



Education

Rutherford Public School

Weekly Newsletter

WEEK 7 TERM 4



School Calendar

	Day	Events
Week 7	CLASS OF THE WEEK FOR CANTEEN VOLUNTEERS: 1G	
	21/11/16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 12:00pm Year 5 School Leader Speeches - Girls 3:15pm Aboriginal Education Team Meeting
	22/11/16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Excursion to Murrook Cultural Centre 10:00am Year 6 Enrichment Session RTHS 12:30pm Year 6 Enrichment Session RTHS 4:00pm AECG Meeting at RTHS
	23/11/16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10:00am Year 6 Enrichment Session RTHS 12:15pm Stage 3 Silent Disco at RTHS 12:30pm Year 6 Enrichment Session RTHS
	24/11/16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:30am Kindergarten 2017 Orientation - Day 2 Stage 1 Soccer Program 10:00am Year 6 Enrichment Session RTHS 12:30pm Year 6 Enrichment Session RTHS
	25/11/16	
Week 8	CLASS OF THE WEEK FOR CANTEEN VOLUNTEERS: 1H	
	28/11/16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 12:00pm Year 5 School Leader Speeches - Boys
	29/11/16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Christmas Scripture Assembly
	30/11/16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Merewether High School Orientation Day 10:30am Band visit to Opal Aged Care 10:30am RTHS MADD Showcase 12:30pm Band Concert for Yrs 2, 3 & 5 5:00pm Variety Christmas Party - S1 Multicat
	1/12/16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:30am OC Orientation Stage 1 Soccer Program Year 4 Camp Out With Kids
	2/12/16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Times Table Challenge
Week 9	CLASS OF THE WEEK FOR CANTEEN VOLUNTEERS: 1R	
	5/12/16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:30am Volunteers Morning Tea - School hall 12:00pm PBL Reward Day 2:00pm Senior Choir to Opal Aged Care RTHS Parent Information night for Year 7 2017
	6/12/16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:00am RTHS Year 7 2017 Orientation Day 9:30am Kindergarten Presentation Assembly 6:30pm P&C Christmas Meeting
	7/12/16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Russ the Story Bus - Year 2 10:00am S1 Multicat Superstrike Celebration
	8/12/16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:30am Stage 1 Presentation Assembly 5:15pm Senior Choir to Carols on The Levee
	9/12/16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:30am Stage 2 & S1 Presentation Assembly
	10/12/16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> P&C Christmas Function

ALL STUDENTS

POP Payments - No POP payments can be made from Wednesday 23rd November until Monday 5th December, due to the school's Financial Rollover.

UNIFORM POOL (Second Hand Uniforms) - Mondays 2:30pm at the P&C Shed, behind the hall.

SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS

If you have not received your photos, please come to the front office to collect them.

TRANSPORT - UPDATE APPLICATIONS DUE 30 NOVEMBER 2016

If your child is entering primary school next year (Year 3), or going into Year 7, you will need to do an update application for free school travel, before 30th November 2016.

If you were granted an exemption from the minimum distance criteria because of special circumstances, you will also need to do an update application.

To update your child's transport application, go to:

<https://ssts-apply.transport.nsw.gov.au/ApplySSTS/UpdateEntitlement.html>

ATSI STUDENTS

[EXCURSION TO MURROOK CULTURAL CENTRE](#)

The Murrook Cultural Centre excursion will take place on Tuesday 22nd November. The cost is \$10 per student.

Please ensure you have returned your payment and permission note to school.

BAND

Congratulations to our Band Person of the Week:

Ruben Hardy 5/6T

For his fantastic work, practising his Christmas tunes

PRE-K STUDENTS

[KINDERGARTEN ORIENTATION](#)

Our 2017 Kindergarten students had a great time at their first Orientation session this week! They will come to school again next Thursday for their final Orientation session. Please bring your child to the school hall, where children will join their class group and move to classrooms with their teachers.

Thursday 24th November - 9:30am Kindergarten 2017 Orientation Session 2 in the school hall

... Together We Strive...

KINDERGARTEN - ASSEMBLY - 2:30pm Fridays

STAGE 1 (YEAR 1 & 2) - ASSEMBLY - 2:30pm Thursdays

RUSS THE STORY BUS

Year 2 parents are asked to complete and return the permission note and sign the media release in order for children to attend the 'Russ the Story Bus' visit.

'Russ the Story Bus' is presented by The Sydney Writers Festival, and is a creative space where children can browse a library full of the latest children's books, choose a book to take home (1 per child), listen to a story, and hear an Author talk about their craft.

STAGE 2 (YEAR 3 & 4) - ASSEMBLY - 2:30pm Wednesdays

YEAR 4 - CAMP OUT WITH KIDS

4:00pm Thursday 1st December to 8:00am Friday 2nd December for Year 4 students and a parent/carer. Places are limited, please book ASAP.

\$20 for a child and their adult.

This event is held within the school grounds.

STAGE 3 (YEAR 5 & 6) - ASSEMBLY - 2:30pm Tuesdays

STUDENT LEADERSHIP

Year 5 girls will present their School Leader speeches on Monday 21st November at 12:00pm in the school hall. Parents are welcome to join us.

Boys will present their speeches on Monday 28th November at 12:00pm.

Guidelines for the speeches can be found in the Leadership Opportunities note that went home with all Year 5 students last week.

FACEBOOK

Our Facebook page is a great way for us to keep parents up-to-date with what is happening at school.

We do ask, however, that if you have any questions, concerns or requests, that you telephone our school office on 4932 5900 to ensure we can assist you in a timely, effective manner.

POP PAYMENTS

When paying by **POP** (Parent Online Payments through our website), please ensure you send the permission note with the receipt number on it, to the office by the following day, to ensure the payment is processed against your child's account. Delays in providing the receipt number to the office make it difficult to reconcile payments.

Canteen Roster - Term 4 Week 7 <u>Click here for current canteen menu</u>		
Day	Date	Term 4, Week 7 - 1G Hosting
Monday	14/11	D Jones, B Collins
Tuesday	15/11	D Forth
Wednesday	16/11	H Barrett, M Carsley
Thursday	17/11	
Friday	18/11	L McGill, D Jones, L Walters

What's on & what's coming up?

ALL	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Talent Quest Auditions begin Week 7• Times Table Challenge 2/12/16• Volunteers Morning Tea 9:30am Mon 5/12/16• Talent Quest Finals 13/12/16• Carols on the Green 15/12/16
P-K	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 2017 Kindergarten Orientation 2 - 9:30am 24/11/16
Kinder	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Kindergarten Presentation Assembly 9:30am 6/12/16
Year 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Stage 1 Presentation Assembly 9:30am 8/12/16• Stage 1 Cinema Excursion 12/12/16
Year 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Russ the Story Bus Wednesday 7/12/16• Stage 1 Presentation Assembly 9:30am 8/12/16• Stage 1 Cinema Excursion 12/12/16
Year 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Stage 2 & S1 Multicat Presentation Assembly 9:30am 8/12/16
Year 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Stage 2 & S1 Multicat Presentation Assembly 9:30am 8/12/16• Camp out with Kids 1/12/16• 9:30am OC Orientation 5/12/16
Year 5	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Leader Speeches - Year 5 Girls 21/11/16 at 12:00pm• Leader Speeches - Year 5 Boys 28/11/16 at 12:00pm• Stage 3 Presentation Assembly 9:30am 12/12/16
Year 6	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• RTHS Enrichment Sessions 22 to 24/11/16• RTHS Silent Disco - 22/11/16 at 12:15pm• Merewether High School Orientation 30/11/16• Maitland Grossmann High School Orientation 6/12/16• Stage 3 Presentation Assembly 9:30am 12/12/16• Year 6 Farewell - 5:30pm 13/12/16
S1	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Superstrike Celebration Day 7/12/16• Stage 2 & S1 Multicat Presentation Assembly 9:30am 8/12/16
ATSI	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Aboriginal Education Team Meeting 21/11/16 at 3:15pm• Murrook Excursion 22/11/16 \$10• Maitland AECG Meeting 22/11/16 at 4:00pm RTHS
Band	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Band performance Opal Aged Care 30/11/16• Band Concert 30/11/16 at 12:30pm
Choir	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Singing at Opal Aged Care Rutherford 5/12/16• Christmas at The Levee 8/12/16• Choirs to Rutherford Marketplace 13/12/16
PBL	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Rewards Day - 5/12/16
P&C	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 6:30pm P&C Christmas Meeting 6/12/16• P&C Christmas Function 10/12/16
Xmas Parties	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 5/6J Class Party 15/12/16
Book Fair	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Kindergarten - 6/12/16• Stage 1 - 8/12/16• Stage 2 - 9/12/16• Stage 3 - 12/12/16• Book Fair open to everyone - 13/12/16