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2020 Planning

We are almost finished our Big Start Kindergarten orientation and transition program for this year. We currently have 63 students enrolled for 2020, and depending on future enrolments this will mean between 3 and 4 classes next year.

Getting our student numbers accurate is extremely important. If you know you are not coming back to Maroubra Bay in 2020 please let the office staff know by phone or email.

Swimming Program

Thank you to those students who have signed up for the intensive swimming program, starting on Monday 25 November. A note with all the organisation and details will be sent home on Tuesday next week.

School Captains 2020

Students and parents may have noticed we have started the process for selecting our School Captains in 2020 with posters being displayed in the COLA. This is an important process and we must all work together to ensure all nominees feel valued and supported through this process. We are talking to all students about thinking about the candidates in terms of their qualities, not just who they are friends with.

Speeches and voting begin next week, with announcements made at the 3-6 Presentation Day 11 December.

Presentation Day

Please ensure you have the 11 December in your calendar. Next week letters will be sent home inviting parents and carers of students that have been chosen for awards. All our community are invited to the Presentation.

The K-2 Presentation Day is booked for Wednesday 11 December from 9.20-10.00. The 3-6 Presentation Day will follow from 10.15-11.00. Both presentations will be in the school hall.



Matthew Ackerman
Principal

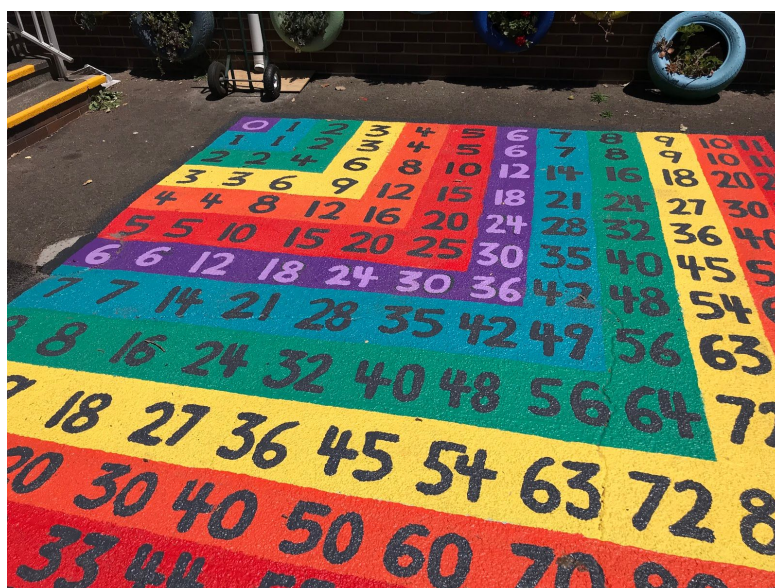
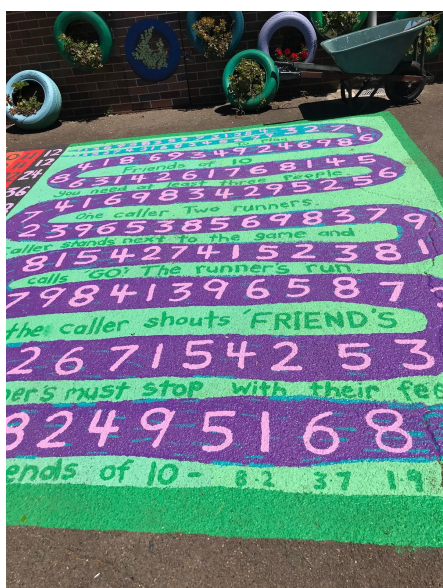
Colour Run - Next Thursday 21 November



Please keep Thursday 21 November free in your diaries. We are having a Colour Run to celebrate all students who have received a Silver Award in 2019. This will replace our Principal Morning Tea's this year. There is no cost for participation in this years event. Students are encouraged to wear white or light coloured clothes. All students will be participating in this event.

Playground Art

With the assistance of students from year six and in consultation with stage one teachers artist Rose Strachen has finished a new series of interactive playground murals in the top play ground. The focus of our latest artworks is maths. The times table, friends of ten, telling time and exploring fractions/chocolate cake. Teachers can now take students outside for interactive math games. Woohooooooooo. Have fun kids.



Leadership Program

In week 2, Year 5 students took part in the Leadership Program. This was an engaging, inspiring and challenging program, which supported the learning and leadership journey of each of our students. The students enjoyed a diverse range of activities whilst building their collaboration, teamwork and problem solving skills. This excellent program was beneficial for their leadership role as Year 6 students in 2020.

Here's what the students have to say:

It was a great experience, we learned that leadership is not about being the boss, it's about helping others succeed. Anyone can be a leader! – Sienna R and Clementine C

It was really fun, our favourite part was playing all the leadership building games and pushing ourselves out of our comfort zone. We encourage all Year 5 students to attend next year. – Hannah H and Nica T

It was a great opportunity to participate in the program. We learned what it means to be a leader. There's a leader in all of us! – Jett B, Dekotah C and Eden P

Wellbeing Week

Next week is Wellbeing Week at Maroubra Bay and while the wellbeing of our students, staff and wider community is something that we actively support and promote all year round, next week we have a few special things happening at school.

Tuesday and Friday - for half of lunch, students will have the opportunity to come together in the hall to watch the feel good movie 'Sing'.

Wednesday - students can practise mindfulness and relax mid week with a teacher guided yoga session in the hall at lunch time.

Thursday - our school will come together to walk, jog or run in our annual colour run event.

Teachers won't be issuing homework during wellbeing week so that students have the opportunity to use this time to engage in a hobby to relax, to connect to community by volunteering somewhere, try something new such as help cook dinner, spend quality time with family members, exercise or tap into their creative outlets.

Aboriginal Education



Koori Art Expressions Program 2019 Update: Voice - Treaty - Truth

The collaborative artwork our 21 Deadly students created last term was submitted for consideration to be displayed in the Koori Art Expressions Exhibition at the Australian Maritime Museum. The school has been informed that the artwork has been accepted and will be displayed in the exhibition from Wednesday 20 November 2019 - January 2020.

Our Deadly Kids have received an invitation to the launch which will be held on Wednesday 20th November.

Congratulations to our Deadly Kids, Aunty Maxine and to all teachers involved.

Young Mob Leadership Program

Maroubra Bay Public School has been given an amazing opportunity to be part of the Young Mob Leadership Program. This program is being funded by World Vision Australia. This fantastic opportunity is being offered to the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander children in Years 5 and 6. The program is being facilitated by local Aboriginal community members Kayla Bird and Mark Thorne.

The Young Mob Leadership Program enables urban Aboriginal youth to gain skills in public speaking, leadership and assist with the transition to High School. In addition, the program helps to improve the student's confidence and self-esteem.

The program has commenced and will be running at school for the next four weeks.

'Yarn' at the Bay.

As the year is drawing to a close, we would like to extend this invitation to our Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander families and carers. Please join us for an afternoon cuppa and a yarn.

When : Wednesday 4th December, 2019

Time : 3.15 – 4.15pm

Where : School Library

Aboriginal Education Committee

Focus on Year 4

This semester in Year 4, we have been developing our imaginative writing skills. We have been learning to create tension in a story as well as write sensational story starters.

Sensational Story Starters

We have learnt that there are many exciting ways to start our stories and hook the reader. We tried a few out ourselves! take a look...

One winter's night, when the wind whistled anxiously like a trombone, Emily peered into the dark, mysterious house.

Matthew

One rainy afternoon, when the clouds were covering the bright blue sky, a curious girl with blue rain boots crept towards a scared bunny.

Daniel

The plane started moving along the runway, bumpy and rumbling. My hand clenching my mum's hand. There was no turning back now, the plane had taken off.

Ruby

The angry bulldog ran around the park recklessly, knocking over the bystanders. He seemed unstoppable.

Bengt

Creating Tension

We have learnt that there are many techniques we can use to create tension in our stories. We created spooky paragraphs using some of the techniques we learnt. Can you spot some of the techniques in our examples?

Sam slowly got out of his creaking bed to get a glass of cold water. He went down the stairs as Big Ben chimed twelve times, 'DING DONG, DING DONG, DING DONG, DING DONG' to signal midnight. Sam went down the groaning, incomplete stairs when all of a sudden he saw a dark shadow. A shiver went down his spine and his heart was beating as fast as a cheetah. Sam walked over to the squeaking tap. He turned on the tap and got himself some water, shaking with fear. He gripped the glass so tight it exploded and glass flew everywhere. He heard a scream next door and then a car alarm went off almost bursting his ear drums...

Finley and Oscar F

He walked cautiously through the midnight darkness, shivering as he went. The moonlight shone on the abandoned shack at the bottom of the new house. BANGGG. The door flew open. A cold gust of wind burst out like a firework and dust covered his face, blinding him momentarily. He clambered over the moth eaten pile of newspapers in the doorway, ready to pounce. Suddenly, there was a creak in the floorboards. A pile of sand shuddered in the corner. From the sand pile a pale hand emerged out of nowhere...

Sophie and Gaia

Sport News

Results

In week 3 our softball teams had a bye, we went to Nagle Park for training. I was very impressed with both teams as they showed great sportsmanship and teamwork during our drills. We played a friendly game at the end with mixed teams. Our two players of the match were Tiger-Lily and Mia.

SOFTBALL			
Week	Teams	Result	Player of the match
4	Seniors vs Malabar	6-3 WIN	Leilani
4	Juniors vs Malabar	15-12 WIN	Sophie

AFL			
Week	Teams	Result	Player of the match
3	Seniors vs Rainbow Street	33-18 WIN	Finlay
3	Juniors vs Rainbow Street	51-1 WIN	Stefan
4	Seniors vs Pagewood	25/36 LOSS	Jo
4	Juniors vs Pagewood	45-7 WIN	Bengt

SCHOOL SPORT			
Week	Sport	Recognised for	Student names
4	School sport	Excellent Sportsmanship	Cruze
4	Beach Fitness	Enthusiastic Participation	Gaia and Alfred
4	School Sport	Effort and Participation	JJ

Term 4 2019

Month	Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
October	2	21/10	22/10 3M Assembly	23/10 Cardboard Car Races	24/10 Year 5 Leadership day	25/10 World Teacher Day
October / November	3	28/10	29/10 2S Assembly	30/10 Big Start 1	31/10 SRC Halloween Mufti	1/11
November	4	4/11	5/11 2V Assembly	6/11 Big Start 2—Parents P&C Meeting 6.30pm	7/11	8/11
November	5	11/11 Remembrance Day service 10.45am	12/11 1/2M Assembly	13/11 Big Start 3	14/11 Year 6 Day Out	15/11
November	6	18/11	19/11 Assembly	20/11 Big Start 4—Graduation	21/11 Colour Run	22/11
November	7	25/11 Intensive Swimming Starts	26/11 Year 5 Nominee Assembly	27/11	28/11	29/11
December	8	2/12 Intensive Swimming Continues	3/12 Year 5 Captain Speeches	4/12 P&C Meeting 6.30pm	5/12	6/12 Swimming Ends School Disco
December	9	9/12	10/12	11/12 Presentation Day	12/12 Student Reports home	13/12 Year 6 Mini Fete
December	10	16/12 School Picnic Day	17/12	18/12 Student's Last Day	19/12 Staff Development Day	20/12

BYO XMAS hat

Maroubra Bay School Disco & End of Year Party

DJ Kate Monroe

BYO water bottle

FRIDAY 6TH DEC 5PM
GET YOUR TICKETS NOW

Come celebrate with us Christmas style
with DJ Kate Monroe for the ultimate Disco dancing

Rockyboy Pizza & Aussie BBQ

Hairspray & Face painting activities by MBCC

WHOO WHOO ITS PARTY TIME!



DISCO TICKETS
COMBINED KIDDO DISCO WITH KATE MONROE!
FRIDAY 6 DECEMBER 2019
FOOD WILL BE SERVED FROM 5PM
KIDDO DISCO 5:30PM - 7:30PM
ENTRY \$10

Parents/Carers and younger siblings, not yet at school, are **FREE**. All younger siblings in the hall must be accompanied by a parent/carer. **We also ask that a parent/carer remain on the school grounds whilst their child is at the Disco.**

ROCKETBOY PIZZA will be making the pizzas fresh **on site** (under the COLA). Gluten free bases will be available. Pizza will be available for purchase on the night only, first in first served.

There will also be a sausage sizzle available for purchase on the night, until sold out. Gluten free bread and vegetarian sausages available. Ice cream cones will also be available for purchase on the night. We encourage all families to BYO water bottle to the event, bottled water will not be sold. There will be cups of cordial for purchase.

Please also bring money for the hair spray and face painting stalls. Payment by eftpos will be available but most likely in high demand so bringing along some coins would assist.

The disco has a Christmas theme so please BYO Santa hat!

**PLEASE RETURN COMPLETED FORM BY WEDNESDAY 4 DECEMBER 2019
 TO YOUR CLASS TEACHER WITH THE CORRECT MONEY**

Tickets are to be purchased in cash

PLEASE DO NOT PAY FOR TICKETS ONLINE

ALL TICKETS WILL BE DISTRIBUTED TO CLASSROOMS ON THE DAY OF THE DISCO.

CHILD'S NAME & CLASS TO COLLECT ALL TICKETS: _____ CLASS: _____

Disco Tickets	No. of tickets		\$ per Ticket	\$Total
Kiddo Disco - 5:30 – 7:30 pm		x	\$10	=

MAROUBRA BAY CARE CENTRE

BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL / VACATION CARE

Email: info@maroubrabaycarecentre.com.au | Phone: 9344 9512 | Instagram: @maroubrabaycarecentre

WEEK 5 PROGRAM

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
AFTERNOON TEA MENU	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Yogurt with muesli and diced fruit • Muesli bars • Fruit & Veg 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Toasted wholemeal ham/cheese sandwiches • Seaweed rice crackers • Fruit & Veg 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chicken/Veg burrito bowl • Rice cakes • Fruit & Veg 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wholemeal pita with falafel & hummus/ guacamole • Muesli bars • Fruit & Veg 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pesto pasta • Rice cakes • Fruit & Veg
ROOM Recycling week	Remembrance day poppy making	Newspaper polar bears	Egg carton jellyfish	Leaf art	Creative craft
HALL	Lego Masters	Musical games	Twister tournament	Maroubra's Got Talent	Ninja Warrior
OUTSIDE	Gardening Club	Handball tournament	Soccer shooting skills	Boxercise	OzTag

ANNOUNCEMENTS!

Vacation Care Summer Program out Monday 25/11!

COMING UP...

Science workshop



10th Birthday Celebration

Community Event SOUTH COOGEE PUBLIC SCHOOL

Fiesta

**SATURDAY
NOVEMBER 16TH
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Youth Basketball competitions

TUESDAY 26 November 4pm-7pm—Nuffield Park,
basketball court, Ascot Ave, Zetland

TUESDAY 17 December 4-7pm—Perry Park Recreation
centre, 1B Maddox street, Alexandria.

Young people aged 8-14 years.





Christmas Carols

UNDER THE STARS

Saturday 14th December, 6:30pm

Eastern Suburbs Memorial Park • 12 Military Road Matraville

Join us for an evening of carols, kids entertainment, refreshments & more.
Bring your picnic blanket and enjoy a magical evening in the traditional spirit of Christmas.

In support of this community event a non-compulsory gold coin donation for a candle or carols booklet will be given to the Newborn Care Centre, Royal Hospital for Women in memory of Baby Lily Grace (unknown baby found at Maroubra Beach, November 2014) and all children of our Nation who have passed without the community knowing family heritage.

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Playgroups, workshops & services



PLAYGROUPS in school term

123 JNC PLAYGROUP Come & have fun with your child aged 0-3 & help them learn new skills. Meet other local families and connect with support services. Older siblings welcome. Thursdays, 10am-12pm. Lifestart at Chifley Public School.



TRANSITION TO SCHOOL PLAYGROUP For families with children starting school next year. Meet others & develop skills to make big changes easier. Younger siblings also welcome. Mondays, 10am-11.30pm. Lifestart at Chifley Public School.

FREE WORKSHOP SERIES FOR PARENTS in 2020



123 MAGIC For parents with children 3-8 years - skills to gain your child's cooperation & give them positive attention. Simple strategies for parenting calmly. *Weekly for 3 weeks*

CIRCLE OF SECURITY Develop skills to understand and respond to your child's emotional needs. Create a more enjoyable, connected and secure relationship. *Weekly for 8 weeks*

KEEPING KIDS IN MIND For separated parents to find ways to minimise the impact of separation on their children. *Weekly for 5 weeks*

Interested? Contact us and we'll notify you about dates and locations. Childminding is available, but booking is essential.



OTHER SERVICES FROM THE JNC

CASEWORK - one-on-one support for families with children under 12 living in the Randwick LGA. Phone/email us/drop in.

ABORIGINAL SUPPORT WORKERS at our Maroubra centre who support individuals and families. You're welcome to drop in or give us a call.

INFORMATION is available on other services, including directories on playgroups, mental health and crisis services.



Phone: 9349 8200 Website: www.jnc.org.au Email: families@jnc.org.au

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