Upcoming Events

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*Please Note: Other events will be added as dates are confirmed.*

Principal’s Report

Ridges Zone Swimming Carnival
Congratulations to all of our wonderful swimmers who competed at the Ridges Zone Swimming Carnival yesterday. Good luck to the students who will go on to represent Ridges at the Sydney West Carnival. Thank you also to Mr. Futcher and Miss Torta for looking after the team and the large number of parents and grandparents who cheered our team on.

Confucius Classroom
Next Monday Mrs. Tan and I will attend the official launch of The Confucius Classroom and to sign the paperwork necessary to initiate the classroom at Rouse Hill Public School. Once this program is in place RHPS will receive additional resources and a volunteer to assist with our Mandarin program.

Support Unit Newsletter
Thank you to Mrs. Filipic for initiating the SUN Newsletter that is providing additional information to families who have a student in the Support Unit; this is a fantastic initiative.
Parking
Several parents have expressed concern about parents parking in the No Parking Zone at the front of the school for lengthy periods of time. Please be aware that that a ‘No Parking Zone’ means, “You have no more than 2 minutes for drop-off or pick-up and must stay within 3 metres of your vehicle.” The penalty for not complying with this is $173 and two points.

While on parking, just a reminder that the staff carpark is not available to parents during school times, particularly at the end of the day as it is quite dangerous for students with the movement of support unit taxis and other vehicles.

Noel the Crossing Man
Thank you to the numerous parents and student who have expressed their concern about Noel’s health. Noel is still in hospital but is hoping to come home later this week and is looking forward to returning to school in the near future.

Kind Regards
David Jenkins
Principal

Book Club
Please be advised that Book Club will only take credit card and cheque payments made directly to Scholastic. No cash will be accepted. Thanking you in advance.

PBL Assembly Awards

Week 6
Reason: Displaying a positive attitude to learning

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We have had a wonderful start to 2015!

Teachers have reported catching lots of students being Safe, Respectful Learners in the playground.
Have you earned a Dino yet???

Term 1 Week 4 Dino Draw -
Look at these Safe, Respectful Learners!

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Term 1 Week 5 Dino Draw - Congratulations to these wonderful winners!

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Support:
- Jessica KT
- Jack KT
- Keshia KT
Northmead Creative and Performing Arts High School.

OPEN DAY Tuesday 17th March 2015

Year 6 students entering Year 7, 2016 & Year 5 students (Year 7, 2017)

Student Morning session 9.15am – 1.00pm
Evening session 5.00pm – 7.00pm - School tour and open house.

7.00pm – 8.00pm - Formal presentation in the hall.

Enrolments for Years 8-12, welcome.

AUDITIONS YEARS 7 to 12, 2016

Northmead Creative and Performing Arts High School has a long tradition as a centre of excellence in the Creative and Performing Arts. An exciting opportunity is available for talented students to audition for placement in our outstanding CAPA programs.

Students in the specialised streams are afforded a wide range of opportunities to excel in their chosen field with extensive co-curricular programs and a whole school approach to fostering our gifted students’ talents.

Auditions will be held for Dance, Drama, Music, and Visual Arts on Wednesday 18th, Thursday 19th & Friday 20th March 2015. The cost of auditions is $50.00.

Applications close and forms need to be submitted to NCAPAHS by Wednesday 4th March 2015.

For application forms, please contact Mrs Stepic on 9630 4116
Forms can also be obtained via our school website.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Year 7 Scholarships
• Creative and Performing Arts
• Academic
• Sporting

GIFTED & TALENTED ACADEMIC PLACEMENT TEST FOR 2016

Date: Thursday 26th March 2015 at 9.00am
Cost: $65.00 payable to Front Office by Tuesday 17th March.

Principal: Narelle Vazquez
www.ncapahs.com.au
28 Campbell St, Northmead NSW 2152
Ph: 9630 4116
THE HILLS SPORTS HIGH SCHOOL
OPEN AFTERNOON
WEDNESDAY 11TH MARCH 2015, 3.30pm - 6pm

2015 Year 6 students and their parents are invited to attend The Hills Sports High School Open afternoon, come along and meet staff, explore what learning opportunities are available, visit our specialist rooms and Science Laboratories for practical lessons.

Tours of the school will occur every half hour until 6pm.

Talented Sports Program
There will be an information session hosted by the Director of Sports at 3pm in the library for interested students & parents.

TALENTED SPORTS PROGRAM OPEN NIGHT

An information evening will be conducted for students and parents interested in the Talented Sports Program for 2016 on Monday 4th May 2015, at 6.30pm. Sports on offer are AFL, Athletics, Baseball, Cheerleading, Cricket, Golf, Netball, Rugby League, Rugby Union, Rugby "7s" (Girls), Soccer, Softball, Swimming, Touch Football, and Water Polo.

Sport and Fitness Trials will be held in May/June 2015,


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School related payments can be made on our online payment portal which is linked to the school’s website

- This is a secure payment page hosted by Westpac
- The following expenses can be paid online:
  - Voluntary School Contributions
  - Text book resources
  - Excursions
  - Sport
  - Creative and Practical Arts
- Log on. Click on ‘Make a Payment’ and follow the prompts to make a payment via Visa or MasterCard
- Please Note: P&C payments will continue to be made via Flexischools or via the P&C payments box in the office foyer, not via online payments

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LEAVE OF ABSENCE

STUDENT’S NAME: ___________________________________________

CLASS: ____________________

DATE/S OF ABSENCE: _______________________________________

(Please Circle) SICK or LEAVE

REASON: __________________________

Parent/Caregiver Signature: Date: ____________________________

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Riverstone Festival 2015

The Riverstone Festival began in May 2000. It was planned as a “one off” occasion to give the people of Riverstone an activity in which the whole family could participate. The Combined Churches of Riverstone, supported by the Riverstone Chamber of Commerce, other community organisations, particularly the Riverstone Neighbourhood Centre, and Blacktown City Council have seen the Festival continue to run successfully for the past 15 years.

After the first year an 11am Street Parade, showcasing local community groups and businesses, was added. With Riverstone celebrating its Bicentenary Year in 2010 Blacktown City Council, who had always been most supportive, stepped in to take charge of the onerous task of organising the Street Parade. They continue to do so.

The present Festival Committee is comprised of President Phyllis McAlpine (Uniting Church), Secretary Cheryl Ramsden, Treasurer Maria Long (St. John’s Catholic Church), Publicity Officer Judith Lewis OAM (Life Anglican Church), Entertainment Organiser Allen Millard (Voice of Victory Church), Cathy Cummings and Steve Wilkins (Hawkesbury Radio). The President, Publicity Officer and Entertainment Officer and Cathy Cumming have served the Committee in their respective roles since its inception. New Committee members will always be welcomed.

The Festival is being held in the surrounds of the Sam Lane community Complex on Saturday 16th May from 9am to 3pm with the Street Parade at 11am. Local schools are very supportive off the Festival, participating in the Street Parade, running stalls and joining in the on-stage entertainment.

Festival 2015 will have approximately 100 stalls comprising goods for sale, food and drink outlets and games and rides for children. At Information Stalls such as the Historical Society’s, Riverstone memorabilia, Journals and other Riverstone books may be purchased and there is always help needed to identify people in old photographs.

On-stage entertainment throughout the day features local community groups and individual artists.

Festival information may be obtained from:
PO Box 50, Riverstone, 2765
Email – info@riverstonefestival.com.au
Website – riverstonefestival.com.au
’Phone: 4572 3271
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- Family Conflict (all ages)
- Health Challenges
- Personal Development
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