



# PAGWOOD PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

TERM 2 WEEK 10 – Monday 30 June 2025

## CALENDAR

### TERM 2

#### JUNE

#### WEEK 10

Mon 30	8+yrs Shot Put & High Jump Student reports published to Sentral
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#### JULY

Tues 1	Botany Bites lunch delivery; Seniors Spelling Bee Final 2pm
Wed 2	Assembly at 2.30pm
Thur 3	Botany Bites lunch delivery
Fri 4	Botany Bites lunch delivery; No PSSA; Last day of term

### TERM 3

#### WEEK 1

Mon 21	Staff Development Day
Tues 22	Students return to school

#### WEEK 2

Mon 28	SRC Pyjama Day
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#### AUGUST

#### WEEK 4

Wed 13	Kindergarten 2026 Open Day 9.30am-11.00am
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#### SEPTEMBER

#### WEEK 9

Thur 18	Whole School Performance
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### DATES FOR THE END OF THE YEAR

Parents & carers welcome

#### ALL STUDENTS

#### DECEMBER

Tues 9	Community 'Thank You' morning tea 10.00am
Wed 10	Presentation Day K-2 9.30am Y3-6 10.15am
Mon 15	Picnic Day 1.00pm-2.00pm Final Awards Assembly 2.15pm
Fri 19	Last day of school

#### YEAR 6

#### NOVEMBER

Fri 28	Year 6 Graduation dinner (parent & carer organised)
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#### DECEMBER

Mon 8	Year 6 performance 2.30pm
Thur 18	Year 6 Fun Day In-students only
Fri 19	Year 6 Graduation Assembly 2.30pm
	Last day of school

Welcome to the last week of a very busy term! Congratulations to our Senior Dance Group and Hip Hop Group for their outstanding performances at the 'In the Spotlight Dance Festival' at the Seymour Centre last week. You were all amazing! It was lovely to see PPS friends and family enjoying the performances.



Today all students turning 8 years and older participated in shot put and high jump at school. Well done to all students for their efforts.

Student reports have been published via SENTRAL. Please take the time to read your child's report with them and discuss their achievement and effort so far this year. All students have worked hard to improve in their learning and effort, we are very proud of them!

Parent and carer NAPLAN reports should arrive at school early in Term 3. They will then be distributed via your child.

This Friday afternoon there will be another harvest of our school garden. Parent Sally will be there to help our students, and their families choose some vegetables and fruit to take home for dinner. Please join us between 3:15pm and 3:30pm. There may also be some plants to be planted for anyone who would like to help. Please come along!

The demountable classrooms have been fenced off in preparation for removal. This should occur in the next few weeks.

I hope everyone has a lovely break and look forward to seeing students back at school on Tuesday 22 July ready for a busy term of learning, sports, dancing and preparation for our whole school show!

If you require vacation care for your child/ren, please make a booking directly with Star Club.

Have a great week!  
Nicole Mayhew - Principal

### Awards to be presented at assembly

#### RAINBOW AWARDS

Gabriella 3/4A	Max 3/4A	Kevin 2/3L	Hamish KK	Freya KK	Metin 3/4A
Emelia 5/6G	Alex 1/2B	Remy 4/5W	Angela 4/5W	Felix 4/5W	Evie KK
Thomas KK	Indi KK	Jack 5/6B	Russell 5/6B	Gianna 5/6B	Hugo 5/6B
Neal 5/6B	Fionn 5/6B	Fin 5/6B	Scarlett 3/4A	Dominic 5/6G	Azalea 5/6G
Eli 5/6G	Laya 5/6G	Alice 5/6G	Leyre 5/6G	Cruz 5/6G	Phoebe 1/2J
Ari 1/2J	Luca 1/2J	Mahan 1/2J	Nelson 3/4A	Evellyn 2/3A	

#### SILVER AWARD

Isabella 4/5W	Kai 4/5W	Isabella D-H 5/6B	Meliorin 5/6B	Peter 1/2B	Aya 4/5W
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### PREMIERS SPELLING BEE

Congratulations to the following students who have progressed to the school final of the NSW Premier Spelling Bee: Senior: Taji, Alborz, Laya, Mateo, Fred, Elena, Emelia, Penny. This event will take place tomorrow at 2pm in the school hall.

Parents & carers are welcome to attend. Good luck to all the participants.

Mrs Potter

### SPORT NEWS

#### Winter PSSA

Last Friday was the final round for Term 2 PSSA. Winter PSSA will continue next term. Results for Round 7 can be found below:

ROUND 7	OPPONENT	SCORE	COLLABORATION RECIPIENT
Netball Junior A	Gardeners Road	Lost 14 – 4	Sofia & Zali
Netball Junior B		Won 2 – 1	Eleanor & Cayla
Netball Senior A		Lost 19 -10	Bella N
Netball Senior B		Won 6 – 0	Selena
Soccer Junior A	Botany	Won 7 – 1	Felix
Soccer Senior A		Won 3 – 1	Mateo
Soccer Junior B	Chifley	Lost 8 – 0	Shiri
Soccer Senior B		Lost 3 – 1	Hugo

#### Athletics Carnival - Field Events

Today, all students turning 8 years or older had the opportunity to participate in high jump and shot put. This concludes all track and field events for the Athletics Carnival. Field event results will be published in the Term 3, Week 1 newsletter and ribbons presented at the Term 3, Week 2 assembly.

The Zone Athletics Carnival will be held on Friday August 22nd. Please note that qualifying times/distances have been put into place for Zone Athletics. Regardless of placing, students may or may not qualify for zone - information will be sent home early next term informing students who have qualified.

#### ESPSSA Trials

Last week, Harper in Year 5 attended the ESPSSA girls soccer trials as part of the Eastern Suburbs team. She was selected for the Sydney East team and will travel to Ballina next term for the tournament. Another amazing sporting achievement Harper - well done!

#### Premier's Sport Challenge

This is the last week for students to log their physical activity for the 10 week Premier's Sporting Challenge.

Mrs Sinkovic

## IN THE SPOTLIGHT PHOTOS



## SCHOOL GARDEN HARVEST - THIS FRIDAY!

It is time for another garden harvest and we would love for you and your little people to join us. You're invited to pick some produce this Friday 4 July straight after school between 3:15pm and 3:30pm. Beans, baby spinach, nasturtium, radish, celery, endive, beetroot and possibly potatoes are now ready to be picked. We will also be doing a little planting. We hope you can join us! We'll supply some paper bags or BYO.



## SCHOOL PERFORMANCE – SEPTEMBER 2025

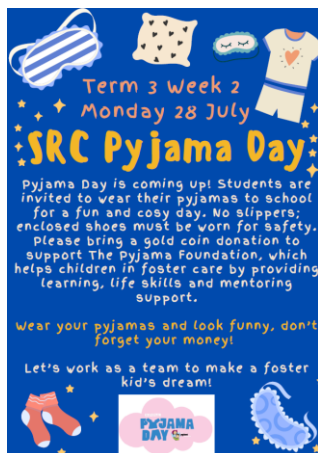
Families that were here for our whole school performance in 2022 will remember 'The Quest for the Stolen Jewel'. Planning for the school performance is well underway. We would love as many parents and carers to get involved. It will be a spectacular performance! Keep an eye out for ways you can help.

COMING SOON !!!



## KINDERGARTEN SPARE CLOTHES

Please pack spare underwear, shorts and socks in your child's bag in case of any toileting accidents at school. Please also let your child know that they have spare underwear and clothing in their bag.



## SRC PYJAMA DAY – MONDAY 28 JULY

Get cosy for a cause! On Monday 28 July (Term 3, Week 2), students are invited to wear their pyjamas to school for our SRC Pyjama Day. Please remember: no slippers. Enclosed shoes must be worn for safety. Bring along a gold coin donation to support the Pyjama Foundation.

The Pyjama Foundation helps children in foster care by providing them with learning, life skills and mentoring opportunities through their Love of Learning Program. Your donation will help support these children to reach their full potential.

Mrs Brymer and SRC



## LOST PROPERTY

Please ensure your child's name is clearly marked on all items.

Lost property can be found under the cover between the toilet block and library.

If you have bought any clothing from the 2nd Hand Uniform Shop, please change the previous name to your own child's name or we will be unable to return your items.

If you have lost drink bottles, lunch boxes or clothing, please ask your child to check the lost property.



Opening Hours:  
Thursday 8:45 – 9:30am

Website link:  
<https://pagewood-public-school-pc.square.site/>



# **UNIFORM SHOP VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

The Uniform shop volunteers are seeking your help!

Do you have half an hour a week to assist in processing orders and serving lovely parents in the Uniform Shop?  
It is a wonderful way to serve the school, and for the kids to see you involved!

If you have little ones and think you can't manage it, all little people are welcome in the shop!! Our famous delivery girl - Nedia, makes it a joy to work alongside.

We need 2 x parent/carers volunteers.

If you can help, please let Laura (3/4 Acacia) or Ashley (2/3 Lorikeets) know.

The Uniform Shop is open weekly face to face on Thursday mornings. Or you can place your order online. The link is on the Pagewood Public school website or below:

### **Uniform Shop**

Any questions, please get in touch with  
Laura or Ashley at :  
[ppsuniform@hotmail.com](mailto:ppsuniform@hotmail.com)





# COME Try Baseball

**Free Event** 21st June and 26th July,  
1:45pm - 4pm



Register your player to get a free sausage sizzle  
use our QR code or our web address



[EASTERSUBURBSBASEBALL.COM.AU/REGISTRATION](http://EASTERSUBURBSBASEBALL.COM.AU/REGISTRATION)

Eastern Suburbs Baseball Clubs summer season runs from September - February

- Age 10-16: Player pitched baseball
- Age 8-10: Machine-pitched baseball, Zooks
- Age 6-8: T-Ball

Any questions please email: [es.juniorbaseball@hotmail.com](mailto:es.juniorbaseball@hotmail.com)

# Come along to our **free** Kids GARDENING CLASSES

at Flower Power

**11am**  
MONDAY TO FRIDAY  
**7 - 11**  
**14 - 18**  
**JULY**  
ONE CLASS PER DAY!  
Excludes weekends



Kids of all ages must be accompanied by an adult. No bookings required, however large groups are encouraged to call your local store.  
For more information go to [flowerpower.com.au](http://flowerpower.com.au)

**flower power**

## SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAMS

LEARN, PLAY & GROW AT PCYC THIS JULY!



# BASKETBALL DODGEBALL NERF/LASER TAG STEM CRAFTS MINI OLYMPICS DISCO DANCE FUTSAL

Book 4 Days and Get the 3<sup>rd</sup> for Free!  
Active and Creative Kids vouchers accepted.



SCAN FOR  
MORE INFO

**PCYC**

# What's on at... eastside TENNIS

## JULY HOLIDAY CAMPS

Week 1 - JULY 7th - 11th  
Week 2 - JULY 14th - 18th

**FULL DAY CAMPS** 9am-3pm  
**HALF DAY CAMPS** 9am-12pm

Friday each week - Prizes and Sausage Sizzle/Pizza Lunch

### REGISTER NOW WEEKLY TENNIS PROGRAMMES

	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
Morning Sessions				Ladies Clinic 9:30am-10:45am Blue Ball 10:45am-11:30am		Blue Ball 8:30am-9:30am Red Ball 9:30am-10:30am	UTR Matchplay 9:00am-12:00pm
Afternoon/Evening Sessions	Red Ball 4:00pm-4:45pm Orange Ball 4:45pm-5:30pm Green Ball 5:30pm-6:15pm Adult Group Class 7:30pm-8:30pm	Red Ball 4:00pm-4:45pm Orange Ball 4:45pm-5:30pm Green/Yellow Ball 5:30pm-6:15pm Adult Group Class 7:30pm-8:30pm	Academy Footwork 3:00pm-4:00pm Performance Yellow Ball 4:00pm-7:30pm Adult Group Class 7:30pm-8:30pm	Red Ball 4:00pm-4:45pm Orange Ball 4:45pm-5:30pm Green Ball 5:30pm-6:15pm Adult Group Class 7:30pm-8:30pm	Red Ball 4:00pm-4:45pm Orange Ball 4:45pm-5:30pm Green Ball 5:30pm-6:15pm Performance Yellow Ball 6:30pm-8:00pm	Orange Ball 8:30am-10:30am Green Ball 10:30am-11:30am	UTR Matchplay 9:00am-12:00pm

Description:  
Blue Ball Squads Ages 3-7 30min  
Red Ball Squads Ages 8-10 45min  
Orange Ball Squads Ages 11-13 45min  
Green Ball Squads Ages 14+ 60min  
Yellow Ball Squads Ages 14+ 30min  
Adult Programs: Ladies Clinic, Social Tennis, Adult Group Classes

Private Lessons available Daily by appointment

[EASTSIDETENNIS.COM.AU](http://EASTSIDETENNIS.COM.AU)  
0493 496 426



**FREE**

**BFCC** Botany Family & Children's Centre

# Tuning in to Kids Parenting Program

Tuning in to Kids is an evidence-based parenting program supporting parents/carers to build stronger emotional connections with their children.

By 'Tuning In' you can better understand the feelings behind your child's emotions and how you can support them to self regulate and build their resilience.

*Online*

**When:** Wednesdays evenings  
30<sup>th</sup> July, 6<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup> August

**Time:** 6 pm - 8 pm

**Email:** [adminassist@bfcc.org.au](mailto:adminassist@bfcc.org.au)  
or phone 9666 5047

**Bookings essential**

This program is run by qualified Early Childhood Educators/Parenting Coaches with extensive experience working with children and families.

**ENROL NOW**



**SOUTHS CARES**

# FREE JUNIOR HOLIDAY CLINICS

**AGES 5 - 12**

**Looking for an unforgettable school holiday experience?**

Join the Souths Cares Holiday Junior Skills Clinics for an action-packed day of rugby league drills, fitness activities, and team-building fun!

Our clinics are designed to build confidence, teamwork, and fundamental movement skills in a safe and supportive environment.

Plus, enjoy a nutritious hot lunch provided by the generous team behind the Vinnies Vans.

**REDFERN 15<sup>TH</sup> JULY**  
Redfern Oval - Chalmers Street

**MAROUBRA 16<sup>TH</sup> JULY**  
Matraville Tigers Field, Cnr Jersey + Bunnerong Road

**MT DRUITT 17<sup>TH</sup> JULY**  
Kimberwalli, 1 Mimika Ave WHALAN

**9AM - 1PM**

**REGISTER NOW**






# PAGEWOOD PUBLIC SCHOOL

7 JULY - 21 JULY 2025 | 60 PAGE ST. BOTANY | 7AM - 6PM

## WINTER VACATION CARE

### PROGRAM OUTLINE

	MON 7/7	TUE 8/7	WED 9/7	THU 10/7	FRI 11/7
7 - 11 JULY 2025	<b>ULTIMATE GAMING VAN</b>  Experience premier gaming in a state-of-the-art theater that offers a range of challenges for the ultimate gaming escapade. Enjoy comfortable seating in a 5-meter-long grandstand while competing with your friends.	<b>SYDNEY CRICKET GROUND TOUR</b>  Explore the SCG, Moore Park on a guided tour of the venue. You'll have the opportunity to participate in various games and physical activities, including cricket, soccer, ball passing, skipping ropes, and much more in the indoor facility.	<b>STARR'S PLANETARIUM</b>  Take a thrilling space adventure to explore the solar system, learning about planets, stars, lunar cycles, and constellations. Uncover fascinating facts about the universe and enjoy the beauty of the night sky on an educational cosmic journey.	<b>WHEEL WORK POTTERY</b>  Try your hands at traditional pottery wheel skills! With guided instruction, you'll shape, mould, and create your own unique clay masterpieces.	<b>LUNA PARK SYDNEY</b>  If you love the thrill of a wild roller coaster or want to explore the hidden challenges of Coney Island, or even prefer soaking in the stunning views of Sydney Harbour from a ferris wheel, Luna Park, Milson's Point is the place for you!
	<b>ON-SITE</b> Fee: \$107.00 (\$10.70 after max CCS*)	<b>EXCURSION</b> Fee: \$107.00 (\$10.70 after max CCS*)	<b>ON-SITE</b> Fee: \$93.00 (\$9.30 after max CCS*)	<b>ON-SITE</b> Fee: \$93.00 (\$9.30 after max CCS*)	<b>EXCURSION</b> Fee: \$107.00 (\$10.70 after max CCS*)
		ARRIVE BY 8.45AM			ARRIVE BY 8.45AM
	MON 14/7	TUE 15/7	WED 16/7	THU 17/7	FRI 18/7
14 - 18 JULY 2025	<b>STREET ART WITH MB</b>  Grab your paint and let your ideas splash onto the wall! In this Street Art workshop with Michelle, you'll learn cool techniques and create bold, colourful designs—just like real street artists!	<b>NICHE THE VARIETY SUPERSTAR SHOW</b>  Be amazed and have the time of your life as Neisha demonstrates her throwing and balancing skills with an array of unique props. You will have the opportunity to learn a variety of circus skills and techniques required to construct your very own circus act.	<b>MUSEUM OF CONTEMPORARY ART AUSTRALIA</b>  Take a walk through the Museum of Contemporary Art, Sydney in a self-guided tour. Explore exciting exhibitions - each one filled with bold ideas and amazing artworks waiting to be discovered.	<b>BRICK MASTERS WITH BRICKS 4 KIDZ</b>  Are you the Brick Master of Star Club? Bricks 4 Kidz is coming for a special visit - get ready to build intricate mosaic designs and let your imagination run free with loads of LEGO fun!	<b>ICE SKATING AT ICE ZOO</b>  Are you ready to become the next figure skating superstar? Join us for an exciting adventure at Ice Zoo, Mascot! Sharpen your ice skating skills while grooving to some lively disco tunes.
	<b>ON-SITE</b> Fee: \$93.00 (\$9.30 after max CCS*)	<b>ON-SITE</b> Fee: \$93.00 (\$9.30 after max CCS*)	<b>EXCURSION</b> Fee: \$107.00 (\$10.70 after max CCS*)	<b>ON-SITE</b> Fee: \$93.00 (\$9.30 after max CCS*)	<b>EXCURSION</b> Fee: \$107.00 (\$10.70 after max CCS*)
			ARRIVE BY 8.45AM		ARRIVE BY 8.45AM
	MON 21/07				
21 JULY 2025	<b>MANHATTAN SUPERBOWL &amp; LIONEL BOWEN PARK</b>  Get set for strikes, spares, and friendly competition! Team up with your mates for an action-packed bowling adventure at Manhattan SuperBowl in Mascot. You will also be able to enjoy a BBQ picnic lunch at Lionel Bowen Park, Mascot.	<b>ALL WELCOME</b> Your child doesn't have to attend Pagewood P5 to join our vacation care program. We welcome children from all schools. To enrol, simply complete the online enrolment form on our <a href="#">website</a> .			
	<b>EXCURSION</b> Fee: \$107.00 (\$10.70 after max CCS*)	<b>NOTE CANCELLATION POLICY</b> Two weeks' written notice is required to cancel a booked session, otherwise full fees will be charged, even if the withdrawal is due to illness.			
		<b>NOTE LATE BOOKING FEES</b> Within 24 hours of session - additional \$5 per child Bookings on the morning of, or walk-in on the day WITHOUT a confirmed booking - additional \$20 per child			

\* Based on maximum Child Care Subsidy (CCS) before withholdings (if eligible for FPay/as). Terms & Conditions apply.  
 Program subject to change pending the weather and any Government or supplier imposed restrictions.



### BOOK NOW ONLINE

[WWW.STARCLUBSCHOOLS.COM.AU](http://WWW.STARCLUBSCHOOLS.COM.AU)

INFO@STARCLUBSCHOOLS.COM.AU



STAR CLUB



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## WINTER VACATION CARE

### IMPORTANT INFORMATION

#### FULL DAY PROGRAM!

A full-day program includes various activities, along with featured incursions and excursions, displayed daily.

#### How to book

- Go to our [website](#) and select the Vacation Care option
- Fill out the Booking Request Form
- Our team will reach out to you via email to confirm your booking
- If your child is new to Star Club, please enrol them first before we can proceed with any booking.

#### What to bring

1. Morning tea and lunch and water bottle. Breakfast is available until 8 am, and there's afternoon tea. Please pack a nut-free lunch for your child.
2. A jumper, hat (bucket hat preferred), enclosed shoes, a water bottle, and a spare change of clothes. Closed shoes are required, but open shoes can be brought for certain activities.
3. For water activities, pack sun-safe swimmers (like a rashie) and a towel.
4. Don't forget a big smile!

#### What to do each day

1. Drop off/pick up your child at the Page St gate; call the number on the sign if unattended.
2. Notify staff of absences via email or the Xplor Home app.
3. Keep unwell children at home per our health policy.
4. Dress your child in comfortable, play-friendly clothes.
5. Label all belongings (clothes, bag, hat, water bottle, etc.).
6. Inform us of any changes to your child's allergy or health needs.
7. Pick up your child by 6:00 PM to avoid a \$20 late fee for every 15 minutes.
8. Email the office if authorised contacts have changed.

#### Health & Additional Needs

It is imperative that you advise Star Club if your child has:

1. Any allergies or health issues.
2. Any additional needs (like ASD, ADHD, Global Development Delay, etc.), whether diagnosed or not.
3. Any changes to their allergy/health requirements.
4. Any medication needed during their time at Star Club, before they attend.

Please note that a child's booking may not be processed without sufficient information and documentation.

#### Weather Conditions

Excursions will proceed with light rain, but some activities may be canceled if weather worsens. Families will be notified by email and/or the Xplor Home App and alternative activities will be offered if needed.

#### Daily Activity

Activities may change or be cancelled at short notice due to unforeseen circumstances. In such cases, we will try to provide a suitable alternative and inform parents.

#### Full Day Program

A full day program with various activities, including special incursions and excursions, is offered. Daily programs are displayed on the information board.

#### Behaviour

According to Star Club policy, the organisation retains the right to remove a child from the programme if they exhibit repeated unacceptable behaviour or actions that may jeopardise the safety of others.

#### Group Size & Ratio

Expected number of children is 60-120, with 6-12 staff members. Star Club's guideline is a 1:14 educator to child ratio, which can vary from 1:12 to 1:18 for excursions. For precise numbers, check the excursion information and roster on display.

#### Safety, supervision, transport & risk assessments

Star Club has strict safety and supervision policies, available for viewing onsite or upon request. Children are encouraged to work with educators to follow these safety guidelines. Risk assessments for all incursions and excursions, including transport, are also available onsite or upon request.

#### Money/belongings

Please refrain from bringing money, electronic devices, bikes, or scooters to vacation care, unless they are explicitly included in the program. Please note that Star Club and its staff cannot be held responsible for any personal belongings if children decide to bring them to the service.

#### Cost & Child Care Subsidy

Daily fees are as outlined, with enrolment fees being extra. Eligible families may receive discounts on all daily fees through the Child Care Subsidy (CCS) program. If not completed yet, please ensure you submit a Complying Written Agreement for your child(ren)'s Pagewood Public School Xplor profile and then confirm the enrolment in your MyGov/Centrelink account.

#### Payment method

Direct Debit is the **ONLY** payment method accepted. Before confirming a booking, ensure that your Direct Debit information is updated in your Xplor online account ([home.myxplor.com](#)), and that all accounts for services are current.

#### NOTE CANCELLATION POLICY

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