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Shoal Bay Public School

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Education 2017

Term 4 Week 10 | Mon 11 Dec

2017 Term 4 Calendar

Wk 10	Dec
11	Year 6 Farewell
12	Pool Party (2-6)
15	Last Day of Term 4

2018 Term 1 Calendar

Wk 1	Jan-Feb
29	Staff Development Da
30	Years 1-6 Start School 9.10am
30-1Feb	Kinder Best Start Assessments
2	Kinder start school 9.10am



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Our 3 core values are **RESPECT**, **RESPONSIBILITY** and **EXCELLENCE**.

This week our lessons will involve learning about Excellence in Toilets.

Payments Due	Amnt	Due by
Resource Pack	\$70	

Dear parents, carers and friends of our school,

Thank you once again for a tremendous year. It was a year with many highlights for our students and our staff. I know the teachers will all be feeling a little sad on Friday as they farewell their 2017 class. For those families who are not returning to our school in 2018 we wish you all the best and hope that the start to 2018 in your new school is warm and welcoming.

To our Year 6 students of 2017 congratulations on completing your Primary School years and all the best in High School. Thank you so much to our Premiers Toby and Eliza and our Parliamentarians Lily, Ebony, Sienna, Archie, Jamal and Taj, for the terrific job you have done throughout this year.

Unfortunately this Friday we also farewell some of our amazing teachers. Mr Morton is heading back to Edgeworth Public School and Mrs Booth is heading off to San Diego for 3 years. We will certainly miss seeing them at Shoal Bay PS in 2018, but we wish them all the best for their future.

PRESENTATION DAY:

Last week we celebrated the efforts and achievements of our students at the Presentation Day assembly. A huge thank you to Mrs Swartz, Ms Bzadough, Mrs Ballard and Mrs White for the many hours spent organising and coordinating this event. I would also like to thank all of the people, businesses and organisations that donated awards for our students.

The following students were the recipients of major awards at the 3 – 6 assembly:

- Dux of Shoal Bay Public School: Ebony
- Citizenship Award: Lily Mc
- Taking up the Challenge Award: Estela
- Creative Arts Award: Archie & Eliza
- Outstanding Sports Girl of the Year: Sienna & Taleah
- Outstanding Sports Boy of the Year: Toby & Taj
- Winning Sporting house: Fingal

We were also introduced to our Premiers and Parliamentarians for 2017. They are:

Premiers: Riley and Shari

Parliamentarians: Harry, Nash, Henry, Xanthea, Amy and Mackenzie

2018

School resumes for:

Staff ~ Monday 29th January

Students ~ Tuesday 30th January

Kindergarten ~ Friday 2nd February

School Contributions will stay the same for 2018 at **\$70** per child. These contributions include all of the stationary items your child uses everyday which are too numerous to list here. As well as covering the cost of their Mathletics subscription. More information will be provided at the beginning of next year. This contribution can be paid in full or in instalments. You may pay in person at the office or use the parent online payment option (POP). If you would like to pay in advance before the end of the year this is also an option.

During Term 1 we will hold our school swimming carnival and our school athletics and cross country carnivals. These events will incur a cost in relation to the bus fare and pool entry for the swimming carnival and athletics.

Canteen News

Thank you to volunteers Sheila, Fran and Narelle for your help over the last week in the canteen. Your help is greatly appreciated.

As this is the last week of the school year we have reduced our stock levels to enable us to defrost fridges and freezers before the holidays. We currently still have all lunch menu items available. As this changes, we will inform you at the time of placing your order.

I would like to wish all the students, teachers/staff and their families a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Kind regards

Belinda Lavers

Canteen Manager

Year 6 Assembly

Thanks for a good laugh year 6. We will miss you!



Thank you

Shari and family would like to express their deepest gratitude for the support we have shown Shari. The medley relay was a highlight with the girls winning GOLD and breaking a school sports Australia record. Shari ran the first 200m, 2nd girl ran 200m, 3rd ran 100m and 4th ran 300m. They did it in 1min 57.63 seconds! WOW!

Shari also came 4th in her 200m final and did the 10 years 4 x 200m relay and came first and ran in the 10 yr 8 x 100m and came first.

Amazing effort and congratulations.



YMCA
Outback School
Home Care

YMCA Shoal Bay

Welcome to the Y

Hi Families well it's the last week for before and after school care. We are moving onto vacation care next week and we still have a few vacancies. We have some awesome trips to toboggan Hill, Ice Skating and to Nelson Bay Cinema. If you would like to book your child in please see the staff for all the enrolment forms that you need.

We are already booking for before and after school care for next year and it may not be as much as you think.

Before school care is \$15.00 (Includes breakfast)

Afterschool care \$21.00 (Includes afternoon tea)

These prices are before the government rebate.

Enrol now by going to our website

www.ymcansw.org.au

Hours of Operation

Before School care: 7.00am – 9.00am

After School Care: 3.10pm – 6.00pm

Vacation care: 7.00am – 6.00pm

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NEW VENUE:
Anna Bay PS

RAINBOW BRICKS PRESENTS
BRICKFEST AT THE BAY
NEW'S LONGEST RUNNING LEGO FAN EVENT

6TH - 7TH JANUARY 2018
Children must be accompanied by an adult

NEW EXHIBITS
GREAT FAMILY FUN!
ACTION CLUB BBQ/DRINKS
SUPPORTING TOMAREE HIGH SCHOOL ROBOTICS
10am - 4pm

Children's Build Area, Remote Control Cars
A LEGO raffle, LEGO parts, minifigs and sets for sale

NEW VENUE: Anna Bay Public School, 191 Gan Gan Road, Anna Bay
www.rainbowbricks.com.au

**\$15 a Family/
\$5 a Person**

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