

Principal: Megan Lockery Deputy Principal K-2: Angela Mustaca Relieving Deputy Principal 3-6: Cyrus Katrak

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Wednesday 20 February

Finals Night Swimming Carnival

Friday 22 February

Pink Stumps Day

Monday 25 - Wednesday 27 February

Year 5 Camp

**Tuesday 26 February** 

Years 1 and 2 'Meet the Teacher'

6:00 - 7:15pm

Friday 1 March

Zone Swimming Carnival

No PSSA Sport

Thursday 14 March

Selective High School Test

Thursday 21 March

School Photo Day

P&C AGM Meeting 7:30pm

Tuesday 26 March

Harmony Day Concert at Killara High School 6:30pm

Thursday 28 March

Area Swimming Carnival

Tuesday 2 April

100% hoPE Concert – LPS Hall 6pm

Wednesday 3 April

Year 1 Taronga Zoo Excursion

Friday 5 April

Year 2 Taronga Zoo Excursion

Monday 8 April

Resilience Project Parent Session 7pm

Further upcoming events can be viewed by clicking on Calendar on the home page of the school website: <u>https://lindfield-p.schools.nsw.gov.au/</u>

# **Lindfield Lines**

Term 1 Week 4

20 February 2019

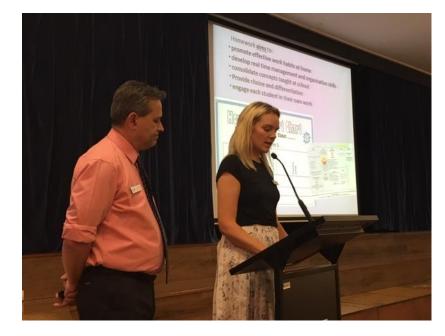
#### **Principal's Message**

#### Welcome Back BBQ

What an amazing afternoon of community spirit! The Welcome BBQ was a great success with existing and new families joining together to meet old friends and make new ones. Thanks to Alex and her team of volunteers for making this function such a success.

#### 'Meet the Teacher' Evenings

It has been wonderful to see so many parents/carers at our 'Meet the Teacher' Evenings. This valuable meeting allows us to explain the class routines and school directions and focus areas for 2019. Our last event will be Years 1 and 2 'Meet the Teacher' Evening on Tuesday 26 February.



#### **Respect for our Neighbours**

Please be respectful when dropping off and picking up children on Gladstone Pde and Grosvenor Rd. Our neighbours are constantly having cars parking in or across their driveways – this is not acceptable as they cannot get out of their own driveways. Thank you for your cooperation.

Megan Lockery Principal

### **Deputy Principals' Report**

#### **Swimming Finals Night**

Good luck to all the students taking part in the Swimming Finals tonight. The evening will begin at 5:45pm and we look forward to seeing some records broken! It will go ahead even if raining.

#### **String and Chess Captains**

Congratulations to the following students who received their badges at the 3-6 Assembly this week for their leadership positions. Kyle S, Boris Z, Emily J and Consuela Z have been elected as Chess Captains. Elizabeth T and Olivia N were chosen to be Strings Captains. We are sure they will do a great job in these roles. Band Captains will be badged in our next assembly.



#### 5/6A Assembly

Congratulations to students from 5/6A who were the first class to present an item at the Years 3–6 Assembly for the year. They shared their artwork and investigations into the Chinese Lunar Calendar. We were fascinated to learn about the characteristics of the various zodiac animals.



#### Welcome Back BBQ

It was wonderful to see so many members of our school community at the Welcome Back Barbeque last Friday. Children and parents enjoyed over 400 sausages and took part in a variety of games. Thank you to Alex and all members of our P&C who organised this event. Thank you in particular to parents from our Clothing Pool, Canteen, LEAF, Band and Swimming sub-committees.



#### **Staying Healthy**

At school we have been talking to students about the importance of doing what we can to stop the spread of germs. Yesterday at lines we reminded students to wash their hands regularly, use hand sanitiser and to stay home if they are feeling sick in the morning. Thank you for your support with this important issue.

#### **Class Captains – Semester 2 2019**

Congratulations to the following students who have been elected by their peers as Class Captains for Semester 1. They will contribute to fortnightly



SRC meetings and will receive their badges at the assemblies this week. Yesterday the students in Years 3–6 received their badges and K-2 will receive them in assembly on Thursday at 2pm. All parents and carers are invited to join us.

Class	Boy captain	Girl captain	Class	Boy captain	Girl captain
2DF	David H	Mary S	3Z	Komang K	Eliza G
2HK	Caleb C	Juliet M	3/4H	Archer F	lzzy M
2L	Raf O	Amy B	4A	Billy C	Wansi H
2S	Andrew S	Carys G	4BR	Jaiden S	Grace A
2T	Dominic H	Sienna P	4K	Hugh W	Lucy S
3CB	Archie W	Grace R	4M	Callum S	Emily T
3F	Christopher L	Evie R	5C	Santi M	Charlotte T
3P	Henry V	Grace B	5K	Tristan N	Bianca R
5V	Andy C	Amelia B	6R	Ryan S	Vivienne C
5/6A	Brendon S	Olivia N-P	6N	Harry M	Mia G
5/6S	Vedant I	Annabelle J			

#### Traffic around the school

We request that all drivers around the school exercise caution when dropping off or picking up children. Please observe the 40km speed limit and keep a careful eye out for pedestrians and other vehicles pulling out of parking spots. Please note that pedestrians at the corner of Grosvenor Road and Pacific Highway have the right of way when they are crossing at the traffic lights.





#### **Pink Stumps Day**

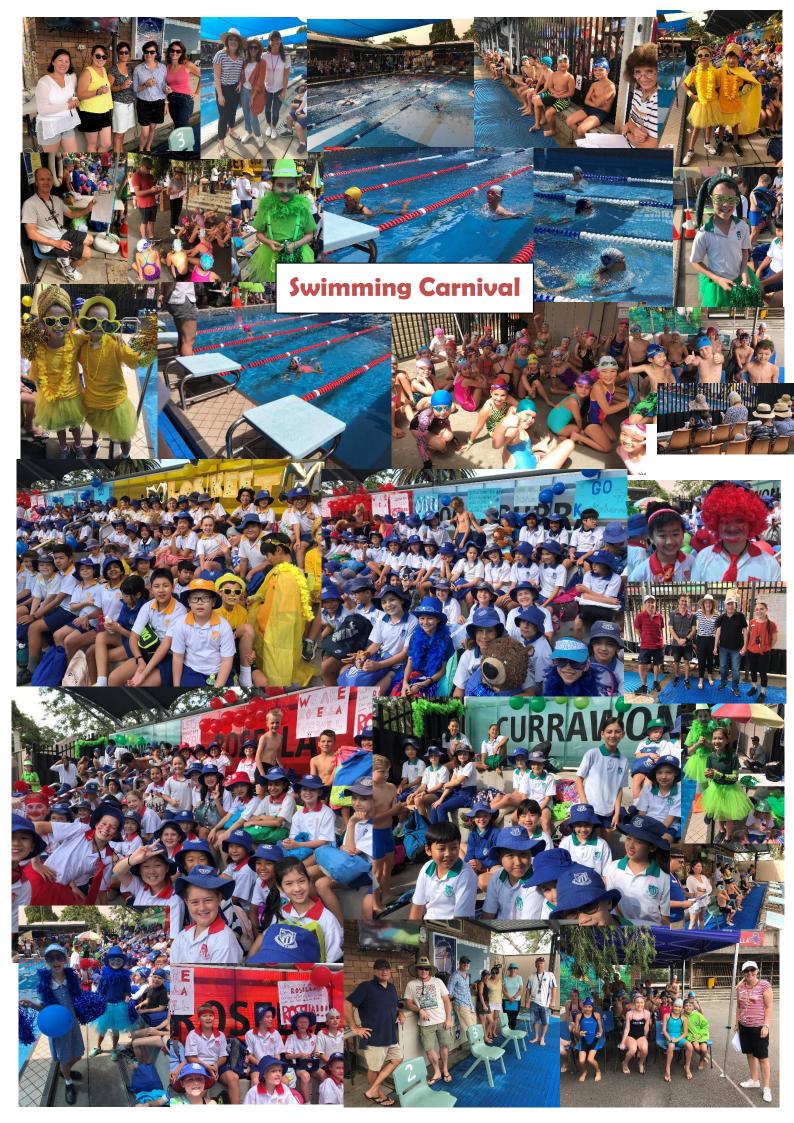
This Friday 22 February is the annual Pink Stumps Day fundraiser for the McGrath Foundation. Students in Years 3–6 are asked to wear a touch of pink on Friday and make a gold coin donation to this worthy cause.

Angela Mustaca K-2 Deputy Principal

Cyrus Katrak Years 3-6 Relieving Deputy Principal



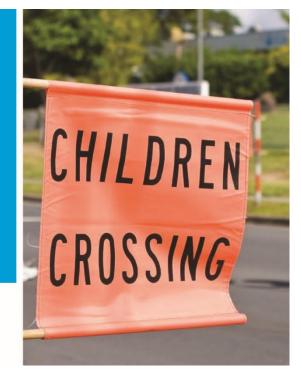




# Stepping Out Safely

A guide to children's crossings





#### FOR DRIVERS

- This is only a part time crossing. It operates when orange 'CHILDREN CROSSING' flags are displayed.
- Drivers must stop at the solid white line and give way to any pedestrians on or about to use the crossing.
- You must not proceed until all pedestrians have completely cleared the crossing.
- When approaching a crossing drive at a speed at which you can stop safely.
- Never stop in the No Stopping zones on either side of the crossing.

# CHILDREN'S CROSSINGS



Crossing supervisors may be present at some crossings around schools. Please follow their instructions as they are there to keep children safe.

#### FOR PEDESTRIANS

- Ensure that drivers in both directions have seen you and have stopped before crossing.
- Walk between the two red and white posts,
- When flags are not displayed on a children's crossing you do not have right of way unless combined with a pedestrian crossing.
- Do not loiter and chat on or near a crossing. This is dangerous, can confuse motorists and holds up traffic.

Stop on or near children's crossing - fine exceeds \$448 + 2 demerit points.

Proceed at children's crossing while pedestrian at crossing – fine exceeds \$561 + 4 demerit points.

Pedestrian crosses the road within 20 metres of a crossing – fine exceeds \$75.

Pedestrian stays on crossing longer than necessary – fine exceeds \$75.

These fines and demerit points apply in school zones and are current at time of printing February 2019

#### Absentee Notification

We would appreciate it if you record student absences via the Skoolbag app which can be downloaded from the app store. Just search for Lindfield Public School.

Simply open the app	Select the eForms tab	Select the Absentee Form tab	
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Lindfield	Newsletters >	Absentee Form >	
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#### **Community Notice Board**

All community notices/flyers can now be found under the Parent and Community link on our website. http://www.lindfield-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/p-c-website/community-notice-board

#### Medical Alert Updates 2019

Please ensure all children with anaphylaxis and other medical conditions hand in their updated Action Plans. Kindly ask your doctors to sign, stamp and date them. The school needs to receive a coloured copy of the Action Plan for our health records. All students with a known medical condition must provide updated health plans for 2019. Thank you for your ongoing support.

#### Anaphylaxis at Lindfield Public School

At Lindfield Public School in 2019, we have a small number of children with a potentially life threatening allergic reaction. They are found across our school from Kindergarten to Year 6. How can parents help these children?



- If possible, choose alternative sandwich spreads to peanut butter and Nutella. If you have no alternative, inform your child that these foods can trigger an anaphylactic reaction.
- Reinforce the school's NO FOOD SHARING message.

Please note, no students are allowed to bring glass bottles to school for safety reasons

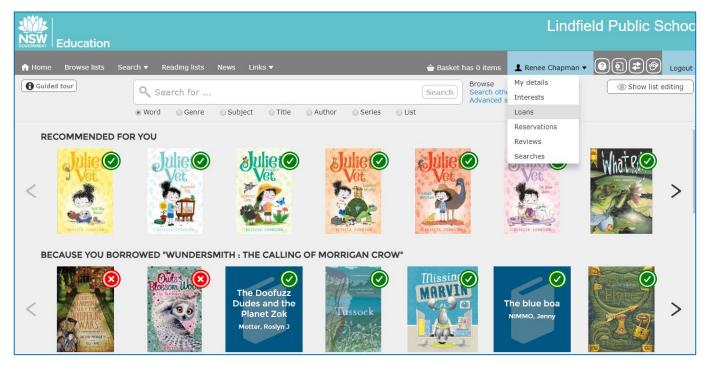
### Library

#### **Library Opening Hours**

If you wish to speak to a Teacher Librarian, please note we are not available to assist you during class hours as we are busy teaching. Please come and see us between 8:30am-8:50am or 3:00pm-3:30pm on school days in the Library or phone the school on 9416 1903 to leave a message with the office staff. If it is urgent, you can email Mrs Chapman: renee.chapman17@det.nsw.edu.au

#### How can I find out which books my child has on loan?

This is a very common question we are asked by parents. Oliver Library is our Library management system. You can log into your child's Oliver Library account from home to check which books they still have on loan to renew, search for books in our Library, make reservations, and even write book reviews! Go to <a href="https://library.det.nsw.edu.au">https://library.det.nsw.edu.au</a> and sign in with your child's school computer log in details. It is a good idea to bookmark this webpage in your browser! To check their loans and to renew books, log in and hover over their name in the top right-hand corner. Select 'Loans' to bring up the list of books currently on loan.

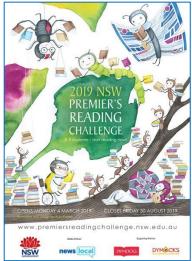


### **NSW Premier's Reading Challenge**

This year's Challenge begins on Monday March 4 and will finish on Friday August 30. A note will go home next week with more details on how your child can participate to Aspire in our Library lessons! Students who complete the Challenge will be celebrated in Lindfield Lines each week. Look out for our Wall of Fame in the Library for Years 3-6!

Happy reading! ©

Mrs Renee Chapman and Mrs Rachel Loftus **Teacher Librarians** 



### Canteen



## Struggling with all the afterschool activities? Forgot to buy bread?

Our sandwiches cost less than a coffee.

FROZEN WATERMELON at recess HAMBURGER SPECIAL – Wednesday, 6 March

KINDY ORDERS START NEXT WEEK!

Birthday bucket happiness!





Week 4		19-Feb	20-Feb	21-Feb	22-Feb
spot 1				Jane Downey (K)	Celia Taylor (6)
spot 2				HELP 9.2PM	HELP 9-12PM
spot 3				Kellie O'Keeffe	HELP 9-12PM
spot 4					HELP 9-12PM
spot 5					HELP 9-12PM
Week 5	25-Feb	26-Feb	27-Feb	28-Feb	1-Mar
spot 1	HELP 9-2PM	Shirley Hse (3)	Danielle Boots (2)	Jane Downey (K)	Elizabeth Sullivan (3)
spot 2	HELP 11-3PM	HELP 11-3PM	Andrea Leenderts	HELP 9-2PM	Catherine Chai (2)
spot 3			Catherine Liu	HELP 11-3PM	Dan Oiu (5)
spot 4					Winnie (K, 2)
spot 5					HELP 9-12PM
Week 6	4-Mar	5-Mar	6-Mar	7-Mar	8-Mar
spot 1	HELP 9-2PM	Apple Huang (6)	Makie Tsuruga (4)	Amanda Hawkins (1)	Eva Chan (4)
spot 2	Rebecca Cuschieri	HELP 11-3PM	Amy Sillett (1)	Jane Downey (K)	Megan Crane (1)
spot 3			HELP 11-3PM	Pip Loel (K)	HELP 9-12PM
spot 4					HELP 9-12PM
spot 5					HELP 9-12PM

WE REALLY NEED HELP! If you could spare some time please text Cara 0402057642 or email <a href="mailto:lpscanteenvolunteer@gmail.com">lpscanteenvolunteer@gmail.com</a>

Sarah Burnett, Claudette Mann and Katrina Tottenham Canteen Managers canteen@lpspandc.org.au



#### Clothing Pool Opening Hours: 8:30 am - 9:30 am Wednesdays and Thursdays

Don't forget the **ONLINE ordering** option – easy and secure via the P&C website. Orders are then delivered to your child's class, usually on Wednesdays or Thursdays. **PLEASE** include your <u>child's name and class</u>. The Clothing Pool is plastic bag free. Please bring along a bag to carry your items home in.

#### Please label your belongings



#### **Dr Shoe**

Dr Shoe will be visiting the Clothing Pool on Thursday, 27 Feb from 8:30-9:30am

#### News

• Please be patient when you come into the Clothing Pool – it is always a bit crazy at the beginning of the year. Alternatively, avoid the crush and ORDER ONLINE!! So easy!



Art smocks

Our Art Smocks have been extremely popular. They are available in red, blue, green and Australian gold.

Lunch boxes from Fridge-To-Go

These have removable panels that go in the freezer overnight and keep lunch cool for up to 8 hours! (my spies tell me they are great for cricket!!) We can order in the bigger size to fit the Tupperware or Nudie lunchboxes! Come and have a look at

our sample. <u>http://www.fridge-to-go.net.au/</u>

#### **Our Upcoming Volunteers' roster:**

	Wednesday 20 Feb	Thursday 21 Feb
Week 4	Greti Lindsay Diana Hughes <mark>Volunteer needed</mark>	Greti Lindsay Brenna Roumanos <mark>Volunteer needed</mark>
	Wednesday 27 Feb	Thursday 28 Feb
Week 5	Greti Lindsay Regan Hibbert <mark>Volunteer needed</mark>	Greti Lindsay Jessica Gregg <mark>Volunteer needed</mark>

Convenor – Jessica Gregg Clothing Shop Manager – Greti Lindsay orders@lpspandc.org.au

### Swimming



#### THANK YOU TO OUR VOLUNTEERS

Parents and carers, this is a special thank you for supporting Swimming at LPS. Your help on the BBQ, serving, supervising at breakfast club, timekeeping, marshalling and more is appreciated. Without such time given the program would not be as vibrant or popular. The children love seeing their mum or dad or grandparent on & around the pool deck!

#### **GOOD LUCK TO OUR FINALISTS!**

Congratulations to all the swimmers who are racing in finals night tonight. The coaches would like to remind our young swimmers to stay relaxed, try your best and enjoy the experience.

#### **CHANGES TO SQUADS – WEDNESDAY 20 FEBRUARY**

Due to the Finals Night Carnival being held the Development and Troika squads will not be on. Mini, Junior, Intermediate squads and Learn to Swim lessons are not impacted and will run as normal.

#### **ZONE CARNIVAL TRAINING – FRIDAY 22 FEBRUARY**

The coaches will be holding special training for swimmers who successfully reach the Zone Carnival. It will be held 4:00-4:30pm and is open to all LPS students.

#### WAITLISTS

Due to the popularity of Swimming at LPS some of our squads and lessons are currently full. If you are advised that you will be waitlisted, please be assured that we actively manage the waitlist and try to get children enrolled as quickly as we can. Your patience is appreciated.

#### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Wednesday 20 February	Finals Night – Swimming Carnival 5:45pm
Friday 22 February	Zone Carnival training – 4-4:30pm
	Seahorses Club – arrive by 4:45pm
Friday 1 March	Zone Swimming Carnival – Homebush
	Seahorses Club – arrive by 4:45pm
Friday 8 March	Seahorses Club – arrive by 4:45pm

For questions regarding any aspect of swimming at Lindfield check the Swimming page of the P&C website or email swimming.

Michele McCarthy Swimming Administrator swimming@lpspandc.org.au

#### Band



#### Junior Band - rehearsals begin Week 5!

We hope our newest Band members have enjoyed getting to know their instruments and tutors. Next week, JB will come together for the first time and begin weekly rehearsals which is very exciting! Please bring your instrument and new Band bag to the first rehearsal to be held in the Hall on **Wednesday 27 February from 3:00-4:20pm**.

This is followed by the second weekly rehearsal on Friday 29 February from 7:30-8:45am.

#### **Band fees**

An email will be sent to Band families this week regarding **fee payments for Semester 1**. Your prompt attention is appreciated as this helps the program to run smoothly and continue improving for our children.

#### A big THANK YOU to our wonderful Welcome Back BBQ Volunteers

The weather was perfect, the onions were sizzling and the queue seemed to know no end! Without a doubt, the BBQ fundraiser held during the hugely popular Welcome Back event was a fantastic success - so much so that our hardworking team of volunteers sold out of delicious sausages in the *first hour!* 

Our grateful thanks to our marvellous team of volunteers who catered to the hungry hoards and to the Swimming Committee for sharing this opportunity to raise funds for new instrument purchases - an amazing contribution to our program.

#### The Band Committee needs YOU!

2019 is shaping up to be an amazing year for Band but we can't do it without the support of our parent volunteers. The Band Committee is currently seeking to fill two roles:

- Treasurer
- Instrument Coordinator Assistant

With our first committee meeting fast approaching, this is the perfect time to consider joining us to help deliver this wondefful program to our children. All interested parties are encouraged to please contact the Co-Convenors on the email below!

#### **Band Calendar**

Term 1	
Week 5	Rehearsals commence for JB - Weds 3:00pm in the Hall
Term 2	
June 16-18	Save the date - Annual Music Camp - all Bands

For questions or feedback regarding any aspect of the Band program at Lindfield, please e-mail <u>band@lpspandc.org.au</u>

Seiko and Mark Ruff Band Co-convenors band@lpspandc.org.au

### **Strings**



A big **CONGRATULATIONS** goes to **Lizzie T** and **Olivia N-P** who have been voted in as Strings Captains for 2019!

Thank you to all the families who have already paid their ensemble fees. Fees are now overdue and can be paid via the P&C website: www.lpspand.org.au/strings

For your calendars:

- Tuesday 5 March is COLOURED STRINGS DAY! No performances are required but we are hoping to raise money for the Strings Program and Music Camp.
   Please see the flyer later in the Lines.
- 16-18 June– LPS Music camp!

The Strings Committee strings@lpspandc.org.au

### **Social Justice**

#### PLEASE SAVE THE DATE – Tuesday 2 April



Sarah Rosewell Easdown Social Justice Convenor

#### Chess

Chess Club seems to have settled in well for this term, with a focus on getting the Groups correctly aligned and set up. For the rest of the term, the coaches will be focused on teaching the basics, and on identifying the children to promote to a higher Group.

For now, Chess is rather full and we will be putting people on Wait List. Thank you for your understanding.

Eric Tse Chess Co-ordinator <u>chessclub@lpspandc.org</u>





A great school close to home

# Invítatíon

## Kindergarten to Year 4 Families of Lindfield Public School are invited

## to visit Killara High School

(Students from Year 4 may accompany their parents)

- Date: Monday 4 March 2019
- Time: 9.00am 10.15am
- Location: A Block Reception
- Meet the Principal, Jane Dennett, and Senior Executive
- Tour the school
- Talk to students

For further enquiries, please contact Ann Dixon, Transition Coordinator on 9498 3722 Voicemail Ext 244; <u>Email—killara-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au</u>

Please allow extra time for parking





# Services and organisations that will be present:

Youth Services from Lane Cove, Mosman, North Sydney and Willoughby Councils. Family Referral Services, headspace, Catholic Care, Phoenix House, Taldumande Youth Services, Parramatta Mission,

Northern Sydney Local Health District, Mind Talk Counselling, Mission Australia, Bradfield Senior College plus more to be announced.

COUPM REGISTRATION
 COUNSELLORS
 COUNSELLORS
 DISCUSSION OF TOPICS
 T:30PM Q&A PANEL
 HAVE YOUR QUESTIONS ANSWERED
 SERVICES MEET AND GREET
 MEET THE VARIOUS SERVICES AND FIND OUT MORE
 OF WHAT THEY OFFER





### Mosman Art Gallery 1 Art Gallery Way, Mosman, 2088



🗙 GOOGLE MAP LINK 🖈

## LOWER NORTH SHORE YOUTH INTERAGENCY

Newtown High School of the Derforming Arts

#### **AUDITIONS**

#### Year 7 and Year 11 2020

Dance, Drama and Music Selection Procedures

Newtown High School of the Performing Arts provides specialist education at the highest level to students having outstanding potential and/or achievement in, and commitment to, Dance, Drama or Music.

Students currently in Year 6 or Year 10 2019 enrolled in public or non-government schools who are seeking entrance into Year 7 or Year 11 in 2020 at Newtown High School of the Performing Arts, must participate in audition workshops in Dance, Drama or Music.

Auditions will be held between Monday 24th June to Thursday 4th July 2019.

To be eligible to apply, candidates must be Australian Citizens or holders of a visa granting permanent resident status in Australia on the day of their audition.

To register for an audition, please complete the online application form located on our website: www.nhspa.nsw.edu.au

Closing date for registration is 1st May 2019.

Yours sincerely

Peter Shields Relieving Principal 12 February 2019

#### **Conditions:**

Each audition is assessed on its own merits. The examiner's decision is final and no appeal can be made except on procedure. Information on individual student's performance in their audition will not be given. The purpose of the auditions is for the school to select the top students as assessed by the examiners. These are the conditions under which students and parents/carers must agree to when applying to audition.

King Street Newtown NSW 2042 • PO Box 785 Newtown NSW 2042 • Phone 02 9519 1544 • Fax 9519 1657 newtown-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au • www.nhspa.nsw.edu.au

# **REMEMBER THE DAYS OF CAMPING AND HANGING OUT WITH FRIENDS?**

## MAKE SURE YOUR CHILD DOES TOO.



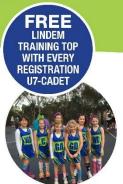
2nd / 3rd Lindfield Scout Group



Join Scouts in 2019

www.2nd3rdLindfieldScouts.org.au





#### Registration NOW OPEN lindemnetball.org

Don't forget to utilise **THE ACTIVE KIDS VOUCHER.** You will need your voucher prior to

Please visit the Lindem website for more information or contact the Lindem Registrar. WEBSITE: www.lindemnetball.org EMAIL: registrar@lindemnetball.org UNIFORMS are available to purchase on the Lindem website

. www.lindemnetball.org

### REGISTRATION STILL OPEN

INDEM

Lindem Netball Club is part of the Ku-ring-gai Netball Association and fields teams from Under 7 to Opens. Registration is still open for the upcoming season.

#### FORM A TEAM WITH YOUR FRIENDS

For Under 7's and 8's Net Set Go - put a team together and play with your friends!

#### GRADING DAY

Grading is held at the Lindfield Public School courts. Following are the dates/times: 9yrs - Friday 22nd Feb 3.30-5.00pm 10yrs - Saturday 23rd Feb 8.00-9.30am 11yrs - Saturday 23rd Feb 9.30 – 10.30am 12yrs - Saturday 23rd Feb 10.30-11.30am

#### TRAINING DAYS

'Subject to change

7/8yrs - Friday 3.15-4.15pm. Training starts 22nd March 9yrs - Thursday 3.30-4.30pm - Training starts 15th March 10yrs - Wednesday 3.30-4.30pm - Training start date TBA 11yrs - Thursday 4.30-5.30pm - Training start date TBA

12yrs - Wednesday 4.30-5.30pm - Training start date TBA

First Day of play is Saturday 30th March - Net Set Go - Lofberg Netball Courts - Under 9's, 10 years and above - Canoon Road Courts



The Fitz Youth Centre St Ives Village Green Memorial Ave St Ives

For young people aged 12-24

All programs are free



Ku-ring-gai Youth Services kmc.nsw.gov.au/youth



Open Tuesday's during school term 3.30pm-6pm

Turramurra Youth Centre 5 Ray St Turramurra (Under Turramurra Library)

> Ku-ring-gai Youth Services kmc.nsw.gov.au/youth

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AWOL Youth Hub

799 Pacific Highway (behind Gordon Library) For young people aged 12 – 24 All programs are free



Ku-ring-gai Youth Services kmc.nsw.gov.au/youth



Baby Bros is a fun, active introduction to junior rugby league hosted by your local family orientated club North Sydney Brother JRLC.

Designed to develop healthy attitudes and fundamental movement skills like catching, passing and balance in a SAFE & SUPER FUN team environment.

Our 5 week program is led by qualified Kickstart coaches and through fun games children also fine tune skills in listening, understanding and responding to instructions. And have a heap of fun with their new footy mates!

### Join the Baby Bros Program:

Girls & Boys aged 4 - 6

5 week program | 45 min session

Starts 26th February @ 4pm.

Tunks Park, CAMMERAY

FREE REGISTRATION - includes club training jersey.

#### register online today at www.playnrl.com/play











For more information, please contact us
nsbros@hotmail.com | www.nsbrothers.com.au



