

Paddington Public School



Newsletter
Term 2, Week 2
10 May 2024

Message from Mrs Larkin

I trust that all our families have had a restful break and welcome back to what I'm sure will be another great term of learning for all our students.

Staff Development Day

As part of professional development, PPS staff participated in the annual COSIES Conference at Novotel Brighton-le-sands with eight other schools from the Eastern Suburbs on Monday 29 April. The staff focussed on the new curriculum and Staff Wellbeing. It was also a great opportunity for our staff to network with local schools.

Roof update

As you can all see the scaffold is still up on Block C. We are pleased to let the community know the Department of Education Asset team have advised that they will be completing the roof upgrade on Block C as originally planned. The new contractors started this week and today we took delivery of the roof sheeting. If weather permits the roof will be installed from next week and the completion date is expected to be the end of May. We will all be looking forward to the scaffold coming down and new roof being installed.

Messages from the office

Sibling Enrolments for Kindergarten 2025

If you have a sibling child who will be eligible for Kindergarten 2025, the school office is now taking enrolment applications online. The '**Application to enrol in a NSW Government school**' can be found by clicking on this link: <https://ehub.enrol.education.nsw.gov.au/schoolenrolment/?schoolCode=7432>

Walk and Talk Tours for Kindergarten 2025 Prospective Families

We are pleased to announce that we will be commencing walk and talk tours for prospective families. The first tour will be on Wednesday 15 May at 4pm. Please book into a tour by clicking on this link: <https://www.schoolinterviews.com.au/code/zczqx>

Please spread the word if you know anyone enrolling in 2025!

New date for Cross Country

Cross Country has been rescheduled for Tuesday 14 May at Trumper Park. Parents are welcomed to attend the event. We will commence at 9.30am and conclude at 11am weather permitting.

Covid Update

COVID-19 is still active in the community. We have been advised of a few reported cases at our school this week. Looking out for each other as the colder weather approaches by remembering to:

- Keep your children at home when they are unwell and not return until they have fully recovered.
- Washing your hands regularly and thoroughly. Maintaining good personal hand hygiene is the single most effective way to reduce the risk of transmission. Please encourage your children to wash their hands regularly and to use hand sanitiser.

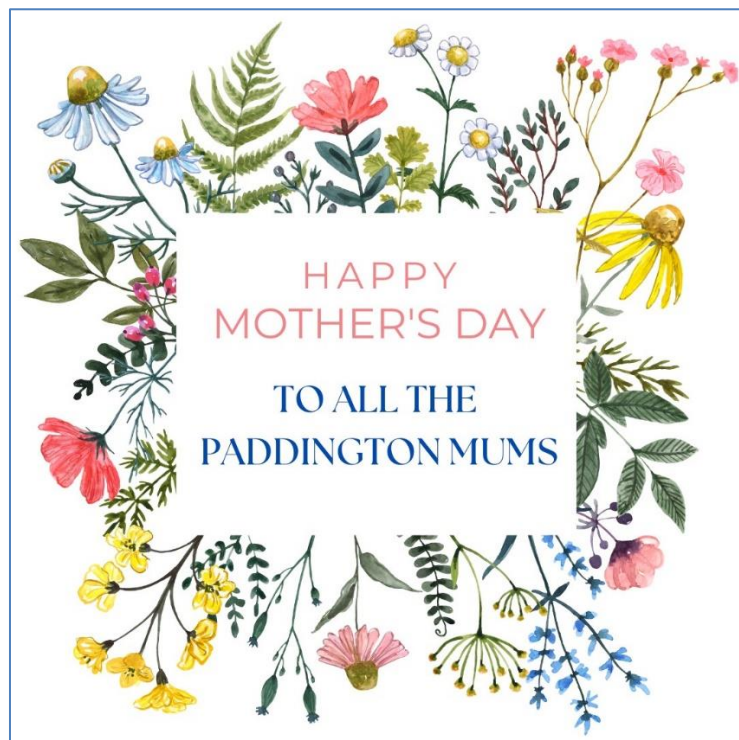
Winter school uniforms

From next week students are required to wear their winter uniform.

The uniform shop is current out of stock of Size 6 long sleeve blue polos. They have been ordered and with an expected arrival time of mid-June. All other items are in stock. The uniform shop is open each Thursday morning between 8.40am and 9.10am. Alternatively, orders can be made via email or popping into the school office.

Mural

Our mural on the wall near Gordon St Gate is now complete. We love the design of 'Inner City' and it was great our Year 6 students were able to be involved. This mural has brighten up our back entrance.



Calendar dates for 2024

Tuesday 14 May	Cross Country at Trumper Park
Wednesday 15 May	Twilight Walk and Talk at 4pm
Wednesday 22 May	Zone Cross Country event



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A tradition of empowering all learners



IS YOUR CHILD STARTING SCHOOL IN 2025?

We welcome you to join us for a tour of our school, meet our Principal, Assistant Principal and Kindergarten teachers.

The tours are a chance to have a look at our classrooms and school facilities.

At Paddington Public School every child is known, valued, understood and cared for with their individual potential realised.

Walk and Talk Tour

Wednesday 15 May at 4pm

please book into a tour using this web address
<https://www.schoolinterviews.com.au/code/zczqx>
(code for the event is zczqx)

or scanning this
QR code



Virtual Walk and Talk Tour

Access to the virtual tour is via our website
<https://paddington-p.schools.nsw.gov.au>

LUNCHTIME DANCE CLASSES

Get ready for more great dance classes at Paddington Public School!

THURSDAY LUNCHTIMES | SENIOR HIP HOP

FRIDAY LUNCHTIMES | JUNIOR HIP HOP

Children work towards various exciting projects throughout the year including school performances and dance videos!



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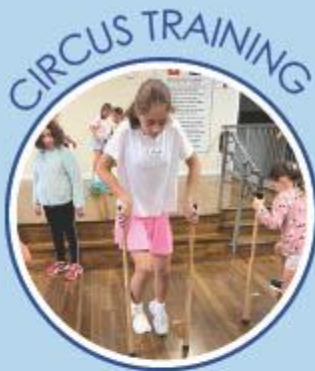
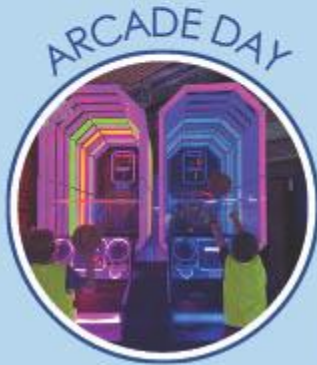
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