



Burnside Public School

Newsletter

Student Growth & Attainment Collaborative Learning Learning Identity & Wellbeing

TERM 1 Week 11

Thursday 6 April 2023

Monday	24 April	Staff Development Day
Tuesday	25 April	ANZAC Day public holiday ANZAC Dawn Service 4.30am
Wednesday	26 April	Students return for Term 2
Thursday	27 April	Cross Country Carnival K-6
Thursday	4 May	School Photos
Friday	12 May	Mother's Day Stall
Friday	12 May	PSSA Starts

Principal's Message

Burnside Community

What a wonderful end to a great term. Thank you to our community for being so enthusiastic this week with the Easter Hat & Crazy Hair Parade, P&C raffle, the cupcake stall and the ANZAC Service that was held for the first time at our 100 years celebration flag pole area. The Easter Hat and Crazy Hair Parade was a lovely way for the students to join together with each other and our community. Thank you to our School Captains who all did a great job during the ANZAC Service and to our wonderful SRC students who represented their classes so respectfully. It was wonderful seeing some of our students wearing family medals this year. A huge thank you to Mr Van Asperen for playing the Last Post and the Rouse for our service. A very special thank you to Morgan's grandfather who came with medals from several generations of his family. KA was extremely fortunate to have an opportunity to ask him questions and see all the medals up close. What an amazing community we have at Burnside.

Congratulations Mrs Bromwich

Unfortunately Mrs Bromwich will not be returning to Burnside as she has been permanently appointed to the position of Principal Matthew Pearce Public School from next term. She has sent a message to the school community and I know that her time at Burnside will be always be remembered fondly by the staff, students and families. I will continue in the principal role in term 2 and look forward to leading this great school community.

ANZAC Dawn Service

The school will be placing a wreath at the City of Parramatta RSL sub-branch ANZAC Dawn Service at the War Memorial and Cenotaph, Prince Alfred Square, Parramatta. If any students would like to join us at the 4.30am service they are most welcome. If students attend the service, please wear your Burnside winter uniform.

The staff and I wish everyone a very safe and happy holiday. I hope everyone enjoys spending time with friends and family. We would like to thank you for your support over the past eleven weeks and we all look forward to more exciting teaching and learning opportunities with the amazing students at Burnside.

Easter Hat & Crazy Hat and Hair Parade







Thank you Year 6 for the Cake Stall

Thank you to the year 6 parents and students for their contributions to the cake stall. There was almost \$750 raised from the stall, well done everyone.



ANZAC Service



Week 10 Awards



Week 11 Awards



OC Test Application

Applications for Year 5 entry to an opportunity class in 2024 will open on Thursday 30 March 2023 and close on Monday 15 May 2023.

The below link takes you to the Year 5 Application page that links to the actual application form.

<https://education.nsw.gov.au/public-schools/selective-high-schools-and-opportunity-classes/year-5.html>

Opportunity classes help students learn by:

- grouping them with other high potential and gifted students
- using special teaching methods so students can learn concepts in more detail and more quickly.
- supporting their wellbeing needs.

Most students in opportunity classes enjoy learning more when their classmates have similar abilities and interests.

There are 45 schools located in metropolitan Sydney each year.

Opportunity classes are unzoned so you can apply no matter where you live in NSW.

Students successfully placed attend the opportunity class full time in Years 5 and 6 at the relevant public school. In the majority of cases, students who have accepted a place in an opportunity class will leave their current school to attend the school with the opportunity class.

Mind Quest 23

On Saturday & Sunday 3 & 4 June 2023 the 98th NSW Talent Enrichment Weekend **MindQuest** will be held for primary students from Years 1-6 at Glenwood HS. These include fit and high potential students, gifted underachievers and students with above average ability with a special interest. Students will have an opportunity to participate in over **35 exciting, fast paced courses in the two day program**. They include courses in chemistry, earth sciences, drama, lego robotics, art and much more. The cost of the weekend is **\$240** (including GST).

Contact the school for a brochure or ring Shelagh Poray on 02 9748 1084.

Closing date is Friday 12 May 2023.

School Bytes School Finance System

We are excited to announce our school will be transitioning to an upgraded School Bytes finance system on 9 May 2023!

In preparation for the transition to a simplified finance system for both you and the school, we will be required to implement a short payment lockout period where we will not be able to receive any payments.

What this means for you?

- **No payments can be made online from 9am, Tuesday 2nd May 2023.**
- **Last day to make cash or EFTPOS payments will be close of business on Tuesday 2nd May 2023.**

We will advise you when payments can resume closer to the above date. Any existing payment links that have been sent to you previously in emails can still be used after the transition and will automatically redirect to the new system. After the transition, a School Bytes portal will be available for you to register and begin using (Link: <https://portal.schoolbytes.education>). All previous payments made will be migrated to the new School Bytes finance system and portal.

What is the School Bytes portal?

The School Bytes portal provides flexibility for you to conveniently:

- Make school payments online (including paying for multiple siblings at once)
- Use a family credit to pay for an activity or school contributions
- Download a receipt for payments made
- View all historical payments in one place
- Complete and submit digital permission notes
- View the status of all permission notes
- Request a refund if required, this can be done where you want at any time: day or night. Through the portal, you will easily be able to download a receipt once a payment has been made and have access to view all historical payments when needed. Online payments are processed in real-time and can be viewed by school staff immediately. While our preference is for payments to be made via the portal, we will still accept payment via cash, money order and EFTPOS.

Notes/Money to be Returned

School Fees and Family Voluntary Contributions	overdue
Cross Country Permission Note	overdue
PSSA Winter – Selected Students (\$130 per student)	due by Friday 28 April
NSW Schoolhouse Museum Stage 1 (Year 1 &2)	due by Thursday 27 April

Congratulations to the P&C Raffle Winners - \$1000 raised



Easter Raffle Hamper Sponsor

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<https://www.mathnasium.com.au/carlingford>

P&C Volunteers Requested

P&C has several exciting events lined up for this year, to raise money for the school and students, and also so we can all come together as a community again.

As with anything, many hands make light work, so we would really love some volunteers to help us with various projects. It would be just a few hours over the course of the year.

If you are able to help - please email us at burnsidepublicpandc@gmail.com or pop into the office and let Carol or the ladies know your contact details and when you are free.

Volunteering is a great way to help our school and meet other parents, so it would be great to see as many people as we can!

P&C Uniform Shop

School Uniforms can be ordered any time using the online ordering system by visiting <https://bopple.app/burnside-public-school-uniform-shop> or using the QR Code.

Also, the school uniform shop is open every Friday from 8.45am to 9.15am where you can purchase new and second hand clothing.

The Premier's Back to School NSW Vouchers can be accepted but parents must come to the Uniform Shop to complete the order.



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Cumberland High School High Potential Gifted Education Program



Applications are now open for Cumberland High School's High Potential Gifted Education Program for Year 7 2024.

Five academic scholarships to the value of \$982 each are also on offer.

Details of this academic opportunity and application forms can be found on our website at <http://www.cumberland-h.schools.nsw.gov.au> in the About our School/Enrolment sections. An application form can be downloaded and submitted to our office. Applications close on Wednesday, 19 July 2023

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Date: Friday 21st April
10am - 12pm and
2pm - 4pm

Location: Parramatta
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