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FROM THE PRINCIPAL

SUPER STUDENTS



Our Kindergarten students dressed up for Super Sound Day last week. See the full gallery on page 11 of this newsletter.

By **SUSAN YOUNG**

Neutral Bay Public School
Principal (Relieving)

It was a great pleasure to hand out Principal's Awards and Aussie of the Month Awards at the three stage assemblies last week. it was a

special joy to hear our voices raised in song as we came together to sing the national anthem and the school song after a very long time of no singing allowed at school.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

- JUN 29:** Reports Emailed to Families
- JUL 20:** Cricket Knockout v Lane Cove
- JUL 21 - JUL 29:** 3-6 Athletics Carnival Field Events Trials

2022 TERM DATES

- JUL 1:** Students' last day Term 2
- JUL 18:** Staff Development Day
- JUL 19:** Students' first day Term 3

Acknowledgement of Country

We would like to acknowledge the Cammeraygal people of the Eora Nation, who are the traditional custodians of the land in the Neutral Bay area.

We pay our respects to the Elders, both past and present, for they hold the memories, the tradition, the cultures, and the hopes of Aboriginal Australia.

We must always remember that under the concrete and asphalt upon which Neutral Bay Public School is built, the land is, was and always will be traditional Aboriginal land.

Congratulations to all the students who received awards at the assemblies. You are working very hard to follow the school expectations of being responsible, respectful and doing your best. It makes Neutral Bay Public School a wonderful place to learn and grow when everyone follows the expectations and helps each other in the classroom and on the playground.

TEACHER STRIKE

As notified last week via Skoolbag, Neutral Bay Public School will offer minimal supervision only at school this Thursday June 30. Teachers will be participating in a 24-hour strike. Minimal supervision means onsite teaching and learning continues, however, temporary class structures and a modified timetable are required to meet safety and supervision requirements. If you have any questions about the industrial action, please contact me at school.

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

Students will be on vacation from Monday July 4, and will return on Tuesday July 19. I know many families are taking this opportunity to travel overseas for the first time in over two years, and I wish everyone a happy and safe time together. I am personally looking forward to time with my own teenage sons, while catching up on work while school is quieter.

SCHOOL NEWS

NAIDOC WEEK CELEBRATIONS

NAIDOC Week is from 3-10 July 2022 and is a time we celebrate First Nations cultures and recognise the achievements of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. NAIDOC Week is an opportunity for all Australians to learn about First Nations cultures and participate in celebration of the oldest, continuous living cultures on earth. Here are some things you can do to achieve this with your family in the school holidays.

The Gai-mariagal Festival

The Gai-mariagal Festival aims to raise awareness of First Nations People living in the Northern Sydney region. The festival starts on Sorry Day (26 May) and goes through to the end of NAIDOC Week each year.

This year, the festival's theme is 'Nalawala Ngara' - sit down and listen - and invites us to commemorate and celebrate together. There are many events planned such as workshops, performances, bush walks and art activities. Visit the link to learn more about the scheduled events: <https://gai-mariagal-festival.com.au/>.

Barangaroo

The Barangaroo harbourside precinct is named after a powerful Cammeraygal leader of the Eora Nation at the time of European colonisation. Barangaroo was a key figure in local Aboriginal culture and community and is remembered through the generations as a defender of her culture and traditions. Barangaroo is hosting a variety of events in the school holidays in line with NAIDOC week, such as:

- A NAIDOC Up Late Concert on Saturday 2 June from 7pm-11pm
- Aboriginal dance workshops for children aged 5-13 years from Monday 4 July – Thursday 7 July. These workshops are led by Jannawi Dance Club and include a cultural clap stick dance, traditional footstep techniques, two traditional songs in Darug language and the accompanying dances to the songs.
- Cultural tours of the native history of Sydney Harbour, the importance of the land to Aboriginal heritage and its significance to the clans of the Eora nation that lived where Sydney now stands.

Visit <https://www.barangaroo.com/whats-on/events/national-naidoc-week> to learn more.

GENEVIEVE CARNEGIE
DEPUTY PRINCIPAL



**GET UP!
STAND UP!
SHOW UP!**
3-10 JULY 2022

FROM THE P&C

By **LIBBY BRENNAN**
P&C COMMUNICATIONS
COORDINATOR

GRANDFRIENDS DAY

Year 2 families will be catering morning tea for all our grandfriends. More details will be provided next term.

NEARLY NEW UNIFORM SALE - TUESDAY 26 JULY

The cold weather is here to stay, so come grab a winter uniform bargain and ensure your kids stay warm in Term 3. Volunteers welcome!

UMBRELLAS IN THE UNIFORM SHOP

We have a limited number of NBPS branded golf umbrellas, perfect for the downpour that inevitably happens right at school pick up time!

Order now for \$45 on Flexischools for delivery in Term 3, Week 1.



THANK YOU FROM LIZ HENRY - P&C PRESIDENT

Thank you to the Neutral Bay community for your invaluable support over Term 2. Best wishes for a safe holiday period to all the Neutral Bay families and our community.

Please join us for an informal end-of-term celebration at the Neutral Bay Club this Friday.

CANTEEN NEWS

By **JOC, NAOKO AND JEN**
THE CANTEEN TEAM

Thank you to all our amazing volunteers this term! Without you, we couldn't feed our wonderful children as efficiently. The class roster for Term 3 is:

Week 1 - 4A
Week 2 - 4G
Week 3 - 4HS
Week 4 - 4K
Week 5 - 4R

Please find the link for SignUp Genius for the rest of the year: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0C4CACAE23A4FF2-nb>.



Please note that we are running on a reduced menu for the last two days of term due to the teachers strike and to diminish our stock before the holidays. Thank you for your understanding.

We wish you a relaxing and safe holiday and hope you come back feeling refreshed and ready for Term 3!

The Canteen Team.

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- Amoroso 😍
- Sorprendido 😲
- Gracioso 😄
- Enojado 😡

Buenos días!!!

Enrolment is **now open** for Term 2 & 3 2022. It is a Spanish Course starting second week with Morning lessons Monday at the Neutral Bay Public School Students.

Interested?

Please email spanishschoolau@gmail.com to advise of your interest in a course for your institution. And we will send you more information about the course.

Contact us

- spanishschoolau@gmail.com
- Spanish Class
- 0406 988 497




Children's Festival: The Butterfly Effect

"So powerful is the light of unity that it can illuminate the whole earth."
Baha'i Writings

North Sydney Baha'i Community welcomes you to our fifth school holiday children's festival where we will explore the theme - "The Butterfly Effect" through music, arts, stories and games.

Remember to bring your musical instrument along to share a song with us!

Date: Saturday 9 July 2022
Time: 1:00pm to 3:00pm
Venue: Forsyth Park (2 Montpelier St, Neutral Bay)
Location on Google Map

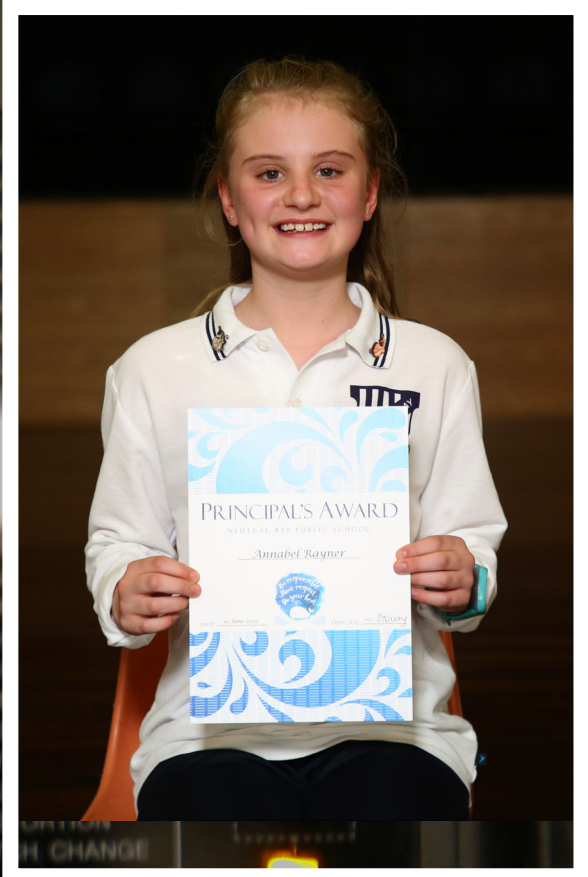
RSVP link to register:
<https://forms.gle/N35szVxMn3kveFKA>

For more information:
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PRINCIPAL AWARDS







AUSSIE OF THE MONTH



The Silver Brick
 Naomi & Elizabeth Adams Nick Grenville Myles Reany

Guy Abbot
 M. Amini
 Sandra Aotia
 The Anderson Family
 Margerie Bagnall
 A. Bennett
 Carol, Michael & Phoebe Berry
 Olivia Birchall
 Ryan Boshon
 Stephanie & Kristy Broadbridge
 Nicole & James Butcher
 James & Ross Buttigieg
 J. A. Campbell
 Elise Carr, Teacher 1982-1988
 J. Carulli
 Michael Chance
 Lewis & Chloe Chung
 Pamela Low & Ella Collings
 Steve & Jill Crisp
 Kate Cox
 Andrew Cox
 Sarah Cox
 Andrew Dodd
 John Edwards & Deborah Hope
 Alex & Harry Edwards
 Jean-Paul Faint
 Michael Fisher
 Ross Fives
 Roseanne & Caroline Gates
 M.J. Gray
 Jessi Hall - Librarian
 Susan Hatt
 The Ha
 Martin
 Michael
 Ewa F
 D. H. B
 Geralt
 Sam N
 Sarah F
 Phill H
 Marti
 Phillip
 Baden
 Brenda
 Harriet
 Ewan J
 Emma
 Gwend
 Alyson
 Lyanis
 Joey L
 Terren
 Joey L
 Ben, T
 Vanessa
 Elizabeth
 Roy N
 John S
 Wikk
 N. Ma
 Ms. M
 Amara
 Justin
 Cath
 Term Two



AUSSIE OF THE MONTH

DRESS UP!



LAST THURSDAY IN KINDYLAND...

We had a great dress up day as the culmination of learning all our sounds and letters.

The children formed letters of the alphabet.





