From the Principal’s desk
Assessing & Reporting
The teachers are in the midst of preparing the children’s reports which will be sent home at the end of this term. The teachers have spent many weeks organising and collecting assessment data so they have the most accurate picture of your child’s learning at this point in time. Reports will go home on the last day of term. If your child/ren will not be at school on this day, you can collect your reports early in Term 3.

New Citizenship Award Sponsor
Thanks to Christine Agapiou from Oopsy Daisy for her sponsorship of our Citizenship Award over many years. Unfortunately, this arrangement is coming to an end so we are seeking parents with businesses who would like to take over. Our Citizenship Awards are handed out in Weeks 5 and 10, so there are eight awards in total throughout the year. If you would like to be involved, send me an email: owen.taylor@det.nsw.edu.au.

Multicultural Public Speaking Finalists
The final of the Multicultural Public Speaking competition will be held at Cammeray PS on Monday 22nd June. Congratulations to Isabella Anderson and Maddie Frawley who will represent Stage 3 and to Isabella White and Annabel Filmer who will represent Stage 2. I know the girls will represent our school with pride.

Trivia Nights
It’s great to see both our trivia nights fully subscribed for this year. This is the first year we have organised two nights to cater for demand. The host, Philip Cornwall, always does a great job and is very entertaining. Don’t forget your gold coins for the games in between rounds and may the best team win.

Traffic Committee
I would like to thank Adrian Molloy, our P&C vice president, for his support at the recent Warringah Council Traffic Committee meeting. The committee which included police, political and Council representatives seemed very responsive to our request to extend the kiss and drop zone by a further 30m and were interested in our views regarding traffic management around our school. We will be made aware of the committee’s decision shortly.

Area Cross Country
Best of luck to Riley Coates, Josh Read, Evie Coulter, Thomas Klem, Scarlett Davies, Alyssa Medved, Hamish Purdy and Jules Cockerill, who are competing at the Sydney North Area Cross Country Carnival tomorrow. These children are representing not only our school but also the 12 schools within the Manly Zone PSSA at this event.

Mufti Day for the School of St Jude
Next Wednesday, we will be holding a Mufti Day to raise money for the School of St Jude. The boys and girls can all come to school in bright, colourful clothing and bring along a gold coin donation for a good cause.

P&C Meeting
I look forward to seeing many of you at our P&C Meeting tonight in the school library from 7:30pm.

Owen Taylor
Principal

Important Dates

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PBL Focus

Be Respectful – Speak respectfully to everyone

PBL Matrix

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From the Deputy Principal’s Desk
I love to spend time in classrooms. I enjoyed learning from 3W last week, as they used their iPads in visual literacy, discussing what early drawings were telling us about the colonisation of Australia. This week I have been asking the students “What do you come to school for?” The emphasis was on the “you” and it was quite challenging for them to think and answer on their own behalf. Students often play a game, teachers know as “Guess what I’m thinking,” where students try to work out what the teacher wants them to say and respond accordingly. Once we got past that, there were a range of answers, some relating to specific aspects of learning, others about being and belonging as well as variations in between; “I come to learn my spelling words so I can write.” “I come to see and play with my friends.” You might like to try asking the question with your own children.

Little Sydney Lives Competition
Calling all our budding photographers, get out your iphone, iPad or camera and enter. The City of Sydney is inviting children aged three to 11 years to submit their best snaps of Sydney for the annual Little Sydney Lives competition. As part of Art & About Sydney, Little Sydney Lives encourages junior photographers to give their unique take on our city, with 20 finalist images blown up and showcased in an outdoor exhibition in Hyde Park from 18 September to 11 October. The competition is calling for entrants in two age categories – three to seven and eight to eleven. The winner of each category receives a gift voucher to the value of $500 and will be announced at the opening night of the exhibition. Entries to Little Sydney Lives open from 1 June and close 5pm on 17 July 2015. Follow the link for all details http://www.artandabout.com.au/little-sydney-lives-competition-2015/

Junior Scientia (Years 3-6)
GERRIC has finalised its lineup for the June-July School Holiday programs for students who are interested in a challenge in Science. The programs are run at UNSW and are designed to provide genuine challenge for highly interested and able kids. For further information follow the link below. https://education.arts.unsw.edu.au/about-us/gerric/forgifted-students/junior-scientia-3-6/

University of NSW Writing Competition – ICAS
Wednesday June 17th June is the date for our UNSW Writing Competition. Children are required to be at their designated classroom by 7.50am for an 8.00am start. Please see classroom allocation below:

- Year 3 Writing in 6S classroom
- Year 4 Writing in 5M classroom
- Year 5 Writing in 5P classroom
- Year 6 Writing in 6W classroom.

Please note that if children are absent for the test there is no makeup time available. Remember to bring a lead pencil, eraser and sharpener.

3 – 6 Assembly
This week’s 3 – 6 assembly will be led by 5BP and they will also entertain us with an item. We welcome parents and friends to join us on Thursday 11th June, please be seated in the hall at 2.20pm.

Smiles look adorable, we should wear them more often. Joan Rivers

Marita Nieuwenhuis
Deputy Principal

P&C News
The P&C will be holding a special meeting to discuss the operation of the BNPS Kulkuna before and after school care operations Tuesday 16th June, 7.30pm in the Library. We welcome everyone from the school community to participate and hope that you will join us for an open discussion on the operation of the Out of School Hours (OOSH) service. Should you like more details or wish to discuss any of this further, please feel free to contact members of the P&C or Kulkuna Committees at any time.

The P&C and Kulkuna Committees
Musical Notes

“Music is well said to be the speech of angels.”
Thomas Carlyle (1795-1881) Scottish Philosopher, Writer, Historian and Teacher

Congratulations to all of our wonderful musicians for continuing to practice and work hard this term in readiness for their performances at the Northern Beaches Festival of Music.
Congratulations to our Conductors and tutors who work with and provide wonderful opportunities for our musicians.

Individual Exam Achievement
Congratulations to Josephine Roumanoff for obtaining an A in her Grade 1 AMEB violin exam.

Disco
Polish your dancing shoes for our Heroes and Villains theme disco on Thursday 18th June.
Times: K – 2: 4.30pm – 5.45pm
3 – 6: 6.30pm – 8.00pm
Tickets: $12.00 available through Flexischool

Important Dates
11 June - Band Committee meeting 7.30pm @ 5 Illalong Avenue, North Balgowlah - all welcome.
13 June - Northern Beaches Festival of Music for String Ensembles
   Senior Strings: 12.30pm - 2.00pm.
   Beginner Strings: 3.30pm - 5.00pm
18 June - School Disco - K-2: 4.30pm – 5.45pm
   Years 3-6: 6.30pm - 8.00pm
20 June - Northern Beaches Festival of Music for Intermediate and Concert Bands
   Intermediate Band: 4.00p - 5.35pm.
   Concert Band: 5.45pm - 7.20pm
21 June - Northern Beaches Festival of Music for Training Band: 5.10pm - 6.20pm
   With just a few days until the strings performances and just over a week for the bands' performances at the Northern Beaches Festival of music, can you please ensure that all pieces being performed are being practised at home and with tutors in lessons.
25 June - Concert Band workshop and K-6 assembly performance with Forest High School Band

Make a Difference (MAD)

PLEASE DONATE
Unwanted Board Games, Children’s Books and Magazines.
As part of the Make A Difference Project that year six is involved in.
All Donations are going to Stewart House.
Please place in box provided on the Verandah outside 6S.

Tennis
As part of our Make a Difference Project, the Y6 boys will open the tennis courts every Wednesday after the eating bell for the rest of the term. You will get ten minutes to have a game with your friends.

You can play singles or doubles games. No experience required. A maximum of 3 other people may come along to help as ball boys or girls.

Sign up for a game and remember to bring your sports shoes! Rackets and balls will be provided.

Raising money for the Manly Womens Shelter

If you have not already done so, can you please send your child/ren’s tutor email details to bnpsband@hotmail.com
Jenny Mercer
School Band Liaison
Sports Report

Date: 5th June
Round: 5

Girls Soccer

**Opponents**
- Senior A: Curl Curl North
- Senior B: Manly West
- Junior A: Curl Curl North
- Junior B: Manly West

**Score**
- 1-0 win
- 3-0 loss
- 1-0 win
- 4-0 loss

**Best & Fairest**
- Elsie Watson-Clarke
- Zoe Johnstone
- Leah Burton
- Meagan Hearne

Boys Soccer

**Opponents**
- Senior B1: Manly Vale
- Senior B2: Balgowlah Heights
- Junior B1: Manly Vale
- Junior B2: Balgowlah Heights

**Score**
- 9-0 (win)
- 1-3 (loss)
- 3-0 (win)
- 0-1 (loss)

**Best & Fairest**
- Team Effort
- Mitch Gerrie
- Harper Philpot
- Charlie Brown

Netball

**Opponents**
- Senior A: Balgowlah Heights
- Senior B: Seaforth
- Senior C: Seaforth

**Score**
- 8-24 (loss)
- 2-22 (loss)
- 1-15 (loss)

**Best & Fairest**
- Chloe Mason
- Mia Schwartz
- Sofia Walia

Netball

**Opponents**
- Junior A: Seaforth
- Junior B White: Narraweena

**Score**
- 11-3 (win)
- 4-2 (loss)
- 0-23 (loss)
- 0-14 (loss)

**Best & Fairest**
- Jessie Emmerton
- Sophia Gudman
- Frankie McManus
- Jessica Shearer

Netball

**Opponents**
- Netta Red: Manly West
- Netta White: Harbord
- Netta Blue: Curl Curl North

**Best & Fairest**
- Olivia Callanan
- Rahni Holmes
- Olivia Tully

Rugby League

**Opponents**
- Senior A: Manly West
- Junior B: Harbord
- Senior B: Manly Village

**Score**
- Lost by default
- Won 36 - 0
- Won 18 - 12

**Best & Fairest**
- Tahi Levasa
- Sarah Mazaraki

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**Term 2 Week 8**

**Wednesday, 10th June 2015**

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**July School Holiday Camps**

**Multisport Program**

Tennis • Soccer • Hockey • Basketball • DodgeBall • Cricket • Volleyball • T-Ball

Don’t miss the opportunity to join the famous holiday camps at the WRC North Manly. Children will enjoy lots of different sports. There will be coaching, competitions and tons of fun. We also have a full wet weather program in case of rain.

**Dates**
- Week 1: June 29 – July 3
- Week 2: July 6 – 10

**Times**
- 8am to 6pm (activities between 9am and 3pm)

**Costs**
- $40 per day* or $150 per week*
- $275 for 10 days*

*Early Bird Special - Price available until 19th June

Book and pay online at www.voyagertennis.com and click on the North Manly tab

Enquiries: Contact wrctennis@voyagertennis.com or call 9938 1831

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**Term 3 WRC North Manly Tennis and Sports After School Program**

FREE TENNIS OR MULTISPORT LESSON OFFER

Book your child in for a free tennis or multisport lesson today before the new term begins. Call 9938 1831 or email wrctennis@voyagertennis.com

Bus pick-ups every day after school from Monday to Friday. Available for new clients only.

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**North Balgowlah Community Centre**

**Winter Holiday ART workshop + Term 3**

**Truly Scrumptious** 1st July

Sculpt & paint ice cream sundaes. Cupcake canvas painting + collage.

**Art Explorers** 8th July


**Out of this World** 10th July

Fantasy painting on canvas with glitz, gems & metallic paints. Watercolour collage adventure scenes. Spacelysks scratch art drawing.

**Age:** 5-10  **time:** 11-2pm  **cost:** $55

**Term 3 After School Program**

- Wed 3.30-5.00  5-7’s $200
- Thurs 3.30-5.15  7-10’s $215

8 week term starts 22nd July

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**HOLIDAY CAMPS**

**DATES:**

**WEEK 1**
- Monday 29th June to 3rd July

**WEEK 2**
- Monday 6th July to 10th July

**PRICING:**
- $30/day, $125/week (5 days)

**WHAT TO BRING:**
- Hat, drink, recess, and racquet (free hire available)

**TIME:**
- 9:00am-12:30pm – Tennis
- 12:30pm-1:00pm – Lunch (optional)

**SCHEDULE:**
- 9:00 – 10:30am – Tennis skills
- 10:30-11:00am – Recess
- 11:00 – 11:30am – Multi-sports
- 11:30 – 12:30pm – Games and matchplay

To book phone 9907-9180

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