

#ArncliffeMatters

Arncliffe Public School Newsletter

Term 3 | Week 10 | 2024

Assembly Awards

K Blue - Lucas L, Starley M
K Red - Beau T, Amina B
K Green - Erdenebileg M, Sondor M
1/2 Blue - Bonnie May C, Narangoo M, Haydar M
1/2 Green - Jonah H, Kawthar Z
1/2 Orange - Evie B, Teio P M, Thu N
1/2 Red - Keith T, Tilda S, Batoul T
1/2 Purple - Aiden C, Anand T
3/4 Blue - Zayn H, Uranjargal E, Reanne M
3/4 Green - EJ E, Bernardo C S, Amy B, Gabrielle H
3/4 Orange - Jaffar H, Karam N
3/4 Purple - Zak F, Mia I O, Ethan H
3/4 Red - Billy B, Archie B, Zeinab B, Harper M
5/6 Blue - Lilio J, Margad-Erdene N, Stuart C
5/6 Green - Adam K, Samuel M, Soyombo E
5/6 Orange - Ghadeer Z, Carlos C, Cosmo C
5/6 Red - Zahraa A, Ujin B-U

Silver Awards

Uchral G, Sondor M, Lurjrelyc S, Julieta P, Maya R, Zaynab M, Amelia P, Adam K, Sukaina K, Ayaa Z, Bat-Uchral P, Khangai I, Zaynab S, Hyatt S, Ali H, Hassan I

Gold Award

Hassan H, Johnathon S, Muhammad F

Specialist Teacher Awards

DRAMA:

ARABIC:

EAL/D:

LIBRARY:

Dates for your diary:

September

27th - Last Day of Term 3 for Students

October

14th Oct - Students return for Term 4
Tempe Intensive Swimming Program K-4

Notes issued on School Bytes

Inline Term 4 - Due 15th Oct
Year 6 Graduation Bear & Ball - 18th Oct
Tempe Intensive Swimming K-4 - Due 1st Nov



Kindergarten Enrolments have commenced for 2025. If you have a child turning 5 before the 31st July 2025 please call the school office.

Assembly Week 1 18th October

Parents and Carers are welcome to attend.

K-2 11.50am - Host 1/2 Green
3-6 1.10pm - Host Prefects



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From the Principal
Pam Ladd

Firstly, I'd like to congratulate the staff at APS for an amazing job inside and out of the classroom. It is so important to have calm and supportive learning spaces to support student learning and engagement. At our recent External Validation the panel assessed our school as Excelling in Student Wellbeing and Learning Culture. This is a very pleasing and proud result that demonstrates our commitment as a school staff. I would like to also acknowledge our students who generally demonstrate respectful and responsible academic and social behaviours.

During Term 3 we have enjoyed many opportunities to shine as a school. Our Education Week assembly and multicultural lunch was a beautiful community event. Book Week and parade, Father's Day and Buddy Reading were also special and very well attended. It is wonderful to be able to celebrate these events with our families and we thank you for prioritising your attendance. There have been great excursions, fabulous singing by our choirs in the Opera House and the Sydney Town Hall. Our Public Speaking program was another highlight, and we wish our school representatives all the very best in Term 4. Many students proudly represented our school at the Zone Athletics events they were competitive and displayed strong sportsman/woman ship. Our excursions have been well attended, with the students and teachers all agreeing that they were fabulous.

It is amazing that we are closing out Term 3, 2024 - where has the year gone? Term 4 is enrolment and Transition term, as we begin to welcome our new students for 2025. If you have not yet enrolled your child/ren it is not too late. Kindergarten Transition to school is in Week 5 and 6 and Transition for students in Years 1-6 is in Week 6. High school transition for Year 6 students is towards the end of Term 4. Term 4 is also swimming term for students K-4, so please ensure that you have paid and signed permission notes. Stage 2 have a special event in Week 3, where they will participate in the Deep Harmony Anti Racism in Action program. This will be delivered by the University of Western Sydney and is a very exciting and proactive experience for our students.

In the meantime, I would like to remind parents that we are always open to communication concerning student progress and behaviours. Please contact the school and make an appointment and we will accommodate your request as expediently as possible. I would encourage parents to remember that communication with staff and the school needs to reflect the School Community Charter, which I have included below.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish all our families a safe and happy holiday together. School resumes on Monday 14th October for both students and teachers.

Pamela Ladd
Principal

School Community Charter

Collaborative. Respectful. Communication.

The following School Community Charter outlines the responsibilities of parents, carers, educators and school staff in NSW public schools to ensure our learning environments are collaborative, supportive and cohesive.

We treat each other with respect

What our schools provide

NSW public schools work to create positive environments for students, staff and the entire school community that support student learning. We strive to ensure that every student is known, valued and cared for.

The best education happens when parents and schools work together.

The School Community Charter aligns with the NSW Department of Education Strategic Plan 2018 - 2022.



Positive environments

It is important that our NSW public schools are positive environments and that parents and carers are kept informed of students' progress and school announcements.

Parents and carers can expect:

- To be welcomed into our schools to work in partnership to promote student learning.
- Communication from school staff will be timely, polite and informative.
- Professional relationships with school staff are based on transparency, honesty and mutual respect.
- To be treated fairly. Tolerance and understanding are promoted as we respect diversity.

We prioritise the wellbeing of all students and staff

Unsafe behaviour is not acceptable in our schools

We work together with the school

Ensuring respectful learning environments for all members of NSW Public Schools communities.

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We create collaborative learning environments

We all play our part

We work in partnership to promote student learning

Communicating with our schools

Our staff will find a time to talk to you when they can give you their full attention. Please remember that while our staff are in class or dealing with other matters, they may not be available to answer your questions immediately.

Our schools and communities will make sure that written communication is appropriate, fair and easy to read. We encourage you to use email and social media appropriately to connect with your school and stay up-to-date with up-coming events in the school community.

Our guide for parents, carers and students provides useful information about the complaints process: education.nsw.gov.au/about-us/rights-and-accountability/complaints-compliments-and-suggestions/guide-for-parents-carers-and-students.

Respectful communication is a right

In all workplaces people have the right to feel respected. Unacceptable and offensive behaviour has no place in our school communities.

To ensure the wellbeing of students, staff and the community in our schools, steps will be taken to address unacceptable behaviour. This may include restricting contact with the school community or, in more serious cases, referral to NSW Police.

Unacceptable behaviour may include but is not limited to:

- Aggressive or intimidating actions, such as violence, threatening gestures or physical proximity.
- Aggressive or intimidating language, including the use of obscenities, making sexist, racist or derogatory comments or using a rude tone.
- Treating members of the school community differently due to aspects such as their religion or disability.
- Inappropriate and time wasting communication.



Tell Them From Me Parent Survey

Tell Them From Me, is an important exercise that involves electronic surveys of both Parents and Students. Students will complete the survey in class time and now it's the parents turn! We encourage you to kindly complete this survey to help us understand your perspectives on your child's school experience. Use the QR code to open the survey.

Thank you in advance for your help

<https://nsw.tellthemfromme.com/survey/splash/arncliffeLost>

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Arncliffe Public School

Parent survey

We are seeking your feedback

Parents, guardians and caregivers are invited to take 10 to 15 minutes to participate in the Tell Them From Me parent survey. The survey will help us understand your perspectives on your child's school experience and will be used to make practical improvements to our school.

Survey is open until
8 November 2024



Scan the QR code with your smart phone to complete the survey. It is completely confidential and is available in 23 languages.

The Learning Bar



PSSA News and 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.

LUNCH ORDERS: ALL PSSA STUDENT LUNCH ORDERS MUST BE MARKED PSSA

Locations: 18th October

Cricket: Scarborough Park

Softball is at Scarborough Park every week



School Bytes Parent App

You will be required to go to Settings > ENABLE notifications in the School Bytes app asap. Please ensure that you have enabled School Bytes to have push notifications in settings on your phone.

School Bytes

Parent App

Available now!

Download on the App Store or Google Play by clicking the image below.



Key Features

- Get real time push notifications from your school
- Stay up to date and save your card for secure payments for fees and excursions
- Give online sign forms and respond to attendance alerts
- View the school calendar and news



APS SCHOOL BAG

ON SALE \$50 EACH

ALL PROCEEDS TO THE P&C



PROTECT THE LARGEST PATCH OF ENDANGERED SALTMARSH LEFT IN THE COOKS RIVER VALLEY!

BAYSIDE COUNCIL & LOCAL P&C EVENT

LANDING LIGHTS BUSHCARE

IMPORTANT! FOR YOUR PROTECTION MUST WEAR: A hat, long sleeve shirt, long trousers, inclosed shoes. BYO: Garden gloves & water bottle. Morning tea and tools will be provided. **Children must be supervised by a parent/guardian at all times, as it is a natural area.**

SCHOOL HOLIDAY ACTIVITY

3.10.2024

Start from 9.00 AM
Landing Lights Wetland, Spring St, Arncliffe

COME JOIN US!

For more info: Contact Environment Officer Madeline 0477 555 267, or Gemma (Parent volunteer) 0425 498 262.

The After School Klub

Arnccliffe PS

bookings close - WED 25 SEP

Spring **W1**

TASK HOLIDAYS

M 30 SEP	T 01 OCT	W 02 OCT	T 03 OCT	F 04 OCT
Jedi Academy	Quiz Day	Chemistry Chaos	Paint & Shakes	Slime Time
Learn the ways of the Jedi, with the all new Jedi Academy from Iconic Nerd	Test your knowledge and see if you're smarter than an educator in this fun quiz day!	Crazy science experiments hosted by Beyond the Beanztak! Plus science themed activities and fun	Mix art & delicious ingredients for a fun-filled day of painting & slurping yummy shakes.	Get messy with slime, goo, and goop in this sensory filled adventure!
Incurison: Iconic Nerd Daily Total: \$83	Are you smarter than an Educator? Daily Total: \$79	Incurison: Beyond the Beanztak Daily Total: \$93	Incurison: Art on Canvas Daily Total: \$92	SLIME!! Daily Total: \$79

bookings close - WED 2 OCT

W2

M 07 OCT	T 08 OCT	W 09 OCT	T 10 OCT	F 11 OCT
Public Holiday	Frankenstein's Monsters	Laser Tag Party	Movie Day	Candyland
	Spooky themed games and activities, with a loose parts twist!	School grounds become an arena for outdoor laser tag fun!	Excursion to Palaca Cinemas Leichhardt to see The Wild Robot.	Whip up some delightful sweets and enjoy a day of tasty creations!
	Crafty, Spooky, Fun! Daily Total: \$79	Incurison: All Day Laser Tag Daily Total: \$82	The Wild Robot Daily Total: \$105	Sweet Treats Daily Total: \$79

Book Now: Log into BookMe in your Hubbello account - <http://hubbello.com/#login>

VOYAGER TENNIS

SCHOOL HOLIDAY CAMPS

ACTIVE DAY OF FUN SPORTS

9-3pm

JUNIOR TENNIS
ALL AGES & ABILITIES

UTR MATCHPLAY
PERFORMANCE PLAYERS

📍 Illawarra Tennis Centre ✉ rockdale@voyagertennis.com

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HOLIDAY CLINICS

DATE: 2/10/2024
AGE: 5-12 years
TIME: 9.00am - 12.00pm
COST: \$49
WHERE: Carss Park Flats, 72 Carwar Ave, Carss Park NSW 2221

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You are invited to our upcoming health and fitness seminars happening from September to November:

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THESE SEMINARS ARE DESIGNED TO COMBAT PERSONAL CHALLENGES LIKE HIGH STRESS LEVELS, LOW ENERGY, AND DIMINISHED PRODUCTIVITY. WE WILL BE OFFERING THREE WORKSHOPS INCLUDING NUTRITION, STRENGTH TRAINING AND FITNESS.

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SEP 27TH 12:30PM | OCT 26TH 12:30PM | NOV 23RD 12:30PM

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Spring School Holiday Activities at the Quaycentre

- Netball - Captain's Class
- Basketball My Hoops
- Soccer in the Park
- Soccer in the Park - Girls only
- All Day Multi Sports Camp
- Table Tennis Hot Shots

Scan for more details.

Visit quaycentre.com.au

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