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Thursday, 22 May 2025

Term 2, Week 4

Dates to remember:

Term 2, 2025

Tuesday 27 May

Thursday 29 May

Friday 30 May

Wednesday 4 Thursday 5 June

Wednesday 4 June

Friday 6 June

Zone Cross Country

Interrelate 6pm school hall

PSSA Gala Day

School Photos

Stage 1 Excursion Bobbin Head National Park 2K, 2S

Stage 1 Excursion Bobbin Head National Park 1B,1L,1M,2C



Principal's News

Mother's Day Breakfast

Recently, the P&C and the school hosted our annual Mother's Day breakfast. The breakfast was well attended and provided a wonderful opportunity for our school community to celebrate our mums, grandmothers and other special women in our students' lives. There was delicious food on offer as well as a photo booth for children to get a photo with their mums or other special person.

The Mother's Day breakfast requires an enormous amount of planning, preparation and work on the morning of the event. I'd like to thank our hard-working P&C social committee as well as the parent volunteers for their efforts in coordinating and running this wonderful event. It was lovely to see so many dads helping at the breakfast. I'd also like to thank Mrs Graham and Mr Burke for their contribution to ensuring the breakfast ran smoothly.



PIC-COLLAGE

Kindergarten Excursion to the Farm

In week 2, our Kindergarten students visited Calmsley Hill City Farm in Abbotsbury. At the farm the children saw and patted many farm animals and got to milk a cow. They also went on a tractor ride and watched a whip cracking and working dog show.

The children had a great day out and a wonderful learning experience. Thank you to our Kindergarten Team for coordinating and running this excursion.



Road Safety

As we continue to prioritise the safety of our students, we would like to remind everyone of some important road safety practices when dropping off and picking up your children.

Safe Vehicle Entry and Exit

To ensure the safety of all students, please remind your children to enter and exit vehicles from the rear passenger door only. This practice minimises the risk of accidents occurring as they get in and out of the car. Additionally, we ask that school bags are stored inside the vehicle, rather than in the boot, to prevent any unnecessary delays during drop-off and pick-up times and maintain student safety.

Kiss 'n' Ride Rules

Our 'Kiss 'n' Ride' area is designed to keep traffic flowing smoothly while ensuring the safety of our students. Please adhere to the following rules:

- Pull up as far forward as possible in the designated area.
- Stay in your vehicle while your child enters or exits.
- Do not leave your vehicle unattended in the Kiss 'n' Ride zone.
- Standing in this area is only permitted for up to 2 minutes and the driver is only permitted to leave the vehicle for up to 3 metres.

Parking Considerations

To maintain safety and accessibility for all, please refrain from parking across residential driveways or double parking while in the carline. These actions can obstruct traffic flow and pose a risk to pedestrians and other vehicles.

We appreciate your cooperation in making our school a safe environment for everyone. Let's work together to keep our children safe!

Bruno Diodati
Principal



Deputy Principal's News

BE IN LINE BY 5 TO 9

Our school day begins promptly at 8:55am, not 9:00am Hence the messaging we would like to start using with students and parents/carers is:

“Be in line by 5 to 9”

It is essential that all students are in their classrooms by this time, ready to engage in their learning activities. Arriving on time ensures that your child does not miss out on important instructions and sets the tone for a productive day.

Plan Ahead: Allow Extra Time

We understand that mornings can be busy, and the "Carline/ Kiss and Drop" area often experiences long lines particularly in wet weather. To help alleviate this, we encourage parents to plan ahead and allow extra time for drop-off. Arriving a few minutes earlier can make a significant difference in ensuring your child is on time.

Late Arrivals and Absentee Marking

Students who are not in class by 8:55am will be marked as absent. These students are required to obtain a late note from the school office before heading to their classroom. This procedure helps us maintain accurate attendance records and ensures that all students are accounted for. When there are a large number of students who are late, lining up to get a late note also adds to the time to get to class.

Parental Responsibilities for Late Arrivals

If your child arrives late, we kindly ask that you accompany them to the school office to provide an explanation, not just drop them out the front of the school.

We appreciate your cooperation and understanding in this matter.

Jennifer Graham
Deputy Principal



Administration News

Absences from School

If your child is going to be absent from school for any reason, please either call or email the school office (pymble-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au) detailing your **child's full name, class and reason for their absence**.

Application for Extended Leave (Travel) Forms

As part of the NSW Department of Education's attendance policy, parents and carers are required to apply for extended leave if their child is going to be absent from school for a period of 5 consecutive days or more. This does not apply for periods of leave due to illness. This applies to planned periods of leave which exceed 5 or more days. Parents and carers can apply for Extended Leave online via the School Bytes Parent Portal under the 'Forms' menu option.

Annual School Contributions

Annual school contributions have now been finalised and added to your child's School Bytes account. These contributions are charged in Term 1 each year and remain a voluntary payment. As outlined in Mr Diodati's email earlier this week, children will not be disadvantaged by a family's inability to pay school contributions. If you require financial assistance with paying school contributions or the cost of a school activity or program, please contact the school to speak with Mr Diodati or one of our relieving Administration Managers (Mrs Weir or Mrs Frankish).

Student Details on School Bytes

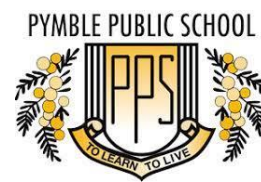
Did you know that you can now view the groups your child has been allocated to in School Bytes (such as class, house and scripture group), as well as your child's student email address? To view this data about your child, log into your parent portal, click on the 'Dashboard' menu and scroll to the very bottom of this page where all students in the family are listed. Click on the "Student Details" link for each child and all relevant information will be displayed.

Mrs Frankish, Mrs Weir, Mrs McCulloch, Mrs Cooper & Mrs O'Donohue



Pymble Power Pumpers

Trials / Interest Note



May 16 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

Pymble Public School has had a long standing relationship with The Heart Foundation with over 30 years of fundraising for the charity. We would like to continue to support The Heart Foundation as well as encourage our students to skip, learn some tricks and live a healthy lifestyle.

On Friday 12 September, all students K-6 will be involved in a Jump Rope for Heart (JRFH) '**Jump Off**' day where they will dress up, raise money and skip with their friends to music.

- If your child is in **Year 4, 5 or 6** and is interested in trialling for the 'Pymble Power Pumpers' (the PPS skipping demonstration team), please complete the Google Form by Friday 23 May <https://bit.ly/PPSPPP2025>
- Trials will be held during recess / lunch times
- There is a limit on the size of the team due to space and safety.
- Interested students should come to the trials ready to show off their skipping skills. They are encouraged to use the links below in order to prepare.



BEGINNER: <https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLh8a3lIPdCciUT8KlxS22W03oZrKtwZ5q>

INTERMEDIATE: <https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLh8a3lIPdCcheT4w3O-WLN--QI7855qbD>

ADVANCED: https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLh8a3lIPdCchqe1dLxgNlZpuG-87_p6c7

If you have any questions, please contact Mrs Holbrook via the school office.

Kind regards,

Lucinda Holbrook
(Assistant Principal)

Bruno Diodati
Principal



BERRY ST UPDATE

This term, we are concentrating on creating our own individual Ready to Learn Plans which are useful not only in the classroom but also in the playground and in general life. The first thing that we ask students to identify is “**What is your body telling You.**” We ask them to say how they are feeling and where in their body they feel stress.

Teachers have discussed the following questions with their class.

1. Where do you feel stress in your body?
2. What signs does your body give you?
3. What situations cause you to feel stress?

Students are asked to draw an outline of their body and to identify where they feel stress.

Please have a conversation with your child regarding their response to these questions.

KISS AND RIDE ZONES

Understanding the rules

**Kiss and Ride Zones are for your child's safety and for your convenience.
Designed for quick entry and exit, it minimises congestion
and risk when used properly.**

RULES

- Kiss and Ride zones and 'No Parking' zones operate under the same conditions.
- Drivers may stop in this zone to drop off or pick up passengers or goods for a maximum of two minutes.
- The driver **MUST** remain in or within three metres of the vehicle at all times.
- The vehicle must not be left unattended.
- If times of operation are shown on the sign, the restriction only applies during the times shown.
- Penalties apply for illegally parking in School Zones. Rangers are active in the area.



REMEMBER

1. **DRIVERS DO NOT LEAVE YOUR VEHICLE** - To assist with traffic flow in the Kiss and Ride Zone, drivers are encouraged to remain in the car while the children get in and out. To facilitate this, children should travel with bags in the car and not in the boot.
2. **BE TIMELY** - If your child does not enter or exit the vehicle within 2 minutes you are required to travel around the block and re-enter the zone at the end of the queue.
(Insert Street names relevant to your school)
3. **KERB SIDE ENTRY / EXIT** - Ensure your child enters / exits the vehicle on the kerb side. Ensure your child has their restraint securely fastened before moving off from the Kiss and Ride Zone.
4. **STAY IN SEQUENCE** - Please queue in an orderly manner. Drop/pick-up your child as close as you can to the top of the zone, allowing vehicles following you to enter the designated area.
Do not cut in the queue
5. **NO U TURNS** - Do not make u-turns in busy school zones. They are dangerous and put children at risk. Fines and demerit points apply.

**Kiss and Ride Zones need cooperation to ensure the safety of all children.
PLEASE DRIVE CAREFULLY AROUND SCHOOL ZONES**

**NO APOLOGIES!
NO EXCUSES!**





2025 School Photos

Presented by



Portrait Patch
School Photography

will be taken on

Wed 4th & Thurs 5th JUNE

Location: Hall

To order, simply click on this link:

<https://portraitpatch.com.au/sydney/order-online/>

Enter shoot code **1479** and follow the instructions.

Please NOTE:

1. All ordering is online **. Please order before photo day as orders received after then may incur a late fee.
2. If ordering **SIBLING PHOTOS**:
 - The details for at least 2 children **MUST** be entered (even if you are not ordering for one of them).
 - Orders **MUST** be placed online: **before the day you would like them to be photographed**
 - Siblings that are not on our list (i.e. do not have an order) **WILL NOT BE PHOTOGRAPHED**.
 - During ordering, you will be required to **choose a day and time to register** your siblings to be photographed - **PLEASE** record this date and time -
 - Please tell your siblings to arrive in the **HALL** at this time
3. Please ensure your child is wearing the complete uniform.

** If you are unable to order online by credit card, see the school office for alternative arrangements

School Student Travel



School student travel information for parents and students

School Travel Passes

Students who require a School Opal card or travel pass but have not yet applied need to [apply](#) or [update](#) their details as soon as possible.

In the Opal network, students should travel with a Child/Youth Opal card until they receive their valid School Opal card. If outside Greater Sydney, parents should contact their [local bus operator](#) to discuss their travel needs.

Students living in rural and regional areas will receive their travel pass from their nominated transport operator. It may be issued via their school or be sent directly to them at home. **Note:** some rural and regional operators do not issue travel passes. Students/parents should confirm with their nominated operator if they do not receive a pass.

Terms of Use

Students using School Opal cards must tap on and tap off in line with the [Opal terms of use](#).

This includes travel within the approved times between 6.30am and 7.00pm from Monday to Friday on school days only. Students must use their Child/Youth Opal card for any travel outside these times.

All students are required to comply with the [Student code of conduct](#). The code of conduct aims to ensure the safety and well-being of school children and other passengers. It is important that parents ensure their child is aware of this, as failure to comply with the code of conduct can result in a suspension from travel.

Mail sent from the Stakeholder Liaison Team, Customers Systems and Operations.



Further information can be found at transportnsw.info/school-students

Enquiries can be submitted at transportnsw.info/passes-concessions-feedback

CHESS!!

Learn to be a chess champion! Coaching for students at Pymble Public School is held on Wednesdays from 1:00pm to 1:45pm, starting on 30 April 2025.

Learning and playing chess helps children develop their logical thinking and problem solving skills, improves their concentration and focus, while also being a great source of enjoyment. Activities include group lessons on a demonstration chess board or interactive whiteboard, puzzle solving and fun practice games.

Students earn merit awards by making checkmates, or by displaying skills and positive qualities, which all good chess players strive to develop.

Each student in the Chess program will also receive access to Chess Squad <https://www.chesssquad.com/> which is an online teaching/playing platform.

If your child is interested in taking part in the class, please email office.sydneyacademy@gmail.com for an enrolment form. For all enquiries, please contact Sydney Academy of Chess on (02) 9745 1170.



FINES AND DEMERITS APPLY

**NO
STOPPING
= AT ANY
TIME**





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OUR LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL NEEDS VOLUNTEER ETHICS TEACHERS!



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I started for my
children but
stayed for myself
– it's so
rewarding.

”

An hour of your time a week is all it takes to help
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with strong ethical decision-making skills.

Volunteers come from all walks of life. You don't need
to be a trained teacher! We offer free full training,
lesson scripts and ongoing teacher support.



If you want to help students access this
valuable program, **contact us**
or visit:
primaryethics.com.au/volunteer



WAHROONGA CAMP

9AM - 3PM

30 JUNE -
18 JULY

1 DAY	\$117
2 DAYS	\$223
3 DAYS	\$335



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\$83.50
PER DAY



Abbotsleigh School, 1666 Pacific Hwy, Wahroonga



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PYMBLE PUBLIC SCHOOL



CANTEEN MENU

YBK Breakfast

- Café Style Raisin toast \$ 2.00
- Honey, jam or vegemite toast \$ 1.50
- Pikelets with jam or honey \$ 1.00
- Approved school size banana bread 80g \$ 4.00
- Cheese Jaffle \$ 1.50
- Fresh fruit salad small \$ 3.00 Lrg \$ 5.00
- Fruit salad and Greek yoghurt \$ 5.50
- Variety of homemade muffins \$ 3.00



YBK Snacks

Everyday

- Seasonal fresh fruit \$ 1.50
- Fruit Skewer \$ 2.00
- Apple slinky \$ 1.50
- Fresh fruit salad Sm \$ 3.00 Lrg \$ 5.00
- Fruit salad and Greek yoghurt \$ 5.50
- Carrot Stick (4x) \$ 0.50
- Health pack (carrot, celery, cucumber, ham, cheese and crackers) \$ 4.00
- Cucumber, celery and carrot cups with Hummus \$ 3.00
- Variety of homemade muffins \$ 3.00
- Pizza bread \$ 2.00
- Garlic Bread \$ 1.00
- Greek Yoghurt cups \$ 1.50
- Greek Yoghurt cups with berries \$ 2.00
- Pauls Vanilla Custard \$ 2.00
- Pretzels \$ 1.50

OCCASIONAL

- Oven baked hash browns \$ 1.50
- Veggie chips (Gluten free) \$ 3.00
- Popcorn Plain \$ 2.50

Everyday

- Frozen orange \$ 0.50
- Frozen pineapple ring \$ 0.80
- Frozen watermelon \$ 1.50
- Quelch Stick \$1.00
- Juicies \$ 2.00
- Frozen juice cup \$ 2.00
- Juicie Tubes \$ 2.50

OCCASIONAL

- Paddlepop \$ 2.50
- Moosies, frozen milk \$ 2.50
- Twisted Yoghurt cups \$ 3.50

Frozen



Drinks

- Water \$ 2.50
- Sparkling Mineral water \$ 3.00
- Plain Milk popper \$ 2.50
- OAK Flavoured milk 300ml \$ 3.70
- Soy milk \$ 3.50
- Up&Go \$ 3.70

OCCASIONAL

- Juice poppers 99% fruit juice 250ml \$ 3.00



Special Diets

GLUTEN FREE

- Muffins \$ 3.00
- Banana bread \$ 6.00
- Veggie chips \$ 3.00
- Pasta Bolognaise \$ 7.00
- Homemade fried rice with gluten free soy sauce \$ 5.50 (250g)
- Health pack with gluten free crackers and gluten free Hummus \$ 4.00
- Gluten free burgers \$ 8.00
- Gluten free pie \$ 7.50
- Gluten free sausage roll \$ 6.50



DAIRY FREE

- Yoghurt \$ 3.50
- Soy milk \$ 3.50
- Muffins \$ 3.00

dairy free breads and spreads



HALAL

- Homemade Pasta Bolognese \$ 6.50(250g)
- Pizza wraps from \$ 5.50
- Homemade Butter chicken with rice \$ 7.30
- Halal Pies \$ 6.00
- Halal Sausage rolls \$ 5.50
- Halal Beef burger (beef Patty, tomato and lettuce) \$ 7.00
- Falafel wrap (Falafel, hummus, lettuce, tomato and cucumber) \$ 8.00
- Chicken burger (chicken, lettuce and mayo) \$ 7.00
- Chicken kebab stick \$ 4.00
- Chicken kebab in a wrap \$ 5.50
- Chicken kebab in a wrap with lettuce and mayo \$ 6.50



Cold Food

SANDWICHES

white, wholemeal, multigrain, gluten free
bread available

- Vegemite or honey \$ 2.50
- Vegemite and light tasty cheese \$ 4.50
- Light Tasty Cheese \$ 4.00
- Chicken, lettuce and mayo \$ 5.50
- Chicken and salad \$ 6.00
- Egg and Lettuce \$ 5.00
- Salad \$ 5.00
- Tuna and mayo \$ 5.00
- Tuna and salad \$ 6.00
- Light Tasty Cheese and tomato \$ 4.50
- Ham \$ 4.50
- Ham and tasty cheese \$ 5.50
- Ham and salad \$ 6.00
- Cheese and salad \$ 6.00
- Ham, tasty Cheese and Tomato \$ 6.00
(extra fillings \$ 0.50, toasted \$ 1.00,
Turkish bread \$1.00, GF \$1.00)



Hot Food



- Homemade Pasta Bolognese \$ 6.50 (250g)
- Homemade Pasta with napoletano sauce \$ 5.50 (250g)
- Fried rice with vegetables \$ 5.50
- Homemade lasagna \$ 6.50
- Wonton Soup \$ 5.00
- Chicken noodle soup \$ 4.00
- Chicken kebab stick \$ 4.00
- Chicken Kebab in a wrap \$ 5.50
- Chicken Kebab on wrap with lettuce and mayo \$ 6.50

OCCASIONAL

- Ricotta and Spinach Rolls \$ 5.00
- Timbertown Junior pies \$ 4.00
Sauce satchels 50cents

YBK Weekly Meals

MONDAY OCCASIONAL

- Timbertown beef pie \$ 6.00
- Timbertown sausage roll \$ 5.50
- Timbertown Beef potato pie \$ 6.50
SAUCE SATCHELS 50cents

TUESDAY

- Homemade Butter chicken with rice \$ 7.30

WEDNESDAY

Pizza wrap

- Margherita \$ 5.50
- Bbq Chicken and Cheese \$ 6.50
- Meatlover \$ 7.50

THURSDAY

- Sushi Roll Tuna/Teriyaki Chicken/Vegetarian \$ 4.80
- Sushi Baby Box Tuna or cucumber \$ 4.80
- Edamame beans \$ 3.50

FRIDAY - Burgalicious \$ 7.00

- Chicken Burger with fresh chargrilled chicken breast, lettuce, mayo
- Beef burger with beef patty, lettuce, tomato and sauce
- Vegetarian Burger - potato patty, lettuce, tomato and mayo (Vegan option also available)

Fresh Salads

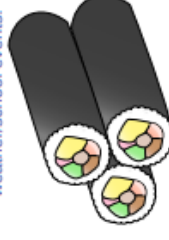
- Garden Salad and dressing \$ 6.70
- Grilled chicken and salad \$ 8.00
- Tuna and salad \$ 8.00
- Greek salad \$ 7.20
- all small salads \$ 5.70

OCCASIONAL

- Caesar salad (lettuce, bacon, parmesan and croutons) \$ 7.50 (chicken \$1.00 extra)



*Daily specials may change according to season,
weather/school events.





[P&C News](#)

[Connect with the P&C](#)



[Upcoming P&C Meetings](#)

The next P&C meeting is on **Wednesday, 21 May 2025** (Term 2, Week 4) at **7:30pm**.

You don't need to be a P&C member to attend. You may attend in-person or via Zoom.

Please contact secretary.ppspc@gmail.com to register your interest. Zoom details and a copy of the meeting agenda will be sent out via email closer to the date.

Meetings are usually held each term in Week 4:

Term 3: Wednesday 13 August 2025

Term 4 and AGM: Wednesday 5 November 2025

Important Announcement

Treasurer needed for 2026:



The P&C needs a new **Treasurer** to join the P&C Executive Committee in 2026!

Glenn Gao has been the amazing PPS P&C Treasurer for the past 4 years. He can only hold the position for no more than four consecutive years and as such, the P&C is seeking someone as awesome to help oversee the financial side of P&C. Please note that the P&C employs a paid book-keeper to manage the day-to-day finances meaning that the role of the Treasurer is more about oversight and strategy.

Please consider assisting your child's wonderful school and its community by nominating yourself for this position. Glenn will happily assist in the handover and to answer any questions.

Please contact Amy to know more at: president.ppspc@gmail.com



**PPS BAND
WORKSHOP
DAY**

**JUNE
22
2025**

Where: Pymble Public School
When: 11am - 4.45pm
More details to come soon

**THIS IS AN INCREDIBLE DAY
AND MANDATORY FOR ALL
BAND STUDENTS TO ATTEND**

**SAVE
THE
DATE**

[P&C Events](#)

Mother's Day Breakfast

What a truly lovely morning we shared together for our Mother's Day Breakfast!

The P&C Event Team organised a beautiful event. The welcoming and delicious spread included a variety of warm pastries, pancakes, and sausages, thoughtful gluten-free options, and delightful homemade chia pudding.

We're incredibly grateful to all the volunteers, including the wonderful dads, brothers, mums, and our fantastic Year 6 Captains and Prefects, who helped make the morning run so smoothly. Your smiles, helping hands, and warm energy created a truly special atmosphere. Thank you for celebrating with us.

Our wonderful volunteers helping us host the breakfast: Angus Dockrill , Rob Sherwood, Steve Whiteway, Sam Warburton, Leo Patterson, Fernando Hila and Qing Li.





[Mother's Day Photo](#)

What a joy it was to capture the love and warmth of Mother's Day with a special photo to treasure for years to come. From the laughter of little ones to the proud smiles of mums, grandmothers, and even a few dads who joined in the fun. A huge thank you to Farid Zand for bringing back the ever-popular photobooth this year. You helped create memories that will be cherished forever!



Pymble Public School



HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY

2025



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2025

Mother's Day Market



Upcoming P&C Events

Interrelate

The P&C will be running Interrelate Sessions in Term 2.

You can buy your tickets here - <https://events.humanitix.com/interrelate-2025>



THU 29 MAY 6-8:15 PM

 **interrelate®**

TRICKY TALKS

WHO: Students from Year 3 - Year 6 and their parents/guardians

WHERE: PPS School Hall

WHAT: An engaging and age-appropriate session by Interrelate, designed to help parents and children navigate meaningful conversations about growing up.

The Pymble Fun Run

The Pymble Fun Run is an exciting new Community Event for 2025. Mark your calendar and keep your eye out for more information.

SAVE THE DATE SUN SEP 21 2025



Mark your calendar for the FIRST EVER
Pymble Fun Run. **More info to come.**

Is this role for you?

School Crossing Supervisor



About you:

Help protect our vibrant school communities.



Be a road safety hero for school kids, caregivers, school staff and local motorists.



Able to communicate with different groups and give clear instructions.



Willing to work outdoors in all weather conditions.

Casual

Ku-ring-gai LGA (Gordon/Turramurra Area) – 99474

In this role, you'll:

Work shifts that fall between 8:00am - 9:30am and 2:30pm – 4:00pm, Monday to Friday during school terms with a minimum of one hour shift as required.

Salary:

\$32.84 per hour plus superannuation.

Apply today

Applications close 11:59pm on Wednesday 4th June 2025.

Visit jobs.transport.nsw.gov.au and search for **Reference Number: 99474** or search 'School Crossing Supervisors' for a full list of vacancies or scan the QR code to apply.

For further information, contact Sandhini Chaudhary

E: sandhini.chaudhary@transport.nsw.gov.au

P: 0466 343 704



jobs.transport.nsw.gov.au



HOW TO REGISTER



WITH *flexischools*

- 1 Download the Flexischools app and select "Register".
- 2 Type in your email and submit to create an account.
- 3 Go to your inbox and click the link to verify your email (remember to check your junk).
- 4 Follow the registration process, creating a password and adding your personal details.
- 5 Add your student under "Profile" and start ordering online!



Download Flexischools app

For trip planning visit www.transportnsw.info or call 131 500.

For current school and route services visit www.cdcbus.com.au

Conditions of Carriage: Students must have a valid Opal card and must tap on and off every trip. Further details about the SSTS are available at: www.transportnsw.info

Key: (L) Bus turns left; (R) Bus turns right

PYMBLE PS

Bell Times

Effective 31/03/2024

Morning: 08:55

Afternoon: 14:55

MORNING BUSES

Route	Time	Bus Route
579	08:01	FROM PYMBLE STATION via 579 route. Drop on Bannockburn Rd (08:07)
8066	08:12	FROM TURRAMURRA HS via Maxwell (R) Koombalah (R) Kissing Point (R) The Comenarra, Doncaster (L) Yarrara (R) Ward (08:27) (L) Livingstone (L) Everton (R) Avon (R) Arilla (L) Allawah (R) Linden (R) Beechworth (R) Highway (L) Bannockburn (R) Rushall (L) Crown to school (08:46)

AFTERNOON BUSES

Route	Time	Bus Route
9080	15:00	TO PYMBLE STATION AND WEST PYMBLE via Crown, Reservoir, (L) Bannockburn (R) Selwyn (L) Bobbin Head (L) Highway (Pymble Station on Highway 15:06) then to Gordon Station Bus Bay (15:15) then transfer to route 560
9039	15:05	TO PYMBLE STATION via Crown, Reservoir (L) Bannockburn (R) Selwyn (L) Bobbin Head (South Turramurra student transfer to 9015 at Sacred Heart School (15:10) (L) Highway (R) Livingstone (R) Everton (R) Avon (R) Arilla (L) Allawah (R) Linden (R) Beechworth to Highway to Pymble Station (15:25)
9015	15:10	TO SOUTH TURRAMURRA from Sacred Heart School via Crown, Reservoir (L) Bannockburn (R) Selwyn (L) Bobbin Head (R) Highway (L) Kissing Point (L) The Comenarra (L) Ravenhill, Carina (L) Mimosa, Waratah (L) Boronia (L) Kissing Point (R) Canoon to Barwon
560	15:36	FROM GORDON STATION via St Johns (R) Pacific Hwy (L) Ryde (R) Yanko (L) Kooloona (L) Yanko (L) Congham (R) Wallalong (R) Yanko (L) Yarrara (R) Ward (L) Livingstone (R) Cultowa



In-Store Payment Options

Dear Families,

Due to a shift in how shoppers spend and the way banks are transacting, Alinta has made the decision to become a cashless company.

This decision has come due to a number of factors:

- Consumers no longer carrying cash
- Local branches are closing
- Local branches are becoming cashless and making depositing cash difficult

Cash will no longer be accepted in store as of 1 June 2025.

We apologise for any inconvenience this causes.

Thank you,

Alinta Management.

PAYMENT METHODS



EFTPOS (EFTPOS cards, Mastercard or Visa using card, smartphone or smartwatch)



CREDIT CARD & DEBIT CARD (Mastercard or Visa)



ONLINE via online shop



LAYBY (with 20% deposit and 3-month term)



info@alinta.com





PPS Christian Prayer Group

Throughout the year, the PPS Christian Prayer Group meet to pray for the PPS community. The group meet on the first Friday of each month at 9am at PPS at the shelter area on the top playground. If you would like to join us, please contact Briony Jones (brionyjones_1@hotmail.com)



Lost Property

The Lost Property box is located in the room under the Hall, near the Band Room. With the easing of COVID-19 restrictions, parents are able to once again check the Lost Property box for their child's missing items. To minimise items going missing, please ensure your child's belongings are clearly labelled. Items with NO NAME will be sent to the 2nd Hand Uniform shop and proceeds from these sales will be used to fund school improvements.



Uniform Shop

With the easing of COVID-19 restrictions, the Uniform Shop is pleased to be able to welcome parents and carers back into the store during their normal opening hours: Tuesday 1.30pm – 4pm and Thursday 8.15am – 10.30am.

The Uniform shop is also still offering contact free ordering:

- (1) Online ordering – www.alintaapparel.com.au
- (2) Store phone order – 0413 087 395
- (3) Contact Alinta Call Centre – 4321 0433



2nd Hand Uniform Shop

The 2nd Hand Uniform shop is a P&C initiative run by volunteers and we offer a walk-in service to purchase donated 2nd hand uniforms. The shop is open for sales every Thursday **from 8:30am to 9:00am during the school term.**

Our stock is dependent on donations, so if you have uniforms, you no longer need, please consider donating them by placing them in the white uniform recycling bin located outside the school office. We only accept PPS branded uniforms and for hygiene reasons we can't accept socks or tights. Please make sure all donations are in usable condition and washed before they are donated.

Please support this great initiative at our school and save tones of school uniforms from ending up in landfill.

If you have any questions, you can reach out to us at 2ndhand.ppspc@gmail.com



Do you have a pensioner concession card? You could be eligible for Saver Plus.

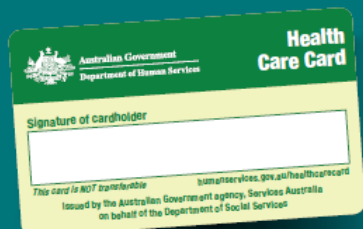
For every dollar you save, you'll get a dollar from ANZ to spend on educational costs, up to \$500.

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- ✓ Be 18 years or older
- ✓ Have a current Health Care or Pensioner Concession Card
- ✓ Have a child in school, starting school next year, or be studying yourself
- ✓ Get a regular income (can be you or your partner)
- ✓ Agree to join in free online financial education workshops



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Turramurra United Football Club

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cubsrugbyleague@gmail.com

The Language Company

Expression of Interest for Spanish classes.

Should you be interested in your child learning Spanish, please contact Michele at The Language Company.

www.thelanguagecompany.com.au

enquiries@thelanguagecompany.com.au



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GROUP ART PROGRAM

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We have an 8 week art therapy group program for 8 - 10 year olds where artists, using a variety of mediums, will share their unique perspectives on climate change.

More about 'Good planet studio':

- Weekly term based program
- Led by Art Therapist and Play Therapist
- 1.5 hours after school, Thursdays 4pm-5.30pm
- Various artistic mediums
- Multiple special guest local artists workshops
- Participant artworks, if desired, will be showcased in a local Art Exhibition in 2025.
- Total cost for 8 week program is \$249

Enquire now to find out more and secure your place. Spaces limited.
E: referral@becentre.org.au

Founded in 2009 Be Centre Foundation is a Northern Beaches based children's mental health for-purpose service based in Warriewood.

Please scan the QR code below to register.



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Warriewood, 2102

