

School Newsletter

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Term 3, Week 8

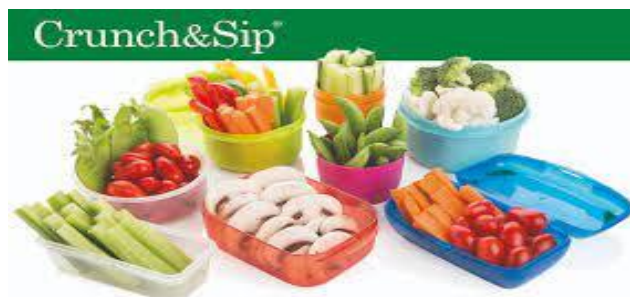
Thursday, 11 September 2025

<http://www.ropescross-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/>

Dates to Remember – Term 3

Sports in Schools	SISA – This is a 3 x Weekly Cycle - Please check calendar for dates
Monday, 1 September to Friday, 12 September	Swim School
Monday, 15 September to Wednesday, 17 September	Year 5 Camp – Lake Macquarie
Thursday, 18 September	Public Speaking Competition
Monday, 22 September	Presentation Assembly Girls Cricket Knockout
Wednesday, 24 September	Ropes Funday - Year 6 Fundraiser
Thursday, 25 September	Year 2 – Golden Ridge Animal Farm Excursion
Friday, 26 September	Last Day of Term

*** Crunch 'n' Sip**
K-2 every day at 10:00am
3-6 every day at 2:00pm*



Principal's Message

I would like to thank the P&C for all their help and support in putting together the Father's Day Stall. Thank you to all the parents and community members who helped at the stall and donated prizes for the raffle.

Last week I had the pleasure of watching our Stage1, Stage 2, Stage 3 and Hip Hop dance groups perform at the Blue Mountains Nepean Dance Festival. Thank you to the dance teachers and families for their support with this event.

Could I remind parents and carers that if your child has an issue with another student, they are to bring the matter to the attention of your child's teacher or supervisor. Parents are asked not to approach students themselves.

B Davies
Principal

BUY YOUR
TOKENS
NOW

ROPES CROSSING PUBLIC SCHOOL

RCPS FUN FAIR

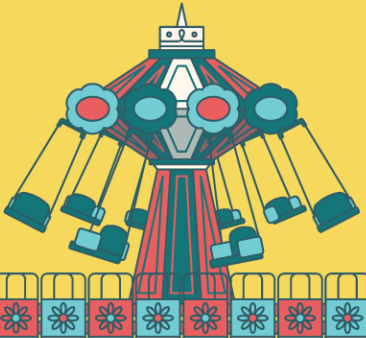
WEDNESDAY 24TH SEPTEMBER-

HOSTED
BY YEAR
6

HAVE A BLAST IN RCPS

Come and join us in our Year 6 Ropes Funfair led by Year 6. The fun fair includes stalls like plinko, karaoke, a petting zoo, and various sports to try out. The money from this fun fair will fund the Year 6 farewell thank you.



ROPES CROSSING!
 YEAR 6 HAVE VOLUNTEERED TO HOLD A FUN FAIR TO RAISE MONEY FOR THE FAREWELL, IF YOU CAN COME AND TRY OUT OUR STALLS WE WOULD LOVE IT!



School Bytes

Parent App

Available now!

Download on the App Store or Google Play by clicking the image below.



Key Features

- Get real time push notifications from your school
- Stay signed in and save your card for secure payments for fees and excursions
- Give consent, sign forms and respond to attendance alerts
- View the school calendar and news

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DISTRICT ATHLETICS

Last week, our students represented the school proudly at the St Marys District Athletics Carnival. It was a fantastic day of competition, with all students showing determination, effort, and great sportsmanship.

We are excited to share that 7 of our students have qualified to progress through to the Sydney West Regional Carnival, which will be held at Homebush. Congratulations to Sienna, Ivy, Alice, name withheld, Krisha, Shekinah and Llazius on their outstanding achievements!

We also commend all of our athletes who competed on the day, giving their best and supporting one another throughout the carnival. They should be very proud of their efforts and the way they represented our school.

We wish our Regional competitors the very best as they prepare for the next stage of competition.



Father's Day Raffle Winners

Charlie E- KN	Jahnala - 1W
Shaivi M- 2T	Zakariyah - 1S
Adrielle A- 1S	Emilia L - 4B
Charlie D- 3P	Rosie S - 1S
Evie B - 1W	Aaliyah E - 6S
Sebastian J- 1A	Paisley M- 3B
Noel S- 1A	Rianna A - 2B
Nazraana B - 3N	Noah M - 2F
Jayden S- KE	Willa T - 3M

 Thank you for your continued support ! 

Please note Automated Gates have been Installed

How to Enter School Grounds:

-  **Press intercom**
-  **Await Answer**
-  **Once instructed
lightly. push left gate**
-  **Please do NOT touch
the handles**



**Free activities
for children
up to 12 years
at the
Parliament
of NSW**

**Friday
10 October
9.30am – 3pm**

Visit Australia's oldest
Parliament, step inside
history and get creative in
workshops and role plays.

- Visit our heritage rooms
- Make craft animals and objects
- Play music and draw with Blak Douglas
- Have your say in a committee role play
- Learn how to vote
- Enjoy live music and more...



FREE ENTRY
Activities 9.30am to 3pm

LOCATION
Parliament of New South Wales,
6 Macquarie Street
Opposite Martin Place

The public café will be open.

**BOOKINGS
ESSENTIAL**

P: (02) 9230 2047 or
E: dps.education@parliament.nsw.gov.au





ROCKETEERS

THE ULTIMATE SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM



**SCHOOL HOLIDAY
BOOKINGS
NOW OPEN**

Programs vary by location and are subject to change. Jump on our website to find out what's happening at your local Rocketeers.

*Please note the fees on the following pages are only of the maximum Child Care Subsidy (CCS) a family may be entitled to. To find out your eligibility, simply log into MyGov and complete your CCS Assessment.

FUN AWAITS!

YOUR SPRING HOLIDAY PROGRAM



Ropes Crossing Public School

Address: Pulley Dr ROPES CROSSING NSW 2760

Phone: 0402 273 388 Program Times: 06:30 am - 06:00 pm

**Mon
29 Sep**

Project: Tree-mendous Thanks

Discover the magic of Gustav Klimt! Create dazzling patterns, design symbolic art, and build your own shimmering 3D Golden Gratitude Tree to take home and treasure.

Full Fee \$98.96 | After Max. CCS* \$9.90



Project

**Tue
30 Sep**

Special Event: Monster Jump!

Jump, slide and bounce 'til your heart's content as you make your way through, over and under various inflated obstacles. There are no limits when it comes to bouncy fun, so join us today and jump for joy!

Full Fee \$128.41 | After Max. CCS* \$12.84



Excursion

**Wed
01 Oct**

Big Art Day: Bloom & Discover

Step into a world of flowers and art! Today is all about using your imagination to bring blossoms and colours to life. Let's create, explore, and see what blooms!

Full Fee \$69.91 | After Max. CCS* \$6.99



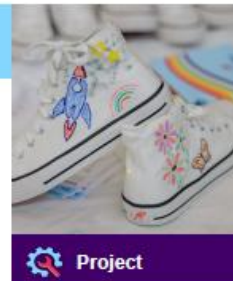
Base Camp Day

**Thu
02 Oct**

Big Art Day: Throwback Kicks

Time to turn up the tunes and throw it back in style! Design your own canvas shoes, dance to retro beats, and enjoy a blast-from-the-past creative day. It's a throwback party you'll never forget!

Full Fee \$99.68 | After Max. CCS* \$9.97



Project

**Fri
03 Oct**

Operation: Cosmic Quest

Blast off into a day of discovery! From twinkling stars to distant planets, today's all about exploring outer space and letting your imagination soar.

Full Fee \$69.91 | After Max. CCS* \$6.99



Base Camp Day

**Tue
07 Oct**

Experience Takeover: Retro Rewind

Dress in your retro best, make tie-dye headbands, dance at a disco party, play Twister, Limbo, Tug of War, and chill in quiet zones if you need—there's fun for everyone!

Full Fee \$104.56 | After Max. CCS* \$10.46



Experience Takeover

**Wed
08 Oct**

Special Event: LEGO® Gaming Builds

Build your dream Minecraft world with themed LEGO® bricks, conquer a Sonic-inspired obstacle course, and take on wild LEGO challenge cards. Plus, take home a sticker sheet and design card!

Full Fee \$99.81 | After Max. CCS* \$9.98



Project

**Thu
09 Oct**

Adventure: The Bad Guys 2 at Reading Cinemas

Watch Mr. Wolf and the crew return for another wild heist! Packed with laughs, action, and rule-breaking twists, this movie adventure is one you don't want to miss.

Full Fee \$122.01 | After Max. CCS* \$12.20



Rocketeers

**Fri
10 Oct**

Project: Slimeology 101

Get squishy, stretchy, and creative! Mix up your own sensory slime using wild colours and textures, then take your custom creation home for even more gooey fun.

Full Fee \$95.85 | After Max. CCS* \$9.59



Project

**Mon
13 Oct**

Operation: Elemental Explorers

Get ready to discover the secrets of earth, air, fire, and water! Today is all about exploring the power of nature's elements and letting your imagination take flight.

Full Fee \$69.91 | After Max. CCS* \$6.99



Base Camp Day

Visit campaustralia.com.au/rocketeers to join our next mission

by Camp Australia

THE ULTIMATE SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM



ROCKETEERS

Extraordinary Holiday Adventures

**BOOKINGS
NOW OPEN**

THERE'S SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE AT ROCKETEERS

Take the stress out of the school holidays with Rocketeers. Featuring over 200 wonderfully unique experiences that will ensure your child's school break is extraordinary!

From our LEGO® Gaming Builds event, featuring LEGO® Minecraft® and LEGO® Sonic® experiences, to DIY Decorated Kicks at Big Art Day – and everything in between!



DID YOU KNOW?

You don't have to attend the school where we operate to use our awesome holiday programs. Simply book into any of our convenient locations.



**Build
Friendships**



**Discover
Adventure**



**Create
Memories**



**Have lots
of fun!**

**BOOK INTO SCHOOL
HOLIDAY FUN NOW!**

SAVE BIG THIS SPRING!

Child Care Subsidy
available for
eligible families.

FIND OUT MORE



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GAMING
BUILDS**



MINECRAFT



CREATIVE BUILDS FOR GAMERS

Featuring LEGO® Minecraft® and
LEGO® Sonic® experiences



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OUTDOOR EXCURSIONS



BASKETBALL CLINICS



the BAD GUYS

Order by the 1st of May

CINEMA



MUCH MORE



Big Art Day



**RETRO
REMIX**

**FEAT.
DIY KICKS!**

BUDGET FRIENDLY THEMED DAYS!

SCHOOL HOLIDAY BOOKINGS NOW OPEN



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**Camp
Australia**

CALENDAR OF EVENTS – TERM 3, 2025

WEEK	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
1 July	21 Staff Development Day	22 Students Return for Term 3	23 Field of mars Yr 5	24 Field of Mars Yr 6	25 SISA – Stage 2
		Mobile eyes – Eye testing			
2 August	28	29 100 Days of Kindy	30	31	1 SISA – Kindy / Stage 3
3	4 Westfield Performance	5 Education Week Concert & Open Classrooms SRC & Year 6 cake stall	6 Australiana Pioneer Village Year 4 Year 6 – First Foot Forward	7 Boys Softball Knockout	8 SISA – Stage 1
4	11 Parent Teacher Interviews	12 Parent Teacher Interviews	13 Australiana Pioneer Village Year 3	14	15 SISA – Stage 2 Bookfair
5	18 School Photos Bookfair	19 Group Photos Bookfair	20 Book Week Celebrations - Bookfair Character Dress Up day	21 K-2 Athletics Carnival Limelight Rehearsal Day & Night Concert	22 SISA – Kindy / Stage 3
6	25 3-6 Athletics carnival P&C Meeting	26 Hawkesbury Eisteddfod Year 5 – Chifley College Taster Lessons	27	28 Penrith Blue Mountains Rehearsal Day	29 SISA – Stage 1
7 September	1	2	3 Penrith Blue Mountains Matinee & Twilight show	4 District Athletics –Field P&C Father's Day stall	5 SISA – Stage 2 District Athletics - Track
	Swim School				
8	8	9	10	11	12 SISA – Kindy / Stage 3
	Swim School				
9	15	16	17	18 Public Speaking Competition	19 SISA – Stage 1
	Year 5 Camp – Lake Macquarie				
10	22 Presentation Assembly Girls Cricket Knockout	23 Sydney West Athletics	24 Yr 6 Fete	25 Year 2 Golden Ridge Animal Farm Excursion	26 Last Day of Term
Friday, 26 September 2025 – Last day for Term 3 Tuesday, 14 October 2025 – Students resume for Term 4					

CALENDAR OF EVENTS – TERM 4, 2025

WEEK	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
October 1	13 Staff Development Day	14 Students Return for Term 4	15	16	17 SISA – Kindy / Stage 3
2	20	21 Kindy Expo	22 Year 1 Excursion - Featherdale	23	24 SISA – Stage 1
3	27	28 Kindergarten Orientation Session 1	29 Kindergarten Excursion – Calmsley Hill City Farm	30 Mt Druitt Public Speaking Final	31 SISA – Stage 2 Dance Sport Championships
November 4	3	4	5 Kindergarten Orientation Session 2	6 K-2 Athletics Carnival	7 SISA – Kindy / Stage 3
5	10 Kindergarten Orientation Session 3	11	12	13	14 SISA – Stage 1
6	17	18	19	20	21 SISA – Stage 2
7	24	25	26	27 Zing Disco	28 Talent Quest
8 December	1	2	3	4	5
9	8	9	10	11 Year 6 Graduation and Farewell	12
10	15 Presentation Day	16	17	18	19 Last Day of School for Students

Friday, 19 December 2025 – Last day for Term 4
Monday, 2 February 2026 – Students resume for Term 1