



# Ryde East Public School Newsletter

## Term 4 Week 7



**29 November 2018**

### MUSICAL VARIETY NIGHT

### PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

#### MUSICAL VARIETY NIGHT

What an amazing evening to showcase the many wonderful talents of our students. Thank you to Mrs Lina Diaz and Mrs Lisa Cowgill for all of your hard work, support and organisation of all our music events. Thank you to the music tutors for working with our students throughout the year. Well done to all of the students involved. You all performed beautifully.



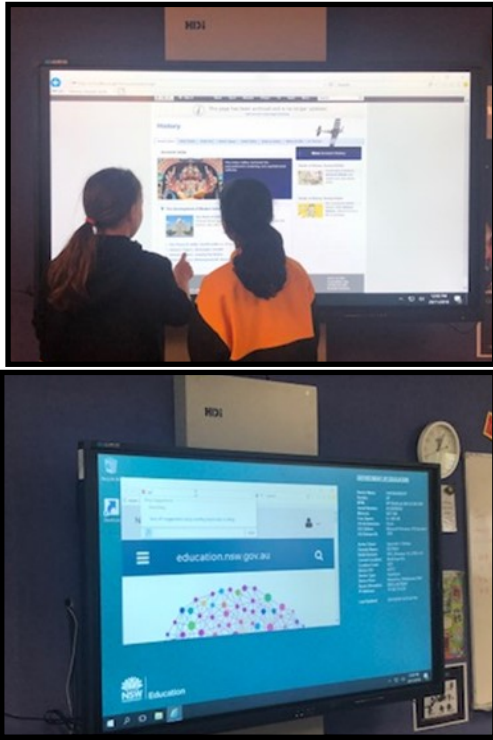
#### LIGHT UP EAST RYDE

I had the pleasure of attending this event on Sunday, where again our school was able to showcase the many talented musicians we have. Our students had the opportunity throughout this event to perform on stage for our wider community. Many people from our local and school community attended this event, which was a lovely support to our students. Well done to everyone who performed on the day - you certainly did our school proud.



## PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

### THANK YOU TO THE P&C AND SCHOOL COMMUNITY



Due to the ongoing support of the P&C and your ongoing support and commitment, the P&C were able to support the school with a fundraising amount of \$48 000. \$40 000 of these funds, along with additional school funds, has been used to purchase new Interactive Panels for each of our classrooms, including the Library and current Computer room. P&C Funds of \$5000 have also gone towards purchasing PBEL signage for various locations around the school (which we are hoping to have installed by the end of the year) and \$3000 for a sporting program and laptop to support our school carnivals. Thank you to everyone for supporting P&C run events and fundraising activities. Without your ongoing support, this would not be possible. A huge thank you to the P&C executive team and many parent volunteers for your continued and ongoing support. It is much appreciated.

### PARENT HELPER MORNING TEA

Invitations were sent home last week to invite all our parents and community helpers to the school for a thank you morning tea. The morning tea will be held on **Thursday 6 December at 11:15am in the school library**. If you have not received an invitation (my apologies) and would like to attend, please let the office staff know.

### TERM 4 PAYMENTS

We are in the process of finalising payments for all of our school activities and events. If you have not done so already, can you please ensure you have paid for the end of year excursions and picnic day if your child is attending these activities. Please ensure we receive your payment by Friday 7 December 2018.

### PARKING

We have been made aware that parents of students at our school have been parking in the carpark at New Horizons. This carpark is for staff and visitors of this facility only. Parking is limited for New Horizons and we ask that you respect this. We are extremely fortunate to have a lot of parking in the surrounding streets near our school, so please use this.

### PRESENTATION DAY

We will celebrate the achievements of our students at the Presentation Day Assembly on Tuesday 11 December. The 3-6 Assembly will begin at 9:30am and the K-2 Assembly will begin at 11:40am. All parents and carers are welcome to attend. We look forward to seeing you there.

Katrina Verinder, Principal

## ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL REPORT

## Important Dates

### NORTH RYDE COMMUNITY AID CHRISTMAS FOOD DRIVE

North Ryde Community Aid is asking us again to help provide Christmas cheer to the aged, people with disabilities or those needing support at this time of the year. If you would like to donate tinned meats or fruits, short-bread, sweets etc.....please place your items in the box located in the school office by Friday 7 December.

Hamper and gift suggestions are attached in a flyer at the back of the newsletter.

### TELL THEM FROM ME PARENT SURVEYS

Thank you to the parents who completed the Tell Them From Me Survey. We had 47 responses giving us feedback about the extent to which parents feel the school supports learning and positive behaviour and promotes a safe and inclusive environment.

Some strengths of our school include:

- The school supports positive behaviour
- Students are clear about the rules for school behaviour
- Parents feel welcome when they visit the school
- Parents are well informed about school activities

Some future directions include:

- Parent activities to be scheduled at more convenient times
- Parent workshops on mathematics outlining what the expected outcomes are for students in each stage as well as strategies on how parents can help at home

### 2019 ENRICHMENT CLASSES

Letters informing parents of the outcome of the 2019 enrichment classes have been sent home today. Please check your child's bag to ensure you receive this information. If you have any questions relating to these classes please contact me through the school office.

**Nicole Doig**  
Assistant Principal

### TERM 4

#### Week 7

**26-30 Nov**  
**Thurs 29 Nov**  
**Fri 30 Nov**

Yr 2 swim school  
Interrelate (Yr 6)  
KF performing at  
Infants Assembly  
PSSA Semis  
Disco

#### Week 8

**3-7 Dec**  
**Mon 3 Dec**  
**Tues 4 Dec**  
**Thurs 6 Dec**

Yr 2 swim school  
Interrelate (Yr 6)  
High School Orientation  
Combined Scripture  
Parent helper morning  
tea  
**Fri 7 Dec**  
Gold Card Assembly  
PSSA Finals

#### Week 9

**Mon 10 Dec**  
**Tues 11 Dec**  
**Wed 12 Dec**

Pres. Day rehearsal  
Presentation Day  
Skip-off Jump Rope for  
Heart  
Banner morning tea  
**Thurs 13 Dec**  
**Fri 14 Dec**  
Picnic Day  
Year 6 farewell

#### Week 10

**Mon 17 Dec**  
**Tues 18 Dec**  
**Wed 19 Dec**

Yr 6 day out  
Talent Quest  
Teacher/student game  
Last day of school

## STAFF NEWS

### CRICKET INTRA SCHOOL GALA DAY

On Tuesday 27 November, Cricket NSW came to Ryde East to run a Gala Day for students in Years 3-6. It involved a series of games to practice the skills learnt over the past four weeks. Students had a lovely time playing cricket throughout the day and at lunchtime. The Sydney Thunder Bus also came along with a throwing game, competition and videos.

**Miss Winsley**  
**Sports Co-ordinator**



## STAFF NEWS

### Thank you to ALL the students who got involved with Jump Rope for Heart!

A huge thank you for the effort skipping and fundraising for the Jump Rope for Heart program this term. Together we raised an incredible \$6208 and this money will all go towards vital heart research and education programs. Fundraising prizes (including bonus prizes!) will be arriving in the next few weeks.

We've loved seeing so many smiling faces skipping on the playground and in sports lessons. Our Skip Off Day is scheduled for Wednesday 12 December, so keep up the great skipping!



### Here's our school leaderboard. Congratulations to our top 5 fundraisers! Thanks again for the hard work!

Aria C - 1B - \$778

Lily R - 1B - \$518

Sebastian S - 3M - \$431

Jennifer C - 2L - \$292

Amber L - K/1K - \$245

### Mrs Brown and Miss Agoratsios Jump Rope for Heart Coordinators

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## HOME READING

This week is the last week for Home Reading. All Home Readers need to be returned to class boxes this Friday. Reading Cards need to be finalised by Thursday so that teachers have time to write certificates to be presented at the final K-2 and 3-6 assemblies on Friday 7 December. If Reading Cards come in late students, will still receive their certificate but it will be given out in class.

### Katherine Wisniewski Assistant Principal

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## TALENT QUEST

Talent quest auditions began this week for students who submitted their expression of interest. There is a large number of students auditioning and in order to give everybody a fair opportunity we will work through the audition process throughout Weeks 8 and 9. As we are unable to determine the length of each act, we ask that students come to school prepared each day with what they require to audition, such as instruments, song choice, scripts, etc. If students wish to leave these items at school until they audition they are welcome to. No costumes will be required for the auditions. We thank everyone for their patience during this process and are thoroughly enjoying watching all the fabulous talents!

### Miss Agoratsios and Mrs Brown Talent Quest Coordinators

## STUDENT NEWS

This term, Years 5 and 6 went on their annual school camp. This year we went to Myuna Bay, where we spent four fun filled days laughing, bonding, learning, eating and rarely sleeping.

Day one arrived with kayaking in “shark infested waters” (which we all knew was teacher’s code for don’t muck around and capsize the kayak). We were in single and double kayaks and those in doubles, learnt very quickly that we had to work together or we would go around in circles the whole time.

Day two began with some free time before we got strapped into harnesses and participated in High Ropes activities, where we were tested mentally and physically with elevated obstacles. Not for the faint hearted!

Day three started with some serious rock climbing. We had many opportunities to practice our problem solving skills as we learnt to be the belayer – the person who pulls the rope as the climber goes up.

Day four was very exciting, when we came face to face with the Giant Swing – 15m high! This was a wonderful team building challenge where we were taken out of our comfort zone and hauled to the highest point by our friends. Once we reached this point, we had to pull the rip-cord ourselves and enjoy the exhilarating falling experience before the swing. Although, Mr Bailey may not agree with my use of “enjoying and exhilarating...”

We were given a lot of free time while the teachers watched us and drank lots of coffee (no idea why those teachers were so tired) and we played putt-putt, soccer beach volleyball, hand-ball and watched amazing gymnastics displays by some of our talented girls.

We were all given scullery responsibilities, which we took on with great enthusiasm. We took turns in serving food and cleaning up. Of course we were very mature with that giant cleaning hose...

Our food was a veritable smorgasbord of delights. Aside from the shepherd’s pie, which resembled bullet proof concrete, we were mostly very satisfied and well nourished.

We stayed in awesome lodges and we didn’t stay up later than allowed. Mrs Wilson may say otherwise, but don’t believe her.

But seriously, thank you to all our wonderful teachers for guiding us and teaching us that camp is a wonderful experience where leadership, decision making, team building, resilience, problem solving and communication can be a lot of fun. Learning doesn’t have to be in a classroom!

Thank you for the memorable and enriching experience.

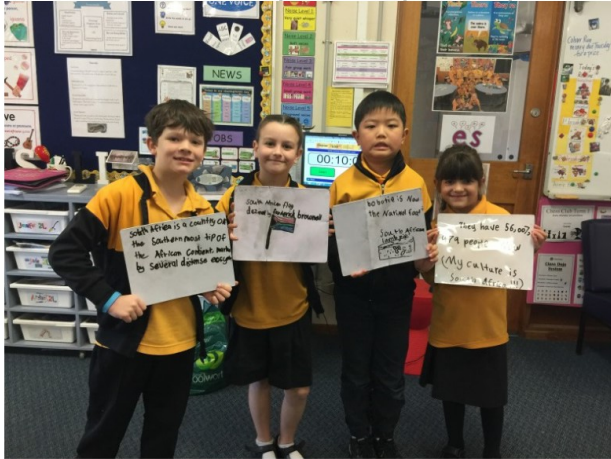
-Luc Oishi 6B

## SPOTLIGHT

2018 has been an amazing year so far. Here are some things we have been doing in 2L.



We work collaboratively and independently in reading groups to show respect to those reading with Ms Li.



We researched about different countries and presented interesting findings to the class.



We had lots of fun pretending to be an ogre from a land far far away and danced through the night.



We measured things around the school that were one metre long. Then we built a one metre cube and the cube couldn't contain our excitement.



We measured each other using coloured blocks. Can you guess who is the longest person in 2L?



We experimented with Van Gogh's line technique and created our own starry nights. Be sure to check them out in the school foyer.

## **DISCO – This Friday Night!**

**WHEN:** Friday 30 November, 2018  
**WHERE:** School Hall  
**INFANTS (K-2):** 5pm to 6.30pm  
**PRIMARY (3-6):** 6.45pm to 8.30pm



'Dance Fever' will be hosting our disco again, keeping everyone entertained.

### **Theme: Favourite Singer / Musical Artist**

Cost \$10.00 - includes disco, glow item, chips, drink & ice-block!

Tickets can be purchased for the disco using Flexi-Schools and you provide permission for your child to attend at the same time, just log on and **place your order TODAY – flexischools cut off is Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> November:** <https://www.flexischools.com.au>

If you have children across both infants & primary, please select the relevant disco for each.

Thanks for all the DISCO helpers – I will be in touch this week prior to the night.

If you are able to help please note you will need a WWC confirmed with the office, thanks.

### **Please NOTE:**

- REPS discos are for students only, no siblings are to stay in the hall or parents who are not volunteering.
- No photos or filming to be posted on social media
- Whilst not preferred, **cash payment can be accepted on the night at a cost of \$15**
- Please collect your child(ren) promptly on finish time

These are measures to make life as simple as possible for all our wonderful volunteers, and keep a happy safe environment for all your children.

Any enquiries please contact:

Rachelle Robinson – 0432 397 319 or [disco.reps@gmail.com](mailto:disco.reps@gmail.com)



### UNIFORM SHOP

Please note that the Uniform and Pre-loved Shop will close on Tuesday 4 December (open as usual other days).

A Pre-loved sale will be held from 2.45pm on 6 December outside the Kindy rooms (Block C).

There will be extended trading hours at the beginning of the school year in 2019:

- Friday 25 January from 1pm to 3pm
- Thursday 31 January from 2.30pm to 3.30pm



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### SCHOOL BANKING

#### Thank you

The banking year is almost over and I would like to thank all the school banking volunteers: Simone Haslehurst, Katrina Samawi, Kim Rosenfeld, Rhondda Inchley, Helen Fraser and Irene Maier for their support, hard work and dedication over the year.

Unfortunately, Simone will be leaving at the end of the year and I would like to thank her for her dedication to the school over the last few years, through the Uniform Shop, School Banking, Class Parent etc.... She has been a great team player and a pleasure to work with.

I personally enjoyed banking with all our volunteers over the years and I wish them all the best in their future endeavours.

#### Rewards Items

If your child has collected 10 Silver Dollarmites tokens and would like to redeem them for a School Banking reward item, please fill in your child's redemption slip or a note and bring it along this Thursday to ensure the reward item arrives before the school holidays.

Our final School Banking day for 2018 is the 13 December. Any Dollarmites tokens that are not redeemed this year can be used in 2019.

If you have any questions you can contact us at [schoolbanking.reps@gmail.com](mailto:schoolbanking.reps@gmail.com) or phone Elspeth Orlandi on 0402 850 044.





## **P&C MUSIC PROGRAM NEWS**

**REHEARSALS AND LESSONS** – All lessons and rehearsals continue as normal until Week 9. During week 9, the ensembles and bands will have a small party to celebrate a fantastic year of music making during their normal rehearsal times. We ask parents to please send a small “healthy” plate to share.

**2019 PROGRAM INFORMATION** – There will be a number of changes happening to the program next year, starting with the percussion program. Percussion lessons will all be after school and available to all students (K-6). A note was posted in the school app if anyone is interested in joining the program. Please e-mail Katrina Samawi our percussion contact parent via [reps.percussion@gmail.com](mailto:reps.percussion@gmail.com) for further information.

All children at REPS are able to have tuition in the following instruments at the following stages:

Kindergarten:	Percussion, violin, viola, cello, guitar
Years 1 and 2:	As per kindergarten plus recorder (descant, treble, tenor)
Years 3 – 6:	As above plus flute, oboe, clarinet, saxophone, trumpet, trombone, euphonium and French horn. * Younger children wishing to learn band instruments will be considered after a trial to ensure they are physically able to play the instrument.

If you would like your child to learn any of the above instruments please send us an e-mail at [rydeeastmusic@gmail.com](mailto:rydeeastmusic@gmail.com) or send an e-mail to the relevant contact parent, contact details to follow.

**COMPOSITION COMPETITION** – Thank you to the children who have sent in their entries. They are on their way to the judges with the winner to be announced at the Talent Quest.

**TUTOR CHANGES** – Due to family health reasons, Thomas tendered his resignation as a violin tutor. We wish him and his family all the best through this very difficult time. Jane Jones has agreed to take on this position and we are so pleased to have her back. Jane was the founding tutor of the strings program at REPS, please make her feel welcome.

**MUSIC REPORTS** – We will not be issuing formal music reports; we encourage all parents to attend their child’s lesson so that they can gain a better understanding on how the tutors are teaching your child and so that you can discuss their progress and agree on areas for improvement.

**MUSICAL VARIETY NIGHT** – Friday night in week 5 was an incredible night for the children involved in the REPS Music program. The amount of work that has been done is nothing short of extraordinary and the young musicians enjoyed every accolade which they so justly deserve. Thank you to Ms Verinder and Mrs Jenny Small for their help not just on the evening but through the year and to Chris Seeto for taking video of the kids performances at various events.

To our incredible tutors, thank you for all the passion for music with which you are shaping the minds of the children at REPS. Without you, performances such as we had on the night are simply not possible: Jackie Brighton (flute), Monique Mezatesta (strings), Nazli Bodaghi (acoustic guitar), Sue Thorvaldson (recorder & flute), Aydin Zahedi (electric guitar & bass), Philip Ward (Brass and founder of the REPS music program), Thomas Talmacs (violin, viola,

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cello), Riri Matsuyama (violin), Garran Hutchinson-Menzer (clarinet and saxophone), Nish Manjunath (clarinet and saxophone), Emma Diaz (recorder) and last but not least Joe Gould aka Mr G, who looks after the hugely popular percussion program in addition to our amazing bands (REPS Band, Performance Band and Rock Band) and a very efficient stage organizer.

To the music committee, thank you, Lisa Cowgill, Kim Bunny, Sara Rich, Jennifer Harrison, Nick Barnes, Leanne Smith, Lara Dominish, Robyn Hirano, Vange Langford, Jodie Giles, Laila Bazzi, Mel Cunningham, Sharon Dihn, Angela Maier, Caroline Jarvis, Nick Barnes and Katrina Samawi. Thank you to the army of helpers on the night and through the year who set up the hall, prepped the food, cooked, served and cleaned, stacked chairs and helped with putting the instruments back, many hands do indeed make light work.

Thank you to all the children who entertained us with their performances, simply brilliant. Thank you, parents, for being so involved in the musical journey of your children and making sure that they practiced at home, got to lessons on time and made it to their group rehearsals on time (mostly ha ha) and well prepared. It has been particularly encouraging to have so many family and friends come along to the public performances that the children have had this year.

As you can see, it takes an army of dedicated students, parents, teachers, family and friends to make the music program work, and we have been able to build on the work done by so many others over so many years.

**LIGHT UP EAST RYDE** – Congratulations to the Recorder Ensemble, the Rock Band and the Performance Band for once again doing themselves proud by performing in front of their community. A truly fantastic effort by all students and thanks to Megan G for stepping in at the last minute so that the Rock Band could perform.

**2019 MUSIC PROGRAM POSITIONS VACANT** – We are after anyone interested in getting involved. We need flute, strings and woodwind contact parents as well as for our events and music program rewards program. For the following year we have a number of positions becoming vacant as their children head off to high school so please get in touch.

### **MUSIC DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES**

Week 8 – Fri 7 Dec, Gold Card performance

Week 9 – Last week of lessons

### **CONTACT PARENTS**

Coordinators: Lisa Cowgill & Lina Diaz [rydeeastmusic@gmail.com](mailto:rydeeastmusic@gmail.com)

Flute Contact Parent [flute.reps@gmail.com](mailto:flute.reps@gmail.com)

Woodwind Contact Parent [woodwind.reps@gmail.com](mailto:woodwind.reps@gmail.com)

Brass Contact Parent [brass.reps@gmail.com](mailto:brass.reps@gmail.com)

Percussion Contact Parent [percussion.reps@gmail.com](mailto:percussion.reps@gmail.com)

Guitar Contact Parent [guitar.reps@gmail.com](mailto:guitar.reps@gmail.com)

Strings Contact Parent [strings.reps@gmail.com](mailto:strings.reps@gmail.com)

Recorder Contact Parent [recorder.reps@gmail.com](mailto:recorder.reps@gmail.com)

Have a wonderful week!

Lina Diaz & Lisa Cowgill

### TERM 4 – WEEKS 5 & 6 SUMMARY

It has been another busy fortnight at Ryde East OOSH, with plenty of activities and enjoyment. The week started off with the children creating craft under the theme of farms. The children were able to create some marvellous creations whilst also being educated about the important work farms do, even in the conditions which they have faced. Craft creations included succulent strawberries, rustic barns and scarecrows and roosters. Our menu was another focus this fortnight, as children were treated to quality food including milo and cheese melts in the morning, and tuna wraps, hot dogs and pizza scrolls for afternoon tea, along with daily fresh fruit. Activities that the children participated in included games up at the hall, dodgeball, and free play both on the oval and under the COLA.

In Week 6, the craft theme was Indigenous to celebrate the rich and diverse Indigenous culture. Creations for this craft theme included dreamtime serpents and birds, boomerangs and dot painting. We continued to provide delicious and healthy food options for the children. Food options in the morning included banana bread and crumpets, with food options in the afternoon included garlic bread, macaroni cheese bake and nacho's, all served with freshly prepared fruit. The children participated in a range of outdoor activities including obstacle courses, hockey and free play both under the COLA and on the oval. Overall it has been another busy, fun-filled fortnight here at Ryde East OOSH.



### RYDE EAST VACATION CARE

Ryde East Vacation Care program is available now. **Booking ends on Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> December, so book early.**

A range of fun action packed activities are offered to keep the kids active and entertained during the day and these activities are:

#### **DEC – 2018 Vacation Care**

##### **SDD**

Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> Dec – (Ex) Movies and McDonalds

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> Dec – (Inc) Crazy Hair and Face Painting

#### **JAN – 2019 Vacation Care**

##### **Week - 1**

Mon 7<sup>th</sup> Jan – (Ex) Movies and McDonalds

Tue 8<sup>th</sup> Jan – (Inc) Kids Love to Cook

Wed 9<sup>th</sup> Jan – (Ex) Lollipop Land

Thur 10<sup>th</sup> Jan – (Inc) Flipping Disc Dogz

Fri 11<sup>th</sup> Jan – (Ex) Homebush Aquatic Centre

##### **Week 2**

Mon 14<sup>th</sup> Jan – (Inc) Farmer Dave (Indigenous farming)

Tue 15<sup>th</sup> Jan – (Ex) Centennial Park

Wed 16<sup>th</sup> Jan – (Inc) Inflatables (Water Slide)

Thur 17<sup>th</sup> Jan – (Ex) Kicks Tenpin & Arcade

Fri 18<sup>th</sup> Jan – (Inc) Disco Madness

##### **Week - 3**

Mon 21<sup>st</sup> Jan – (Inc) Hand building with clay

Tue 22<sup>nd</sup> Jan – (Ex) Ice Zoo

Wed 23<sup>rd</sup> Jan – (Inc) Mr Hubble Bubble

Thur 24<sup>th</sup> Jan – (Ex) YMCA Penrith

Fri 25<sup>th</sup> Jan – (Inc) Star Time Mad Scientist

##### **SDD**

Tue 29<sup>th</sup> Jan – (Ex) Jujitsu

#### **School re-opens on Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> January 2019**

Booking forms are available on our centre website <http://www.rydeeastoshc.com.au>

OR contact Parthi on 98783773 OR email [rydeeastoshc@optusnet.com.au](mailto:rydeeastoshc@optusnet.com.au)

## COMMUNITY NEWS

### TENNIS COURT HIRE

The school tennis courts are available for hire out of school hours for a nominal fee of \$20.00 per hour for each court.

Contact Margie Simpson on 0407 280 864.



### UNIFORM SHOP NEWS (New uniforms only)

The Uniform Shop is open every Tuesday morning from 8.45am — 9.45am or order online and have it delivered to your child's classroom.

[www.picklesschoolwear.com](http://www.picklesschoolwear.com)

Sara Rich — 0450 771 545

### ♥♥♥ PRE-LOVED UNIFORMS ♥♥♥

Open Tuesday mornings from 8.45am—9.30am, Pre-Loved Uniforms are available from the canteen window alongside the New Uniform Shop. Donations are welcome and all proceeds go to the school. We are also selling 100% cotton shirts for \$27.50. Payment is by CASH only. For any queries, please contact Lenora Joziase on 0416 088 718 or Cyndi Yu on 0430 202 071.

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Competition starts Friday 16 Nov 2018 at 1pm  
Drawn Saturday, 15 Dec 2018 at 1pm

Terms and conditions apply. Winners must be present on day of draw to claim prizes.

## COMMUNITY NEWS



**Want to play netball?**  
Come and play with  
NRRSL Netball Club

NetSetGo, Netty, Junior, Cadet & Senior teams available  
2019 Season commencing Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> April  
Registration opens 1<sup>st</sup> January 2019

Grading: Monday 4<sup>th</sup> February @ 5.30pm  
North Ryde RSL Netball Courts  
9 & 10 year olds

Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> February @ 6.30pm  
North Ryde RSL Netball Courts  
11, 12, 13 & 14 year olds


Fees:

NetSetGo	\$150.00
Netty	\$150.00
Junior	\$170.00
Cadets	\$170.00
Seniors	\$170.00

(Active Kids Rebate Accepted)

All Junior Enquiries - [nrrsljuniorreg@gmail.com](mailto:nrrsljuniorreg@gmail.com)  
All Senior Enquiries - [nrrslseniorreg@gmail.com](mailto:nrrslseniorreg@gmail.com)

Come along for some fun and bring your friends!



# INCREDIBLES 2

## OUTDOOR MOVIE NIGHT

PRESENTED BY NRRSL CRICKET CLUB  
**SATURDAY DECEMBER 1**  
FROM 6:30PM

**NORTH RYDE RSL @ EASTWOOD**  
146 - 150 VIMIERA RD, EASTWOOD

**\$8 PER TICKETS OR \$28 FOR FAMILIES (UP TO FIVE)**  
THERE WILL BE ENTERTAINMENT FOR KIDS AND A SAUSAGE SIZZLE  
THE MOVIE WILL BE HELD ON THE OVAL SO  
FEEL FREE TO BRING A CAMPING CHAIR OR BLANKET TO SIT ON  
TICKETS ARE AVAILABLE ON THE NIGHT AND ON [TIX.YT/NRRSL-MOVIE-NIGHT](https://www.ticketmaster.com.au/tix/yt/nrrsl-movie-night)

We'd love you to join us for

# Community Christmas Carols

5.30 - 7.30pm Sunday 9th December  
Marsfield Community Church, 58-60 Agincourt Rd  
[info@marsfieldcc.org.au](mailto:info@marsfieldcc.org.au)





## 2018 HAMPER & GIFT SUGGESTIONS

Biscuits	Savoury Crackers and Shortbreads
Nibbles	Nuts and Dried Fruits
Sweets	Chocolates, Lollies or Something Special
Tinned Meat	Turkey, Chicken, Smoked Oysters, Mussels, Salmon, Tuna
Condiments	Mustard, Cranberry Sauce, Chutney, Special Jams
Tinned Vegetables	Potatoes, Carrots, Peas or Green Beans, Beetroot, Bean Salad
Tinned Fruits	Pineapple, Pears or Peaches, Apricots, Berries or Fruit Salad
Festive Fare	Pudding, Christmas Cake, Fruit Mince Pies or Long-life Custard
Drinks	Fruit Juice, Mineral Water or Soft Drink, Long Life Milk, Coffee and Tea bags
Decorations	Tinsel, Serviettes, Bon Bons
Day After	Rice or Pasta and an appropriate pasta sauce
Personal Pack	Soap, Deodorant, Toothpaste & Brush, Shampoo & Conditioner

### GIFT ITEMS for ADULT MALES and/or FEMALES

\$10.00 (or more) gift vouchers at Supermarkets, Variety Stores or Book Stores

Perfumed Soaps	Body Wash & Lotions	Talc
Shaving Cream & Lotion	Hand Lotions	Nail Creams
Facial Washer	Specialty Biscuits or Chocolates	



AGES: 5+YRS

# Curious Creatures

## JANUARY SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM AT YOUR LIBRARY

### Have a hoot

Come and create your very curious Owl.

**When:** Tuesday 8 January

**Where:** Ryde Library

**When:** Thursday 10 January

**Where:** West Ryde Library

**When:** Monday 14 January

**Where:** North Ryde Library

**When:** Monday 21 January

**Where:** Eastwood Library

**Time:** 11.00am - 12noon

**Ages:** 6yrs+ **Cost:** \$5.00

### Meet Edison robotics workshop

Discover the world of robotics, and learn how to code them with fun educational activities and games.

**When:** Tuesday 8 January

**Where:** Ryde Library

**Time:** 2.00 - 4.00pm

**When:** Wednesday 16 January

**Where:** West Ryde Library

**Time:** 2.00 - 4.00pm

**Ages:** 9yrs+ **Cost:** \$10.00

### Dinosaur Science

Unearthing the palaeontologist in us all. With lashings of humour, loads of audience participation and huge scale model, Dinosaur Science is designed to 'wow' and unearth your inner palaeontologist.

**When:** Thursday 17 January

**Where:** Ryde Civic Hall

**Time:** 11.00am - 12noon

**Ages:** 5yrs+ **Cost:** \$10.00

### Walkabout Reptiles

Meet live lizards, frogs and crocodiles and discover the world of reptiles with fossils, croc eggs and skeletons.

**When:** Tuesday 22 January

**Where:** North Ryde Community Hall (above North Ryde Library)

**Time:** 10.00 - 11.00am

**Ages:** 5 - 7yrs **Cost:** \$10.00

**Time:** 11.30am - 12.30pm

**Ages:** 8yrs+ **Cost:** \$10.00

### Creature KNex

Create your own fantastical creatures using our Knex engineering kits.

**When:** Thursday 10 January

**Where:** Eastwood Library

**When:** Monday 21 January

**Where:** West Ryde Library

**When:** Tuesday 22 January

**Where:** North Ryde Library

**Time:** 3.00 - 4.00pm

**Ages:** 5yrs+ **Cost:** \$5.00

### Explore the Virtual Reality world Under the Sea

Dive and discover sharks, whales, seals and more creatures living in our oceans in this exciting VR workshop.

**When:** Wednesday 23 January

**Where:** Ryde Library

**Time:** 2.30 - 4.00pm

**Ages:** 9yrs+ **Cost:** \$15

**1 December 2018 - 31 January 2019**

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Great prizes for anyone game enough to enter. For every 5 books read you'll receive a prize. For details see your friendly library staff.

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