#### 5 August 2019



#### 2019 EDUCATION WEEK

This week is **Education Week** in NSW Department of Education schools. Some of the key messages that will be shared this week relate to the importance of giving students a voice to action their ideas, opinions and expertise and that these voices enrich our schools and communities. Our students are our future.

On Wednesday evening, the **School Choir** will be performing at the **Arts Alive Choral Concert** held at the Opera House. This is a spectacular event and a privilege to be a part of. The choir members are extremely excited as this is the culmination of all their efforts preparing for the big occasion.

Just another reminder about the **2020 Kindergarten Orientation** morning to be held on **Friday 16 August from 9.30am**. If you know any families with students who are ready to enrol at school, please share this information with them. We will be sending out flyers to the community and displaying posters in local establishments.

The Brooklyn Public School **Trivia Night** was a huge success, by all accounts, and a night of much fun and community spirit. The total funds raised will be confirmed as soon as this is available. Well done to the P&C members who worked tirelessly to make the event such a success. Thank you.

Next Wednesday, 14 August, we will be heading up to **Cowan Public School** for a performance entitled '**Big Dreams'**. This has been organised as part of Book Week celebrations which officially begin in Week 5. Permission notes have been sent out via the communication channels.

This year, for Book Week, we will be holding a **Book Week Parade** on **Wednesday 21 August** at 9.30am and then after that the children will be able to visit the **2019 Book Fair**. Staff from **The Children's Bookshop** at Beecroft will be bringing along a fabulous selection of great texts. The children may purchase a book for their own enjoyment or donate a book to the school library. Beth will be bringing with her copies of Tristan Bancks's books which the children were interested in after his visit last week.

Diana Aitken Principal 5 August 2019

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Term 3 Week 3

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# What's Coming Up In

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# <u>Term 3</u>

	August 6	Education Week Open Day - Assembly, postponed End of Term 2 Assembly,	
		and classroom visits—from 9.30am	
	August 7	Choir Performance - Opera House	
	August 14	Book Week Performance - Cowan PS	
I	August 16	Kindy Orientation	
	August 21	Book Week Book Fair and Parade	
	August 23	OXFAM - P&C BBQ	
	August 26	Indigenous Performance	
	August 30	Zone Athletics	
	September 4-6	Yrs5/6 Canberra 3-Day Excursion	
	September 12	Environment Talks—Hornsby Council	
	September 24	Yrs3/4 Excursion	
	September 26	End of Term 3 Assembly	
	September 26	CAP Concert	L
	September 27	Last Day of Term 3	

#### Have you downloaded our School app yet?

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✓ Permission Slips

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# SKOOL LOOP

We have decided to trial an app called **Skool Loop** 

It will help you keep up to date with events, sign permission notes and contact the school with ease.

You may download it from any app store on your phone or device. It is free!

Year 1 and 2 parents have trialled it last term and we have received positive feedback.

# From the Library Shelves

#### Reading is My Secret Power!

The Children's Book Council of Australia celebrates the Book of the Year Awards 2019 and the launch of Children's Book Week on 17 August.

At Brooklyn School we are going to celebrate Book Week with a Book Parade. On **Wednesday 21 August** we would like all children to come dressed as a book character. Australian authors and illustrators have created a wealth of wonderful characters for us to draw on for ideas. Just add a mask and cape for a Super Character if preferred!

The book Character Parade will commence at 9:30am and parents and friends are invited.

After the parade, a Book Fair will be in the Library where parents and friends may purchase new books provided by Beecroft Children's Bookshop for students or to donate to the school.



### Big Dreams!

On Wednesday 14 August, K-6 students will be travelling to Cowan Public School to see the Book Week in Schools Performance of 'BIG DREAMS' which is a fun and engaging musical featuring some of the CBCA 2019 short-listed books.

We appreciate the support of the Brooklyn P&C with this event.

Penny Broome

## Tristan Bancks – Author visit

Last Tuesday, Tristan Bancks kindly visited our school library to talk about his books and he gave us some writing tips.

He also told us about his new book called Detention and read us a chapter from one of his Tom Weekly books.

All in all, it was a great experience and we are extremely thankful for him taking the time to come and visit our school.

Library Monitors – Audrey, Harry and Elizabeth.



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#### Round 14 (Round 1 Wash Out)

		9/08/19	
Home	Away	Football	Netball
Warrawee	Asquith	The Glade	Warrawee School
Berowra	Waitara	Warrina Street	Berowra School
Brooklyn	Wahroonga	Brooklyn Oval	BYE
Turramurra North	Hornsby Heights	Samuel King	Turramurra North School
Hornsby North	Turramurra	Montview	Montview
Hornsby South	Mount Kuring-gai	Montview	Montview
Mount Colah	Wideview	Berry Park	Mount Colah School

# **PSSA Soccer**

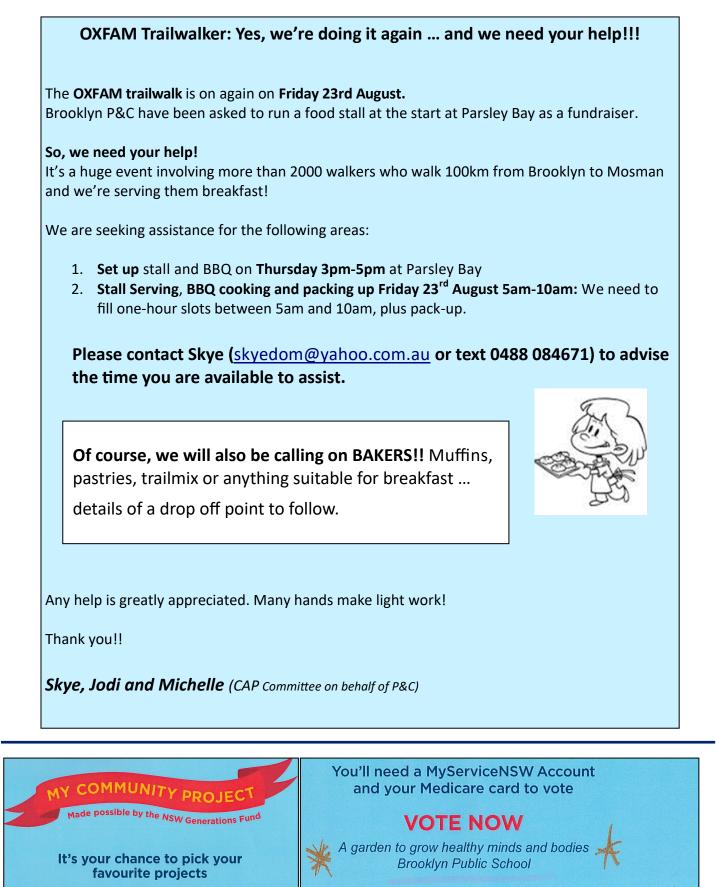
In last Friday's matches against Warrawee our results were:

Junior team Nil-all draw

Senior Girls 1-all draw

Senior Boys Loss





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### Host A Murder night Friday September 27

5.30pm arrival for 6pm start

Cost: **\$65.00 per person** which covers a beautiful 3 course meal, along with a glass of house beverage (midi beer/wine/bubbles).

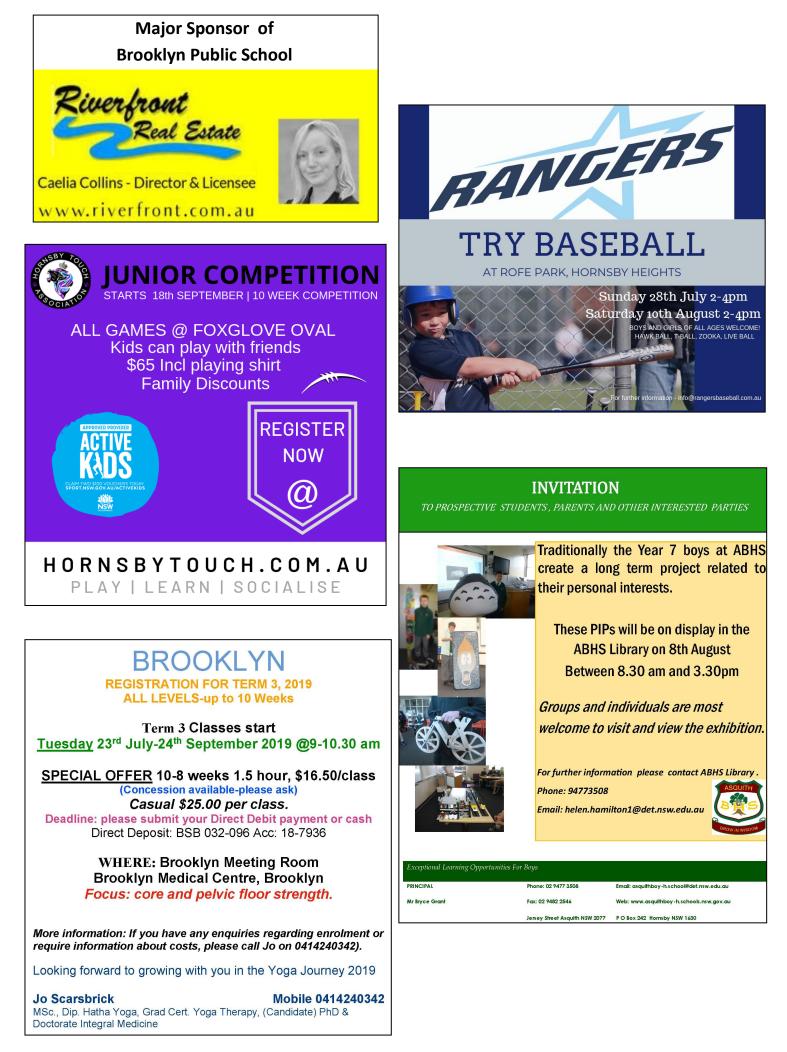
Theme: The Good The Bad & The Guilty

All guests are also eligible to enter the trip to Fiji.

It's a whole heap of fun, and you get to put your detective hat on to solve the murder, which happens early on in the evening.



Mark it in your diaries now!



# Northern Districts Little Athletics 2019-20



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Ages U6-17 (ask about our Tiny Tots Program)

A great way to stay active over Spring & Summer for athletes of all capability levels, with a focus on achieving your Personal Best

Weekly programs held at Foxglove Oval, Mt Colah on Sat. mornings from 8:30am to 11am, starting 14 Sep 2019 through to March 2020

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