



DATES TO REMEMBER – 2019

TERM 4

Week 5

Thu, 14 Nov Training Band 2020 Parent Information Night - 6.00pm

Week 6

Tue, 19 Nov Support Unit Excursion – Oakville Farm

Wed, 20 Nov Stage 1 Science Workshop (1 Yellow, 1 Red, 1/2 Purple, 2 Orange, 1/2 White)

Thu, 21 Nov Stage 1 Science Workshop (1 Orange, 2 Green, 2 Red, 2 Yellow)

Fri, 22 Nov P&C Disco

Week 7

Wed, 27 Nov Kindergarten Excursion – Calmsley Hill Farm

Thu, 28 Nov Year 6 Fun Day

Week 8

Tue, 3 Dec Combined Scripture Concert

Band Night of Excellence evening 7pm

Week 9

Tue, 10 Dec Swimming Carnival (Years 2-6)

Wed, 11 Dec Presentation Day

Year 6 Farewell

Week 10

Mon, 16 Dec School Picnic Day

Wed, 18 Dec Last day of term

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

Peakhurst Public School acknowledges the people of the Tharawal Nation, who are the traditional custodians of the land on which the school is built. We would also like to pay respect to the Elders past, present and future of the Tharawal Nation and extend that respect to all Aboriginal people involved with Peakhurst Public School.

AWARDS – Term 4, Weeks 3 & 4

CLASS AWARD

K Green	Tejas, Leyla, Branson, Inayah, Justin
K Orange	Mariam, Jamimah, Vasili, Baron
K Red	Benson, Idris, Lachlan, Yasmen
K Yellow	Isaac, Tiffany, Renee
1 Red	Alisa, Lucas, Zoha, Victoria
1 Orange	Sydney, Ayah, Milanna, Zoe
1 Yellow	Murphy, Arikali, Aliyah, Jack
1/2 Purple	Shubham, Hanna, Georgia, Michelle
1/2 White	Toan, Ali, Keven, Viktoria
2 Green	Lindsy, Sheminith, Ali, Narjes
2 Orange	Ryan, Yusha, Doris, Zara
2 Red	Shabdik, Nazek, Lachlan, Summer Rose
2 Yellow	Philip, Malak, Yan, Maya
3/4 White	Adam
3/4 Teal	Zeeshan
3/4 Magenta	Jessica
3/4 Aqua	Angelique
5/6 Aqua	Patrick
5/6 Blue	Safiyah
5/6 Purple	Joanne
5/6 Teal	Memphis
5/6 White	Ansh

BRONZE AWARD

K Green	Mohammad-Ali, Connor, Moussa
K Orange	Husayn, Rebecca
K Red	Rayhana
K Yellow	Israa, Derek
1 Red	Samuel, Chloe, Alisa
1 Orange	Elwin
1 Yellow	Adrian, Dylan, Jack
2 Red	Riley
3/4 White	Natalie, Ryan, Ethan, Angelina
3/4 Teal	Lynn
5/6 Aqua	Sia
5/6 Blue	Riley, Kenzy

SILVER AWARD

K Green	Hope B
1 Yellow	Lucas
3/4 White	Anastacia, Zahra, Fatima M, Daniel
5/6 Blue	Stephanie

SRC AWARD

K Green	Zane, Moussa
K Orange	Carlie, Jackson
K Red	Ali Redha
1 Red	Allen, Thomas
1 Orange	Jasper, Illyria
1 Yellow	Isabelle, Callum
1/2 Purple	Maddie, Shabhum
1/2 White	Jac

2 Green	William
2 Orange	Tamara, Dylan
2 Red	Summer-Rose
2 Yellow	Victoria, Maya
3/4 White	Anastacia
3/4 Teal	Dylan
3/4 Magenta	Brendan
3/4 Purple	Ashley
3/4 Blue	Pierre
3/4 Aqua	Arvin
5/6 Aqua	Slynn
5/6 Blue	Abdullah
5/6 Purple	Dane
5/6 White	Jamie

SPORTS NEWS

Congratulations to Taylor-Rose (5/6 Aqua) who competed in the state carnival for athletics last week. She was able to throw a personal best for discus and is congratulated on her effort this year!

PSSA SPORTS REPORT – 1 Nov

TEEBALL

Peakhurst	12	Lugarno	2
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SOFTBALL

Peakhurst	12	Lugarno	4
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GIRLS TOUCH FOOTBALL

JUNIOR

Peakhurst	2	Penshurst	1
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SENIOR

Peakhurst	3	Penshurst	1
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BOYS CRICKET

JUNIOR

Peakhurst	150	Lugarno	81
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SENIOR

Peakhurst	175	Lugarno	123
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PSSA SPORTS REPORT – 8 Nov

TEEBALL

Peakhurst	10	Narwee	5
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SOFTBALL

Peakhurst	7	Narwee	4
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GIRLS TOUCH FOOTBALL

JUNIOR

Peakhurst	0	Lugarno	4
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SENIOR

Peakhurst	3	Lugarno	2
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BOYS CRICKET

JUNIOR

Peakhurst	239	Narwee	95
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SENIOR

Peakhurst	198	Narwee	149
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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents and Caregivers

The heat, smoke and wind have made things uncomfortable this week for students and staff. On Tuesday we kept all inside during the day to try and minimise any reactions to the smoke and haze. We will continue to monitor our days to ensure all are safe and as comfortable as possible. If your child uses a puffer for asthma, please ensure they have their puffer at school.

Our thoughts go out to those families who have been directly impacted by fire.

Tell Them From Me Survey

Thank you to the many families that responded to the Tell Them From Me survey. The information from our school community helps to inform aspects of school life. It was particularly good to see the very positive comments about improved communication. Hopefully the new LED sign at the front of the school will help to keep you further informed. The signage is presently being constructed and Council permission is being sought.

There was a comment also about me meeting and greeting students as they arrive at school. I have taken this on board and will endeavour to get outside more often in the morning. This may mean that I am unable to hold as many appointments with families as they drop their child off in the morning, so I thank you for your understanding.

Public Speaking

Congratulations Hillary on your wonderful performance yesterday in coming 4th at the Metropolitan Public Speaking Grand Final. So much talent packed into a small package!



Discus Throwing

Congratulations to Taylor who threw a personal best at the State Athletics meet at Homebush. So much talent...in a slightly taller package!

Service to School

Leanne O'Flaherty has been nominated for the 2019 St George Community service award because of the volunteer work she does to support Peakhurst PS. She is a strong supporter of our P&C writing up minutes (despite not being the Secretary) and always raises her hand to help while maintaining a demanding job and being a doting mum. We are very proud to congratulate her on receiving this award.

Classes 2020

We are working through the process of trying to sort classes for 2020. In light of the adherence to the DEC Enrolment Policy, the numbers presently held by Peakhurst may mean we will have 27 classes not 28 as in this year. If you are leaving the school for 2020 would you please notify the office so we can make any adjustments. While, ideally we would like to put students directly into classes on Day 1 of 2020 this may not happen as we wait for numbers to settle.

Also, if you are going overseas and will not be returning for Day 1 2020 can you please put this in writing and drop the letter into the office.

Safety Around the School

Please consider the safety of students as you drive around our school. Keep within the 40km speed limit and do not call children across the road between cars. Our children are precious.

PARLIAMENT AND CIVICS EDUCATION REBATE (PACER)

Students from our school have recently undertaken an education tour of the national capital. Students were given the opportunity to participate in a variety of

educational programs with a focus on Australia's history, culture, heritage and democracy.

The Australian Government recognises the importance of all young Australians being able to visit the national capital as part of their Civics and Citizenship education. To assist families in meeting the cost of the excursion the Australian Government is contributing funding of \$20 per student under the Parliament and Civics Education Rebate program towards those costs. The rebate is paid directly to the school upon completion of the excursion.

SOUND WAVES

In week 6, Years 1-6 will be focusing on:



In week 7, Years 1-6 will be focusing on:



Students can access the Online Activities at home using their grade login at <http://www.soundwaveskids.com.au>

**Friday 22
November**

Yrs K-2 | 6.15pm - 7.15pm

Yrs 3-6 | 7.30pm - 8.30pm

Peakhurst Public School
P&C presents....

SCHOOL DISCO

Tickets available through <https://www.trybooking.com/BGKYF>

Cost \$8.00 per child (includes iceblock)

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