



## SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

For **TERM 3 WEEK 9**

Starting **15 SEPT 2020**

### DATES TO REMEMBER

#### September

- 16th - P&C meeting 6:30pm via Zoom
- 25th - Last day Term 3

#### October

- 12th - First day Term 4
- 15th - Day camp Stage 3 (TBC)
- 19th - Book fair in library (students only)
- 21st - Book Parade (TBC)
- 29th - Kindergarten orientation session 1 (TBC)
- 30th - Musica Viva incursion
- 30th - World Teachers' Day



Playground upgrade has commenced!



### Pyjama Day



The SRC Pyjama Day Fundraiser was held on Friday September 11. Students and teachers had a great time wearing their favourite pyjamas. St Peter's PS raised \$211.20 for the Pyjama Foundation, the SRC surpassing its goal of \$175. The Pyjama Foundation supports children in foster care.

### Enrolments 2021

The first round of Kindergarten offers have now been sent to families for 2021. If your child is due to start Kindergarten in 2021, please contact the school office to ensure enrolment documentation can be sent to you.

If you have a current Kindergarten - Year 5 student who will not be returning to St Peter's PS in 2021 can you please let us know to assist with our organisation for 2021.

### Tell Them From Me Survey - Parent survey open

This term, St Peter's PS will be participating in the Tell Them From Me surveys (student, teacher and parent). The parent survey asks parents and carers questions about different factors that are known to impact on student learning and will have open ended questions relating specifically to the St Peter's PS context. The results of the survey will help our school understand parent and carer perspectives on their child's experience at school. This valuable feedback will help our school make practical improvements. The survey is conducted entirely online at home or on public computers. The survey will typically take 15 minutes or less to complete and is completely confidential. Please click on the following [link](http://nsw.tellthemfromme.com/bwfjs) to access the parent survey:

<http://nsw.tellthemfromme.com/bwfjs>



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[www.facebook.com/sppssydney](http://www.facebook.com/sppssydney)

### PB FOR L FOCUS

Use kind words



Develop & colour the challenge cards and display them in the playground.

Plan, sign, take to school, display and show students and staff. Results will be shared on Friday 23 October.





Building Brighter Futures Together

St Peters

Monday, 28th September to Friday, 09th October 2020

NOTICE - ALLERGY - Please ensure all food is nut free



Monday 28 September

A BLAST OF FUN

IN-SERVICE

Who would have thought you could have so much fun? Blast into a spectacular day of active fun and games with us today.



Monday 05 October

PUBLIC HOLIDAY

SERVICE CLOSED



Tuesday 29 September

EXPLORE EGYPT

IN-SERVICE

Grab your excavation tools and head out on an adventure down the river Nile to find the lost treasures of the Egyptian world!



Tuesday 06 October

TEST YOUR SENSES

IN-SERVICE

Take the sensory test today, which of your five senses is the strongest, can you guess the smell with your eyes closed?



Wednesday 30 September

OCEAN EXPLORERS

IN-SERVICE

Scuba diving or submarine? Dive to the depths of the ocean as we discover many ways to explore the magnificent ocean floor.



Wednesday 07 October

IN + \$15.00

ALL THINGS SCIENCE

INCURSION - SUPER SCIENCE

Ever dreamt of being a scientist. Watch closely as we immerse ourselves in a science show followed by fun hands-on play!



Thursday 01 October

IN + \$19.00

SPORT AND MOVEMENT

INCURSION - MULTI SPORT

Today we'll enjoy a combination of various sports including Soccer, Cricket, Basketball, Tennis, Athletics, Fitness and Fundamental Movement Skills.



Thursday 08 October

SPRING HAS SPRUNG AT THE FARM

IN-SERVICE

Spring is here, today we will get outdoors and crafty in nature with some springtime and farm themed fun.



Friday 02 October

LET'S GET MESSY

IN-SERVICE

No need to worry about making a mess today! We are going to be up to our heads in icky, sticky fun!



Friday 09 October

GAME DAY

IN-SERVICE

It's board game time! Do you pass Go or go straight to jail? Make some money or discover a new word?



Mon - Fri 7:00am - 6:00pm  
St Peters - 0409915708  
Church Street St Peters NSW 2044

Daily price: \$60.00 | Excursions and incursions are an additional cost to the daily fee and are charged for each child that attends whether they choose to participate or not.

Book now at [helpinghandsnetwork.com.au](http://helpinghandsnetwork.com.au) | be quick as places are limited

Customer Service 1300 612 462



- Picnic Area
- Bike Track
- Ninja Course
- Undercover Deck
- Toilet Facilities
- Onsite Parking
- BBQ available for hire

Bridge Road School  
Outdoor Space for Hire

More information can be found on the [Bridge Road School website](#) or check out our Forest aerial video on [Facebook](#)

This is the perfect open space area for your next family get together, child's birthday party or social gathering.

This hidden garden sanctuary is nestled behind Campdown Oval and features a bike track, ninja obstacle course, undercover deck, bbq and picnic area.

Onsite parking and toilets available.

For further information or arrange a booking please contact Bridge Rd School on 9519 8389

## THE ARTS UNIT

### Applications open for the 2021 Instrumental Music Ensembles



### 2021 Instrumental Ensembles

#### Available to public school students in years 5-12

The Arts Unit offers six instrumental ensembles that rehearse on a weekly basis in Lewisham. We have two wind ensembles, two jazz stage bands, one string ensemble and one symphony orchestra. Our ensembles are open to public school students in years 5-12.

These ensembles perform regularly at the Sydney Opera House and Sydney Town Hall, present concerts and workshops in regional NSW, and tour internationally. The ensembles proudly celebrate a long history of high achievement in national and international competitions and festivals.

#### How to Apply

Applications will close on Friday 30 October 2020. For more information about weekly instrumental ensembles and to apply visit our website <https://www.artspart.com.nsw.sch.au/what-to-study/instrumental-ensembles>

For further enquiries please contact Lindsay Pringle [lindsay.pringle@com.nsw.sch.au](mailto:lindsay.pringle@com.nsw.sch.au) or phone (02) 8512 1188.

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# Illegal parking puts children's lives at risk

## Council parking officers are patrolling school zones

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## ILLEGAL PARKING PUTS CHILDREN'S LIVES AT RISK

**FACT** Children are small, harder to see, behave unpredictably and are extremely vulnerable. They need YOU to take extra care when driving and parking around school zones.

<b>No Parking</b> You have 2 minutes to drop-off or pick-up. You must stay within 3 metres of your vehicle.	<b>FINE = \$191</b> + 2 DEMERIT POINTS	<b>Pedestrian Crossings</b> 1. In a queue of traffic, no part of your vehicle can stop on a pedestrian crossing. 2. It is unsafe to let your child in or out of a vehicle at a pedestrian crossing as this is a No Stopping zone.	<b>FINE = \$457</b> + 2 DEMERIT POINTS
<b>No Stopping</b> Do not stop for any reason. The first 10m from an intersection is a No Stopping zone. Yellow kerb lines are also No Stopping zones.	<b>FINE = \$344</b> + 2 DEMERIT POINTS	<b>Driveways &amp; Footpaths</b> Do not park on or across a driveway or footpath.	<b>FINE = \$344</b> + 2 DEMERIT POINTS
<b>Bus Zone</b> Only a public bus can stop in a bus zone.	<b>FINE = \$344</b> + 2 DEMERIT POINTS	<b>U turns</b> Illegal U turns in a school zone are dangerous.	<b>FINE = \$344</b> + 2 DEMERIT POINTS
<b>Mobile Phones</b> Know the rules. Illegally using your phone is dangerous. Avoid the temptation.	<b>FINE = \$457</b> + 5 DEMERIT POINTS May be subject to Double Demerits	<b>Double Parking</b> Double parking is illegal and is very dangerous in a school zone.	<b>FINE = \$344</b> + 2 DEMERIT POINTS
<b>SCHOOL ZONE</b> 8-9 AM 2-4 PM SCHOOL DAYS	<b>40</b> 40km/h is the limit. Children are about, so slow down in school zones. May be subject to Double Demerits	<b>INNER WEST</b>	

\*From 1st of July 2020, fines and demerit points are subject to change. For more information, go to [www.nsw.gov.au](http://www.nsw.gov.au) and search "school zone offences".





The new Ashfield Aquatic Centre is opening soon! Opening in Spring 2020, this amazing facility will include five pools, a first class health and fitness centre, café, creche, spa, sauna plus an extensive range of free weights, machines and equipment. There will be a range of services offered including group fitness classes, mind and body classes, personal training, learn to swim, squads and programs to cater for all ages and fitness levels.

We are excited to announce our foundation membership is now available. This membership will give you access to all the facilities, classes and pools at Ashfield Aquatic Centre as well as Leichhardt Park Aquatic Centre and Dawn Fraser Baths at no extra charge.

# CHILDREN'S BOOK WEEK 2020

## 'CURIOUS CREATURES, WILD MINDS'

### LIBRARY DRAWING COMPETITION

Entry Form **Open to children from grades K-2**

Draw a picture of your favourite curious creature, real or imaginary.

There are lots prizes to be won!

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Age: \_\_\_\_\_  
 School: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Class: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email: \_\_\_\_\_

This competition managed by Inner West Libraries. Closes Friday 9 October 2020. Winners will be notified by Monday 19 October 2020.

Extra forms, prize details, terms and conditions at [www.innerwest.nsw.gov.au/BookWeek](http://www.innerwest.nsw.gov.au/BookWeek)  
 Completed entry forms can be submitted at any Inner West Library or email to [Library.Promotion@innerwest.nsw.gov.au](mailto:Library.Promotion@innerwest.nsw.gov.au)



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# JOIN the FUN

## MARRICKVILLE GIRLS CRICKET



\$100 off with



### REGISTRATIONS NOW OPEN!

- GIRLS only Friday night Master Blasters cricket for ages 7-10  
 Super fun & social introduction to cricket program - **starts 30 Oct**  
 No gear required. Players can transition to Saturday cricket mid-season
- GIRLS only Saturday afternoon 20/20 cricket (U11s, U13s & U15s)  
 Spring season **17 Oct - 12 Dec**, Summer **30 Jan - 20 Mar**  
 Sydney Sixers Competition (mainly Inner West)  
 No experience required - bring a friend!

Register at [www.playcricket.com.au](http://www.playcricket.com.au) (search for Marrickville),  
 or go to: [www.playcricket.com.au/club-finder/club-details?id=4224](http://www.playcricket.com.au/club-finder/club-details?id=4224)



Call Hugh 0401 760 172 or Kristen 0405 306 190 with any questions!

# CHILDREN'S BOOK WEEK 2020

## 'CURIOUS CREATURES, WILD MINDS'

### LIBRARY WRITING COMPETITION

Entry Form **Open to children from grades 3-6**

Write a short story about your favourite curious creature, real or imaginary.

There are lots prizes to be won!

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Age: \_\_\_\_\_  
 School: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Class: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email: \_\_\_\_\_

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# CENTENNIAL PARK JUNIOR SUMMER OZTAG

FREE BALL TO ALL TEAMS PAID BY OCT 12TH

REGISTER YOUR TEAM OR APPLY AS AN INDIVIDUAL TODAY





Open to all ages.

## Learn to swim

It's time to get Summer Safe.

**Ian Thorpe Aquatic Centre**  
171 Portland St. www.itac.org.au  
Call: 02 9518 7220

**Prince Alfred Park Pool**  
Blissy Hills www.princealfred.org  
Call: 02 9319 2727

### TUESDAY GIRLS - WEDNESDAY BOYS SCHOOL HOLIDAY CLINIC

AUSTRALIAN OZTAG HOLIDAY CLINIC  
FRIDAY OCTOBER 2ND  
10-1PM @ CENTENNIAL PARK  
REGISTER ONLINE TODAY!

OVER 79 CLUBS AT ALL LEVELS. NO OZTAG EXPERIENCE NECESSARY!

**\$90 BOYS & GIRLS  
AGES 6-17**  
Per Player

ACTIVE KIDS VOUCHERS ACCEPTED

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION:  
www.eastsjuniors.oztag.com.au  
Email: eastsjuniors@oztag.com.au  
Anne: 0413 401198

### REGISTRATION DAY

TUESDAY 22ND SEPTEMBER 4-6pm  
CENTENNIAL PARK PARADE FIELDS

- Team managers to pay team registration
- Hand in Registration forms
- Collect free team ball for all paid teams
- Purchase Oztag Shorts & Tights
- Taking individual registrations

**OZTAG SHORTS & TIGHTS FOR SALE ON THIS DAY**

### COMPETITION

**GIRLS OZTAG**  
First Round Tuesday 20th October

**BOYS OZTAG**  
First Round Wednesday 21st October

**NEW WEBSITE ONLINE NOW**  
www.eastsjuniors.oztag.com.au







**Calling all Guitarists, Keyboardists and Drummers!**  
Come and have a jam this school holidays with Ricky and his team!

**Rock 'n' Roll Workshop**  
Monday, September 28 - 9AM to 5PM  
We'll learn some songs, jam as part of a full band and look at performance and stage craft

**Song Writing Workshop**  
Tuesday, September 29 - 9AM to 5PM  
We'll learn about song structures, write, perform and record original songs

Recommended for students in Years 2 to 6. Some experience playing an instrument is necessary

**Ready to Rock 'n' Roll?**  
Email [ricky@rickysmusic tuition.com.au](mailto:ricky@rickysmusic tuition.com.au) for more information and to secure your spot!




# PCYC Eastern Suburbs School Holidays




**Age: 5-12 YRS**  
**Time: 9AM-3PM**

\$45 PER DAY, ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST BE PCYC MEMBERS  
PCYC EASTERN SUBURBS 26A BUNNERONG ROAD DACEYVILLE  
PH. 02 9314 2536  
E: EASTERNSUBURBS@PCYCNSW.ORG.AU



STRICT HYGIENE AND DISTANCING MEASURES IN PLACE

MONDAY SEPT 28 | Hip Hop | Breakdancing / Arts & Crafts

WEDNESDAY SEPT 30 | Basketball | Multi Sports

FRIDAY OCT 2 | Judo | Kids Yoga

TUESDAY OCT 6 | Soccer | Multi Sports

WEDNESDAY OCT 7 | Multi Sports / Arts & Crafts

THURSDAY OCT 8 | Basketball | Multi Sports

FRIDAY OCT 9 | Skate & Scooter | Multi Sports

CHILD REQUIRED TO BRING MORNING TEA, LUNCH AND WATER BOTTLE  
BOOK NOW ONLINE OR COME INTO PCYC




## The Assemblage Sisters SCHOOL HOLIDAY ART WORKSHOPS

Enquiries call or SMS 0412 392602

**6-9 Oct 2020 10am - 4 pm**  
Stirrup Gallery  
142 Addison Road, Marrickville, NSW 2204

### Whats On!

Tuesday 6. October 2020  
**MAGPIE MAGIC** Drawing and Mixed Media suitable for kids in grades K- 6 \$85- includes materials

Wednesday 7 October 2020  
**SCULPTING NATURE** Sculpture suitable for kids in grades K- 6. \$85- includes materials

Thursday 8 October 2020  
**SEA CREATURES** Drawing and Mixed Media suitable for kids in grades K- 6. \$85- includes materials

Friday 9 October 2020  
**ASSEMBLAGE** Sculpture suitable for kids in grades K- 6 \$85- includes materials

**Book on Eventbrite**  
(no booking fee)  
<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/school-holiday-art-workshops-tickets-120690696121>

Please read more about us on our website  
<https://assemblagesisters.blogspot.com/>

We have current Working With Children Checks, National Police Checks & First Aid Certificates





