### Bondi Public School

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Educational environment

# **Bulletin**

# Friday 19<sup>th</sup> October 2018 <u>Dates for your Diary</u>

#### **October**

- Tue 23<sup>rd</sup> Group photos
- Wed 24<sup>th</sup> Kindergarten 2019 Transition 9:30am to 10:30am
- Thu 25<sup>th</sup> Strings try-out
- Sun 28<sup>th</sup> Halloween Fete

#### **November**

- Wed 7<sup>th</sup> Nov Kindergarten 2019 Transition 9:30am to 11:15am
- Wed 21<sup>st</sup> Nov Band try-out
- Thu 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov Kindergarten 2019 Transition 9:30am to 12pm

#### **December**

- Fri 7<sup>th</sup> Dec Sports Presentation Day Assembly
- Wed 12<sup>th</sup> Dec K-2 Music Concert
- Wed 12<sup>th</sup> Dec Year 6 Graduation Dinner
- Fri 14<sup>th</sup> Dec Presentation Day Assembly
- Tue 18<sup>th</sup> Dec Year 6 Talent Quest
- Fri 19<sup>th</sup> Dec Year 6 Graduation Assembly
- Fri 19<sup>th</sup> Dec Last day of school

Dear parents and carers,

Phone: 9130 6998

Welcome back to Term 4. The year has certainly flown by. Thank you to all the parents who have responded to our 'Returning in 2019' request. Our Staffing allocation is regulated purely on enrolment figures which is why it is imperative to gather the data as early as possible.

Today the Executive team met with parents to discuss our anti bullying policy as part of a review of our practice. We heard many personal stories and great suggestions of strategies. I would like to take this opportunity to remind parents that there are a number of opportunities for children to engage in quieter activities at school. The library is

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open during second half of lunch and the old hall is open at recess and lunchtime. We will review our policies and procedures and that will require some more feedback from parents.

We launched the **solar panel installation project** on Monday morning. It was great to see 2017 Year 6 students return to see it happen. Will, Sunny, Nais, Matilde, Finn, Emma and Ari drove the project and the fundraiser last year. Finn and Ari spoke so eloquently about the how, why and what. I feel confidence knowing that these young people will be our leaders of the future. The planet is in good hands!



Have you been down to our **garden** recently? The garden is looking better than I have ever seen it. Fiona has more of a magic touch than a green thumb!



Email: bondi-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

The **kitchen program** is also thriving. Samantha works with Fiona to create seasonal dishes with fresh food from the garden. They are quite a dynamic duo and it is great that they are also parents at the school. Samantha has asked if anyone has a contact to get some more good quality frying pans in the kitchen. If so, please contact her directly.

The **Halloween Fete** is creeping up on us but we are prepared! The parents are so organised and excitement is building. Don't forget you can buy the games and rides wristbands from Flexischools and raffle tickets from fete organisers in the playground before and after school.





Traditionally in Term 4 we set the kindergarten children free range at recess and lunchtime if they want to venture further afield. This means that older students can also access the kindergarten playground.

Students currently studying Italian will have opportunities to do some catch up lessons in Mandarin before school. We are offering lessons before school at 8:20am on Tuesdays and Thursdays. At this stage you are welcome to attend either morning but this may change if demand is high. Please go to the languages classroom on either Tuesday or Thursday at 8:20am.

#### The Bondi Bulletin

Next Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> Oct **group photos** will be taking place. If your child is in any of the following groups please ensure that they come to school dressed in full school uniform:

- School captains
- House captains
- All of Year 6
- Deputy librarians
- Both bands
- Dancesport
- Debating
- SRC from semester 1 and 2
- Zone and Regional competitors for swimming, cross country and athletics

Kind regards,

Michael Jones
Principal



# K-2 now have the chance to hear and learn about the instruments of the string family October 25th @ 2:00pm

Lessons and ensemble are open to beginners and experienced students. The string program is open to students from K-6

Instruments you can play include: Violin, Viola, Cello and Double Bass

Ensemble \$15 + GST per Session

## **Private Music Lessons**

- Violin, Viola, Cello Yr K-6
- Double Bass Yr 2-6
- 1/2 hour Private Lesson \$38 + GST
- 1/2 hour Paired Lesson \$25 + GST (subject to availability)

#### To ENROL and further infomation:

https://musicpartnership.com.au/school/bondi-public-school/

#### **EMAIL:**

info@musicpartnership.com.au







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Uniting Early Learning North Bondi is now taking enrolments.

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- 8 30am to 4.30pm Monday to Friday
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Level 1 30A George St, Burwood 2134

Office: (02) 9745 1170

#### CHESS!!

Learn to be a chess champion! Coaching for students at Bondi Public School is held on Mondays from 1:15pm to 2:00pm, starting on 15 October 2018.

Learning and playing chess helps children develop their logical thinking and problem solving skills, improves their concentration and focus, while also being a great source of enjoyment. Activities include group lessons on a demonstration chess board or interactive whiteboard, puzzle solving and fun practice games.

Students earn merit awards by making checkmates, or by displaying skills and positive qualities, which all good chess players strive to develop.

If your child is interested in taking part, you can collect an enrolment form from the school office, or email <a href="mailto:enrol@sydneyacademyofchess.com.au">enrol@sydneyacademyofchess.com.au</a> for a copy. For all enquiries, please contact Sydney Academy of Chess on (02) 9745 1170.

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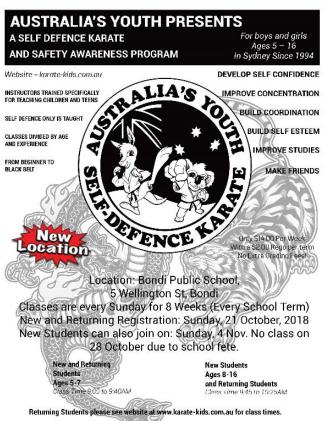
OCTOBER 28 (BEECROFT & WAVERLEY) OR NOVEMBER 3 (CARINGBAH)



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REGISTRATION WILL BE ACCEPTED UP TO THE THIRD WEEK OF TERM. NO PRE-REGISTRATION IS NECESSARY, JUST TURN UP 10 TO 15 MINUTES BEFORE CLASS TIME ABOVE IF POSSIBLE. WE ACCEPT CHEQUES OR CASH. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, SEE WEBSITE AT www.kgarat-wids.com.gu.

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#### **NEXT GENERATION SPORTS**

Established in 2001 ABN: 80 111 922 279

#### **CONTACT PERSON**

Ph: Jed Gould 0411 775 945 Email: gouldj@krb.nsw.edu.au

#### Your coach is Stefano - Senior Coach from Kincoppal - Rose Bay

**DATE**: Wed 17 October – Wed 12 December

MEETING POINT: Outside School Gymnasium

**TIME**: 1.10pm – 1.55pm

**COST**: \$145

(Pro-rata rates for late enrolments)
Cheques to NEXT GENERATION SPORTS

**HOW TO ENROL**: Email: gouldj@krb.nsw.edu.au

Post: PO Box 699 ROSE BAY NSW 2029

FORMS CAN ALSO BE LEFT AT THE SCHOOL OFFICE



ANZ Hot Shots Tennis is the fun way for kids to learn how to play tennis at school. Smaller courts, nets, racquets and low-compression balls make learning easy and gives younger players the chance to serve, rally and score right from the first time they play.



# ALL NEW ENROLMENTS RECEIVE A FREE TENNIS RACQUET AS PART OF THEIR ENROLMENT FEES

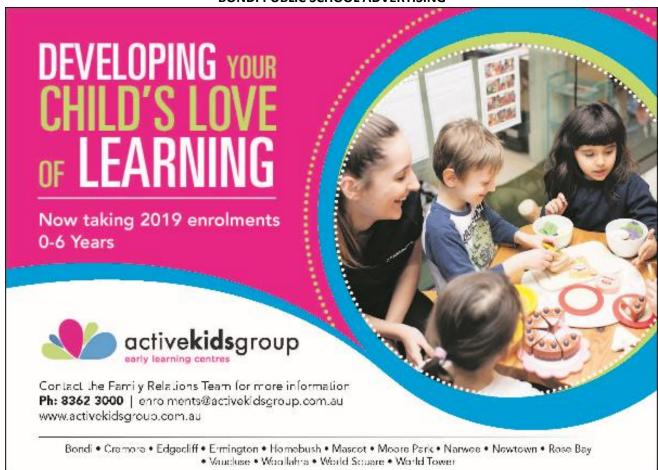
#### **IMPORTANT POINTS**

- Students won't be accepted without enrolment form
- Suitable for all boys and girls in primary school
- Coaches turn up for the tennis classes regardless of the weather conditions

#### ENROLMENT SLIP | Tax Invoice ABN: 80 111 922 279 (Term 4 Tennis, 2018)

CHILD/REN'S NAME	MOBILE PHONE/EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBER (Must be supplied)		AGE		
EMAIL ADDRESS	DATE OF BIRTH	BUYING A TENNIS RACQUET (\$25):		Yes	No
		BUYINGTENNIS	BALLS (\$10):	Yes	No
ANY MEDICAL CONDITIONS		AFTER SCHOOL	CARE (If relevant):	Yes	No
I consent to my child attending the Hot Shots treatment is required and contact cannot be m treatment. Next Generation Sports will not be	nade with a parent/guardian, I auth	orise the coach in charge	to seek the necessar	y medical	edical
PAYMENT METHOD: CASH CHQ (\$2.00 c/c charge)	VISA MASTERCARD	MONEY ORDER	AMOUNT ENCLO	SED: \$	
CARD NUMBER:			PARENT/GUARDIAN	SIGNATUR	 E
EXPIRY DATE:					

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#### Damian Steele 0411 832 584 damians@mcgrath.com.au

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