Deputy Principal’s Message

As we move into the busiest weeks of the school calendar, we urge you to check the newsletter, notes and face book for communication of all school events. We are currently finalising staffing for 2016, evaluating the school year and preparing the School Plan for 2016.

Schools Spectacular

Next week is extremely busy for all our performers. It is important for parents to refer to the notes Ms Watts has already communicated with you, to ensure performers are at every rehearsal. We wish our performers all the best on Friday 27th Nov and Saturday 28th Nov. All the hard work will pay off and we know you will represent Hoxton Park with pride.

We thank all the parents for your continued support in allowing your child to be part of an incredible experience for any performer, even though the hours are long and the commitment at times difficult.

School Concert

This fabulous showcase of talent will be held on Wednesday 2nd December at the Marconi Club commencing at 7pm, doors open at 6pm. Tickets are on sale at the office, $10.00 per ticket. We hope you come along and enjoy the display of excellence in the Creative Arts from all our students and teachers.

Presentation Day

Another important day on the Hoxton Park calendar. The 3 – 6 presentation will be at 9.00am – 10.00am followed by the K – 2 presentation from 11.30 am – 12.30pm. We welcome you to attend and celebrate student achievements.

Home School Liaison Officer (HSLO)

The HSLO visits the school twice a term to monitor attendance of all students. As a school we have to prepare a report for the officer who then meets with myself to explain the high absences or late arrivals. Many explanations are for known illnesses or holidays. Sometimes we may call to meet with you to discuss your child’s absence, this is to enable the school to give an accurate report to the HSLO so that further investigations by the Department of Education are not necessary. If you have any concerns regarding your child’s attendance please contact the school.

Payments

There are a number of activities requiring payment, Year 6 Farewell, Kindy – Year 5 Movie Day, Year 6 Bowling Day and overdue fees. Please ensure deadlines are met, as some venues require pre-payment and final numbers prior to the event. We don’t like having to say students cannot attend an event, but in most cases it is out of our control if payments aren’t received on time. We thank you in advance for your understanding.

Donna Beath
Deputy Principal

Library

Just a reminder all library books need to be returned to the library before week 10. Ms Sawyer will be performing a stocktake of resources and would appreciate your help by having all books returned.

Important dates for the diary

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Office News

Leaving Students

If your child is leaving Hoxton Park Public School at the end of year and not returning in 2016 (not Year 6), please contact the office so we can update our records.
School Uniforms

If any Year 6 students’ wish to donate their school uniforms to the school at the end of the year, it would be greatly appreciated.

Any size 6, 8 or 10 black shorts will also be welcome.

Up coming events – Term 4

Term 4 Week 7 Events

Nov 19  P&C Spider Day
Nov 19  Scripture
Nov 19  K-2 Assembly @ 2.10pm (2 Galaxy)
Nov 20  PSSA Round 10 (Last Day)

Term 4 Week 8 Events

Nov 24  Skipping – Kindy
Nov 26  Scripture (Last Day)
Nov 26  3-6 Assembly @ 2.10pm (3/4 Density)

Term 4 Week 9 Events

Dec 1  Skipping – Kindy
Dec 2  School Concert @ Club Marconi – doors open @ 6.00pm
Dec 3  No Assembly

Commonwealth Bank Student Banking

The last day for Student Banking will be Tuesday 24th November. If your child has tokens and wishes to redeem a prize please send 10 tokens with their order to the office before this date.

Lots of students have enjoyed the great prizes from the Commonwealth Bank this year, and we are looking forward to new amazing prizes for 2016.

Hi Everyone,

We had a great time on our pupil free day. The children enjoyed cooking experiences like ice cream and muffin making. The most popular activity had to be the water bomb games, lucky the weather was wonderful.

Our Mad scientist program is in its third week this week and the children so far have made hovercrafts, Goo, Spaceships and experimenting with explosions. This week we will be exploring the world of illusions and how we can make them ourselves.

Our Summer Vacation care is fast approaching and we hope to have the program out to you soon, keep a look out for it. Costs are from $1.96 per day.

We will be closed from the 18th of December and will re-open on the 4th of January 2016.

We are pleased to say our places for after school care are becoming limited if you need after school care please book in as soon as possible. Also if you need before and after school care for 2016 please book in as soon as possible.

Thank you to those who have participated in our school community survey, your feedback on our service is much appreciated. Surveys close 27th November.

Please come and see us for an exact quote based on your family’s eligibility for Child care Benefit and Child care Rebate. There are no upfront costs for enrolments in any of our programs.

Thanking you,
Amanda Howard
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# Hoxton Park Public School Merit Winners
## Term 4 Week 5 & 6

### K Draco
- Zac Andria
- Lachlan Zacherl
- Caitlyn Grebenshikoff
- Isabella Khowley

### K Halo
- Angelina-Rose Szabo
- Ruby Whitthcer
- Sayan Prasad
- Jonathan Odisho

### K Pegasus
- Vanshika Bondili
- Phoebe Ashby
- Ashton Eyke
- Nicholas Franco
- Sophia Luxa

### 1 Martian
- Aden Wiggins
- Angelina Sayes
- Samantha Vorn
- Lincoln Tuala

### 1 Oberon
- Tanisha Reddy
- Hilary Tan
- Jayden Knight
- Aiden Fraser

### 1/2 Meteorite
- Ashna Lal
- Marcus Vong
- Olivia Saboune
- Jahnesta-Rose Aloe

### 2 Galaxy
- Joshua Gaudry
- Jessica Beavan
- Zac Crici
- Aneisha Salafia

### 2 Hubble
- Joshua Estoesta
- Alexia Zepidis
- Jackson Hepplewhite
- Fadhil Rubaiee

### 2 Nebula
- Dalia Harb
- Seumalo Leilua
- Madhavi Nayak
- Filip Pismanovski

### 3 Eclipse
- Serenity Haracic
- Bella Priora
- Susan Sharifi
- Ashneel Kumar

### 3 Rhea
- Angelina Phung
- Tryphena Akuoko-Asare
- Kanitha Pech
- Paul Galindez

### 3/4 Density
- Tiarna Pignataro
- Mazin Elfaki
- Ilhana Fejzovic
- Justin Khotpanya

### 5 Stellar
- Sam Helo
- Max Griffith
- Nadine Tahan
- Phillip Cheav

### 5 Telesco
- Ismat Ahmad
- Blake Sutton
- Danielle Hawker
- Lourdess Hawkes-Sabo

### 5/6 Maia
- Dorian Gavet
- Marven Salem
- Vincent Zhong
- Nadia Saboune

### 6 Ozone
- Kathryn Katsaros
- Ricardo Hermiz
- Ayana Najjar
- Gyndaaylee Croft

### 6 Saturn
- Shivneel Sambhu
- Courageous Afoa
- Marcelo Rosales
- Michael Cella

### SPORT
- Hannah Falefata
- Abdul-Hamid Katiaa
- Michael Mubarak
- Darrell Weatherby
- Henry Volkman
- Max Griffith
- Rishab Srivatsa
- Anh Thu Nguyen
- Kaleb Kaukura Grey
- William Atto
- Omar Tahan
- Mariana Isaac
- Hafsa Ali
- Nusayr Shah
- Kiara Smith
- Aavah Rivera
- Kartik Karan
- Alisha Lim
- Brendan Nguyen
- Gabriel Dos Santos
- Alexia Zepidis
- Nathan Lai
- Joshua Jabur
- Poulis Poutros
- Jonathan Veljanovski
- Braith Leatham
- Ashlee Goundar
- Kaylani Tuala

### QUALITY WORK
- Naemah Ali
- Sherwin Singh
- Laura Tashman
- Peter Vrankovic
- Justin Soun
- Jennifer Pham
- Nour Elfaki
- Janan Yenihayat
- Kevin Bintulan
- Aceiyah Kumar
- Dylan Wu
- Andrew Jabur
- Chelsea Jones
- Malachi Matauaina
- Madison O’Brien
- Braxton Sayaloune
- Christopher Aziz
- Nicholas Arteaga
- Sameera Khan