



Term Two Kindergarten Update ~ Dates for your Diary

What a wonderful, busy term we have had! Term two is where we see a lot of growth in Kindergarten, and this year is certainly no exception. We have enjoyed listening to your children present their "special news", sharing a special thing, place or person over the past few weeks. The children have all been so comfortable speaking in front of the group and we have all learned a lot! We look forward to hearing more over the coming weeks.

We have a lot of learning and fun coming up in the last two weeks of term. The school website calendar is a great place to check what's happening and be sure to keep checking out our Kindergarten blog.

Mrs Dunn - You may have noticed that Mrs Dunn has not been at school for a little while. She was called in, with very short notice, to have her back operation in Canberra. The operation went well and she has spent the last 3 weeks recovering steadily. KD have been fortunate to have Mrs Kassi Lozzi carry on with classroom routines and teach the class whilst Clare was recovering. Mrs Dunn is now off on her long service leave until the end of term. Mr Max Thompson will be teaching the class for this period of time. Max himself was a student at Broulee public school and we welcome him back to be part of the Kindergarten team.

Athletics Fun Day: Wednesday 27th June. Kindergarten, Year One and Year Two

- 9:00am: Whole School House Marching on Captain Oldrey Park
- 9:30 am: Year 2 200 m heats
- 10:00am-11:00am: Groups rotating through fun activities on Captain Oldrey Park
- 11:00am-11:40am: Lunch at school
- 11:40am-12:40pm: The remaining rotations on Captain Oldrey Park
- Activities will include running, throwing, an obstacle course, parachute games, relays and ball games.
- Parents and family members are welcome to come and watch or join in.
- The focus of this day is being active and having fun, not competition.

All students must wear their sports uniform with their coloured shirt for their house and shoes suitable for running. If you have any questions, please see your child's teacher.

Musica Viva Performance: Thursday, 28th June

If you have not already done so, please return payment of \$4 for your child to attend this wonderful performance of Dr Stovepipe. Details in the last SCOOP.

Reports go home: Wednesday 4th July

Reports will be sent home with students on this day. If you have any questions about your child's report, please organise an appointment with us at school.

School Disco: Thursday, 5th July

The junior school disco runs from 5:30-6:45pm and costs \$5. The theme is NAIDOC where your child can come dressed in the colours of the Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander Flag. There will be food and drink available for sale at the canteen. Helpers are always appreciated to prepare and serve food.

Mufti Day: Friday, 6th July, Last day of term

Students are not required to wear school uniform on the last day of the term.

Please ensure clothing and footwear are appropriate for school activities.

First Day Back: Term Three

The first day back for students in Term Three is Tuesday the 24th of July. Kindergarten will investigate all things to do with Dinosaurs during this first week back. More information to come.

Zoom: Kindergarten Exhibition: Term 3, Week 3, date to be confirmed.

As part of our HSIE unit of inquiry, we would like to invite you to share in some of your child's learning. 'Zoom' combines History and Geography and investigates identity and belonging. An exhibition will be set up in the hall and you are welcome to drop by anytime between 2pm and 4:30pm. **An invitation will be sent home confirming the date, early in Term 3.**

Working Bee: Saturday 18th August between 8am and 2pm

The school P & C will be holding a working bee on this date. We hope to tidy up and make adjustments to the Kindergarten / Year One play area on the day. We are hoping to extend the sandpit, complete the dinosaur playground, line the inside of the tunnel with artificial turf and do a general tidy up. There will be other projects going on around the school at the same time. Your help would be greatly appreciated on the day. If you think you could make it to help out, or could offer any specialist skills and/or knowledge, please do let the front office know. We'd love to see you there!

As always, if you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us directly.

Kind Regards,
Cathy West, Graham Enright and Clare Dunn
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