

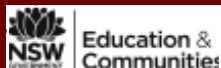


## Shoal Bay Public School SNIPPETS

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Term 3 Week 1

Monday 14 July 2014

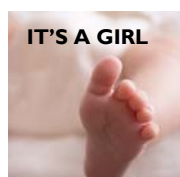
### Term 3 Calendar

#### Week 1 July

14	Staff Development Day (Pupil Free)
15	Students Start K-6 CAPA Auditions * P&C Meeting @ 6.30pm
16	AE Test *
17	TS Selection day *
18	NSW Cross Country
*	THS will have sent a letter if your child was successful Premier Spelling Bee Starts

#### Week 2 July

23	12-1 Y4 Solo Recycling Talk
24	Commonwealth Games Day
25	IS Assembly @ 2.40pm



### From Narelle's Desk ...

**Dear parents, carers and friends of our school,**

Welcome back for Term 3 of the 2014 school year. This term again will prove to be busy and exciting for both students and staff. We look forward to the continued support from all families within our school as we provide great learning opportunities for all students.

Today staff have participated in a variety of workshops to begin the school term including professional learning based on the implementation of the NSW Mathematics Syllabus, Work Health and Safety policies and procedures and we began the evaluation process in readiness for the development of a new school plan for 2015 – 2017. We also welcomed Mrs Kate Brealey to our staff. Mrs Brealey will be teaching 3W for the rest of this year replacing Mrs White, who is on maternity leave. Congratulations to Mrs White who had a baby girl named Stella.

During next week parent/ teacher interviews will be taking place. Your child's teacher will have sent a note home at the end of Term 2 to advise suitable meeting times for you to indicate when you could liaise and meet. If you have not returned a note and arranged a time please do not hesitate to contact your child's teacher to schedule a meeting. Communication and the team approach to your child's education is important to them achieving their potential at school.

Just a few of the exciting events that are coming up this term include:

- Commonwealth Games Day -Thursday 24 July – Program for activities to be advised.
- EDUCATION WEEK 2014 – week beginning 28 July – Open Day and activities to be advised.
- P & C Fun Run – Tuesday 29 July
- BOOK WEEK – week beginning 18 August

#### Payments Due (on or before)

##### Stage 3 Camp Payment No.2

Stage 3 Camp Payment No. 3

P&C Fun Run Money

#### Amount

\$50

\$50

#### Due by

**OVERDUE!!**

**25 July**

29 July

#### Kindergarten Enrolments 2015

Our Little Learners and Kindergarten Orientation Programs for Kindergarten 2015 will begin this term. The dates are as follows:

##### Little Learners Visit 1: Week 8 – Term 3

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> September from 2 – 3pm

Parents and carers are invited to afternoon tea in the school library.

##### Little Learners Visit 2: Week 9 – Term 3

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> September from 2 – 3pm

**Parent Information Session** to be held in school library.

Information on/ from:

Canteen Supervisor

Counsellor

From the office

P & C Representative

YMCA before and after school care provider

School Uniform

This session will also include first day information.

##### Little Learners Visit 3: Week 1 – Term 4

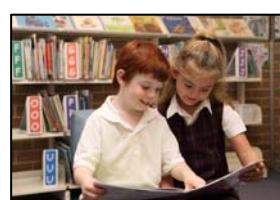
Friday 10<sup>th</sup> October from 2 – 3pm

##### Little Learners Visit 4: Week 2 – Term 4

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> October from 2 – 3pm

#### \*\*\*PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF DAY AND TIMES FOR NEXT TWO WEEKS\*\*\*

##### Little Learners Visit 5: Week 3 – Term 4



Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> October from 10 – 11.30am

##### Little Learners Visit 5: Week 3 – Term 4

Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> October

from 10 – 11.30am

We are now taking names of boys and girls who will be starting school in 2015. More information will be posted to parents/ carers in the near future.

#### DID YOU KNOW?

Under the Companion Animals Act 1998 No 87 (14.1.e), dogs are prohibited in school grounds (whether or not they are leashed or otherwise controlled). For the safety of all students and staff, please do not bring dogs into the school grounds, even on leashes. Thank you for your support in this matter.



### Kindergarten Enrolments 2015

To assist us with planning for 2015 we are now accepting expressions of interest if your child is eligible to enrol in Kindergarten in 2015.

Please complete the form attached and return it to school and/ or pass this information on to family and friends who have children who are eligible to start school in 2015. You could also call in at school or contact us on ph. 49811007.

**Important Information for Pre-Kinder parents** ... there is a new application form to fill out. Therefore if you haven't already filled out a form you've been given, don't! If you have already completed the paperwork and sent it in, then you will be sent home a form, with most of your details included and we just need the extra information as per the new forms. See the office for a new form.

### 4B's Mini Neck Warmers

As part of our unit on Products and Services this term class 4B decided to make, advertise and sell a product that students would want to buy. With the onset of colder weather the children decided to create mini neck warmers from French knitting.

We purchased wool in school colours for \$20. Our French knitting machines cost us nothing as the cardboard rolls and paddle pop sticks were collected by the children.

We spent a number of creative art lessons producing 40 mini neck warmers. We sold all of them at \$2 each (thank you parents).

This means we made a profit of \$60. Our class now needs to decide what we should spend the money on. Something for our school!

Ian Beck, Classroom Teacher

### From the Library

Welcome back to a very exciting term in the Library. Book week will be in week 6 (week beginning 18 August) and the theme this year is 'Connect to Reading'. We will be having a Scholastic Book Fair, and | special Book Week Assembly.



### HELEN O'GRADY DRAMA ACADEMY

#### SALAMANDER BAY - 2014

*"Increase your child's communication skills, self-confidence and creative talents (Improvisation, Movement and Scriptwork)*

#### DRAMA CLASSES - 2014

**PRIMARY:** 7 - 11 YEARS

**YOUTH:** 11 - 15 YEARS

**MONDAYS:** Tomaree Primary Hall

Enrolments now being taken.

Principal: Shane Skerly

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Years 1 & 2 Products & Services day



## Merit Awards

From T2

KC		KH
KP		IS
IW	Jack, Dontay, Jade	I/2B
2L		2R
3A	Desiree, Cameron, Ellie	3W
4B		4D
5C		5C
5/6H	Isabel, CJay	6B



Around the School cont ...



Kids had a great time at the Didjeribone Niadoc Performance. Tjupurra did a great job and always does :)



Pre-Kinder and Kindergarten had a Teddy Bear's Picnic ... the first transition experience for the Kinders coming next year ... teachers and kids brought their teddies



Assembly Awards



Year 1 Products & Services



Year 2 Products & Services

