

#ArncliffeMatters

Arncliffe Public School Newsletter

Term 4 | Week 9 | 2022



Awards

As there are no assemblies for the last two weeks of term, this list reflects awards that were presented in class

K Blue

K Red

K Green

1/2 Blue

1/2 Green

1/2 Orange Khadija H

1/2 Red

1/2 Purple

3/4 Blue

3/4 Green

3/4 Orange

3/4 Purple

3/4 Red

5/6 Blue

5/6 Green Emmett E, Jeremy H, Shristi G

5/6 Orange

5/6 Red

Silver Awards

Ali A, Maya R, Layla F, Agoona G, Zaynab S, Ailish B, Andreas P, Joshua P, Liam F, Jaime C, Mohammed A, Muhammad F

Gold Awards

Specialist Teacher Awards

DRAMA:

ARABIC: -

MUSIC: -

EAL/D: -

LIBRARY: -

Dates for your diary

Important school dates are posted here. Please note them for your own diary.

December

Tue 13th K-2 Xmas Concert

Wed 14th Movies at Hurstville Cinemas

Thu 15th Year 6 Farewell

Fri 16th Last day of school for students

Mon 19th Teacher Development Day (minimal supervision only if needed)

Tue 20th Teacher Development Day (pupil-free day - no supervision)

January 2023

Fri 27th Teacher Development Day (pupil-free day - no supervision)

Mon 30th Teacher Development Day (pupil-free day - no supervision)

Tue 31st First day of school for students (Yrs 1-6)

February 2023

Wed 1st Swimming Carnival for Competitive Swimmers only (Years 3-6, 2023)

Thu 2nd First day of school for Kindergarten

Notes issued (via School Bytes)

Swimming Carnival EOI

Due: NOW

Swimming Carnival Permission Friday 16 Dec
(note this has been sent home as hard copy)

No Assemblies for remainder of Term 4



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A proud member of the
Bay Side Learning Community

We acknowledge the traditional custodians of the land on which we live, work and our school stands, We pay our respect to Elders past and present and strive to inspire our future leaders.

Presentation Day 2022

- Celebrating our students

We held two very successful Presentation Days earlier this week. Our K-2 event was held on Monday 5 December, and Years 3-6 was held on Tuesday 6 December. Presentation Day is a formal way of recognising the achievements of our students in the form of Class Awards, Language Awards, Library Awards, Literary Awards, Drama Awards and Sports Awards. The event culminated in the hugely fun “Outgoing Prefect Dance” and the announcement of our 2023 School Leaders (see page 3)

We also congratulate Mirribi house which was the overall house winner for the year.

A small selection of photos are below. Once again, congratulations to all the Award winners and also thanks to our special guests, including Member for Rockdale Stephen Kamper MP, Cr Joe Awada and Tania Riley, our new Director of Public Schools NSW Kogarah Network who all joined us to celebrate our students’ successes.



Our 2023 School Leaders

Congratulations to our 2023 School Leaders (pictured below taking the Oath at Presentation Day)

- **School Captains:** Ella I, Jaxon C
- **School Prefects:** Ava K, Deon G, Hadi F, Harper H, Layla T, Rawan B, Samuel A, Zac S

We know you are going to lead our school with pride and integrity in 2023.



2023 Swimming Carnival - Wednesday 1st February



We have sent an email to all students from Years 2-5 regarding the School Swimming Carnival in 2023.

This event will be held on **DAY 2 of Term 1**, ie: Wednesday 1st February 2023. The department refers to this as Week 2, because officially teachers start on the Friday beforehand. This is why we need to get parents responses back asap.

Important things to note:

- The Swimming Carnival will only involve students with a competitive swimming ability. Please complete the online form to let us know if your child **WILL** or **WILL NOT** be participating.
- Participating children will then receive a note with more information, including a nomination form to advise which races they will compete in.
- Participation will cost \$15.
- Due to the event being held on the second day of term 1, we require the EOI to be completed by Monday 12 December and the subsequent permission note must be returned by Friday 16 December.
- ***Thank you for your urgent attention to this!***



A very special Christmas Concert - Tuesday 13th December

Our annual Christmas Concert is a much anticipated event featuring our special kindergarten play and class performance items from Years K-2 only. This concert was originally intended to be for K-4, however we have changed this to K-2 only as a safety precaution.

We hope parents from K-2 can join us for event which will be held from 9.25 am in the Hall. Please use the QR code at the gate before entering the school.

Thank you morning tea

We had a successful morning tea today in the hall with lots of delicious food catered by our canteen's manager Donna. Thank you to all the parents, volunteers and teachers who attended and made the morning special! Your work and efforts this year at our school are much appreciated, and we look forward to working together with you all again next year! Have a safe and happy holiday!



RATS available

We have additional RAT tests available for families that need them. Please simply email the office on arncliffe-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au and let us know how many you would like (2 or 5 packs available).

Leaving APS? Please donate your uniforms

If you are leaving Arncliffe Public School, please don't forget that the P&C would love to receive your child's old uniforms. Please drop uniforms to the office anytime before the end of term and they will be passed on to the P&C for their second hand uniform sales in 2023. Thank you in advance.

LOWES participating in Vouchers

LOWES WILL BE PARTICIPATING IN THE...

NSW BACK TO SCHOOL VOUCHER PROGRAM

**What is covered by
NSW back to school
program?**

3 x \$50 Vouchers

Eligible purchases are limited to the following

School uniforms (K-12)

- Your complete school uniform
- Hats
- Socks
- Shoes
- Umbrellas
- Raincoats

Trade Schools (pathway program)

- High Vis Polo Tops and Shirts
- Industrial Pants and Shorts
- Steel Cap Boots
- Socks Protectors
- Safety Equipments

***T&Cs Apply. No returns, exchanges in accordance with our returns policy**



STAY TUNED!

ONCE THE NSW SERVICES APP
RELEASES THE PROGRAM, REDEEM
YOUR VOUCHERS INSTORE OR ONLINE

TASK Vacation Care

As advised earlier this term, we remind parents that the last day of term for students is now Friday 16 December. This is due to an additional School Development Day announced for staff across NSW public schools.

Please see below and next page for the full December 2022 and January 2023 holiday program provided by TASK, our onsite after-school and vacation care provider.



ARNCLIFFE HOLIDAY PROGRAM

**MONDAY
19 DEC**

**A VERY TASK
CHRISTMAS**

Santa's calling, and he needs YOUR HELP!



Make your own decorations, gift tags and treats!

Fee - \$75

**TUESDAY
20 DEC**

**END OF TERM
CELEBRATION!**

The year is ending, let's finish with a bang! Music, dancing, and a sausage sizzle!



Fee - \$75

HOURS
Mon - Fri
7am - 6pm

For detailed information go to your school on our website.

task-kids.com.au

Questions?
enrol@task-kids.com.au

**The
After
School
Klub**

• Excursion days - places limited • TASK is egg & nut free • Afternoon tea provided • All HP subject to change
• Each day please bring: recess, lunch and water bottle, hat, raincoat, socks, covered shoes and jumper - all labelled.



ARNCLIFFE HOLIDAY PROGRAM

BOOKINGS CLOSE MON 9 JAN

JANUARY 2023 - WEEK 1

<p>MONDAY 16 JAN</p> <p>IRON CHEF</p> <p>The bottle for culinary supremacy starts HERE!</p> <p>And finishes with chocolate. Yum.</p> <p>Fee - \$75</p>	<p>TUESDAY 17 JAN</p> <p>WHEELIE DAY</p> <p>Bring your driver's licence, scooters and bikes: the wheels are spinning at TASK!</p> <p>Fee - \$75</p>	<p>WEDNESDAY 18 JAN</p> <p>SUMMER BASH</p> <p>A day of sports, tournaments, and games and an AFL workshop with RDK sports.</p> <p>Fee - \$96</p>	<p>THURSDAY 19 JAN</p> <p>SOAKED SUMMER</p> <p>Rainbow St. Public School is hosting water slides and 'jump in' splash's that'll blow your flippers off!</p> <p>Fee - \$96</p>	<p>FRIDAY 20 JAN</p> <p>CAMP SUNNY</p> <p>TASK is recreating the summer camp experience each Friday of the January Holidays.</p> <p>Fee - \$75</p>	<p>HOURS Mon - Fri 7am - 6pm</p> <p>For detailed information go to your school on our website: task-kids.com.au</p> <p>Questions? enrol@task-kids.com.au</p> <p>The After School Klub</p>
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ARNCLIFFE HOLIDAY PROGRAM

BOOKINGS CLOSE MON 16 JAN

JANUARY 2023 - WEEKS 2 & 3

<p>MONDAY 23 JAN</p> <p>CHINESE NEW YEAR</p> <p>Silence your tiger-roars and put on your hopping boots: let's Celebrate YEAR OF THE RABBIT!</p> <p>Fee - \$75</p>	<p>TUESDAY 24 JAN</p> <p>ABRA KADABRA TASKAKAZAM</p> <p>Roll up your sleeves for a day of illusions and tricks with Julian Bull!</p> <p>Fee - \$96</p>	<p>WEDNESDAY 25 JAN</p> <p>9D MOBILE CINEMA</p> <p>An Epic multisensory VR experience is coming to TASK!</p> <p>Fee - \$96</p>	<p>THURSDAY 26 JAN</p> <p>PUBLIC HOLIDAY</p>	<p>FRIDAY 27 JAN</p> <p>CAMP SUNNY</p> <p>Our final Camp Sunny!</p> <p>Fee - \$75</p>	<p>MONDAY 30 JAN</p> <p>MOVIE EXCURSION</p> <p>A Task Event Hosted by Ritz Cinema to see the Amazing Maurice!</p> <p>Fee - \$96</p>
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Be Safe Around Our School

The silly season generally brings extra traffic, extra stress and extra congestion on our roads.

Don't let the silly season lead to silly driving. Please take care on the roads for your safety and the safety of our students.

SCHOOL ZONE OFFENCES

SCHOOL ZONE

8 - 9 AM
2ND - 4TH
SCHOOL DAYS

40

Children and young people are extremely vulnerable in the road environment. They need you to take extra care when driving and parking around schools. Penalties are greater for breaking the road rules in a school zone. Please choose safety over convenience.

<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;"> <div> <p>No Parking</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">You have 2 minutes to drop-off or pick-up passengers, staying within 3 metres of your vehicle. Your vehicle must not block the flow of traffic or become a danger to other road users.</p> </div> </div> <div style="margin-left: 20px; text-align: center;"> <p style="font-size: x-small;">PENALTY</p> <p style="font-size: 24px; font-weight: bold;">\$196</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">+2 DEMERIT POINTS</p> </div>	<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;"> <div> <p>Mobile Phone Use</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">You must not use a hand held mobile phone while driving.</p> </div> </div> <div style="margin-left: 20px; text-align: center;"> <p style="font-size: x-small;">MAX PENALTY</p> <p style="font-size: 24px; font-weight: bold;">\$469</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">+5 DEMERIT POINTS</p> </div>
<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;"> <div> <p>No Stopping</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">You must not stop at any point on the road or kerb in the direction of the arrow.</p> </div> </div> <div style="margin-left: 20px; text-align: center;"> <p style="font-size: x-small;">PENALTY</p> <p style="font-size: 24px; font-weight: bold;">\$352</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">+2 DEMERIT POINTS</p> </div>	<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;"> <div> <p>Intersections</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">You must not stop on or within 20 metres of an intersection.</p> </div> </div> <div style="margin-left: 20px; text-align: center;"> <p style="font-size: x-small;">PENALTY</p> <p style="font-size: 24px; font-weight: bold;">\$469</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">+2 DEMERIT POINTS</p> </div>
<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;"> <div> <p>Bus Zone</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">You must not stop in a Bus Zone unless you are driving a bus.</p> </div> </div> <div style="margin-left: 20px; text-align: center;"> <p style="font-size: x-small;">PENALTY</p> <p style="font-size: 24px; font-weight: bold;">\$352</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">+2 DEMERIT POINTS</p> </div>	<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;"> <div> <p>Driveways</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">You must not stop on or across a driveway.</p> </div> </div> <div style="margin-left: 20px; text-align: center;"> <p style="font-size: x-small;">PENALTY</p> <p style="font-size: 24px; font-weight: bold;">\$352</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">+2 DEMERIT POINTS</p> </div>
<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;"> <div> <p>Pedestrian Crossings</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">You must not stop or park on or near a marked crossing.</p> </div> </div> <div style="margin-left: 20px; text-align: center;"> <p style="font-size: x-small;">PENALTY</p> <p style="font-size: 24px; font-weight: bold;">\$469</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">+2 DEMERIT POINTS</p> </div>	<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;"> <div> <p>Double Parking</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">You must not park alongside another parked vehicle.</p> </div> </div> <div style="margin-left: 20px; text-align: center;"> <p style="font-size: x-small;">PENALTY</p> <p style="font-size: 24px; font-weight: bold;">\$352</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">+2 DEMERIT POINTS</p> </div>
<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;"> <div> <p>School Zone Speeding Offences</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">40km/h is the speed limit. Children are vulnerable in school zones.</p> </div> </div> <div style="margin-left: 20px; text-align: center;"> <p style="font-size: x-small;">MAX PENALTY</p> <p style="font-size: 24px; font-weight: bold;">\$3996</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">+7 DEMERIT POINTS</p> </div>	<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;"> <div> <p>Seatbelts</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">The driver and all passengers must wear a seatbelt or correctly fitted child restraint.</p> </div> </div> <div style="margin-left: 20px; text-align: center;"> <p style="font-size: x-small;">PENALTY</p> <p style="font-size: 24px; font-weight: bold;">\$352</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">+3 DEMERIT POINTS PER PERSON</p> </div>

Fines are current from 1 July 2021. Fines and demerit points are subject to change. This is not a complete list of school zone offences. Produced with the support of Mid-Western Regional Council, NSW Police and [Transport for NSW](#). Source: [Transport for NSW](#).