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The Year 5 and 6 students had an absolutely fabulous time in **Canberra** last week. Mr lles and Mrs Apps were so proud of the children and the wonderful representatives they are of this school. There were many highlights and the educational value of the excursion is beyond measure. It is an incredible city with so much to offer.

The **Zone Athletics Carnival** will be held this **Friday**, **13 September**, at the **Sydney Academy of Sport at Narrabeen**. New permission notes will need to be filled in and returned to the school.

Last week we had a **swarm of bees** in one of the branches of our big tree which was very exciting to watch! Unfortunately, they had to be removed and we thank Lachy, Chris and Lincoln for safely, and lovingly, relocating them to their new home down by the river! The excitement provided some great teaching opportunities around the importance of our little black and yellow striped friends!

The Year 6 students are, of course, looking at schools for 2020. The feeder school for Brooklyn Public School students is Kuring-gai High School. I have been contacted by the Principal of **Asquith Boys High School** to say that there are still places for boys from Brooklyn if they would like to choose an all-boys educational setting. Please contact the school if you would like to enquire about securing a place for 2020.

All for now

Diana Aitken Principal







Students from 5/6AI recently undertook an education tour of the national capital. Students were given the opportunity to participate in a variety of educational programs with a focus on Australia's history, culture, heritage, government and democracy.

The Australian Government recognises the importance of all young Australians being able to visit the national capital as part of their Civics and Citizenship education. To assist families in meeting the cost of the excursion, the Australian Government is contributing funding of \$20 per student under the Parliament and Civics Education Rebate program towards those costs. The rebate is paid directly to the school upon completion of the excursion.

More information at: <u>http://www.pacer.org.au/</u>



Brooklyn Soccer Club Presentation Day was last Saturday Well done to Gilbert on receiving his award

P &C Announcement

The next P&C general meeting has been scheduled -

When: Thursday 19th September 2019 Where: School Library

Time: 6:30pm

All parents and citizens are welcome,

membership fee is \$2 and this can be paid on the night.

Schools September Focus -Bendigo Bank

If you are a member and looking for a home or investment property, or just want to check your current rate, you can help the school at the same time.

It costs nothing to get a quote and you will earn the school \$25 in Community Cash and you can also earn another \$500 in Community Cash for settling a loan of \$250,000 or more.

Tell your school community about Community Cash and direct them to the Berowra and District Community Bank[®] Branch of Bendigo Bank for their home and investment loan needs.



Terms, conditions, fees and charges apply. All information including interest rate is correct as at 29 July 2019 and is subject to change. Full details available en application. Lending citratina apply. The comparison rate displayed is calculated for a loan of an amount of \$150,000 over 25 years. WARNING the comparison rate to use only for the example (year and my or include) at less and charge. Different terms, fees or other loan amount at different comparison rate. Credit provided by Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited ABN 11 068 049 178 Australian Credit Lenece 237879. A1325273-3 (SOI394_1) (1) (6)(2)(2)(9)



Brooklyn Spring Fair and Markets... is on again!

Sunday, September 22nd

Get your all day rides pass for Spring Fair early and get a \$5 discount per pass. \$20 before the event and \$25 on the day

Remember the Spring Fair is a fundraiser with all the proceeds going to keeping Hawkesbury River Child Care and Brooklyn Kids Club running. Profits for the all-day rides passes only go to the centre in presales so support our community and get a cheaper all day rides pass before the day!

Please don't forget to put your surname and 'rides' as the description when transferring money for your rides band

Our bank details for transfers are

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See you at the fair! 🛛



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2. Drawing		
Section: G) - Cooking (No pa	cket mixes)	
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