

# NEWSFLASH

TERM 4, WEEK 4 2025

## THANK =YOU!=



On behalf of all students who participated in this year's intensive Swimming Program, we send our sincere appreciation to our community partners who generously sponsor this initiative. We extend our gratitude to the P&C, in particular, Kel Callaghan, for their relentless support and advocacy for the Aberdeen PS community. Mrs Loveridge did an amazing job handling the logistics, supported by staff across the school to ensure this year's program ran smoothly.

Last Friday, we celebrated our wonderful teachers on World Teacher Day, and this week it is our school counsellors who are being recognised for the outstanding support they provide to the students, parents and teachers in our public schools. We are fortunate to have Mrs Jackie Martin in our school every Thursday. Jackie is an integral member of our School Learning Support Team, and her work is critical to the support we can offer students. School counsellors hold both teaching and psychology degrees, and are considered specialist staff in our schools. Thanks, Jackie, for all you do to support our students, teachers and school community.



Today is School

Counsellor and School

Psychologist Recognition Day. We would like to acknowledge the contribution our school counsellors, school psychologists, senior psychologists education and leaders psychology practice make to the students, families and teachers in our public schools every day.

This year's theme, 'Together we grow', celebrates the important role of these incredible professionals in creating the conditions for growth for students, school communities and the profession itself.



#### **IMPORTANT DATES**

- Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> November Remembrance Day
   Ceremony
- Thursday 13th November Year 5 Minute to Win It
- Friday 21st November Celebration Assembly
- Friday 28th November Leadership 2026 Speeches
- Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> December Celebration Assembly
- Friday 12th December Presentation Day
- Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December Year 6 Farewell
- Friday 19th December Year 6 Graduation Assembly

Last Day of School for 2025



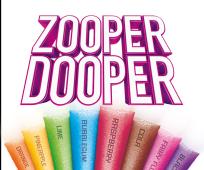
#### AWARD RECIPIENTS

### **WEEK 4**

K Lime Bentley D-F.
1/2 Indigo Angus P.
1/2 Blue Madeline R.
3/4 Black Ethan L.
5/6 Magenta Wylie O.
5/6 Green Lincoln A.



The Canteen will be offering
Zooper Doopers
for just \$1.00 on
Wednesdays throughout
Term 4 starting
12th November





Tickets on sale from November 3rd for the Aberdeen Public School P&C Association Mega Christmas Raffle!!





Three amazing prizes up for grabs! Tickets on sale until 1st December or until sold out.

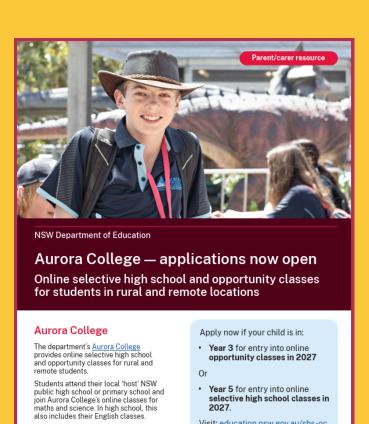
Winners will be drawn and announced 2<sup>nd</sup> December.

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https://rafflelink.com.au/aberdeenpc25







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## E-scooters: Advice for families

An e-scooter is an electric scooter that is powered by a rechargeable battery.

#### Is my child allowed to ride an e-scooter?

In NSW, it is **illegal** to ride a privately owned e-sco on roads or road-related areas, including footpath shared paths, cycle ways and cycle paths.

you allow your child to ride a privately owned e-scooter, they are **only permitted** to ride it on private property.

#### Is my child allowed to ride in a e-scooter trial area?

E-scooter shared schemes are being trialled in designated local government areas in NSW.

Your child must be 16 years or older to hire and ride a

shared e-scooter within a trial area.

Hired shared scheme e-scooters are only able to be used on roads and road-related areas in the designated e-scooter trial areas. It is illegal for privately owned e-scooters to be ridden on NSW roads or road related areas, including in trial areas.





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Hurry, applications close on 20 February 2026.