



Dates to Remember

Last day of term is Friday 2nd October
Students return to school on Monday 19th October
20th to 27th October Years 5 and 6 to Canberra

CANTEEN ROSTER

Oct.	2	Margaret	30	Margaret
Nov.	6	Rod / Peter	13	Leni / Marg
	20	Nicole	27	Terri
Dec.	4	Rod / Margaret (Last Day for 2009)		

Community News / Holiday Activities

Kangaroos Rugby League

Learn skills of the game and participate in Rugby League lead up games
Tuesday 13th October - 9.30 to 12.30 (pre-register)
District Park Broadmeadow (behind McDonalds)
Cost is \$25 - Information contact Helene O'Neill on 0411 159430

YWCA Vacation Care

24 Dawson Street Cooks Hill
6th to 16th October - 8am to 5.30pm
Cost \$40 per day including all excursions - Information contact 4929 2954

Stamp Collecting

A fun day of stamp-collecting activities will be run on Tuesday 13th October
Hamilton School Hall from 9.30 to 3pm
Please call Peter after 5pm on 4959 4078 for more information

ISLINGTON PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Term 3 - Week 10 - Thursday 1st October, 2009

Dear Parents/Caregivers

What a fantastic term this has been at Islington Public School. There have been many significant achievements made by all our students throughout the term. Recently the infants students have been busy working hard on starting to beautify our back playground. They have been given donations by Bunnings and Tyre Power to help with this process. It is amazing what kids can achieve! Even little ones! Term 4 is shaping up to be extremely busy already with Canberra, end of year celebrations and swimming school in what is already a short term.

Remember there is no staff development day and school resumes on Monday 19th December for all staff and students.

Have a safe and enjoyable holiday.

TAFE Sport: Mr Beeton's, Mr Lumley's and Ms Lee's classes have all been participating in sport at the TAFE this term. This is a fantastic opportunity for our kids to get some expert sport instruction by the fitness students at TAFE. It is also a great opportunity for kids to use some specialised equipment and to work in an environment outside of school.

New Hats: Orders for our new caps have been steadily flowing in. The hats will be ordered on the last day of term so that they will be here to start term 4. If you would like your child to have a new hat please order at the office. The hats are \$10 each.

NBN: Last Tuesday evening students from our school featured on the NBN 'Together Today' segment of the news. Congratulations to all the students for their fantastic work out in the community trying to raise awareness of improving the quality of our local waterways. Well done to Taylah for speaking and representing the school so well.

Stockland Stars: On Monday Mrs Laughlin took our star to Jesmond Stockland and it is now hanging as part of their display. This is a great opportunity for our school to raise some funds as shoppers get to choose a school to donate a percentage of their spending to. So, if you are heading out shopping over the holidays maybe try Jesmond Stockland and help raise



money for our school.

TAFE Students: Early next term students from the media department of TAFE will be working with students in Mr Lumley's class on designing and filming an ad that will run on NBN television. The ad will contain an environmental message about protecting the local waterways. This is a fantastic opportunity for these students with some real life applications beyond the classroom!

New Enrolments: 2010 will be here before you know it! If you have friends or know of people in our community who have school aged students and are looking to enrol them please pass on the school's number (4969 3903) so that they can contact me and I can tell them what a great place Islington Public School is.

Golden Circle Fun Run: Our students did a fine job of running around the oval on Tuesday for the Fun Run. Well Done everyone!!

P&C Xmas Stall: The P&C will be holding a Christmas Stall this year to enable students to buy a small gift for Mum/Dad/family. Could you please donate items that would be suitable for a stall.

Swimming School: At the beginning of next term information will come home about our school swimming program which will begin on 16th November and run for 2 weeks.

The Grainery Christian Network Presents
Festival in the Park
Sunday 25th Oct
11am - 3pm
George St Tighes Hill



Jesus
ALL ABOUT LIFE

Including Live Music, KOFM's Tanya Wilks, Games, Free Rides, Cafe, BBQ, Pet Show, Bike/Scooter Decorating Comp, Tighes Hill Public School Performances, Oakvale Farm Animal Display
For more info phone The Grainery on: 49695557

Sport News from Mr Beeton

League Tag: Well done to the following players who had a fun day at Minmi last week: Bailey Powell, Dylan Gould, Jack Johnson, Hayden Booth, Jake Kennedy, Daniel Burkitt, Teyan Blears, Danny and Riley O'Donnell, Taylah Lindgren, Vikki Kimber, Kate Williams and Chloe Lowrie. I would also like to thank Mrs Hopkins and Mr O'Donnell for transporting students to the event.

