

Paddington Public School



Newsletter

Term 3, Week 10

27 September 2024

Message from Mrs Larkin

What an spectacular term! There is always something for everyone at Paddo. Our staff go above and beyond to ensure our students participate in valuable learning experiences both in and outside of the classroom.

Throughout the term, students have participated in a range of sport activities, entertained their families at our events including Grandparents Day, Colour Run, Illuminate Paddo and the Artshow.

The magic of reading shined at the Book Fair, Yr 5 & 6 debated a bill in Parliament House, Yr 3 & 4 had a hands on history experience as pioneers, Kindergarten enjoyed a tractor ride at the farm and Yr 1 & 2 were amazed by the acrobatic circus at the Opera House. The Paddo Sing Group had their first performances and I think everyone will agree how fantastic they were.

Thank you to our families for supporting our school initiatives.

Enjoy the school holidays.

Messages from the office

Term 4

All **students** and staff return to school on Monday 14 October. A reminder in Term 4 students are to wear the summer uniform. The support we receive from our school community regarding high expectations of the wearing of correct school uniform is greatly appreciated.

School hats are bucket hats for students in Kindergarten to Year 5 and a cap for Year 6. While it is nice for students to wear caps supporting their favourite football team **this is not part of the school uniform**, and these hats should be saved to wear after school or on the weekend. If your child does not have a school bucket hat, they are available for sale from the office or the uniform shop.

School Fees

School Fees for Term 3 and 4 have been charged to student accounts this week, these are to be paid by Thursday 31 October 2024.

The fees are to cover costs paid by the school for activities during Terms 3 & 4, including the employment of specialist teaching staff in sport and music.

Fee Schedule is:

1. **Fit Futures** – Term 3 Gymnastics
2. **Dance2benefit** – Term 4 Dance
3. **Music Program** – Term 3 and 4
4. **Incursions** – Book Week (21 Aug) – Kindergarten to Year 4 and Amazing me (21 & 28 Oct) Yr 5 & 6.

Calendar dates for 2024

Monday 14 October	First day for Term 4 – Staff and Students
Friday 18 October	PSSA Summer Sport commences
Friday 18 October	Swimming Lessons for Year 2 and Non-PSSA Students commences
Monday 21 October	Amazing Me (All about Puberty) – Yr 5 & 6
Monday 28 October	Amazing Me (All about Puberty) – Yr 5 & 6
Wednesday 20 November	Kindergarten 2025 Parent Information Session & Playdate
Wednesday 27 November	Big Day at School for Kindergarten 2025 students
Friday 6 December	Last day for Summer PSSA
Thursday 12 December	Recognition Day at Paddington Town Hall (9.45am – 11am please note this time may be subject to change)
Wednesday 18 December	Last day of 2024 for Students and Staff

The date for Paddo Performs is in negotiations with the Paddo RSL we will hopefully have this confirmed early Term 4.

StarTimeLive

JOIN OUR SPRING HOLIDAY **FILM CONTEST**

Unleash your creativity in our Slapstick and Reverse Filmmaking Competition!

- Access to fun how-to videos
- Livestreamed film festival showcasing finalists
- Cash prizes for Junior and Senior winners!

REGISTER TO ENTER
Scan the QR Code



1ST PRIZE **\$150**

2ND PRIZE **\$75**

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CREATE SOME FUN!

LEARN HOW
Watch and participate in the online course.

Slapstick Film Competition
Create your own silent movie scene with hilarious slapstick tricks.
Entries Close: 2nd October
Livestream Event: 5:30pm, 4th October

Reverse Filmmaking Competition
Master reverse effects to create magical short films.
Entries Close: 9th October
Livestream Event: 5:30pm, 11th October

StarTime Live is a new platform in Beta mode that goes beyond fun. It's a creative hub where children explore learning adventures from various educators. It's a secure space to gain skills and connect with peers. Perfect for Kids who love digital interaction and parents who value enriching screen time.

Registration
Entry Fee: \$20
Includes access to both competitions.

Scan the QR code to enter or receive more information about the competition.

JUNIORS 9-12 YEARS OLD **SENIORS 13-15 YEARS OLD**



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SCHOOL HOLIDAYS START NEXT MONDAY 30TH!



Paddington
Vacation Care

30th SEPT

Excursion



JUMP'D Trampoline Park

Trampoline Park Excursion, group games, fun crafts

2nd OCT

Excursion



Spring BBQ

Centennial Park, BBQ picnic lunch, scavenger hunt

1st OCT

Incursion

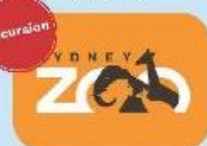


Junior Architects

Building Incursion, construction, STEM activities

3rd OCT

Excursion



Sydney Zoo

Explore the zoo, close encounters, animal bingo,

4th OCT

Incursion



Chemistry Cook Up

Explosive Science incursion, cooking science, edible science

8th OCT

Incursion



Backyard Bugs

Backyard bugs incursion, bug craft, imagination play

9th OCT

Excursion



Soccer World Cup

Soccer skills excursion, penalty shoot outs, face painting

10th OCT

Excursion



Parkour Obstacle Course

Parkour obstacle course excursion, bubble play

11th OCT

Excursion



Cinema Day

Play space excursion, sweet treats, 'Harold & the Purple Crayon' in a private cinema

RELIABLE
PROFESSIONAL
CARING
ENGAGING
and most of all,
fun for your kids

- Open to all kids 5-12 years
- 30th Sept - 11th Oct
- 8:30 AM to 5:30PM
- Easy online bookings

HOW TO BOOK

Already enrolled at POOSC?
Book through your OWNA app

New to POOSC?
Simply enrol via our website
www.poosc.com.au OR
Scan the QR Code below



Childcare subsidy
available on all
activities for all eligible
families

poosc.com.au



Paddington Public School

Term 4, before, during and after school activities

New for Term 4 - Basketball

Contact providers to enrol or for more info

TERM 4 AT
Paddington Public School

sports x
sports for better minds

BASKETBALL

ACTIVE KIDS

EVERY FRIDAY / 3.00 - 4.00pm
Starting October 25th [8-week program] \$141

FUN-BASED | FULLY INCLUSIVE | FOR ALL ABILITIES

Kindy - Year 6 // Sessions will be run by qualified coaches who hold Working with Children Checks // Children will be split into age groups

CONTACT
Chris: Chrisd@sports-x.com.au
0435 994 894

REGISTRATION
Scan QR code
or visit sports-x.com.au/sydney/




SUPER STRIKERS ACADEMY


AFTER-SCHOOL SOCCER

MONDAY AFTER SCHOOL


PADDINGTON PUBLIC SCHOOL

- ✓ Develop Fundamentals
- ✓ Teamwork & Communication
- ✓ Build Confidence
- ✓ Fun Games & Challenges
- ✓ Friendly, Expert Coaches

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PIANO, CELLO & VIOLIN LESSONS

WITH MISS LILY

During school time.
Please contact Miss Lily for more info - lilyinnis123@gmail.com

The school has violins which you can hire at a reduced fee.



SYDNEY ACADEMY OF CHESS Est 199

Learn to be a chess champion!
Mondays from 8:00am to 8:50am

Enrolment:

email: enrol@sydneyacademyofchess.com.au

phone: (02) 9745 1170

PADDINGTON P.S. DRAMA SCENE

Celebrating 21 years of Drama Scene @ Paddington

TRY A **FREE** DRAMA CLASS

Themed Drama Games - Improvising - Play Making

**KINDERGARTEN
YEAR 1 - YEAR 2**

Tuesdays @ Lunch Time

IN THE LIBRARY

TERM 4

starts

22 OCTOBER



dramascene.com.au

REGISTRATION - WhatsApp Steph 0407 235 914



Kids Karate at Paddington PS

Wednesday afternoons in the hall

Beginners: 4pm to 4:45pm



Since 2004 Key Martial Arts has helped kids to unlock their potential through fun and engaging martial arts classes that develop confidence, focus, coordination and self-esteem

**Book your
free trial**



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AFTER SCHOOL ART CLASSES

**3:00-5:00 PM WEDNESDAYS
PADDINGTON PRIMARY SCHOOL**



WHAT WE OFFER

- convenient on-site classes
- fun and engaging program
- open to all students K-6
- run by qualified art teachers
- \$325 - 8 week term
- Creative Kids provider
- drawing, painting, printing and more!

**ENROLMENTS
NOW OPEN
ONLINE**



admin@classartzacademy.com.au

www.classartzacademy.com.au

HIP HOP DANCE @ PADDINGTON PS!

Register your child for this fun and energetic dance program at Paddington Public School!

The program works towards fun school performances and cool dance videos which gives every child the chance to shine like the star they are.

Our hip hop groups have now also been invited to perform at the school's annual Paddo Performs show!

MONDAY LUNCHTIMES | JUNIOR HIP HOP (K - Y2)
THURSDAY LUNCHTIMES | SENIOR HIP HOP (Y3 - 6)



TO REGISTER, GO TO DZP.COM.AU
Creative & Active Service NSW vouchers accepted



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RICKYS
MUSIC TUITION

GUITAR LESSONS

NOW AVAILABLE!

Giving Primary School students the **confidence & experience** to be **real musicians** with skills that will last a lifetime.

WHY LEARN GUITAR?
It is the backbone of nearly all music genres; pop, rock, alternative, jazz, blues, classical & more!

CONTACT RICKY TO BOOK YOUR SPOT NOW
E enrol@rickysmusictuition.com.au
0431 524 870

STUDENTS OF ALL AGES



FAMILY FUN DAY!

Free activities for children up to 12 years at the Parliament of NSW

Visit Australia's oldest Parliament to learn about democracy in NSW, and join in the fun for young citizens, future leaders and their families.

Friday 11 October 9.30am – 3pm

- Visit our heritage rooms
- Learn how to vote and make a law
- Give a speech for an election campaign
- Participate in a committee role play
- Make craft animals and objects
- Enjoy live music and more...






FREE ENTRY
Activities 9.30am to 3pm

LOCATION
Parliament of New South Wales,
6 Macquarie Street
Opposite Martin Place

The public café will be open.

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL



P: (02) 9230 2047 or
E: dps.education@parliament.nsw.gov.au



SCHOOL HOLIDAY program

PROGRAMS



LOWER PRIMARY
(5-7 years)



UPPER PRIMARY
(8-11 years)



SECONDARY
(12-17 years)

Sessions include:

- 🌿 A behind-the-scenes tour of our shelters.
- 🌿 Fun and interactive animal focused activities.
- 🌿 Get hands on making enrichment toys.
- 🌿 Meet-and-Greet sessions with shelter animals.
- 🌿 Learn how to be an animal advocate in your community.

📍 **Sydney Education and Adoption Centre**
201 Rookwood Road, Yagoona NSW 2199



RSPCA NSW Education Team

📞 02 9782 4478 ✉️ education@rspcansw.org.au
🌐 <https://events.humanitix.com/host/rspca-nsw>



SMALL GROUP SIZES

3 HOUR WORKSHOPS
\$59 - 1 SESSION
\$110 - 2 SESSIONS
\$165 - 3 SESSIONS
\$220 - 4 SESSIONS

SCHOOL HOLIDAY CREATIVE WORKSHOPS

CREATIVE CLASSES FOR CREATIVE KIDS

**THE CULTURAL HUB,
WOOLLAHRA GALLERY**

9.30AM - 12.30PM - AGES 5-11



WEEK 1 - TUESDAY 1ST OF OCTOBER & THURSDAY 3RD OF OCTOBER
WEEK 2 - WEDNESDAY 9TH OF OCTOBER & THURSDAY 10TH OF OCTOBER

GET IN TOUCH TO BOOK A SPOT NOW!



ALL MATERIALS PROVIDED

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hanrenshaw@gmail.com

JUNIOR BASKETBALL ACADEMY the Y

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CHURCH IN THE MARKETPLACE

REGISTER NOW!

Sept 30 - Oct 4
Oct 8 - 11

AGES 5-14
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FAMILY SAVER

\$6* KIDS TICKETS FOR CLUB DENDY MEMBERS

\$8* KIDS TICKETS FOR NON-MEMBERS

THURSDAY SEP 12 - SUNDAY OCT 13

*ONLY VALID TO FAMILY SAVER SESSIONS BEFORE 5PM
Booking fees apply for online bookings. Not valid for special events, public holidays, or in conjunction with any other offer. Kids tickets are applicable for children 14 years and under. Offer ends Oct 13.

dendy.com.au