

# #ArncliffeMatters

Arncliffe Public School Newsletter

Term 4 | Week 6 | 2023



## Assembly Awards

K Blue	Violet C, James P
K Red	Hannah K, Ray B
K Green	Helen S, Zahraa M
1/2 Blue	Sodoo B, Zach F, Mira K
1/2 Green	Sofia M, Alejandra P, Asher V, Leo M
1/2 Orange	Khuslen M, EJ E
1/2 Red	Mahdi M, Harper M, Amina M
1/2 Purple	Jasmine B
3/4 Blue	Elliot A, Shada Y (x2), Emily P
3/4 Green	Ruby T, Venice L, Ayra C, Javkhlan O
3/4 Orange	Agar P, Giulia B, Fadel S
3/4 Purple	Khangai I, Felipe V, Katrina C
3/4 Red	Emma S, Jacob J, Audrey W, William B
5/6 Blue	Anna V, Husayn R, Euan C
5/6 Green	Ali H, Samuel M, Samuel S
5/6 Orange	-Manessa D, Bat-Erdene O, Jessica T
5/6 Red	Lamis M, Brian V, Leah K

## Silver Awards

William Z, Harper M, Angirmaa G, Chiara D, Evren B, Phillip G, Hayley H (x2)

## Gold Awards

Jaime C

## Specialist Teacher Awards

**DRAMA:** Emily S, Eliya S, Freyja S, Dylan T, Jonathan S

**EAL/D:** Khuslen E, Irmuun G, Chinbold E, Javkhlan O, Ujin N, Anh D

**ARABIC:** -

**MUSIC:** -

HELPFUL  
TIPS

## Wise Words

(from the Office Women!)

Attending swimming next week? LABEL EVERYTHING!  
Lost property can only be returned to its owner if it is labelled!

## Dates for your diary

Important school dates are posted here.

### November

- Mon 20<sup>th</sup> Applications CLOSE (Selective High School 2025)
- Mon 20<sup>th</sup> Swimming Week 1 (K-4, Mon-Thu)
- Tue 21<sup>st</sup> P&C Meeting (7pm via Zoom)
- Mon 27<sup>th</sup> Swimming Week 2 (K-4, Mon-Thu)

### December

- Fri 1<sup>st</sup> Second Hand Uniform Sale
- Mon 4<sup>th</sup> Year 6 Camp (Mon-Wed)
- Tue 5<sup>th</sup> Year 5 High School Taster Day
- Tue 12<sup>th</sup> Presentation Day Assembly
- Tue 12<sup>th</sup> Year 6 Farewell
- Wed 13<sup>th</sup> K-4 Christmas Concert
- Thu 14<sup>th</sup> School Picnic XMas Fun Day
- Fri 15<sup>th</sup> Last day of term for Students

## Notes issued (via School Bytes)

Year 5 High School Taster	Due: 27 Nov
Year 6 Farewell & Graduation	Due: 1 Dec
School Picnic Day	Due: 7 Dec

## Assemblies Week 7 (Fri 24<sup>th</sup> Nov)

- K-2 12.00 pm (Host: K Red)
  - 3-6 No Assembly
- Parents are welcome to attend. Please QR code at gate.



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# K-4 Swimming Program next week

Reminder that our swimming program begins next week: Monday 20<sup>th</sup> to Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> November and Monday 27<sup>th</sup> to Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> November (Weeks 7 & 8).

**Students in K Blue, 1/2 Green and 3/4 Red need to be at school by 8.35am to allow for the buses to depart promptly at 8.45.**

Please note that the buses cannot wait for late arrivals due to the pool timetable.

Students will need to wear full school uniform to school with their swimming costume under their uniform. Students will need a rash shirt, goggles, towel and change of underwear in a plastic bag.

**PLEASE LABEL ALL CLOTHING, INCLUDING TOWEL.**

See timetable below:

Group	Classes	Depart School	Return School
1	K Blue, 1/2 Green, 1/2 Red	8.45am	10.25am
2	K Red, 1/2 Blue, 3/4 Blue	9.20am	11.05am
3	K Green, 1/2 Purple, 3/4 Orange, 4 Green	10.25am	12.05pm
4	1/2 Red, 1/2 Orange, 3/4 Purple, 3 Green	11.05am	12.50pm



## PSSA (Summer) News & Results

We remind parents that the bus for PSSA leaves from the Segenhoe Gate at 8.30am promptly. Please make sure you bring your child to the gate at 8.15am. The playground is unsupervised so they must be taken to the PSSA teachers at the bottom court. Please also note that the office doesn't open until 8.30am.

Today was the last round before the Semi and Final rounds for cricket and softball. However regardless, kids will continue to play for next two weeks even if just friendly matches. Basketball continues to play as it is a "first past the post" (ie: no finals)

Basketball	Cricket	Girls Softball
• Juniors: 24-5 (loss)	• Juniors: 36-35 (loss)	• Juniors: 3-0 (loss)
• Seniors: 52-12 (loss)	• Seniors: 35-32 (loss)	• Seniors: 12-7 (loss)

Please note we are unable to provide exact times of games as these are determined on the day in consultation with the other school.

**Next week's game locations (Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November):**

- Basketball: Brighton Le Sands Public School
- Cricket: Scarborough Park 1
- Girls Softball: Scarborough Park (permanent location)

# Selective High School Year 7, 2025

This our last important reminder to parents of children currently in Year 5. Applications are now open for selective high school Year 7 entry in 2025.

Applications will close on 20 November 2023.

We have been advised that there are less applications from our school than usual. We have sent two emails regarding this process. If you did not receive it please check your junk or spam folder. Or click on the link below for further information.



[CLICK HERE FOR MORE INFO](#)

## Key dates

Application website opens	9 October 2023
Application website closes	20 November 2023
Test centre and test authority advice released	25 April 2024
Selective High School Placement Test	9 May 2024
Illness/misadventure requests submitted	16 May 2024
Placement outcome expected to be released	Late-August 2024

**Our P&C has an important job to do and we would love you to be part of it.**

## Final P&C Meeting for 2023

- Tuesday 21 November

All parents are invited to attend their next meeting via Zoom on Tuesday 21 November. Please use this link:

[ZOOM MEETING LINK](#)

We hope to see you there!

### HOW TO CONTACT US/GET INVOLVED:

1. Join our **MAILING LIST** by emailing - [arncliffe.pandc@gmail.com](mailto:arncliffe.pandc@gmail.com)

2. Join our **FACEBOOK GROUP**   
Arnccliffe Public School P&C



3. Join our **WHATSAPP GROUP** -



## Canteen orders during Swimming

### A Message from the Canteen

Parents can still place canteen orders while their child is doing the Swimming program over the next two weeks. The canteen will hold these orders for the children when they get back to school.



# Wishing Tree Appeal

Thank you to those families who have already delivered a gift for our Wishing Tree. We hope to see lots more gifts dropped in over the next 2 weeks!!

To support our appeal, simply bring in a small gift labelled with the appropriate age and gender on the bag (please don't wrap the gift, just place it in a gift bag) and place it under the Christmas tree in the school office. All the gifts will be donated to Caringkids, a charity that works with young carers to help make their Christmas this year special!

The SRC would greatly appreciate your support!



ARVCLIFFE PUBLIC SCHOOL

*SRC Christmas  
Wishing Tree*

PLEASE DONATE A SMALL  
GIFT IN A BAG, LABELLED  
WITH THE APPROPRIATE AGE  
AND GENDER



**GIFTS DONATED WILL BE PASSED ON TO  
CARINGKIDS, A CHARITY THAT WORKS  
WITH YOUNG CARERS**

**Due by the 1st of December**  
Gifts to be placed under the Christmas tree in  
the school office

# Vacation Care by TASK

Monday 18<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup>  
December

See below for information on Vacation Care provided by TASK to cover the two last days of term 4 that are designated as pupil-free days.




**BOOKINGS CLOSE WED 13 DEC**

**MONDAY  
18 DEC**

**END OF YEAR PARTY**

*Celebrate*  
a year of adventure, friends, and Fun with games, music, and surprises at the ultimate *Task-tastic* End of Year Party!




*Full Fee - \$75*

**TUESDAY  
19 DEC**


**REINDEER RENDEZVOUS**

Join us for a magical day of Christmas crafts and games.

*Get ready for a jolly good time!*




*Full Fee - \$75*



**HOURS**  
Mon - Fri  
7am - 6pm

**BOOKINGS**  
[task-kids.com.au](http://task-kids.com.au)  
[enrol@task-kids.com.au](mailto:enrol@task-kids.com.au)  
1300 827 500



The  
After  
School  
Klub

Please read BOOK ME description for detailed information • Excursion days - places limited • TASK is egg & nut free • Afternoon tea provided • All Holiday Program subject to change • Each day please bring: recess, lunch and water bottle, hat, raincoat, socks, covered shoes and jumper - all labelled.

# ROCKDALE RUGBY UNION CLUB

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**Mini's U8-U9**  
**Juniors U10 +**



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- Make friends
- Have Fun
- Confidence
- Teamwork



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## KOGARAH WARATAH FC

*Fair Play is our Goal*

### CELEBRATING 100 YEARS

1924 - 2024





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**ALL AGES WELCOME**

**Further Information**

 KogarahWaratahFC

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 Scarborough Park Central, Kogarah

**Register Your Interest**





### Piano & Singing Lessons

CT Piano Studio is excited to offer new openings in 2024 for singing and piano lessons!

The lessons at CT Piano Studio are designed to be fun yet focused! Lessons are based in Ramsgate and are run by our highly educated tutors.

Contact us for more information

www.ctpianostudio.com.au  
0419 966 498




## Sunsmart Snippet

**Shade protects us from harmful ultraviolet radiation (UV).**

In fact, quality shade can reduce UV exposure by up to 75%.



Tip: A combination of natural and built shade provides the best UV protection.

[sunsmartsnw.com.au](http://sunsmartsnw.com.au)  **Cancer Council**  
Healthy Lunch Box





### PROGRAMS



**LOWER PRIMARY**  
(5-7 years)



**UPPER PRIMARY**  
(8-11 years)



**SECONDARY**  
(High school students)

**Sessions include:**

-  Fun interactive activities that teach about animal care
-  Behind-the-scenes tour of our shelter.
-  Help our Animal Carers with their daily responsibilities.
-  Meeting a variety of shelter animals.
-  Learn how to be an animal advocate in your community.
-  Learn about animal career pathways

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**RSPCA NSW Education Team**

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