

COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

25 February 2019

Term 1 Week 5

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WEEK 5 REMINDERS

- Monday - STEPS Vision Screening for eligible Kindergarten students
- Tuesday - ESPSSA Swimming Carnival
- Friday - PSSA Sport

Fruit & Scoop Day

Last Thursday the P&C held a Fruit & Scoop Day. Many of the students purchased fruit salad and/or ice-cream from the Canteen. It was a very popular event that was enjoyed by all. Thank you to the P&C for organising this food day.

Swimming Carnival

Well done to all of our wonderful students for their participation, effort, sportsmanship and outstanding behaviour at the swimming carnival last week. A huge congratulations to the house captains and students of Phillip for being the winning house for 2019, and to Angel, Kevin, Trinity, Justin and Markas who will be representing our school at the ESPSSA swimming carnival tomorrow. Good luck!



Polo Shirts

Polo shirts with the correct colour logo will be available from Wiley's Uniforms from tomorrow. If you have purchased a polo shirt that has a light green logo on it, please take the shirt to Wiley's to swap it for the correct style. If you are unable to get to Wiley's, or if you are unsure if you have the correct shirt, please see Ms Hoskins.

School Hats

Matraville Public School hats are now available from Wiley's and from the school office for \$8 each. All students must wear a school hat each day when outside. Please ensure all hats are labelled with your child's name.



TERM 1 CALENDAR – 2019

WEEK 5

Monday 25 February	STEPS Vision Screening
Tuesday 26 February	ESPSSA Swimming Carnival SEDA Basketball Clinic
Friday 1 March	PSSA - Round 2: Softball v Gardeners Rd Blue at Heffron 1, League Tag MPS 2 v MPS 1 at Heffron Park

WEEK 6

Tuesday 5 March	SEDA Basketball Clinic
Friday 8 March	PSSA - Round 3

WEEK 7

Thursday 14 March	Selective High School Test for 2020
Friday 15 March	PSSA - Round 4

School Photos

Our school photos will be held on Monday 25 March (Week 9). This week, students will bring home an envelope with details regarding orders and payment for school photos. Please complete the details on the envelope and return to school, with correct money or payment details, before photo day. Envelopes are individualised for each student, so please return the correct envelope to your child's class teacher. All students will have their photo taken on the day, regardless of whether you will be ordering a photo package.

P&C

The next P&C meeting will be held on Friday 22 March at 9:15am in the Community Room. This will be the Annual General Meeting when executive positions are elected. These positions include President, Vice Presidents, Treasurer and Secretary. All parents and carers are encouraged to attend the P&C meetings held each month. This is a great opportunity for you to meet other parents, hear about the school and have your say. New members are always welcome! To contact the P&C executive, please email pandcmatraville@gmail.com.

How to Make Online Payments

Payments can be made using either a Visa or MasterCard credit or debit card. The payment page is accessed from the front page of the school's website by selecting the "\$ Make a payment" tab.

Items that can be paid include: voluntary school contribution and subject contributions (i.e. text book fees, excursions, creative and practical arts activities). There is also a category called "Other". This is to cover items not covered in the previous headings. When you make a payment online, you must enter:

- the student's name and class OR
- the student's name and date of birth.

These details need to be entered each time you make a payment as student information is not held within the payment system. There is also the option to enter the Student Registration Number and Invoice Number. As these are not used on most notes, please leave this section blank.

You have the ability to check and change any details of the payment before the payment is processed. Please note that permission slips need to be returned to the class teacher.

Payment details, including student name and what the payment is for, are passed daily to the school where they will be receipted against your child's account. This is a secure payment system hosted by Westpac. To ensure that your credit/debit card details are captured in a secure manner, these details are not passed back to the school.

For any enquiries regarding the Online Payment process please contact the Office.

UNSW Teaching Students

Students studying a Masters of Teaching at the University of New South Wales (UNSW) are required to complete practical hours in a school. Over the remainder of this term, we will have two UNSW teaching students attend our school each Tuesday and Thursday to complete their practical hours. They will work in classrooms with teachers, with the aim of developing the skills required of a teacher. We welcome these students and look forward to helping to develop the next generation of teachers.

**Playgroup at
Matraville Public School.
Every Wednesday school term
9.30-11.30am
All welcome!**



get active

Participate in a non-contact Rugby League skills program designed for girls.

START	4 March 2019
TIME	Mondays 4.00pm
LENGTH	6 weeks
AGE	5 - 12 years
COST	\$60
WHERE	Marcellin Fields Cnr Fitzgerald Ave & Robey St Maroubra NSW 2035

Register and receive your NRL pack
PLAYNRL.COM/JUNIORPROGRAM

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What's Been Happening at Before & After Care!

Welcome to TeamKids Matraville! Week 4 has been a lovely week in our service. We have completed lots of fun activities, such as tree stencil painting, mindfulness and free hand painting. We have also completed some activities based off two different theme days which include 'Tell a Fairy Tale Day' and 'World Thinking Day.' These were great experiences which the children got the opportunity to learn from. If you have any questions about the service please do not hesitate to contact us on the details provided below. As always, you are more than welcome to come by for a visit. Thanks!

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