**Principal’s Message**

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Welcome back to West Pennant Hills Public School for the 2015 school year. I would especially like to welcome our new students and their families. This week we welcomed 95 kindergarten students and their parents to our school. Thank you to the P&C for their organisation of the ‘Tears and Tissues’ morning tea, which provided a wonderful opportunity for kindergarten parents to chat and meet with other kindergarten parents.

**New demountable:** Due to the increase in the number of classes, the DEC has installed another demountable building within the school grounds. This demountable building is located behind ‘A’ block, near the tennis courts. This space will be used as a multi-purpose space and will be available to OOSH to use as their numbers continue to grow.

**Year of Visual Arts:** In 2015 the school will be celebrating student achievement in the area of Visual Arts. Hopefully you have seen the colourful mural that has been started along the path leading into the school. I would like to thank Ms Stephens and Mr Dave for their efforts during the holidays. The Creative & Practical Arts Committee have some very exciting plans to inspire students and to add colour around the school.

**Classes 2015:** Students were placed into their new classes for this year on Wednesday morning. It was so good to see all students settled and happily working in their new classes by 10:00am. We have started the school year with 24 classes across the school – a full staff list and map of the classes will also accompany this newsletter. This year we have changed the subjects offered as part of the RFF Timetable - Mrs Gillings will be taking students from all grades to teach them Music.

**Changes to bells:** The school has replaced the lining up bells with music. At the start of the school day, the end of recess and the end of lunch, students will know that they need to start heading to the class lines when they hear the music begin. The music selection will change each semester and students will be involved in the selection of the music.

**Term 1 Planner:** A copy of the Term 1 planner will accompany this newsletter to assist parents with planning for up-coming activities at school. This planner is regularly updated and is also available on the school website.

However, if at any time you have any concerns about your child, you are encouraged to make an appointment with your child’s class teacher(s), the appropriate supervisor or myself as required.

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**What’s On?**

- **4th February**
  - SB & PB Parent Information Night in the library 6.30pm

- **6th February**
  - Kinder Afternoon Tea and Meet the Teacher Session
  - Afternoon Tea 3.00pm, Presentation and class visit 3.45pm – 4.45pm

- **9th – 20th February**
  - Life Education Visits with Healthy Harold

- **10th February**
  - Parent Information Sessions
  - Stage 1 – Grade 1 and 2 4.30 – 5:30pm
  - Stage 3 - Grade 5 and 6 (including class 4/5S) 6.00 -7:00pm

- **11th February**
  - Parent Information Sessions
  - Stage 2 - Grade 3 and 4 6:00-7:00pm

- **25th February**
  - Swimming Carnival at Ryde Aquatic Centre

- **27th February**
  - New Parents Lunch in the hall 12.30pm-2.00pm

- **1st March**
  - Clean Up Australia Day

- **3rd March**
  - Zone Swimming Carnival Homebush

- **4th March**
  - Pennant Hills High Open
  - Night 4pm – 7.30pm

- **26th -28th March**
  - Year 5 Milson Island Camp

- **31st March**
  - National Young Leaders’ Day

*(Dates and times are correct at time of printing)*
Collection of Students at the end of the day: Parents and Carers are reminded that students are to assemble at the silver seats to wait to be picked up at the end of the school day. To assist staff with their supervision of students, may I request that parents move away from the silver seats area once they have collected their children. If students are late being collected they will be escorted to the front office where parents will be contacted.

Coles Gate: Please be aware, in the interest of student safety, the Coles entry gate will be locked during school hours. The gate will be locked each morning from about 10:00am and will be unlocked at about 2:30pm each afternoon.

Contact Details: If there are any changes relating to your address or telephone contact numbers or those of your emergency contacts could you please ensure these changes are communicated to the ladies in the front office. Thank you in anticipation for your assistance re this matter.

Next P&C Meeting: will be held on Wednesday 11th February in the school Library – 7:30 for a 7:45pm start. All newcomers are warmly welcomed.

Donna Harris
Principal

Deputy Principal’s Message

Student Health Care Plans:
In order to provide the most appropriate care in case of emergency we are seeking to update information about students with serious medical conditions or allergies. There are a number of students enrolled at West Pennant Hills Public School with serious medical conditions or allergies. The desired outcome is to maintain updated records and have in place a clear and current plan of action. All ‘at risk’ students must have accurate and current health care plans which are located throughout the school for student safety.

If your child is new to the school or requires a Health Care Plan for a new health issue, please provide the school with accurate details of the health condition, any triggers and appropriate treatment.

If your child’s health condition involves asthma or anaphylaxis, please ensure that the school has an updated ASCIA or Asthma action plan prepared in consultation with you by your GP.

If you have any questions or wish to discuss this matter, do not hesitate to contact the Deputy Principal, Amiee Jahshan on 94847400. Thank you for your continued support in this matter.

Mini Merits and Badges
We are now well and truly into term one and it has been wonderful to see all of the hard working, smiling students who have started to come to my office between 2:30pm-3:00pm on a Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday afternoon, eager to collect their ribbons and badges. People often ask me how to obtain a ribbon or a badge, so I will provide a brief review below.

Ribbons: In order to gain a ribbon, students must collect six mini merits of the same colour (for example, six purple mini merits for English) as well as one white ‘thank you’ mini merit (seven mini-merits in total).

In order to gain a ‘rainbow’ mini merit, students must collect one mini merit of each colour as well as a white ‘thank you’ mini merit.

Badges: In order to gain a badge, students must collect six ribbons of the same colour (for example, six purple ribbons for English) as well as one white ribbon (seven ribbons in total). Students can also receive a badge if they collect one ribbon of each colour and a white ribbon (seven ribbons in total). I look forward to seeing many more students receive ribbons and badges as the term continues.

Meet the Teacher Sessions Years 1-6
Meet the Teacher sessions will be held during Week 3 for students in Years 1-6. Parents/caregivers are encouraged to take this valuable opportunity to meet with our teachers and learn about what happens inside and outside of the classroom here at school.
Please see below for information on when and where to meet with your child’s teacher:

**Grades 1 and 2**
- **When:** Tuesday, 10th February 4:30-5:30pm
- **Where:** 4:30-4:45pm School Hall 4:45-5:30pm (Your child’s classroom)

**Grades 5 and 6 (including all students in 4/5S)**
- **When:** Tuesday, 10th February 6:00-7:00pm
- **Where:** 6:00-6:15pm School Hall 6:15-7:00pm (Your child’s classroom)

**Grades 3 and 4 (not 4/5S students)**
- **When:** Wednesday, 11th February 6:00-7:00pm
- **Where:** 6:00-6:15pm School Hall 6:15-7:00pm (Your child’s classroom)

Please note that parents/caregivers will be responsible for the supervision of any children that accompany them to the information sessions. Children will be expected to remain with their parents throughout the evening as there will not be supervision provided on school grounds. You may wish to make alternate supervision arrangements for your children.

We look forward to seeing you at our information evenings.

*Amiee Jahshan*
Deputy Principal

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### 2015 Staff and Class List

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MESSAGE FROM SCHOOL OFFICE

Please note that school office hours are **8.30am to 3.15pm**

Payments should be made via the payment slot located at the front office where you or your child can place a clearly labelled envelope with enclosed relevant information. Eftpos/Credit Card facilities are available at the front office until **11.00am daily**, after which time a Credit Card payment slip may be completed and processed later.

Receipts will be sent home via your child once your payment has been processed. We thank you for your cooperation.

Rose, Cheryl and Angela

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**Library News**

Welcome back to the library for another year. This year will be another very busy one for the library, with many activities planned for the students. Some of these activities include two book fairs, a number of visiting authors, an annual paper plane contest, Lego display, performances and a book parade. The library has another excellent team of library monitors to help Miss Benson and they will also be organizing small theme weeks for students to participate in.

Students from Years One to Six may begin to borrow books from the library. Kindergarten students will not start borrowing books until Week 4. Students wishing to borrow books from the library will need to have some type of library bag. This could be a commercially made one, durable plastic bag or pillow case, just as long as they have their name on it!

Students from Years One and Two can borrow up to 3 books and the Primary students can borrow up to 4 books. Students may borrow before or after school, during lunchtimes and of course in their weekly library time. Students may have their books out for two weeks. If they would like to have them for longer they will just need to come and show either myself or Mrs Waller, who works in the library on Mondays, and we will renew them for another 2 weeks.

I would really appreciate it if students could return their books to the library before school starts. This allows me the chance to mark them off and shelve them ready for others to enjoy.

The library is always eager for any help that parents can provide. If you have any spare time during the week to shelve books your help would be appreciated. If you would like to help cover books, drop in and talk to me.

I love to see children reading and sharing books. If you would like any suggestions and ideas for books that your children may enjoy please come and talk to me.

Philippa Benson – Librarian

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**WPHPS Scholastic Book Club for 2015**

Scholastic Book Club is run by parent volunteers and is a great way to get **brand name** books into your house for less, while also supporting the school and rallying the troops to get excited about reading. There are two (2) issues per term. Issue 1 will be sent home at the end of this week with your children.

Orders will be collected next Monday, 9th; Tuesday, 10th; and Wednesday, 11th, February in the Library between 8.30am and 9.00am, by our lovely mums. Orders can also be left with Miss Benson, School Librarian, in the library any time **BEFORE 9.00am** on Wednesday. We then place the orders with Scholastic Australia immediately after 9.00am.

Your order is delivered to your student about one (1) week after the books have been ordered. If you would like your order to be held at the Library for your collection, please write LIBRARY clearly at the top of the order form, together with your mobile number.

Enjoy shopping! Please contact me at audittail@hotmail.com if you have any questions.

Denise Oosterhoff and Melanie Rees.

WPHPS School Scholastic Book Club Coordinators
WELCOME
We extend a very warm welcome to all school families for 2015! We look forward to working together with you to continue to make WPHPS a warm and welcoming school, to enrich our children’s school lives and to have some fun as well!

Book Packs 2015
Book Packs have been ordered and distributed. Many thanks to Charmaine Thornhill for her tireless work and attention to detail!

Spring brainstorm

Where: WPHPS Library
When: Thursday 5th Feb at 7pm
Why: The night will kick off the planning for this year’s Spring Fair. So come along, join us for a wine and share your ideas.
Our Goal: This year our goal is to raise enough money to rejuvenate our school oval. This means new irrigation, new soil, new turf - The Works!

***BREAKING NEWS***
This year there will be NO CLASS STALLS!!!
And NO PRESSURE ON CLASS PARENTS!
Instead we are asking all parents to choose from a list of stalls based on their interests and expertise.

“Many Hands Make Light Work”
We need all parents to help if we want to reach our goal.

February P&C meeting
Our first P&C meeting for the year, will be held on Wednesday 11th February, at 7.30pm in the school library. Everyone is welcome to come and observe what P&C is all about, and/or get involved as you are able, in helping us work together with school staff to make our school the best place for our children to be. We welcome your input and look forward to seeing many new faces there!

Can’t make the P&C night meetings?
P&C Coffee & Catch UP - Here’s your chance to be de-briefed and informed over a morning coffee – kids welcome!
Friday 13th February – come along and meet our P&C President Lisa Wilmshurst and our Principal Donna Harris. They will summarise and recap the evening P&C meeting for anyone unable to attend. This is an informal gathering – BYO coffee and children are welcome. Ask questions, provide feedback or simply come along to hear what is being discussed “behind the scenes” in relation to our school.

9:00am in the K-2 play area on the new sandpit deck. Children are invited to play on the Friendship and in the sand pit while we catch up on the news. Bring a friend and we will see you there!
Clean Up Australia Day – Advanced Notice.
Do your part to help keep Australia beautiful and take part in our Clean Up Australia Day working bee at School on Sunday 1\textsuperscript{st} March 10am – 2.00pm

Put the date in your diary, and plan to come!

Need to Contact the P&C Executive?
Ideas? Feedback? Questions? – Email us on westpennhills.pc@gmail.com

Canteen News

Welcome back to all our families, both old and new. Canteen is up and running for the year. Elizabeth is our manager for Tuesdays and Wednesdays and Hetta is the manager for Thursdays and Fridays.

Canteen is in need of volunteers to support our managers in selling and preparing fresh and healthy food for our school children. If you are able to assist at all, please speak to Elizabeth or Hetta at the canteen OR email Tanya Toms at wphpscanteen@gmail.com. Any time you can spare would be greatly appreciated.

Did you know that Canteen has a lunch special each day?
Tuesday – Chicken, Vege or Beef burger
Wednesday - Greek or Pasta salad
Thursday- BLT
Friday - Baked Potato with a topping

Please refer to the Canteen menu for more details and pricing on the lunch specials. Sushi rolls are available for lunch orders on a Tuesday (see Canteen menu for options).

Canteen also has daily morning tea specials. They include pasta cups, spring rolls, garlic rolls and pizza subs, custard cups, fruit options, muffins etc.

If your children have allergies and/or intolerances, and you would like to look through our stock to check ingredients on our food items – please speak to one of our managers – we are more than happy for you to do this.

We have also attached the summer menu for Term 1. It is also available on the school website at http://www.westpenhills.schools.nsw.edu.au/quick-links. If your children are putting in a lunch order for the day, please remind them to put it in the red tin or to the canteen counter before school starts.

WPHPS Canteen Committee

Band News

Welcome to Band 2015 for all new and continuing band students and families! We are looking forward to another year of musical education and experiences.

UPCOMING EVENTS/ NOTICES:

- There will be a brief band Parent Information Night this evening, Wednesday 4\textsuperscript{th} February, at 6.30pm in the school library. Information about Band Camp, performances, and expectations will be shared. For those families who will be hiring an instrument from school, Instrument Handout will take place straight after this meeting. If you need to hire an instrument, please email the band committee at wphband@gmail.com to let us know and to advise what instrument you require.
- Music lessons commence in week 3 of term (week beginning Monday 9\textsuperscript{th} February). Commencement dates for band rehearsals TBA.
- IT IS NOT TOO LATE TO JOIN BAND IN 2015! Any student in Year 3 and up is most welcome to join band. If you are interested, please email Katrina Brain, Band Coordinator, at wphband@gmail.com.
And in news from late last year, Emma M was awarded an A for her Grade 2 Flute exam. Congratulations for your achievement Emma!

IMPORTANT REMINDERS:

If your child will be absent from a lesson: Parents must let KMA know if their child will be absent from their lesson (e.g. due to an excursion or sport). Email to absent@keymusicaustralia.com.au.

 Fees: These must be paid on time. Parents will receive a bill from KMA each term for lessons and/or band fees, and a bill from the band committee each semester for instrument hire. All enquiries re KMA accounts to accounts@keymusicaustralia.com.au.

 Performances: Children need to practice prior to events so that they are prepared for the performance.

Katrina Brain (WPHPS Band Coordinator) or the band committee can be contacted by emailing wphband@gmail.com. General enquiries to KMA can be made to office@keymusicaustralia.com.au.

If any band parents would like to get involved in the band committee, please feel free to come along to our meetings held twice per term (7.30pm Monday evenings of Week 2 and Week 6). For details regarding the venue please contact the band committee.

The Band Committee

Final Reminder - 2015 School Directory

Final Call for inclusions in the 2015 School Directory! Entries close this Friday (Feb 5)

The West Pennant Hills Public School parent directory is a contact list of the families in our school community. This is a P&C initiative to help us stay in contact. The directory helps when:

- arranging a playdate with a child in another class
- contacting P&C groups like the uniform shop and canteen
- becoming familiar with names of school parents and siblings

IN 2015, WE WILL BE DISTRIBUTING A SOFT COPY OF THE DIRECTORY, WHICH WILL BE EMAILED TO YOU, EARLY IN TERM 1. We have set up an ONLINE FORM for the school community to:

- Add your details if you are not currently listed in the directory
- Change your details if needed
- Add your business/company to the Business Directory section

THE ONLINE FORM CAN BE ACCESSED VIA THIS LINK: http://www.123contactform.com/form-1277853/WPHPS-School-Directory You do not need to fill in the form if you are already listed in the current directory. Questions or wish to opt out of the directory? Please email laufam@gmail.com
Advertising

Circus Akimbo

Looking for a quirky sport your child will love?

Why not sign them up for circus school?

After school classes in juggling, trapeze, unicycling, acrobalance, stilts and more! Fun, affordable and conveniently located a short walk from Hornsby station.

Contact us now to reserve your place! 0401012085
www.circusakimbo.com.au

2015 WINTER COMP REGISTRATION

Do you want to play netball? Did you know that you can play netball if you are turning 7 in 2015? Plus, did you know boys aged between 7 and 12 are also eligible to play? We are looking for players of all ages. Why not give it a try?

Registration day for 2015 will take place on Saturday February 7th, at West Pennant Hills Public School, Church Street. We will be in the school hall from 10:30am – 1:30pm, so come along and find out more. You will find our registration fees for 2015 extremely competitive:

Neta (7-9 years) $145
Junior (10-15 years) $155
Seniors (16 years and above) $175
Season commences May 1, 2015

And we are a family orientated club. We look forward to you joining us....

If you are new to netball you will need to bring proof of birth and copy of the same on registration day so our JPs can certify. Our contact details can be found on our website if you want to find out more.

wphnetball@westnsw.com
http://www.facebook.com/WPHNFC
http://www.westpennanthills.netball.nsw/default.asp

Community News

PENNANT HILLS-CHERRYBROOK

STAGS

www.pennostags.com.au

Pennant Hills Cherrybrook Stags Rugby League Club

Come and Try Fun Day for kids aged from 4 – 17 years

Thursday 5th February 5pm – 6pm
Greenway Oval, Shepherds Drive, Cherrybrook

Come and meet Mario Fenech and other NRL representatives, practice some skills and learn about our club.

There will be a jumping castle, prize give-away’s and a sausage sizzle.

www.pennostags.com
pennostags@yahoo.com.au
Rees on 0402 937 853
AUDITIONS for 2015

The Northern Sydney Youth Orchestra (NSYO) is inviting musicians to audition for the Symphony Orchestra, the Wind Ensemble and the Strings Orchestra. NSYO is a not-for-profit community organisation. Our youth orchestras rehearse weekly at Beecroft on Wednesdays.

If you play Strings, Brass or a wind instrument why not contact us to find out how you would benefit?

For more details, and to find our online application form, please visit our website:  http://www.nsyo.org.au
or email: info@nsyo.org.au

PLAY HOCKEY IN 2015

- Great non-contact mixed girls & boys team sport
- Small field “Minkey” games for U5 - U9
- Mixed junior comps U11, U13, U15
- Play on world class artificial turf facility at Pennant Hills Park
- Great for fitness as well as maintaining cricket & baseball skills

NORTHERN DISTRICT HOCKEY ASSOCIATION

Pennant Hills Park, Britannia Street, Pennant Hills

Further Information:
Adrian Wilson 0419 299 808
Robert Nicoll 0438 119 729

Rego forms & information at www.ndhockey.com.au

---------------------------- IMPORTANT UPDATE ----------------------------
PLAY HOCKEY IN 2015 with NORTHERN DISTRICT HOCKEY ASSOCIATION
REGISTRATIONS ONLINE, OR AT THE HOCKEY FIELD SATURDAY 7TH FEB 12PM - 3PM
Pennant Hills Park, Britannia Street, Pennant Hills www.ndhockey.com.au
Do you like to sing, dance, act or be on stage? Come and join our show!

Hills Musical Theatre Company Presents  Our first show of 2016, a Cabaret

SHOW OFF! A History of Broadway Explained

Audition Dates
Friday 13th February, 2.30-4.30pm
Saturday 14th February, 12.30-2.30pm
Monday 16th February, 7-9pm

For more info and to book your audition head to www.hillsmtc.com

Wesley Family Centre, the Hills
Turn 1 2015

Family Support Work for families with children 0 - 17 yrs.
Family Workers and Parenting Coaches can assist you individually, as a couple, and as a family. Together we can explore the strengths and skills you have within your family and by identifying any changes or improvements you would like to make we can seek guidance in the local area. Further help may be available in the local area.

Hours of service: Monday - Friday 9.00am - 5.00pm
After Hours: Tuesdays & Thursdays 9.00am - 5.00pm

Community Development - Leisure Hills Families Connect
A Family Violence Support Service embracing families with children aged 0 to 5 years opportunities to meet in a relaxed and safe environment.

Wesley Family Centre - the Hills
Unit 6/14 Lexington Drive
Bellevue Hill NSW 2023

“it takes a village to raise a child”

The Hills Mayoral Swimming and Life Saving Club’s Annual Carnival for Primary School children is coming soon. The date of the carnival is Saturday 21 February 2015 commencing at 5.45pm.

We invite any of your Primary School children who can swim 50 metres to enter and swim for their school. This carnival is not just for your best swimmers but any child who would like to swim. There is no need to pre-register for the carnival. Children can come to the carnival and select the events in which they want to swim.

The details of the carnival are as follows –

DATE: Saturday 21 February, commencing at 5.45pm
Warm-up will commence at 5.35pm. Warm up must be supervised by an adult at all times of swimmers will be asked to vacate the pool.

VENUE: Waves Fitness & Aquatic Centre
44 Mileham Avenue, Beaconsfield

EVENTS: 50 metres: Freestyle, Backstroke, Breaststroke & Butterfly
Events will be swum for ages 6, 9, 10, 11 and 12 and over.
Boys and girls events will be swum separately.
There is no prior registration to swim required.

RELAYS: Junior (8-10 years), Senior (11-13 years)
There will be boys and girls relays which will be swum separately.

AGE: Age at the start of the carnival.

ADMISSION: $2.50 per person
Free entry for 2 teachers/parents as team managers per school (box will be provided later).
## Calendar Term 1 - 2015

**As at 4/2/2015**

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  HALL = Westside School of Dance  
  3.20pm to 6.10pm | 29.1 | Kinder Best Start | 30.1 | Kinder Best Start  
  Set 31.1  
  Sun 1.2  
  Sun 2.2  
  Sun 3.2  
  Sun 4.2  
  Sun 5.2 |
| Week 2 | 2.2 | Kindergarten Start (tears and tissues) | 3.2 |  
  HALL = Westside School of Dance  
  3.20pm to 8.20pm | 4.2 | SRC Leadership Camp  
  Band Meeting in Library  
  5pm | 5.2 | SRC Leadership Camp  
  HALL = Ballroom Dancing 7.00pm to 8.00pm | 6.2 | SRC Leadership Camp  
  Kinder Meet The Teacher  
  Afternoon  
  Set 7.2  
  Sun 8.2  
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  Sun 13.2 |
| Week 3 | 9.2 | Life Education  
  Life Education Parent Session | 10.2 | Life Education  
  Stage 1 & 3 Parent Information Sessions | 11.2 | Life Education  
  Stage 2 Parent Information Sessions | 12.2 | Life Education | 13.2 | Life Education  
  Set 14.2  
  Sun 15.2 |
| Week 4 | 16.2 | Life Education | 17.2 | Life Education | 18.2 | Life Education | 19.2 | Life Education | 20.2 | Life Education  
  Pennant Hills H.S. Higher Ability Selection Test Yr7 2016  
  Set 21.2  
  Sun 22.2  
  Sun 23.2  
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| Week 5 | 23.2 |  
  HALL = Westside School of Dance  
  3.20pm to 8.20pm | 24.2 |  
  HALL = Westside School of Dance  
  3.20pm to 8.10pm | 25.2 | Swimming Carnival (Ryde Aquatic Centre) | 26.2 | Class Parent Evening | 27.2 | Class Parent Morning Tea in Library  
  New Parent Lunch |
| Week 6 | 2.3 | Band AGM Meeting | 3.3 | Zone Swimming Carnival at Homebush  
  Pennant Hills HS Open Night 4pm-7.30pm | 4.3 |  
  HALL = Westside School of Dance  
  3.20pm to 8.10pm | 5.3 |  
  HALL = Westside School of Dance  
  3.20pm to 8.10pm | 6.3 |  
  HALL = Westside School of Dance  
  3.20pm to 8.10pm | 7.3 |  
  HALL = Westside School of Dance  
  3.20pm to 8.10pm | 8.3 |  
  HALL = Westside School of Dance  
  3.20pm to 8.10pm | 9.3 |  
  HALL = Westside School of Dance  
  3.20pm to 8.10pm | 10.3 |  
  HALL = Westside School of Dance  
  3.20pm to 8.10pm | 11.3 |  
  HALL = Westside School of Dance  
  3.20pm to 8.10pm | 12.3 | Selective High School Placement Test | 13.3 | P&C Morning Meeting  
  Set 14.3  
  Sun 15.3  
  Sun 16.3  
  Sun 17.3  
  Sun 18.3  
  Sun 19.3  
  Sun 20.3  
  Sun 21.3  
  Sun 22.3  
  Sun 23.3  |
| Week 7 | 16.3 |  
  HALL = Westside School of Dance  
  3.20pm to 8.10pm | 17.3 | Area Swimming Carnival | 18.3 |  
  HALL = Westside School of Dance  
  3.20pm to 8.10pm | 19.3 | School Spectacular filming in the hall. | 20.3 |  
  HALL = Westside School of Dance  
  7.00pm to 8.00pm  
  HALL = Ballroom Dancing 7.00pm to 8.00pm |
| Week 8 | 23.3 |  
  HALL = Westside School of Dance  
  3.20pm to 8.20pm | 24.3 |  
  HALL = Westside School of Dance  
  3.20pm to 8.10pm | 25.3 | State Swimming Carnival | 26.3 | Stage 1 Science Incursion | 27.3 |  
  HALL = Ballroom Dancing 7.00pm to 8.00pm |
| Week 9 | 30.3 | 1.35pm Medal Assembly  
  HALL = Westside School of Dance  
  3.20pm to 8.20pm | 31.3 |  
  HALL = Westside School of Dance  
  3.20pm to 8.10pm | 1.4 |  
  HALL = Westside School of Dance  
  3.20pm to 8.10pm | 2.4 | Easter Hat Parade in Hall | 3.4 | GOOD FRIDAY  
  Set 4.4  
  Sun 5.4  
  Sun 6.4  
  Sun 7.4  
  Sun 8.4  
  Sun 9.4  
  Sun 10.4  
  Sun 11.4  
  Sun 12.4  
  Sun 13.4  |
| Week 10 | 6.4 | EASTER MONDAY | 7.4 |  
  HALL = Westside School of Dance  
  3.20pm to 8.10pm | 8.4 |  
  HALL = Westside School of Dance  
  3.20pm to 8.10pm | 9.4 |  
  HALL = Westside School of Dance  
  3.20pm to 8.10pm | 10.4 | ANZAC Day Ceremony – Performance Band to play  
  11.30am  
  LAST DAY OF TERM 1  
  Set 11.4  
  Sun 12.4  
  Sun 13.4  
  Sun 14.4  
  Sun 15.4  
  Sun 16.4  
  Sun 17.4  
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  Sun 24.4  |

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