

**Dates to Remember**

Term 2					
	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
Week 10	22/6/15 Premier's Sporting Challenge – week 8 Multicultural finals @ Cammeray	23/6/15	24/6/15 11.30 – 1pm – Dance group @ Glen Street Festival	25/6/15 12.30-1.10pm: K-6 Assembly in the MOLA	26/6/15 Last day of term
HOLIDAYS - June 27 – July 13					

Term 3					
	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
Week 1	13/7/15 School Development Day	14/7/15 Students return to school	15/7/15	16/7/15 12.30-1.10pm: K-6 Assembly in the MOLA – Mini-Mos presentations	17/7/15 State Cross Country Carnival
Week 2	20/7/15	21/7/15 Year 4 Choir rehearsal at Chatswood High	22/7/15 Life Education	23/7/15 Life Education	24/7/15 Life Education
Week 3	27/7/15 Life Education 22, 2V and 2N to the Mosman Art Gallery Drama Group rehearsal @ NIDA	28/7/15 Life Education ICAS English	29/7/15 Life Education Education Day-100 Year Building Celebration	30/7/15 Life Education 3-6 Athletics Carnival Drama Group at NIDA	31/7/15 Life Education
Week 4	3/8/15 Life Education 1A, 1P and 2M to the Mosman Art Gallery Jeans for Genes Day	4/8/15 Life Education	5/8/15 Life Education	6/8/15 Life Education	7/8/15
Week 5	10/8/15 1S, 1M and 1T to the Mosman Art Gallery	11/8/15 ICAS Mathematics	12/8/15 Stage 3 Annual Public Speaking Final	13/8/15 K-6 Assembly	14/8/15
Week 6	17/8/15 Stage 2 -walk around Mosman	18/8/15 Stage 2 -walk around Mosman Year 4 Choir rehearsal at Chatswood High	19/8/15 Stage 2 -walk around Mosman	20/8/15 Stage 2 -walk around Mosman Science Day	21/8/15 Stage 2 -walk around Mosman
Week 7	24/8/15 BOOK WEEK	25/8/15 Battle of the Primary Schools Dance Eisteddfod	26/8/15	27/8/15 Book Parade	28/8/15
Week 8	31/8/15 Kindergarten Teddy Bears Picnic KL, KG, KT Year 4 Choir performing at the Opera House	1/9/15	2/9/15	3/9/15 Kindergarten Teddy Bears Picnic KA, KD, KM	4/9/15 Father's Day Stall
Week 9	7/9/15 Kindergarten incursion-weather	8/9/15	9/9/15	10/9/15 Stage 3 Enrichment Day	11/9/15
Week 10	14/9/15 Stage 3 incursion-Microorganisms	15/9/15 Stage 3 incursion-Microorganisms	16/9/15	17/9/15 K-6 Assembly	18/9/15

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Mini-Mos: Thank you organising team, committees, volunteers, runners, teachers, students and fun fair lovers. This was a fantastic day. MPS thanks you enormously for all your contributions to make this event so successful. The team met every Friday in the staffroom planning tactics, discussing procedures, announcing projected competitor numbers, delivering fundraising and supporter summaries. We know many more nights and days were devoted to the cause and went unseen by the masses. This was a team with a mission and all this effort was not in vain. Thank you to the volunteers who helped set up and

worked tirelessly on both the Saturday and Sunday, an event as big as the Mini-Mos would not function without you. Thank you to the teachers who were part of the Teacher Challenge and dressed up. The students loved seeing the teachers dressed in costume as they ran in the various events. Congratulations to all those who ran in the 10km, 5km or 2km, you are champions. Well done everyone!

Staff Changes next term: We wish Sarah Sullivan (1S) well for the birth of her child. Mrs Anne Wall will take over teaching 1S. Ms Barbara Napier (3N) will be taking leave for the remainder of the year. Mr David Robertson will take over teaching 3N. Ms Erica Pizzolato will return from her role at State Office in week 3. Many thanks to Ms Megan Clayton for her dedication to 4P. Ms Clayton will be back to teach with us very soon. Mrs Lorraine Mollard (2P) will be on leave until Monday August 17. Mrs Kate Perkowski will take the class on Monday's, Tuesday's and Wednesday's with Mrs Renee Phegan taking the class on Thursday's and Friday's as usual. Ms Fiona Davis is continuing on as Relieving Deputy Principal at Middle Harbour PS and Ms Gina Burnet will continue to teach SD.

Sydney North Dance Festival: Our amazing dance group have been performing at The Sydney North Dance Festival at Glen Street Theatre and have one final performance this week. We sincerely thank Ms Elise Hudson for her hard work and creative talents in choreographing the dance and her commitment to all the rehearsals.

Music Programs: Congratulations to all the instrumental groups who have been involved in some outstanding performances. The senior students were part of a band that performed at Forest High and were absolutely wonderful. Well done to our string ensemble groups who performed at school last Thursday night. Their performances were exemplary and they are now preparing for a concert at the Sydney Opera House. We thank Mrs Caroline Cady for accompanying the students to all the performances.

School Development Day: The first day of Term 3, Monday July 13, will be a Staff Professional Day. The day will be devoted to Student Wellbeing and Assessment and Reporting.

Survey Time: The band camp impacts the learning program of all students in Years 3 to 6 with classes being collapsed due to a quarter of the student cohort missing, along with 5 teachers. We have prepared a survey seeking parent input on aspects of the band program and we encourage all parents to complete it. The survey is now open and can be found at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/MPSOrchestralEnsembles>. It will close in week 1 of next term.

The National Collection of Data (NCCD) As part of teaching and learning, schools are required to make reasonable adjustments to programs to cater for the needs of all students. All schools must now collect and report information annually on the number of students with disability in their care and the level of adjustment provided to them.

Who will be included in the National Data Collection? The definition of disability for the national data collection is based on the broad definition under the Disability Discrimination Act 2005 (the DDA). For the purposes of the national data collection, students with learning difficulties such as dyslexia or auditory processing disorder as well as chronic health conditions like epilepsy, diabetes or asthma, that requires active monitoring by the school, may be included.

Who will collect information for the National Data Collection? Teachers and school staff will identify the number of students with disability in their school and the level of reasonable adjustment they are provided based on: Consultation with parents and carers in the course of determining and providing reasonable adjustments; the school team's observations and professional judgements; and any medical or other professional diagnosis and other relevant information. School principals are responsible for ensuring the information identified about each student is accurate.

How will my child's privacy be protected? Protecting the privacy and confidentiality of all students and their families is essential. Personal details such as student names or other identifying information will not be provided to local or federal education authorities. For further information please download the parent information sheet:
http://docs.education.gov.au/system/files/doc/other/150420_-_factsheet_-_parents_and_carers_0.pdf

Any queries can be directed to Mrs Amanda Daffas; our school's Learning and Support Coordinator.

We wish you a safe and enjoyable holiday.

Nadia Tobia and Colin Cobcroft- Relieving Principals

Stewart House clothing bags

Stewart House clothing bags will be going home with your child before the end of this week. Please fill with any unwanted clothing and return to school by Tuesday July 21 for Stewart House to collect on Wednesday morning July 22. Please place bags under the mural near the canteen. Thank you!

STUDENT HAPPENINGS

SPORT NEWS

Regional Cross Country

A huge congratulations to our 5 Regional Cross Country runners who performed brilliantly at Gosford on Thursday June 11. Unfortunately, I was not there to watch them run but from all reports they represented our school with pride and sportsmanship. They ran through mud and rain alongside some amazing competition. I'm so proud of you all, your hard training paid off.

**Results: Milly H - 18th, Flora M - 8th, Mia F - 7th, Joely H - 57th
and
Maggie G - 6th WOW!!**

That means Maggie will now represent Mosman Public at the State Carnival! An amazing achievement Maggie! Good Luck!



Milly, Flora, Maggie

Term 2 PSSA Results

Soccer Results Round 7

Mosman Vs. Greenwich
Mosman As WIN 4-3
Mosman Bs WIN 3-1
Mosman Cs WIN 5-1
Mosman Girls WIN 2-1

Netball Results Round 7

Mosman Red Vs Castlecove WIN
Mosman Blue 1 BYE
Mosman Blue 2 Vs Lane Cove LOSS
Mosman Green Vs Beauty Point WIN
Mosman Boys Vs Artarmon WIN

Round 8- Washed Out

Vanessa Polito
Classroom Teacher



CREATIVE & PERFORMING ARTS NEWS

Performing Arts Program

School Ensembles

Ensemble	Upcoming Events	Details
Year 3 Choir	August 19 - Rehearsal	Thursday August 20 Leave school approx. 7:30am for rehearsal at Salvation Army Hall
	September 17 - Rehearsal and performance	Thursday September 17 Town Hall Rehearsal 12:30 Performance 7 until 8:30pm
Year 4 Choir	August 18 - Rehearsal	Tuesday August 18 Leave school approx. 7:30am for rehearsal at Chatswood High
	August 31 - Rehearsal and performance	Monday August 31 Opera House Rehearsal at 11:30 Performance at 7:30 until 9:15pm
Senior Choir	September 10 - Rehearsal	Thursday September 10 Leave school approx.. 7:30am for rehearsal at Salvation Army Hall
	October 30 - Rehearsal and performance	Friday October 30 Opera house Rehearsal at 12:15 Performance at 7 until 9:30pm
Dance	June 24 - Performance	Wednesday June 24 Glen St Theatre - 11:30am
Drama	Rehearsals	Friday 8:15am in the hall
	Tech Rehearsal	Monday July 27 at 9:00am NIDA Parade Theatre
	Performance	Thursday July 30 at 11:00am and 7:00pm NIDA Parade Theatre

Instrumental Ensembles

Junior Strings	Ballykins Pre-school	TBA
Senior Strings	June 25 - Opera house Rehearsal	Thursday June 25 at Croyden Public School 9:30am until 2pm

Junior Band*July 29 - Open Day**Wednesday July 29 at school
Details TBA**August 2 - Go Bravo Showcase**Sunday August 2
Details TBA****Intermediate Band****August 2 - Go Bravo Showcase**Sunday August 2
Details TBA****Performance Band****August 2 - Go Bravo Showcase**Sunday August 2
Details TBA*

There have been some wonderful performances by the instrumental groups in our school. On Wednesday June 17 our senior students formed a combined band to perform at Forest High School as part of the Northern Sydney Symphonic Wind Ensemble community concerts. Their performance was fantastic and many parents and students from other schools commented on how great they sound. On Thursday June 18, our string ensembles were host to performers from Middle Harbour, Beauty Point and Beacon Hill. The junior ensembles from Mosman and Middle Harbour performed first, followed by a combined large string ensemble playing pieces that they will perform next term at the Sydney Opera House. The junior strings were amazed at the wonderful performance given by the senior strings from four schools combined. The Mosman senior strings will be a part of a 200 piece ensemble at their rehearsal tomorrow to prepare for their Opera House performance.

The recorder students in years 2 and 3 are getting excited about the opportunity to join the instrumental program next year. An information evening and instrument trials will be happening next term. More music will be emailed for these students shortly so that they can continue to practice and improve throughout the holidays.

Caroline Cady - Performing Arts Coordinator

Crunch&Sip

A few raw button mushrooms are a novel veg to take for Crunch&Sip. Make sure you wash and dry them before packing. You can team them up with another crunchy vegetable so your child has contrasting veg in terms of taste and texture.

PREMIERS' READING CHALLENGE

A great effort by the following students who recently completed the challenge: Sophia B (KG), Eloise B (1T), Jeremy B (1A), Mia D (1M), Marlon (1M), Nicholas J (1A), Joshua A (1A), Ethan L (1P), Sydney B (1M), Steven C (1S), Charlotte D (1A), Gabriel G (1S), Lachlan M (1M), Leo V (1P), Issy A (2N), Jayden H (2P), Michael H (2P), Peter W (2P), Junseo Y (2C), Will B (3N), Jack K (3B), Isobella K (3B), Sophia K (3N), Ellie R (3S), Lola A (4P), Tom B (4G), Chelsea B (4P), Georgie H (4P), Katerina K (4H), Michaela M (4P), Ruby W (4P), Natalia H (Sen V), Olivia R (Sen D).





Don't forget to keep on reading (and entering your titles) during the holidays as the cut off date is end of Week 6, Term 3 – August 21!

COMMUNITY NEWS

Get in quick for the Term 3 Free North Ryde Go4Fun Program...

Join a FREE local Go4Fun program and help transform your 7 to 13 year old child into an active, happy, motivated kid this year. Go4Fun involves both parents and children, and focuses on developing healthy eating habits, building self-confidence and getting kids more active. The 10 week North Ryde Go4Fun program is a collaboration between NSW Health, the City of Ryde and Active Opportunities. Sessions run after school and include informative games, fun and active exercise activities, tips on healthy food and portion sizes, label reading, a supermarket tour and more.

If you would like your child:

- Getting active every day
- Spending less time watching TV or on the computer each day
- Drinking more water and less sugar-sweetened drinks OR
- Eating nutritious food

Then Go4Fun may be for you

To find out more information, make a free call to 1800 780 900, visit www.go4fun.com.au, or contact the Go4Fun Coordinator on 9976 9579.

The details for the Term 3, North Ryde Go4Fun Program are:

Term 3 North Ryde Go4Fun

Venue Address: Ryde Aquatic Leisure Centre, 504 Victoria Road Ryde NSW 2112

Time: 4.30pm-6.30pm

When: Wednesdays, starting the July 15 2015