

# Burnside Public School Newsletter



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# TERM 2 Week 10

# Thursday 3 July 2025

Friday	4 July	Last Day of Term 2
Monday	21 July	School Development Day - No students
Tuesday	22 July	First day of Term 3
		K-2 Footsteps starts
Friday	25 July	No PSSA
Wednesday	30 July	Maths Olympiad 3 8.15am
Thursday	31 July	100 Days of Kindergarten Celebration - 2.20pm
Friday	1 August	PSSA restarts
Tuesday	5 August	Public Education Week Open Day 9.30-11am
Thursday	7 August	Sports photo day
Monday	11 August	ICAS English 8am
Thursday	14 August	Stage 2 Excursion
Monday	18 August	ICAS Science 8am
Wednesday	20 August	New Athletics Carnival Date
Thursday	21 August	Kindergarten Zoo Excursion
Monday	25 August	ICAS Maths 8am
Wednesday	27 August	Dance Sport Gala Concert
Monday	1 September	Responsible Pet Program K-2
Tuesday	2 September	Zone Athletics Field Carnival
Thursday	4 September	Father's Day Stall
Monday	8 September	Zone Athletics Track Carnival
Wednesday	10 September	Maths Olympiad 8.15am
Thursday	11 September	Author Visit
Friday	19 September	Last week of PSSA
		Bush Dance
Monday	22 September	Big Mob Day
Wednesday	24 September	Stage 3 Excursion
Thursday	25 September	Sydney West Athletics Carnival
Friday	26 September	Last Day of term

# Principal's Message

Thank you for all your support throughout the semester. I hope everyone has a safe and enjoyable holiday with family and friends.

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## **Voluntary School Contribution**

There have been several questions around the voluntary school contribution for 2025. This contribution is replacing the previous school fees. School voluntary contribution levels have been capped at \$50.00 for primary schools by the department of education. There are no compulsory fees or charges in New South Wales government schools for students to meet the minimum curriculum requirements. Extra-curricular activities may incur a fee, such as excursions and sport. If families have concerns around payment for any school activity, they should contact the school office to discuss how they can be supported.

## Burnside Public Education Open Day- Tuesday 5 August 9.30-11.30am

Public Education Week is a time for all of us to come together and celebrate our commitment to **Ignite your potential**. Let's take pride in being part of NSW public education and the endless and far-reaching achievements of our students and staff.

During Public Education Week 2025, let's celebrate all that you do to **ignite the potential** of every student in every aspect of their education, including high potential and gifted learners.



This is an opportunity to acknowledge our exceptional staff, celebrate the achievements of our students and recognise why we proudly choose public education, where every child reaches their full potential.

Families and friends are welcome to celebrate Public Education at Burnside. This will include performances by our school bands, choir, junior and senior dance groups and year 5 DanceSport. There will also be the opportunity to purchase your child's individual artwork, bid on the class artworks and buy some new books at the Book Fair. Year 6 will be holding a Cup cake stall at recess and their parents will be cooking the sausage sizzle for the students who have pre-ordered them, please don't forget to pre-order your child's sausage. All classrooms will be open for families and friends to share in the students learning.

# **Multicultural Public Speaking**

Congratulations to Kayla, Mir, Kobe and Jack, who represented our school at the Regional Multi-cultural public speaking competition.







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#### **PSSA Results for Week 8 & 9**

AFL Jr team lost 65-1 against Oatlands PS. Sr team drew 21-21 against Oatlands PS.

Netball Jr A team won 14 -1 against Oatlands PS. Jr B won 1- 0 against Parramatta North PS.

Netball Sr A team won 10-6 against Parramatta PS. Sr B lost to Parramatta North PS.

Soccer Jr Red won 6-0 against Parramatta North PS. Jr Blue lost 0-1 to Yates Ave PS.

Soccer Sr Red won 3-1 against Parramatta PS. Sr Blue won 5-1 against Parramatta East PS.



AFL Jr team won 26 - 8 against Dundas PS. Sr team won 58 - 0 against Dundas PS.

Netball Jr A team lost 7-11 against Dundas PS. Jr B drew 0-0 to Oatlands PS.

Netball Sr A team had a bye. Sr B team lost 1-2 to Parramatta PS

Soccer Jr Red team won 5-0 against Carlingford PS & Jr Blue team won 4-0 against Parramatta North PS.

Soccer Sr Red lost 1-2 against Parramatta East PS. Sr Blue lost 0-1 against Carlingford PS.



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# **Sporting Success**

























# Assembly Awards for Weeks 8 & 9























Gill Bennett

Principal

## **P&C INFORMATION**

Thank you to all the volunteers that helped in term 2 at the Mother's Day stall and Healthy Harold breakfast. Without your help we would not be able to provide these events to the kids. Thank you to the uniform shop volunteers also, without you, this valuable service would not benefit the school.

We hope you have a great break and see you in term 3.

If you haven't already, please hand back the Family Fun Night note with your availability to help. Thanks!

#### **Upcoming Events**

Next P&C meeting 30<sup>th</sup> July 7pm – special meeting to discuss Family Fun Night. Join at the staffroom or online https://meet.google.com/ngk-qhfs-hsh

- Father's Day Stall, 4th September
  - o Gifts \$5 each to be sold at school
  - More details to follow
  - o VOLUNTEERS NEEDED PLEASE; this is for the morning of the stall.
- Bush Dance, 19th September
  - Come enjoy an Australian country tradition complete with hay bales, line and bush dancing
  - Dress in your best country outfit yee haw!
  - o Bring kids, parents and grandparents, everyone welcome!
  - o Free event, with option to purchase food and cakes on the night
  - VOLUNTEERS NEEDED PLEASE, any time as you can spare.
- Family Fun Night, 14th November
  - Our annual community event which is lots of fun for the whole family.
  - Keep your eye out for our volunteer form as we need everyone helping to make the night a success
  - More details to follow.



If you can help at these events, please email us at <a href="mailto:burnsidepublicpandc@gmail.com">burnsidepublicpandc@gmail.com</a> with your details, or give your details to the office to pass to us.

#### **Uniform Shop**

The uniform shop is run by volunteers and all profits of the uniform shop are returned to school community via P&C initiatives.

## Long sleeved polo shirt

We now also have a winter polo shirt as an alternative for sports days. These are \$35 and available online or at the uniform shop.

**Ordering Information:** School uniforms can be ordered anytime using the online ordering system. Visit <u>Burnside Public School Uniform Shop</u> or use the QR Code.

**In-Person Purchases:** The school uniform shop is open every Friday from 8:45am to 9:15am for new and second-hand clothing purchases.

**Delivery Schedule:** Deliveries are on Tuesdays and Fridays, except for urgent items like hats.





