



# Christ the King, North Rocks

Term 2, Week 10

25th June, 2015

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**2015**

**WEEK 10**

**Friday 26th June**

- \* Band 7.45am
- \* Lunch Orders
- \* Sports Program: sport uniform
- \* **LAST DAY TERM 2**

**WEEK 1 Term 3**

**Monday 13th July**

- \* **STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAY**

**Tuesday 14th July**

- \* **STUDENTS RESUME**
- \* Uniform Shop 8.30-11.30am  
1.30-3.30pm
- \* Sushi orders due today
- \* **Maths Club 8am**
- \* PE : Yr 3, 5/11, Kindergarten

**Wednesday 15th July**

- \* Chess begins 3-4pm
- \* PE: Yr6, 4/9, 1/3, 2/5

**Thursday 16th July**

- \* Sushi lunch day
- \* PE : 5/12, 4/10, 2/6, 1/4
- \* Dance Club 3.15-4.15pm

**Friday 17th July**

- \* Band 7.45am
- \* Lunch Orders
- \* Sports Program: all in sport uniform

Dear Parents,

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all the parents who have come to talk to me and wish me well on my new appointment over the last few days. It is sad to be leaving this supportive and enthusiastic community and I will miss all the children, parents and staff a great deal. I highly value the relationships that I have here at CTK and will always remember the good times, the sad times and the challenges that we all faced together. We have all made this school into one that is Christ centered, deeply value based, curriculum focused and a community that nurtures talents and celebrates the many achievements of the staff and children.

Where Christ the King is today is reliant upon an amazing staff and supportive parents. I know that I leave the school in the very talented hands of the staff and especially the highly talented and skilled leadership team. I know Mrs. Walsh will care for and lead this school in the interim with great skill and sensitivity. I know you will be in good hands.

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We were very lucky to have such a beautiful day for our athletics carnival yesterday. The events were well organized under the leadership of Mr. Vidot and the day ran smoothly. The children's behaviour was exemplary. I congratulate the staff and children and especially the parent helpers who ensured the day was such a success.

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This term has been an extremely busy one at Christ the King and we are all looking forward to a well-deserved holiday. I would like to thank our highly professional staff, who have been working tirelessly to assess the children, writing their reports and meeting with parents over the last two weeks. Their thorough feedback is an indication of how hard the teachers work on gathering the data and getting to know and understand your children in depth.

We wish you all a safe and restful holiday and look forward to seeing you all in Term 3.

*Annelise Stockey, Principal*

## REMINDER

**STAFF DEVELOPMENT / PUPIL FREE DAY**

**Monday 13th July**

THERE IS NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS ON THIS DAY.

## TERM DATES FOR 2015

Term 2	Monday, 20 <sup>th</sup> April	to	Friday, 26 <sup>th</sup> June
Term 3	Tuesday, 14 <sup>th</sup> July	to	Friday, 18 <sup>th</sup> September
Term 4	Tuesday, 6 <sup>th</sup> October	to	Friday, 18 <sup>th</sup> December

## SPRING FAIR UPDATE

Our Spring Fair is coming together nicely. We have many individuals coming together to share their ideas and expertise for the various stalls. We have now secured prizes for the Raffle, all of which were donated so generously by numerous families in our school. These raffle tickets will be printed and sent home early next term.

Thanks to the Bergin Family who are in the process of designing and printing our amazing banners, fliers and raffle tickets. Almost all spots on our flier are filled thanks to our fabulous Sponsorship team. We have about three \$250 spots left. If you know of anyone interested in advertising their business, please contact us.

We have scheduled a **Spring Fair School Mufti Day in Term 3, Friday, July 31**. We will be collecting items for the Basket Stall on this day. Stay tuned for more information closer to the date.

In addition, we will be collecting clothing for our Vintage Clothing Stall in August. Start putting aside any clothes you no longer require which are in good condition.

If you have any further queries or ideas, don't hesitate to contact us!  
Rita (0422 978 745) and Kylie (0410 211 161)

## MARK IN YOUR DIARY

* Grandparents Day	Friday 24th July
* ICAS English	Tuesday 28th July
* SPRING FAIR MUFTI DAY	Friday 31st July
* WAKAKIRRI HEAT	Wednesday 5th August
* ICAS Mathematics	Tuesday 11th August
* SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION	Wednesday 26th August
* FATHER'S DAY CELEBRATION	Friday 4th September
* SPRING FAIR	Saturday 12th September

## Sport News

### Athletics Carnival

A big thank you to all parents, staff and student helpers for all of your support and assistance at the Athletics Carnival yesterday. The day was a great success, with great weather and maximum participation from all students.

The Age Champions and winning Colour House will be formally announced when we return in Term 3.

Patrick Vidot, Sport Coordinator

## *Happy Birthday for the remainder of June to:*



Year 1	David N
Year 2	Olivia K
Year 3	Antony A Mikayla P
Year 4	Kiera W
Year 6	Amelia W

## *Happy Birthday in the holidays to:*

Kinder	Paula E
Year 1	Jack T Joshua B
Year 2	Olivia S
Year 3	Luca T James Y Sophie S
Year 4	Sophie K Marcus Y
Year 5	Christian Y
Year 6	Christopher T

## *Happy Birthday for the remainder of July to:*

Kinder	Fredrick P Talia R
Year 1	Maria S Ameliah L Nicholas C Liliana M
Year 2	Jayda I Marcus I
Year 3	Andre C Michael A Alexander D
Year 4	Isabelle B Stephanie T Ciara M Raphaella P
Year 5	Giorgia S Anthony E Samantha E Elianna F Louis Z

**Thank**  
**You**



## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

### **Gospel of Mark—daily prayer and reflection**

At Christ the King School we greatly value daily prayerful reading of Holy Scripture.

We acknowledge the significance in reading the narrative of Jesus Christ sequentially has in developing a deep faith and love of Jesus. This is also an opportunity to be revealed the true mission and message of Jesus Christ, assisting each of us to recognise and accept our call to live and spread the Gospel values within a contemporary world.

The students at Christ the King School will be reading an online Bible, Bible Gateway at [www.biblegateway.com](http://www.biblegateway.com) and using the Contemporary English Version. This online version has been approved by the Bishop's office, which has been chosen as it uses appropriate language for Primary aged students. You are welcomed to use the online Bible or your own Bible at home. Each week in the Christ the King School Newsletter and the Christ the King Parish Bulletin, the weekly readings will be published.

*This week the readings from the Gospel of Mark were:*

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Thursday	Wednesday	Friday
	<b>June 22, 2015</b>	<b>June 23, 2015</b>	<b>June 24, 2015</b>	<b>June 25, 2015</b>	<b>June 26, 2015</b>
10	Mark 9:14-29 Jesus Heals a Boy	Mark 9:30-32 Jesus Again Speaks about His Death	Mark 9:33-37 Who Is the Greatest?	Mark 9:38-41 For or Against Jesus	Mark 9:42-50 Temptations to Sin

*Please join the Christ the King community in prayerfully reading the Gospel of Mark for Week 1.*

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Thursday	Wednesday	Friday
	<b>July 13, 2015</b>	<b>July 14, 2015</b>	<b>July 15, 2015</b>	<b>July 16, 2015</b>	<b>July 17, 2015</b>
1	Mark 10:1-12 Teaching about Divorce	Mark 10:13-16 Jesus Blesses Little Children	Mark 10:17-31 A Rich Man	Mark 10:32-34 Jesus Again Tells of His Death	Mark 10:35-45 The Request of James and John

We hope you all take this opportunity to join us as a Catholic community in prayer and reflection of the Gospel of Mark.

*Monica Vella, Religious Education Coordinator*

## PARISH NEWS



### Parish Mass times

**Saturday Vigil** 6.00pm

**Sunday Masses** 8.00am, 10.00am and 6.00pm

### **Weekday Masses**

**Monday** no masses      **Tuesday** 7.30pm

**Wednesday** 9.00am      **Thursday** 9.00am

**Friday** 9.15am

**Reconciliation** Saturday morning Rosary at 8.30am with Reconciliation at 9.30am and then at 4.30pm.

## **TSA Band Camp 2015!**

Yes, it's that time of year again! Pull out your best swimmers for the waterslide, your grooviest PJ's for the pyjama disco and get into training for the staff V students beach volleyball match!! (Oh, and you should probably practice your band music too!)

Whilst most kids come to camp for the excitement of new friends, fun activities and a weekend away, the real benefit is in the valuable experience (both musical and social) gained from such intensive time spent in such a highly musical environment. With over 8 hours of face-to-face tuition over the weekend, there is over a term and a half worth of 30 minute lessons to be had! Camp is also a valuable experience for students that may be losing interest in music and need a boost of enthusiasm and practice to get them to a level where they can enjoy their music and performance.

Notes for camp should have already been received by band parents via email outlining details including cost, venue, times and dates. If you did not receive this email or you need another copy, please visit [www.teachingservices.com.au](http://www.teachingservices.com.au) and download the note from the 'Band Notes' section of the website. Permission notes, along with deposit, need to be returned ASAP to avoid missing out as the camp participation needs to be finalized at the beginning of Term 3.

## **UNIFORM SHOP 2015**

**REOPENS TERM 3, DAY 1 : 14TH JULY**

**TUESDAYS 8.30AM—11.00AM**

**1.30PM—3.30PM**

*The Uniform Shop is open on TUESDAYS ONLY each week with morning and afternoon opening hours for your convenience.*

Parents are most welcome to place an order through the office. FULL PAYMENT must accompany all orders. The Uniform Shop can accept cash or cheque (made payable to Christ the King). Eftpos facilities are able to be accessed through the School office for Uniform orders.

**The Uniform Shop Price List is now available on the Christ the King School web site.**

Go to [ctknorthrocks.catholic.edu.au](http://ctknorthrocks.catholic.edu.au) and click on the 'Parents' tab then click on Handbook, School Office and then Uniform Shop / Clothing Pool. On this page you will find the price list to download.

## **GRADE EVENTS**

### **YEAR 5 HOLIDAY CATCH-UP**

WHEN	Tuesday, 7th July at 1.30pm
WHERE	North Rocks Park (meet in playground near tennis courts)
WHAT TO BRING	Tennis racquets as we will book 2 courts for a few hours; soccer balls / footballs / netballs / bikes / scooters

### **YEAR 5 MUMS' DINNER**

WHEN	Thursday, 16th July
TIME	7.00pm
WHERE	Carlingford Bowling Club Cnr Evans Rd & Pennant Hills Rd Carlingford
RSVP	by Monday, 13th July to Shalu 0416 277 829 or Lynne 0402 572 111



*We hope you are able to join us.*



## LIBRARY NEWS

### Skoolbag App



Our Skoolbag App will be configured over the holiday break. We will give updated information upon our return in Term 3.

### Premier's Reading Challenge 2015

The 2015 PRC finishes on 21st August.

Congratulations to the many students who have already completed their PRC for this year.  
What a great effort!

This holiday is a great time to read lots of books from the challenge. Your local library allows you to borrow up to 10 books at a time and they have PRC books labeled. Remember that your children can have the books read to them and still included it in the challenge. Take time to enjoy a story with your children, the benefits go both ways!

Passwords will be issued at the beginning of Term 3 giving students plenty of time to upload their reading records before the closing date of 21st August.

### Woolworths Earn & Learn 2015

This year we will be participating in the Woolworths Earn & Learn program. Through this program we will be able to get new educational resources for our school by shopping for your groceries at Woolworths.

From **Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> July to Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> September**, we are collecting Woolworths Earn & Learn Stickers. You will get one Woolworths Earn & Learn Sticker for every \$10 spent (excluding liquor, tobacco and gift cards). Place the Woolworths Earn & Learn Sticker onto a Woolworths Earn & Learn Sticker Sheet and when it's complete, the Sticker Sheet can be dropped into the Collection Box here at the school or at your local Woolworths. There will be sticker sheets available at the office or you can just hand your stickers into office.

At the end of the promotion, we'll be able to get some great new equipment. The range is extensive and offers lots of items ideal for our students – including resources for Maths, English, Science and some fantastic fun supplies for Arts & Craft, Sport and for our library. If you'd like to know more visit [woolworths.com.au/earnandlearn](http://woolworths.com.au/earnandlearn)

### Online Subscriptions - Mathletics, reading Eggs and Skwirk



Children bored over the holidays? Not sure about what they are doing on the computer? How about encouraging them to use the online subscriptions. The following databases are safe and educational while still being loads of fun. Student usernames and passwords were distributed in Term 1 and can be found either in their diaries, homework books or message folders. links to these databases can be found on the CTK website under Learning & Teaching/Holy Faith Library.

Remember Wheelers eBook platform is also available to all students in Parramatta Diocesan Schools. Students need their school network username and login to access a fabulous collection of ebooks many of which are in the Premier's reading Challenge. Find the instruction sheets on the following pages.

*Mrs Sarah Cook, Teacher / Librarian*

# CEDP eBooks through Wheelers

*Now you can continue to read all year round by  
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**PLEASE NOTE - THE BOOKS IN THIS LIBRARY HAVE BEEN SELECTED BY A TEAM OF EDUCATORS FOR K - 12 WHICH MEANS THAT YOUR CHILDREN CAN ACCESS BOOKS THAT ARE SUITABLE FOR SECONDARY STUDENTS. THIS IS NOT UNLIKE VISITING A PUBLIC LIBRARY, AND LIKE MANY OPPORTUNITIES FOR LEARNING AND ENTERTAINMENT, STUDENTS ARE TAUGHT AND EXPECTED TO USE THE RESOURCES RESPONSIBLY. Please read the following carefully before letting your children access the ebook resource.**

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2. Supervised use of this ebook platform at school and at home provides an environment where students can learn about book selection, encourages wide reading and opportunities for school and family discussion about literature.
3. This modelling then will help our students when they are accessing other ebook platforms at local libraries to select books that suit their interest and reading age.
4. Parents should use the opportunity to share the ebooks with their child and discuss any themes, characters or issues that their child may struggle with either due to reading age or topic.
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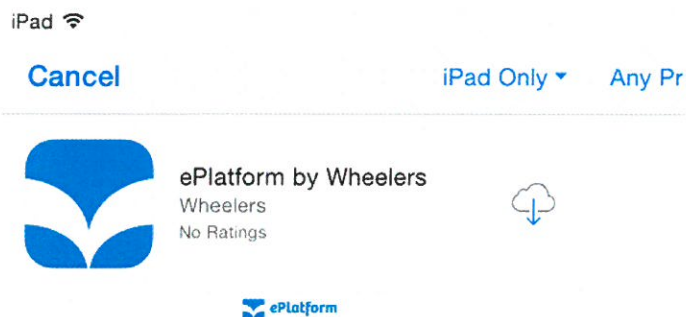
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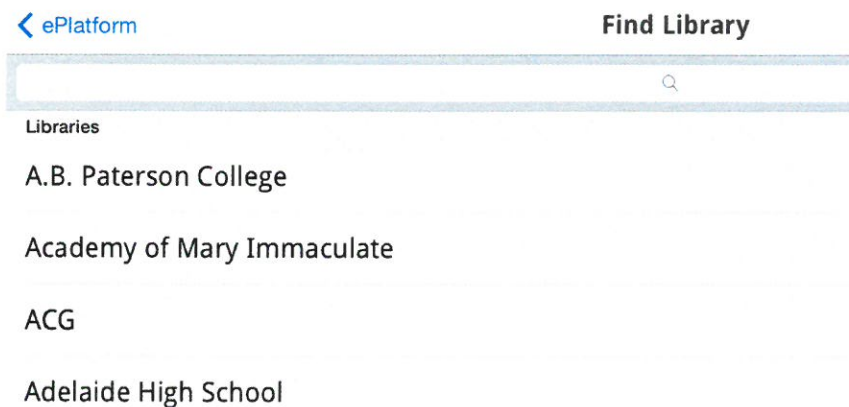
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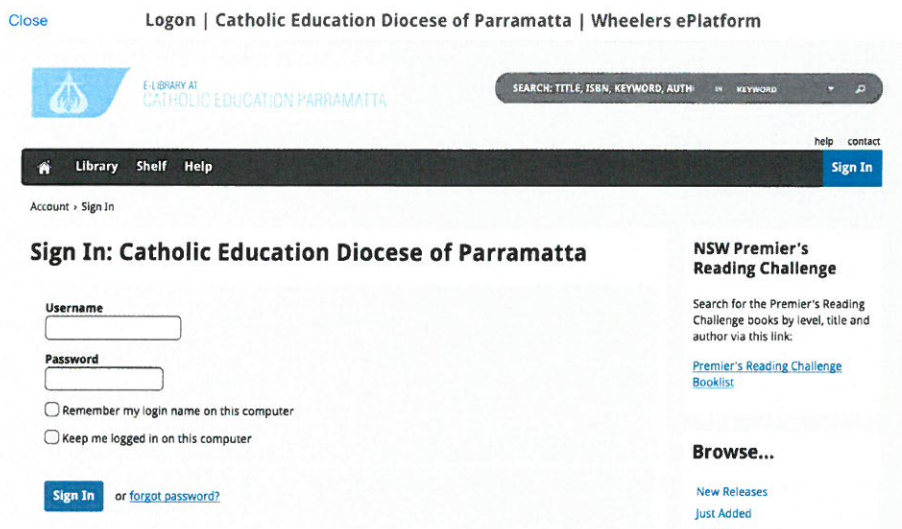
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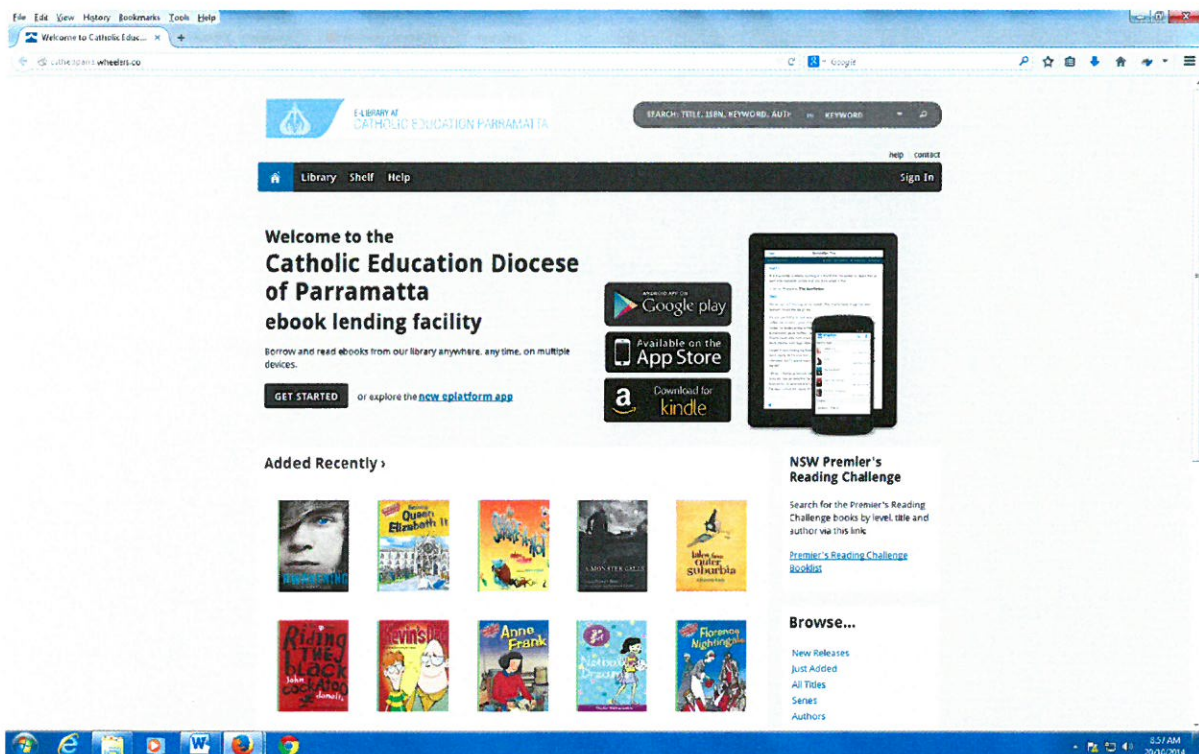
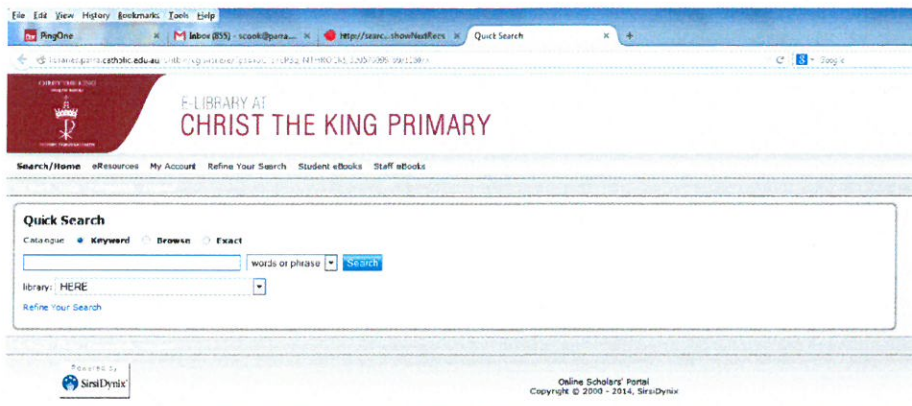
Students are able to borrow three books at a time for a period of two weeks. If you finish your book and wish to return it before the two weeks is up, go to your shelf. Once in shelf tap the shelf link again. This will take you to a page where you are able to return the book.

Remember if you share a device with your family at home, you must log off the app when you finish reading for the day (it is easy to logon each time you wish to read and the app remembers your place in the book!). This will ensure that younger brothers and sisters can not read books that are too old for them.

REMEMBER TO SHOW YOUR PARENTS OR TEACHER WHAT BOOK YOU HAVE CHOSEN SO THAT THEY CAN SHARE THE ENJOYMENT OF READING WITH YOU.

NOTE - You can also borrow and download eBooks from Wheelers through our school based library catalogue on both mobile devices, laptops and desktops. The library catalogue is found through our school website [ctknorthrocks.catholic.edu.au](http://ctknorthrocks.catholic.edu.au) under the Learning & Teaching tab, Holy Faith Library tab. There are two issues with this

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# CTK COMMUNITY NEWS

*Keep the chill out of your relationship this winter with a weekend together.* **A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend** is a Marriage Enrichment experience – set in peaceful, picturesque surroundings, away from the distractions of everyday life. During the weekend, couples have a unique opportunity to reconnect, rekindle and refresh their relationship. Give the greatest gift, that of your time alone - invest in your most precious asset ... your Marriage! **2015 Weekend Dates** **19-21 June** **11-13 September** **13-15 November**  
**Venue for Weekends:** Mount Carmel Retreat Centre, Varroville, NSW **To register contact:** Ardell & Bill Sharpe Tel. 02 4283 3435 or [wsharpe@bigpond.net.au](mailto:wsharpe@bigpond.net.au)

## **BUBBLE DOME** Term Two Holidays June/July 2015

Learning to Code, Smartphone Web and App Development, Minecraft Movies and Animation, Minecraft Robotics, Minecraft Tekkit, Minecraft Inventions and challenges. Students will learn invaluable skills in a fun and ever growing field. To Book online go to [www.bubbledome.com](http://www.bubbledome.com) or Email [info@bubbledome.co.nz](mailto:info@bubbledome.co.nz)

## **Sport 4 Schools July School Holiday Sports Clinics** For more information visit [www.sport4schools.com.au](http://www.sport4schools.com.au)

**Castle Hill Super Sports Days**, Inflatable Soccer & Netball Clinics Venue: Samuel Gilbert Public School, Gilbert Rd Castle Hill. Time: 9am-3pm. Age: 5-13. Dates: Week 1 - Tuesday 30th June, Wednesday 1st, Thursday 2nd & Friday 3rd July.

Week 2 - Tuesday 7th, Wednesday 8th, Thursday 9th, Friday 10th & Monday 13th July.

Cost: \$40 per child for 1 day or \$175 per child for 5 days.

### **Carlingford Super Sports Days**, Soccer & Netball Clinics

Venue: Roselea Oval, Roselea Way, Carlingford (Behind Carlingford High School). Time: 9am-3pm. Age: 5-13.

Dates: Week 1 - Monday 29th June, Tuesday 30th June, Wednesday 1st & Friday 3rd July.

Week 2 - Tuesday 7th, Wednesday 8th, Thursday 9th, Friday 10th & Monday 13th July. Cost: \$40 per child for 1 day or \$175 per child for 5 days.

**Inflatable Soccer Clinics Include:** inflatable soccer field, passing skills & drills, kicking technique sessions, attacking & defensive play, positional play, goal keeping, fun games of soccer & mini world cup tournament!

Netball Clinics Includes: passing, footwork, goal shooting & movement drills, positional play, attacking & defensive play and fun games of netball!

Super Sports Days Include: kids come play AFL, Basketball, Cricket, Dodge Ball, Netball, Soccer, Oz Tag, Touch Footy & T-Ball!

Bookings: Email your child's name, age, school, parents name & contact number to [sportsday@live.com.au](mailto:sportsday@live.com.au) or call Greg 0448 619 543.

## **NEXT LEVEL SPORTS CLINIC**

Winter Clinic 2015. Next level Sports Clinic is an active school holiday experience for primary school students. It's a fun two weeks with lots of activities, games, exercises and fitness talks. Our aim of improving confidence, fitness level and co-ordination. Spaces are limited so book now to avoid disappointment. Bookings are to be made by 26th June 2015. [nextlevelsports@live.com.au](mailto:nextlevelsports@live.com.au)

## OPEN Day

@ Learning in the Hills

## and Family FUN Day

**Family Fun!**

- Police
- Fire Brigade
- Jumping Castle
- GWS GIANTS Big Kick Inflatable target for kids and grown-ups! Prizes and giveaways for kids
- FREE Craft Activities
- Leo's BBQ
- Hills Daily Grind Coffee
- Painting
- Cake Decorating
- Crochet & Knitting
- Mah-jong & Chess
- 2nd Hand Book Sale
- CWA Devonshire Teas available to purchase

**Active Classrooms**

Observe & talk to students as they work

**Family Fun Day celebrates NAIDOC Week**

**School Holiday Craft Workshops** at Rouse Hill

**One Good Day Mt Druitt Indigenous Choir** 10.30am & 12.15pm

**Boomerang Decorating demonstration**

**Hand Art Canvas**

**Wednesday 8th July 10am - 1pm**

at Learning in the Hills  
Balcombe Heights Estate  
92 Seven Hills Road  
Baulkham Hills

**Thursday 2nd July & Tuesday 7th July**

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## **UNIVERSITY OF WESTERN SYDNEY SCHOOL OF COMPUTING, ENGINEERING AND MATHEMATICS ASTRONOMY PROGRAMS PENRITH OBSERVATORY**

**Thursday 2 July 10.00 am – 12 noon School Holiday Hands-on Science Rocket Workshop** Lots of fun for kids of all ages. Make and launch your own paper rocket and watch water rockets being launched. The program will also include a short presentation, a 3D astronomy movie and **SAFE** and detailed viewing of the sun through our telescopes (weather permitting). **Cost \$15 pp.**

**Saturday 4 July 7.00 pm – 9.00 pm School Holiday Astronomy Night** The evening will include a presentation, a 3D astronomy movie, a tour of the dome area and an opportunity to view the night sky through the observatory's telescopes.

**Thursday 9 July 10.00 am – 12 noon School Holiday Hands-on Science All Kinds of Aliens Workshop** The workshop will include hands-on science activities, a short presentation, a 3D astronomy movie, water rocket launches and **SAFE** and detailed viewing of the sun through our telescopes (weather permitting). **Cost \$15 per person**

**Saturday 11 July 7.00 pm – 9.00 pm Special Event Astronomy Night Naidoc Week Special Event Astronomy, Navigation and Science in Aboriginal Australia** talk by Professor Ray Norris. The evening will also include a 3D astronomy movie, a tour of the dome area and an opportunity to view the night sky through the observatory's telescopes.

**Bookings are essential:** [www.uws.edu.au/observatory](http://www.uws.edu.au/observatory) **Book and pay online:** [www.uws.edu.au/observatory](http://www.uws.edu.au/observatory), What's On