY

Eastlakes Supported Playgroup

Eastlakes Public School, Eastlakes 10am-12pm Term 1, 5 February—9 April Term 2, 7 May—2 July

WEDNESDAY

Kensington Park Supported Playgroup Kensington Park Community Centre, Kingsford 10am-12pm Term 1, 6 February—10 April Term 2, 8 May—3 July

THURSDAY

Green Square Supported Playgroup

Green Square Community Hall

3 Joynton Ave, Green Square Entry via Portman Ave 10am-12pm Term 1, 7 February—11 April Term 2, 9 May—4 July

FRIDAY

English Class

Parents English Class with Childcare Including an interactive lesion with parents and Children 10am-12pm SMOOSH Vacation Care Program

Summer 2018 - 19





Shop 84, Eastlakes Shopping Centre, Eastlakes 2018 02 8338 8506 0431 427 176 smoosh@secc.sydney

www.secc.sydney

SMOOSH Vacation Care operates at Gardeners Road Public School, Rosebery



Pupil Free days 20/12/18 and 21/12/18 Summer Holidays 7/1/19 to 28/1/19 Bookings Open: 20/11/18 Bookings Close: 14/12/18 South Eastern Community Connect SMOOSH programs are Government Approved for Child Care Subsidy



SUMMER 2019

Child / Children's Name/s : _____

Parents / Guardian's Name: ______

Parent's / Guardian's Phone Number: ______

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
				20/12/18 Excursion to Man- hattan bowling And Electronic afternoon Lunch provided Cost:\$18	21/12/18 Excursion to Santa's workshop and Christmas Disco Bring your Lunch Cost \$16
Week 1	7/1/19 Culture club Fire Engines and Police Lunch provided Cost :\$10	8/1/19 Excursion to Manly Q station Bring your lunch Cost \$19	9/1/19 Drumming and Super soaker Water play Lunch provided Cost :\$10	10/1/19 Excursion to Movies And play at Centen- nial Park Bring your lunch Cost \$16	11/1/19 Excursion to Archie Brothers Bring your lunch Cost \$23
Week 2	14/1/19 Excursion to Sky Zone Miranda Bring your Lunch Cost \$26.00	15/1/19 Farm animals and pony rides Bike riding Lunch Provided Cost \$10	16/1/19 Excursion Kindy to year 2 Dancing and Drum- ming Genies Year 3-year6 Rock climbing Bring your lunch Cost:\$18	17/1/19 Science Workshop And Magic show Bring your lunch Cost:10	18/1/19 Excursion to Luna Park Bring your lunch Cost \$24
Week 3	21/1/19 Excursion to laser skirmish at EQ Bring your Lunch Cost :\$20	22/1/19 Water sports Gardening Lunch provided Cost:\$10	23/1/19 SMOOSH carnival Jumping castle Lunch Provided Cost: \$10	24/1/19 Excursion to Big Kitchen Bring your Lunch Cost:18	25/1/19 Excursion to Cool cats indoor play centre Bring your lunch
Week 4	Public Holiday	29/1/19 Indigenous games Disco and BBQ Lunch provided Cost :\$10.00			

I consent to my child participating in any excursions planned for the days I booked. I consent to my child being transported by Telfords. I understand I will be liable for the vacation care fee of \$46 plus any excursion/incursion costs applicable for the days I have booked.

Parent or guardian signature



South Eastern Community Connect



THURSDAY 20/12/18

Excursion to Manhattan Bowling with arcade games and lunch



Depart 9.30am, return 1pm

Electronic and Board games bring in your electronics and board games



Lunch provided Cost:\$18

FRIDAY 21/12/18

Excursion to Santa's workshop At Centennial Park



Depart 9.30am, return 1pm

Christmas DISCO Party at SMOOSH



Bring your Lunch Cost:\$16

SMOOSH IS CLOSED FROM 24/12/18 T0 6/1/19

bayside business

awards





WINNER

Excellence in Education and Child Services



All children starting Kindergarten in 2019 are eligible to attend the SMOOSH summer vacation care program



Vacation Care Summer 2019

MONDAY 07/01/19

Culture Club



- Japanese Origami
- Fun chopstick relay
- Unique Venetian
 inspired masks
- Masquerade Parade
- Learn how to Hula Dance

Super hero afternoon

Fire Engines

Police

Bring in a change of clothes for water play Lunch provided Cost:\$10

TUESDAY 8/01/19

Excursion to Manly Q station



- Visit historical buildings
- Get hands-on with the Hospital Interactive tour
- mark in clay and take home inscriptions
- Experience class differences in the steam ship Niagara
- Learn what life was like 100
 years ago
- Play games that the children played 100 years ago

Depart 9.00am, return 3pm

Bring your Lunch Cost:\$19.00

WEDNESDAY 9/01/19

INTERACTIVE DRUMMING !!!

energy packed rhythmical adventure !



Super soaker circus circuit (bring a change of clothes)



Lunch provided Cost:\$10

THURSDAY 10/01/19

bayside business

Excursion to **Movies at** Hoyts EQ with popcorn



Play and Picnic Centennial park



Depart 9.30am, return 3pm Bring your lunch Cost: \$16.00

FRIDAY 11/01/19

WINNER

Excellence in Education and Child Services

Excursion to Archie brothers Warehouse 2A 160 Bourke road Alexandria NSW 2015



- Arcade Games Galore!
- Ten pin bowling
- Bumper Cars
- XD Theatre
- Spy School Laser Tag
- Laser Tag Fright mare

Depart 9.30am, return 3pm

Bring your lunch Cost:\$23.00



South Eastern Community Connect



Vacation Care Summer 2019

MONDAY 14/01/19

Excursion to

Sky Zone

Miranda Westfield Shopping Centre G121, Kingsway Miranda, NSW 2228



Stratosphere Sky Climb The Pit Dodgeball **Climb Wall**

Depart 9.30am, return 3pm

Bring your Lunch Cost:\$26.00

TUESDAY 15/01/19

Farm animals and



Pat and feed animals including an alpaca, a calf, a piglet, some kids & lambs, rabbits and guinea pigs, chickens and ducks and also enjoy a pony ride

Bike riding bring in your bikes (safety gear essential)



Lunch provided **Cost:\$10**

WEDNESDAY 16/01/19

Split Excursion Kindy to year 2 **Dancing and Drumming** Genies at Amera's Palace, level 2, 334 Marrickville road NSW 2204



Rock Climbing at 1/7 Unwins Bridge Rd, St Peters NSW 2044 Year 3-6



Please wear light, sporty clothing i.e. shorts, tights or loose pants, and enclosed shoes or joggers. Depart 9.30am, return 3pm Bring your Lunch **Cost:18.00**

THURSDAY 17/01/19

Science Workshop



- Squishy eggs
- Lava lamps
- Swirling colours milk
- **Volcano Eruption**
- **Elephant Toothpaste**
- **Corn Flour Slime**
- Rockets

Magic Show



Cost:\$10

FRIDAY 18/01/19

WINNER

Excursion to Luna Park **1** Olympic Dr, Milsons's point NSW 2061



Kindy to year 2 Coney island with one ride

> Year 3-6 unlimited rides

Depart 9.30am, return 3pm

Bring your lunch Cost:\$24.00



South Eastern Community Connect



Vacation Care Summer 2019

MONDAY 21/01/19

Excursion to Bowling and laser Skirmish Entertainment Quarter 122 lang road Moore Park NSW 2021



Play a traditional game of ten pin bowling and use state-ofthe-art laser technology for a laser game

Depart 9.30am, return 1pm

Bring your lunch Cost: \$20.00

TUESDAY 22/01/19 Water sports

Bring in a change of clothes for water play

Gardening workshop with Bunnings-take home a pot plant



Lunch provided Cost:\$10.00

WEDNESDAY 23/1/19

SMOOSH CARNIVAL

Hair spray Air brush tattoos Nail art Pizza making



2 huge Jumping Castles



Slushies on the day

Lunch provided Cost:\$10.00 THURSDAY 24/01/19

Excursion to Big Kitchen

36 flood street Bondi NSW 2026



- Make bread rolls, cookies and other food (Some to take home too)
- Drama and movement games
- Nut Free, Kosher and Halal certified

Depart 9.30am, return 3pm

Bring your lunch Cost:\$18.00

FRIDAY 25/01/19

Excursion to Cool Cats at Randwick Boys High School Hall, Corner Avoca & Rainbow Streets, Randwick



Be active, entertained and challenged on the interactive inflatable games.

All children must wear socks.

Depart 10.00am, return 3pm

Bring your lunch Cost:\$15.00







Vacation Care Summer 2019

MONDAY 28/10/19 Tuesday 29/1/19 **PUPIL FREE DAY** Traditional **Public Holiday** Indigenous games **Australia Day WE**'RE **BBQ LUNCH PROVIDED COST \$10.00**

MY TIME OUR PLACE

'MY TIME, OUR PLACE' OUTCOMES!

In December 2009, all Australian Governments agreed to a new National Quality Framework for Early Childhood

Education and Care. This means that all Australian children, regardless of their location will get the best possible start in life through high quality early childhood education and care and school age care services. Outside School Age Care services became included in the scope of this National Quality Framework from 1 January 2012.

Outside School Age Care service now operate under a new National Law and Regulations, and National Quality Standards. 'My Time, Our Place' - Framework for School Age Care in Australia is a key component of this National Quality Framework.

The vision of 'My Time, Our Place' is for all children to feel safe and have enjoyable experiences. It will guide educators to provide play and leisure-based experiences that are engaging and building foundations for life-long learning.

Through the five learning goals, educators will assist your child to develop:

- 1. A strong sense of their identity
- 2. Connections with their world
- 3. A strong sense of wellbeing
- 4. Confidence and involvement in their learning

5. Effective communication skills

While the Vacation Care activities and experiences have been intentionally planned to promote the learning goals of 'My Time, Our Place', the program is also designed to be flexible and allow your children to have fun!



Vacation Care General Information

Eligibility

• Vacation Care is open to all primary school aged children irrespective of which school they attend during term. During the summer break children enrolled to start Kindergarten in term 1 may attend vacation care.

Booking Procedures

- Bookings are made by completing and returning the enclosed Booking Form before the due date. Forms are to be returned to SMOOSH by email or via a SMOOSH educator.
- Payment must be made at time of booking. We are unable to accept your enrolment if you have any outstanding/overdue accounts. Balances must be cleared prior to your application being processed. Please call us if you wish to discuss this further. You will receive confirmation of your booking with your statement.

Clothing and sun protection

- Children are to wear comfortable casual clothing when attending Vacation Care.
- Children are to wear closed toe shoes. Thongs, strapless shoes, high heels, slipons, etc are not safe and therefore inappropriate.
- No Hat no Play. Staff will remind children to apply sunscreen and wear hats while playing outdoors. Please make sure that your child applies sunscreen before arriving and brings his/her own hat every day.
- Bring a backpack with lunch, water bottle, hat, sunblock and sweatshirt. Wear clothes you don't mind getting dirty.
- A change of clothes should be packed for your kindy child.
- Raincoats are essential on excursions.

Sign in and out procedures

• You are required to sign your child in on arrival and out before you leave with your child.

• If you want your children to be picked up by someone other than yourself, you need to give us written, signed and dated authorisation showing the name of the person picking up your child. You can email or text this authorisation prior to or on the day. Your authorised person will be required to show photo ID.

Excursions

- We will be departing at 9am and returning by 3pm for each excursion.
- Children must arrive at least half hour before departure. No responsibility is taken for late arrivals. In the event of adverse weather conditions, staff will make the decision if a venue is still suitable. Excursion transport will be through Telford's or SECC buses unless advised otherwise.
- The educator: child ratio is 1:8 with a maximum of 75 children attending each excursion. A risk assessment for each excursion is available for viewing at SMOOSH.
- Nominated Supervisor Rekkha Moda or Mariko Nader (Responsible Person) will be accompanying the children on all excursions. Excursion educators are qualified in first aid, Asthma and anaphylaxis.

Well-being and safety

For the safety and wellbeing of all children in our care we reserve the right to exclude a child if their behaviour poses an ongoing risk to their own safety or that of other children and staff. We will inform parents and work with them to resolve any issues before exclusion may be required.

Cancellation and Absences

Refunds or credits will not be issued if you cancel. Once your child has reached 42 allowable absence days, parents have to pay full fees. Fees are due for your child/children even if sick or absent once you book the program. CCB is paid up to only 42 allowable absence days for each child per financial year. Please let us know if there are any changes to your address, phone numbers, or other information. Please note: Parents are not allowed to swap the day with other families or within the family.





Stop, Think, Do (6-8yrs, 9-11yrs)

This structured 2 day program develops emotional & social intelligence in children & adolescents. The focus is on social skills training, behaviour management and motivational learning. 3 separate age groups will be run.

Location: Peakhurst, Maroubra, Bella Vista & Liverpool (Check timetable for details)

\$225



Take Action (8-12yrs)

Children are taught a range of strategies via a 6-step ACTION plan. Each letter in the word ACTION stands for a skill children learn. This is a program which provides children with clear, practical skills to manage anxiety and improve their social and life skills. By practising the skills they learn, the participants develop their own action plan to reduce and overcome anxiety.

Location: Peakhurst, Maroubra & Bella Vista (Check timetable for details)

\$225



PALS Social Skills Program (4-6yrs)

The early school years are when children start to make friends, learn to cooperate with others and begin to solve social problems. Like all skills, some children develop social skills more easily than others. Social skills are of the utmost importance for every child's future development. Location: Peakhurst (Check timetable for details)

\$225



Handsome Handwriting

This 2 day program helps children develop their handwriting skills in a fun and supportive environment. We will focus on developing the skills that support handwriting (e.g. self regulation, gross motor, fine motor and visual motor skills) as well as developing fluent handwriting skills. Location: Maroubra (Check timetable for details)

(Yrs 1-2)

\$225



Moving on and Up

This program is for students transitioning to high school. It has a focus on organisational skills, travel planning, problem solving, study skills, making friends, and dealing with new technologies safely. Teaching and learning activities will focus on skills that are imperative to success at high school - knowing how to study, use the computer, plan for assignments, and ask for help. \$225

(Year 6 only 2018)

Location: Peakhurst, Maroubra & Bella Vista (Check timetable for details)



SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM JANUARY 2019

	PEAKHURST 12-14 Pindari Bd, Peakhurst. Phone: 8525 8222					
Week 1	Monday 7/1	Tuesday 8/1	Wednesday 9/1	Thursday 10/1	Friday 11/1	
			Moving on and up (year 6 only 2018) 9:30am - 1:30pm . Day 1		Moving on and up (year 6 only 2018) 9:30am - 1:30pm . Day 2	
		Take Action (8-12 yrs) 1:30pm - 5:30pm. Day 1		Take Action (8-12 years) 1:30pm - 5:30pm. Day 2		
	Monday 14/1	Tuesday 15/1	Wednesday 16/1	Thursday 17/1	Friday 18/1	
Week 2			PALS (4-6 gr≲) 9:30am - 11.30am. Dag 1		PALS (4-6 yrs) 9:30am - 11.30am. Day 2	
	Stop, Think, Do (9-11yrs) 1:30pm - 5:30pm. Day 1			Stop, Think, Do (6-8 yrs) 1:30pm - 5:30pm. Day 2		

MAROUBRA Office 2, Level 3, Bowen Libarary Building, 669-673 Anzac Parade, Maroubra. Phone: 8568 8200

	Monday 7/1	Tuesday 8/1	Wednesday 9/1	Thursday 10/1	Friday 11/1
Week 1			Stop, Think, Do (6-8 yrs) 9:00am - 1:00pm. Day 1		Stop, Think, Do (6-8 yrs) 9:00am - 1:00pm. Day 2
		Handsome Handwriting Yrs 1-2 1:30pm - 4:30pm Day 1	Take Action (8-12 years) 1:30pm - 5:30pm. Day 1		Take Action (8-12 years) 1:30pm - 5:30pm. Day 2
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Week 2		Stop, Think, Do (9-11yrs) 9:30am - 1:30pm. Day 1		Stop, Think, Do (9-11yrs) 9:30am - 1:30pm. Day 2	
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	BELLA VISTA 6a/7 Meridian Pl				
	Monday 7/1	Tuesday 8/1	Wednesday 9/1	Thursday 10/1	Friday 11/1
Week 1			Stop, Think, Do (6-8 yrs) 9:00am - 1:00pm. Day 1	Stop, Think, Do (6-8 yrs) 9:00am - 1:00pm. Day 2	
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	LIVERPOOL 2, 54-56 Macquari	e St Liverpool Phone: 8525 8280	1		
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Week 1				Stop, Think, Do (6-8 yrs) 9:00am - 1:00pm. Day 1	Stop, Think, Do (6-8 yrs) 9:00am - 1:00pm. Day 2
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Week 2					



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SAME TIME SAME PLACE EVERY WEEK!

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SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

Tennis, soccer, crafts & activities for kids aged 5-14

\$65 per day 9am - 3pm Places are limited... Enrol online today!

- crafts keyrings, snow globes, gliders, ceramic painting
- activities ping pong, obstacle course, frisbee
- clubhouse for wet weather

T: (02) 9663 2882 A: 1 Court Ave, Kingsford NSW 2032 E: eastcourtstennis@gmail.com W: eastcourtstennis.com.au



Camp kids split into four activity groups (friends/siblings can stay together)

9:00-9:15am: introduction from coaches, warm-up games

	Group 1	Group 2	Group 3	Group 4		
9:15-10:15am	Tennis	Craft	Activities	Soccer		
10:15-10:50am	Morning recess					
10:15-10:50am	Soccer	Tennis	Craft	Activities		
11:50am-12:25pm	Lunch					
12:25-1:25am	Activites	Soccer	Tennis	Craft		
1:25-2:00pm	Afternoon recess					
2:00-3:00pm	Craft	Activites	Soccer	Tennis		
3:00-3:15pm	Pick-up					
Crafts: Keyrings Gliders Snow Globes Ceramic Painting						
Activities: Ping Pong Obstacle Course Frisbee/target games						

*child-minding available outside camp hours - only by prior arrangement. \$15 per hour.

7-25 January 2019 Unique Experiences for Primary School Kids!

KIDS IN COMMON

Summer Jacation Care

FARM TO TABLE COOKING STARS LITTLE FARMERS DRAMARAMA SLIME TIME WORLD OF DRUMMING STEM ANIMATION CARTOONING TENNIS HOT SHOTS WATER & GAMES BASKETBALL SLAM SOCCER STARS FOOTY DANCING STARS HULA HOOPING KIDS YOGA NINJA WARRIOR ARTS & CRAFTS CAMP

CAMPERDOWN COMMONS

camperdown tennis













BOOK 2 SESSIONS FOR A FULL DAY OF CARE

	MONDAY 7 JANUARY	TUESDAY 8 JANUARY	WEDNESDAY 9 JANUARY	THURSDAY 10 JANUARY	FRIDAY 11 JANUARY
AM	Slime Time	Cooking Stars	Little Farmers	Dramarama' 🧹	Arts & Crafts Camp Day
PM	Water & Games	Basketball Slam	Kids Yoga	Dancing Stars	
	MONDAY 14 JANUARY	TUESDAY 15 JANUARY	WEDNESDAY 16 JANUARY	THURSDAY 17 JANUARY	FRIDAY 18 JANUARY
AM	FARM to TABLE	Slime Time	Kids Yoga	🖉 Tennis Hot Shots	World of Drumming
PM		Water & Games	Hula Hooping	Ninja Warrior	Stem Animation
-	MONDAY 21 JANUARY	TUESDAY 22 JANUARY	WEDNESDAY 23 JANUARY	THURSDAY 24 JANUARY	FRIDAY 25 JANUARY
AM	FOOTY!	Cooking Stars	Litlle Farmers	FARM to TABLE	Cartooning
PM		• Water & Games	Soccer Stars		Slime Time

CAMPERDOWN COMMONS

ACTIVITY LOCATION

CAMPERDOWN TENNIS

FULL DAY \$80 8am - 3pm^ FULL DAY \$60 (Government concession card holders)*

HALF DAY \$50 8am - 12pm or 12pm - 3pm FREE AFTERCARE 3pm - 5.45pm** +F00D \$15#

^ Full day rate of \$80 available when booking the same child into 2 sessions on the same day in one transaction. *please refer to the website for further information and terms and conditions. ** Free aftercare is only available with full day bookings. #Food is optional, kids may bring their own food for the day.

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Join:



Join the P & C and support your school with fundraising that will see amazing resources placed in the school for the benefit of all students.

Uniform Shop:

Support with the second hand uniform shop is always needed, speak to the P & C on how you can help.

Any uniform enquiries can be directed to the Gardeners Road P&C Gmail Account:

grpsparents@gmail.com

Keeping informed...

School E-News App

Have you downloaded the E - News school app?

Benefits of the App include:

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- Photos

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See Twitter handle below...

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Paper copies of notes

All paper copies of notes are kept at the front office on the display wall. Please come and help yourself!





Positive Behaviour for Learning - PBL





What is it?

Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL) is a strength based proactive approach building the capacity of schools to create a positive learning environment. This learning environment enhances wellbeing and academic achievement of ALL students in ALL school settings. GPRS has been a PBL school for almost 10 years!

School expectations

Be Safe

Be Respectful

Be a Leaner

These learning expectations apply in all learning and play spaces at Gardeners Road.

Traffic Light System

Every classroom at GRPS has a G-Force Traffic Light poster. This may be used as a way to reward all students who are displaying the Safe, Respectful, Learner expectations or as a way to remind students that they're 'flying in the wrong direction'. Safe, Respectful Learners are 'G-Force Hero' ready! Once they achieve above the hero status they may then be rewarded a sticker to put on their chart...

Sticker Charts

Every classroom at GRPS has the G-Force Reward System. This reward system is Each student starts on a Bronze G-Force Card, when they have achieved 30 G-force stickers they are rewarded at whole school assemblies and move up to the Silver G-Force Level and then onto the Gold G-



Focus of the Fortnight

In addition to a whole school reward system, a PBL focus is introduced every fortnight. Lessons are devised and taught to all students that address the whole school focus. Students are rewarded for displaying these expected behaviours with a raffle ticket. Raffle tickets are collected fortnightly and the raffle is drawn at the K-6 whole school assembly. The winning students are rewarded with a school canteen voucher.

This fortnight the focus of the fortnight is: *We listen and participate respectfully during all assemblies.*

Ms Ali & Mr Adamou - PBL Coordinators

Car Park Information



ALL SCHOOL GATES MUST REMAIN LOCKED BETWEEN 9:00am – 2:50pm

5km SPEED LIMIT WITHIN SCHOOL GROUNDS

'No Right Turn' sign on Gardeners Road

Roads and Maritime has placed a **NO RIGHT TURN** on Gardeners Road on the south bound lane entering onto school grounds. Please take note of this and come around from Botany Road. Please do not queue across, or drive through the traffic lights on a red signal as this will incur an infringement notice if you are seen by the Police.

The pedestrian crossing at the lights is <u>not</u> a drop off area.

School gates

- All gates must close at 9:00am. Please EXIT before this time.
- No parking is available for parents and carers with an appointment with teachers between 9:00am - 3:00pm
- You will need to move your car before all the gates are locked at 9:00am
- No parking on school grounds for assembly.

'Kiss and drop off' area

'Kiss and drop off' between 8:30am - 8:55am, please follow the steps below;

- 1. Drive into the school via Gardeners Road to turn left onto the driveway of the school grounds;
- 2. Do not exceed the speed limit of 5kms;
- 3. Drive past the second set of gates;
- 4. **DO NOT PARK** your vehicle if you are exiting immediately. The staff at the steps are present to make certain your child exits the car safely and moves to the playground;
- 5. Stop at one of the two sets of steps and allow your child to get out of the car safely;
- 6. Drive to the end and do a U TURN and exit safely;
- 7. Do not exit the school drive way and turn right. It is much safer to turn left and drive around the block. Your safety matters.

Please note: The Kiss and Drop off is available to parents that do not have the time available due to work commitments to stay for the morning assembly. This is an extra duty for staff to support all families. We thank you for your ongoing assistance and support in maintaining SAFETY a priority.

Please note, that we provide the highest quality care for all children, families and staff. **The Respect and Dignity Charter** in the workplace applies to all and we value the safety of everyone within our community.

> Continued support by staff makes our school a safe learning environment. Thank the staff for doing additional duties in keeping everyone safe.



GATES WILL BE OPEN AT - 2:50pm

PLEASE DO NOT PARK AND BLOCK THE DRIVEWAY. DRIVE AROUND THE BLOCK UNTIL THE GATES OPEN. FOLLOW AND RESPECT OUR SIGNS FOR SAFETY.



Driving - Afternoon pick up procedures

Schools have an obligation to ensure the safe entry and exit of students to school.

- 1. Arrive in a calm respectful manner **after 2:50pm**. If the gates are closed, please drive around the block.
- 2. Your child is safe inside the school with a teacher. Teachers and supervisors remain with students until they are collected by parents and carers.
- 3. Place your family name badge on the dashboard of your car.
- 4. Drive past the second set of gates. Remain calm if there is a queue.
- 5. Remain in your vehicle do not park your car. Your child will be taken to your car and placed inside your car in a safe manner. STAY CALM. There is NO reason to rush.
- 6. Drive to the end, U Turn and exit the school slowly.
- 7. Do not exit right onto Gardeners Road from the school driveway. Turn left and go around the block.
- 8. Keep your CHILD / CHILDREN SAFE. Keep the children of other's safe.
- 9. Enter from Botany Road, turn left onto Gardeners Road and then safely enter the drive way. If the entry is full, drive around the block.
- 10. Remain patient, you're doing a great job. We need your support to maintain the highest form of safety.

No parking on school grounds.

The Enclosed Lands Protection Act (1901) applies for any misconduct towards members of staff.

Pedestrian access

Pedestrian access is via the corner of Botany Road and Gardeners Road. Please do not enter on foot via the double gates on Gardeners Road or Botany Road, this is for vehicle entry and exit only.

Early leaving

- Please remember no child can leave the school grounds without an early leavers note from the office before 3:00pm. We have a duty of care to follow from the Department of Education.
- If you need to pick up your child early, please go directly to the office to ask for an early leavers note.

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