

Learn to Live

Term 3, Week 6 (31st August, 2018)

Important Dates:

Please mark these dates on your calendar

SEPTEMBER 2018

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| Mon 3 - Fri 14 | Swim Scheme |
| Wed 5 | BMN Dance Festival - 10:30am and 7:30pm Performances Group A Kindy Transition Year 6 Parent Meeting 3:15-3:45 |
| Thu 6 | Fundraiser - Dress as a farmer day |
| Fri 7 | K-2 Assembly District Athletics Carnival |
| Wed 12 | Group B Kindy Transition K-2 Poetry Final (10am) 3-6 Poetry Final (11.30) |
| Fri 14 | K-6 Assembly |
| Mon 17 | Kindy Transition Information Evening for Parents P&C Meeting |
| Wed 19 | Maths Olympiad 5 Group A Kindy Transition |
| Fri 21 | P&C Colour Run |
| Mon 24 | Parent Maths Workshop-Evening |
| Wed 26 | Group B Kindy Transition |
| Thu 27 | DISCO K-2 (4 - 5.30) 3-6 (6 - 7.30) |

Term 4 - OCTOBER 2018

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| Mon 1 | Student Return to school |
| Wed 17 | Group A Kindy Transition |
| Thu 18 | Book Week Parade |
| Wed 24 | Group B Kindy Transition |
| Wed 31 | Group A Kindy Transition |

NOVEMBER 2018

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| Fri 2 | Tuning into Kids Workshop Twilight Markets |
| Wed 7 | Group B Kindy Transition |
| Fri 9 | Kindy Graduation Photos Sports Photos Year 6 Muck Up Photo Staff Muck Up Photo |
| Wed 14 | Group A Kindy Transition and Kindy Parent Evening Session |

Principal: Mrs C Frith

Assistant Principal Stage 1: Mrs N Bridges, Mrs K Carter (Relieving)

Assistant Principal Stage 2: Mrs K Jansons

Assistant Principal Stage 3: Mr P Earl

Notes Home



- ◆ Year 6 Signature Bear/Ball Orders
- ◆ Design a Coles bag and win your school \$5000
- ◆ P&C Colour Run
- ◆ District Athletics (selected students only)
- ◆ Genius Hour - 2/3S

Assembly Dates

Fridays commencing 11.30am

TERM 3

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| August 31 | 3-6 Assembly |
| September 7 | K-2 Assembly |
| September 14 | K-6 Assembly |
| September 21 | No Assembly |
| September 28 | No Assembly |

School Activities Update



Kitchen Garden Classes - Term 3

Monday - 1/2B, 1/2D, 1/2H, 2/3S

Sport Days - Fridays

K-2 (9.55 - 10.55)

3-4 (12.25 - 1.25)

5-6 (1.55 - 2.55)

PE Days (sports uniform)

Wednesday - Stage 1 (including all of 2/3S)

Tuesday - Stage 2

Monday - Stage 3 (including all of 4/5P)



Library Days

Monday: KSC, K/1W, 4/5P, 1/2H

Tuesday: KS, 5/6M, 5/6T, 3/4J

Wednesday: 1/2B, 2/3S

Thursday: 3/4ZR, 1/2D, 5/6CT, 2/3S

Music

Monday: KS, 3/4J, 3/4ZR, 2/3S

Tuesday: K/1W, 5/6CT, 4/5P

Wednesday: 1/2B, KSC, 5/6, 5/6M

Friday: 1/2H, 1/2D



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

Email: faulconbri-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Access student portal: <http://portal.det.nsw.edu.au>

Principal's Report

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Drought fundraiser

Our drought fundraiser is on next Thursday.

We are holding a **"Dress as a Farmer" Mufti Day.**

It will be held on: **Thursday 6th September**

A **\$5 donation** to dress up and participate in the activities will be collected on the day. The activities will take place between lunch and recess.

The Year 6 team have been working hard to plan some fun activities for the students. Our initiative is also being supported by KU preschool next Thursday.



New school website

Our school communication team is hard at work using a new website platform for our school website. Please click on the link: <https://faulconbri-p.schools.nsw.gov.au> and take a look.

We have listened to your feedback and the homepage has upcoming events listed. Clicking on the event link will take to a page with further information, including the ability to add a reminder to your own calendar. Our most recent newsletter is also available on the homepage to keep you well informed.

The website is continuing to be developed, and we would welcome feedback about other information you would like to us to publish to the site.

Staff Carpark

A reminder that our staff carpark is not a pedestrian thoroughfare. It is for staff access only. Recently we have had some members of the community attempt to use the carpark to access the school, sometimes with children following them. This is dangerous. For the safety of all concerned we request that pedestrians use the main entrance gates to the school.

Blue Mountains Nepean Dance Festival

Our four dance groups have been rehearsing and honing their routines ready for next Wednesday's performances at the Blue Mountains Nepean Dance Festival. We are lucky to have the talents of Mrs Carter, Miss Waddell, Mrs Zordoumis and Mr Cleary to choreograph the dances and their commitment to the students' development of dance skills is wonderful. A big thankyou to the teachers for their energy and ongoing commitment to the students. Thank you to Mrs Curzon in her support role. There may still be tickets available for the matinee next Wednesday at the Joan Sutherland Performing Arts Centre.

2019 planning

We are already beginning to plan for 2019. In particular we are trying to ensure we have accurate numbers of students in each grade. If you know of anyone who is planning to enrol at Faulconbridge Public School next year, please ask them to contact the school office as soon as possible so we can start the enrolment process. Also, if you are planning to move or leave our school please let us know as soon as possible so we can track our number of students in each grade for 2019.

Award Morning Tea

Congratulations to our Cub Award winners:

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| Term 3 | Jacob K - 5/6T | Phoebe G - KSC | Parker A - 1/2D |
| Week 5 | Starsan A - 5/6M | Starsan A - 5/6M | Max C - 1/2D |
| Term 3 | Leighton S - 1/2D | Aryelle T - 2/3S | Bailey C - 2/3S |
| Week 6 | Remy L - 2/3S | Ella D - 5/6T | Abbey W - 2/3S |

Principal's Report Continued...

NAPLAN results

More than a million Australian school students in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9 undertook common tests across the country in Reading, Writing, Language Conventions (Spelling, Grammar and Punctuation) and Numeracy. The NAPLAN tests provide a 'point in time' account of how each student is performing compared to children of the same age across Australia, with the overall school results valuable for planning future directions in our curriculum. Individual results, once received, should not be viewed in isolation, but should be considered with the various forms of assessment provided by class teachers throughout the year.

This report is just one element of the information your child's school has on his or her learning and achievement in literacy and numeracy. Your child's teacher will be able to provide you with more information on how your child is progressing at school in literacy and numeracy.

At the time of writing this newsletter the school has not yet received the NAPLAN results. As soon as we have the results, they will be distributed to the parents of students in Year 3 and Year 5.

Always remember academic excellence alone will not guarantee success in life or work in the 21st century. Personal values and attributes such as honesty, integrity, resilience, confidence and respect for others will be more important to our students than any single piece of knowledge they will ever gain. I have no doubt whatsoever that our students will provide ethical and moral leadership in the community and be great role models in society.

SASS (School Administrative and Support Staff) Recognition

Every day of the school year SASS staff face new challenges in the running of our public schools and the provision of the quality education which our children will need for life during this century. They are constantly adapting to change so that our children can have the best education possible. SASS staff are a dedicated group of professional workers who are often overlooked in the school setting. Recognition Week gives the whole school the opportunity to demonstrate to SASS staff that they are valued members of the school community. Please individually take the time this week to thank them for the high level of dedication they give to their work. Our dedicated SASS staff are:

| Name: | Position: |
|---------------------|---------------------------------|
| Roz Niemann | School Administration Manager |
| Julie-Ann Thorndike | School Administration Officer |
| Karen Scaramuzzi | School Administration Officer |
| Genevieve McDonald | School Administration Officer |
| Lisa McDaid | School Administration Officer |
| Annette Reynolds | School Learning Support Officer |
| Heather Curzon | School Learning Support Officer |
| Benita Henderson | School Learning Support Officer |
| Wendy Wood | School Learning Support Officer |
| Taylor McLeod | School Learning Support Officer |
| Glen Purdy | General Assistant |
| Margaret Hogan | Cleaning Staff |
| Jin | Cleaning Staff |

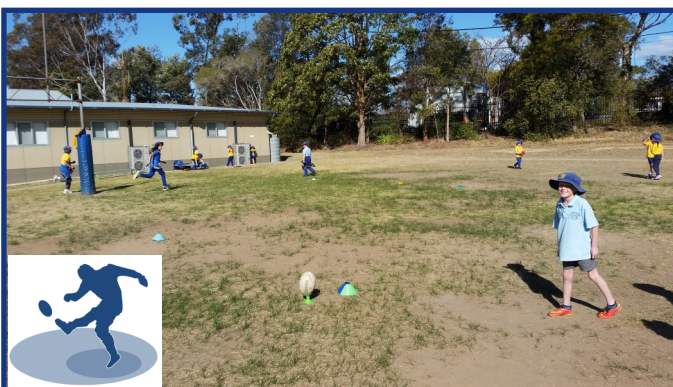
GIRLS

**SOCCER
GALA**

Last Thursday, a Stage 2 and Stage 3 girls soccer team travelled to Wentworth Falls to compete in a PSSA soccer gala day. The girls battled hard on the field and also with the cold conditions off the field! Both teams were very competitive in all the games they played and gave their all on the field. The girls played with a fantastic attitude and in the spirit of the game and should be commended on their behaviour both on and off the field.



goal
Kicking
Competition



In Week Three, Ryan and a group of boys held a kicking competition for Stage 2 and Stage 3. It did take a while for someone to win for Stage 3 but they eventually got a winner. The runners up are Gabe D for Stage 2 and James C for Stage 3 and the winners are Carter H for Stage 2 and Ashton D for stage 3.



Principal's Report Continued...

The Tell them from Me survey

Tell Them From Me is an online survey system devised by The Learning Bar that helps schools capture the views of students, teachers and parents.

The Department of Education, through the Centre for Education Statistics and Evaluation (CESE), has engaged The Learning Bar to offer its **student** feedback survey, its *Focus on Learning* **teacher** survey and its *Partners in Learning* **parent** survey to NSW government schools. This is a great opportunity to engage with school and your quality feedback is highly valued. Our community team will be using the data from all three surveys to continuously improve our school.



We want your feedback!

Parent and community 'Tell Them from Me' survey is now open. Please click on the link below to submit your feedback.

<https://nsw.tellthemfromme.com/q25tb>

Mrs Carol Frith

Principal



Year 6 Parent Meeting

Invitation

Parents are Caregivers are invited to attend a meeting to discuss our upcoming fundraising events and the Year 6 Farewell.

Day: Wednesday

Date: 5th September

Time: 3.15 - 3.45pm

Place: School Library

OUR STUDENTS at the 2018 PULSE CONCERT

On Thursday 9th August I had the pleasure of accompanying our Stage 3 Choir students to the Sydney Opera House for their performance at the 2018 Pulse Concert.

Our wonderful students left school in the morning and travelled into the city for their final combined rehearsal with 700 other children from across the Sydney Region before performing at their concert later that evening. It was a long, tiring but rewarding experience.

After months of hard work it was fantastic to see them perform with so much enthusiasm. They were, as always, outstanding ambassadors for our school. Congratulations to all of them.

I am sure that everyone who attended would agree that it was a fantastic evening.

The performances by our State School Students were magnificent. Our Primary and Secondary Massed Choirs sang in perfect harmony. There were also amazing performances from our Pulse Big Band, Pulse Concert Band and the Pulse Strings Ensemble. Congratulations to Tom E who performed in the Pulse Strings Ensemble. The diverse range of individual items on the night was certainly of a very high quality. It was also pleasing to see past Faulconbridge Public School students performing.

The night concluded with an amazing combined performance of "The Greatest Show".

The energy and excitement that could be seen in our students was obvious from beginning to end. However, wonderful concerts such as these don't run themselves. I would like to firstly extend an enormous heart felt thank you to all of the parents, caregivers, family members and friends of our students for their help and support leading up to and including the day, afternoon break and evening performance. Without you this wonderful experience would not have been possible for the children.

Yours Chorally
Miss Theoharis



Your age champions from this year's Athletics Carnival 🍷



Faulconbridge Public School

PBL Award

TERM 3

WEEK 5

Presented to:



K-2 Assembly

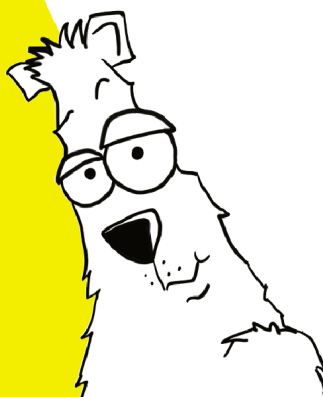
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| KSC | Nicholas C | Being a learner: A big improvement on leaving spaces in his writing |
| KSC | Imogen A | Being safe: Working hard on being in lines, ready for school |
| KSC | Ana K | Being a learner: A huge improvement in writing |
| KS | Amelia F | Becoming a focused learner. Trying hard in reading groups |
| KS | Argus S | Fantastic writing and sounding out difficult words |
| KS | Jaxon C | Sounding out words carefully during reading |
| KS | Aston B | Becoming a focused and sensible learner |
| K/1W | Lilah A | Being a learner: Making good progress with her sentence writing |
| K/1W | William R | Working hard to learn his sounds |
| K/1W | Hugh L | Being a learner: Creating beautiful still life drawings in Art |
| K/1W | Bodhi C | Making good progress in blending sounds to make words |
| 1/2B | Sam W | Creating imaginative artworks and taking time to finish them with care |
| 1/2B | Bronson M | Always working hard in class and constantly improving |
| 1/2B | Max G | Writing interesting compound sentences |
| 1/2B | Lincoln B | Working hard in maths lessons and solving tricky problems |
| 1/2D | Harrison W | Always trying his best during reading groups |
| 1/2D | Jorja W | Always being a safe and respectful learner |
| 1/2D | Roven R | His continuous effort in reading and writing |
| 1/2D | Kallie B | Always being a respectful learner |
| 1/2D | Parker A | Being a reliable class helper |
| 1/2H | Leyton A | Being a learner by putting together words and sentences correctly! |
| 1/2H | Bella L | Being respectful always during her first weeks at Faulconbridge Public! |
| 1/2H | Ethan H | Being a learner by adding more sentences to his writing! |
| 1/2H | Connor B | Being a learner by showing a huge improvement in knowing sounds and sight words! |
| 2/3S | Cameron D | Being a hard working student in Mathematics! |
| 2/3S | Leah Mc | Being an engaged and respectful student on our HSIE excursion |

Faulconbridge Public School PBL Award

TERM 3

WEEK 6

Presented to:



3-6 Assembly

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| 2/3S | Gemma W | Being a respectful and enthusiastic sport representative of the school |
| 2/3S | Felix M | Being a hard working Maths student |
| 3/4J | Alina B | Independence in writing and editing |
| 3/4J | Angus W | Showing a smiling face to others |
| 3/4J | Baxter H | Enthusiasm and effort during Mathematics lessons |
| 3/4J | Conor O | Taking ownership of his learning in writing |
| 3/4ZR | Ashton J | Safe participation in the Stage 2 Excursion |
| 3/4ZR | Claire H | Reading with fluency and expression |
| 3/4ZR | Zaine M | Improved participation in all class activities |
| 3/4ZR | Hayden C | An excellent drawing a our Stage 2 excursion |
| 4/5P | Oliver T | His convincing acting skills in drama! |
| 4/5P | Emily S | Creatively engaging in our novel study! |
| 4/5P | Niklas O | Contributing novel ideas and thinking creatively! |
| 4/5P | Alexander B | Conscientious effort across all learning areas! |
| 5/6M | Lily Q | Her cheerful and respectful approach to learning |
| 5/6M | Niamh O | Always displaying a respectful manner to her learning |
| 5/6M | Starsan A | Enthusiasm and effort in Maths lessons |
| 5/6M | Zane P | Application to his learning tasks |
| 5/6T | Mahailia B | Her enthusiasm to complete all work to the best of her ability |
| 5/6T | Thomas W | Completing his writing activities with care |
| 5/6T | Rhett G | Working hard to complete creative stories |
| 5/6T | Lily H | Her focus in creative writing lessons |



4/5P Pen Licence Awards

Alex B

Matilda E



Dear Parents and Caregivers,

There has been an increasing number children wanting to attend Ethics classes at our school this year. Our numbers have quadrupled. However, we have not been able to run all of these classes due to the shortage of volunteers willing to be trained to teach them.

All of our Ethics teachers and Scripture teachers are parent and community volunteers.

There have been several advertisements put into our school newsletter throughout the year, including this week, asking for people who are interested in being trained as Ethics teachers. If you or anyone that you know would like to volunteer to be trained, so that the children can have teachers next year, please contact Abby Howells, the Ethics Coordinator, as soon as possible on 0408 700 817 or via email at abhowells@hotmail.com

Please be aware that places for children in Ethics classes next year may be limited due to the availability of staff.

We will be looking at this area of organisation again at the end of this term, so that we can better inform our school community before the commencement of the 2019 year.

Thank you for your patience and understanding.

Dimitra Theoharis
(School Scripture/Ethics Coordinator)



Library news

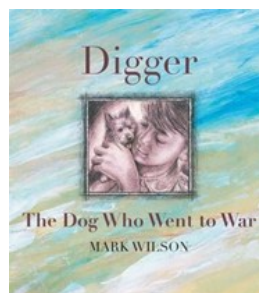
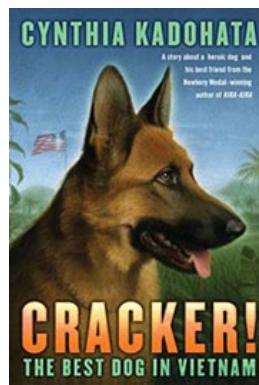


This week, we put out a big THANK YOU to the Springwood Branch of Australian Red Cross!

In remembrance of Vietnam Veteran's Day 2018 they have presented us with a voucher, which has been used to purchase the two books pictured.

These books address war and remembrance in a sensitive and age appropriate way.

THANK YOU SPRINGWOOD AUSTRALIAN RED CROSS!!!!



Dear families,

A very big congratulations to all students who participated in ICAS this year. All assessments have been completed and the first round of results have arrived. We would like to acknowledge the academic achievement of our students by presenting their certificates in upcoming stage assemblies. Awards for the Science assessment will be given out at the next assemblies.

Year 2 Students-Friday 24th August at 11.40am

Years 3-6 Students-Friday 31st August at 11.40am



SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAMS AT MACQUARIE UNIVERSITY – mq.edu.au/about/holidays

- Children are introduced to science concepts and skills in a safe and supervised environment.
- Courses teach the concepts through experiments, art, drama, physical activity, craft and other hands-on activities.
- Students are provided with experiences and activities that help them to understand a concept or gain knowledge in an active way.
- Courses are added and rotated each school holidays, and drop off and pick-up times are designed for the working parent.
- The Junior Science Academy is for children in Years K-6 in primary school.



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| Drop off | 8.30am – 9.30am |
| Activities | 9.30am – 4.30pm |
| Pick-up | 4.30pm – 5.30pm |
| Cost | \$122 |





Faulco PS P&C

President: Sarah Emmanuel

Email: faulconbridge.pandc@gmail.com



Father's Day Breakfast

What a wonderful morning of hot coffees and breakfast from the Blackboard Cafe for the loving men in our lives.

Happy Father's Day to the Dads, uncles, Grandfathers and carers in our school. Thank you to the Cafe volunteers - you are always so generous with your time and patience. Thanks too to Rotary for coming along again and cooking up breakfast for all - your commitment to our school is deeply appreciated.

Colour Run! September 21st



COLOUR RUN

Our first school Colour Run is coming up in a few short weeks. Notes have gone home and excitement is building. Please encourage

family and friends to sponsor your kids as the funds will help to buy playground and sports equipment, kindy packs, education support materials and other great initiatives. All welcome on the day!

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NEXT MEETING

Next P&C Meeting 17th August 7.30pm, Library.
All Welcome!

2

FACEBOOK

Find us at "FPS P&C", also "Blackboard Cafe FPS" and stay in touch.

3

FUNDRAISING

Ask at the cafe for ways to get involved in the P&C fundraising committee!



Fathers Day Breakfast

Another successful Father's Day breakfast was enjoyed by so many this year. The new toaster got a great workout and the coffee machine ran hot all morning. Well done to all involved and many thanks to Rotary for your support of our school.

Twilight Markets November 2nd.

The Faulco Public School night of nights is fast approaching so save the date! At this stage we are seeking sponsors so contact the P&C to get involved. We have a few stalls left so get in fast for this premium event. Volunteers are also sought in abundance.

Ethics Classes at Faulconbridge Public School

BECOME A VOLUNTEER ETHICS TEACHER

Join an active and growing community in the Blue Mountains

Teach children *how* to think not *what* to think

An Ethics Teacher

- ☐ Engages children in learning about ethics
- ☐ Is a good listener with a genuine interest in helping young people
- ☐ Commits to teaching one class each week during school terms

Ethics Teachers undertake

- ☐ Police and Working with Children checks
- ☐ Full free training in Primary Ethics curriculum delivery
- ☐ Ongoing online training

We need more ethics teachers!

We have lots of students enrolled to do ethics classes.

PLEASE HELP!

Learn more and apply online **www.primaryethics.com.au**

or contact Abby Howells, Ethics Coordinator, at

e: abhowells@hotmail.com or M: 0408 700 817

The Festival of Children's Literature returns this September

The much loved and revitalised Festival of Children's Literature returns to the Norman Lindsay Gallery in Faulconbridge this September 15 and 16. This renowned Festival will be proudly presented in partnership with Westwords, promoting diversity through literature in Greater Western Sydney.

A highlight of the Blue Mountains calendar, the Festival promises to be better than ever and will be a great family-friendly weekend out for locals and visitors alike.

Children and adults will be able to enjoy talks from some of the country's favourite authors and illustrators. The 17 featured speakers will include Australian Children's Laureate Morris Gleitzman, Libby Gleeson, Emily Rodda, Catherine Jinx, Deborah Abela, Owen Swan, James Roy, Oliver Phommavahn, Jacqueline Harvey, Matt Cosgrove and more. Gleebooks will have a bookstall on site. Food will be available or you are welcome to bring a picnic

The 2018 Festival of Children's Literature will also mark the 100th anniversary of *The Magic Pudding* by Norman Lindsay. Free entry to the Gallery is included with the ticket price and there will be a special Magic Pudding exhibition titled *A Puddin' Rich and Rare*, as well as well as a staged reading from the book to delight people of all ages.

For more info and to book:

W: westwords.com.au or normanlindsay.com.au

E: admin@westwords.com.au, nlg@nationaltrust.com.au

P: WestWords – 02 8677 4815, Norman Lindsay Gallery – 02 4751 1067



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FATHER'S DAY FUN

VALLEY HEIGHTS RAIL MUSEUM

Sunday - 2nd September 2018



**FREE ENTRY FOR ALL DADS
AS PART OF A FAMILY GROUP**

All other Adult males - \$11.00 (save \$4.00 off the
regular Adult Admission Price).

All men visiting on Father's Day can ride up the front of the
Steam Tram Motor - 1 in 4 can ride with the Fireman (by
ballot on the day between 10am & 3pm).

Where:
Valley Heights Locomotive
Depot Heritage Museum
Address:
17b Tusculum Road,
Valley Heights NSW 2777
Times:
10am to 4pm
Tickets at the door.

For further details

Phone: 02 4751 4638 (leave a message if unattended)

Website: <https://valleyheightsrailmuseum.info>

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/Valley-Heights-Locomotive-Depot-Heritage-Museum-224121597699539/>

Email: info@valleyheightsrailmuseum.info



**Transport
HeritageNSW**





FESTIVAL OF CHILDREN'S LITERATURE

PROUDLY PRESENTED BY  **WestWords**  **NATIONAL TRUST**

15TH - 16TH SEPTEMBER 2018

AUTHORS & ILLUSTRATORS
 Australian Children's Laureate,
 Morris Gleitzman, Jacqueline Harvey,
 Libby Gleeson, Emily Rodda,
 Matt Cosgrove, Oliver Phommavanh,
 James Roy, Mardi McConnochie,
 Deborah Abele and more!

Illustrations by Owen Swan

WHERE
 Norman Lindsay Gallery
 14 Norman Lindsay Crescent,
 Faulconbridge NSW

ENQUIRIES
 For tickets and full program
westwords.com.au
 WestWords: 8677 4815
 Norman Lindsay Gallery: 4751 1067

TICKETS


1 Day Pass
 Adults \$55
 Conc./NT mem. \$45
 Children \$30
 Group of 4 \$150

Weekend Pass
 Adults \$95
 Conc./NT mem. \$80
 Children \$45
 Group of 4 \$220

Advance ticket booking \$5 discount.

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WHAT ROLE DO YOU PLAY?



NATIONAL CHILD PROTECTION WEEK
 2-8 SEPTEMBER 2018

NAPCAN PREVENT CHILD ABUSE & NEGLECT
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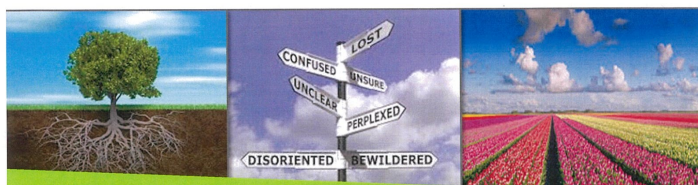
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Gateway Family Services

(An activity of Blaxland Uniting Church)

& Springwood Neighbourhood Centre

In Partnership presents...



From Floundering to Flourishing Parenting Workshop

**Helping our kids shift
from stuck to strengths**

This workshop will be a great opportunity to learn about the current research on what helps kids come through adversity.

It explores ways to enhance kids' resilience, helping them bounce back from challenges in fun ways.

Helping adults identify how to maximise kids successes and to grow through their challenges.

It will give you tools to enhance and improve kid's resilience. You will come away with practical steps to take together as you help your child grow in their optimism and resilience.

**Come along to our
2 hr Workshop!**

This workshop will introduce you to the Resilience Doughnut model developed by Lyn Worsley.

LOCATION: Tanderra Out of School Care,
 14 Raymond Road, Springwood
 Located behind Springwood Neighbourhood Centre

WHEN: Monday 17th September, 2018

TIME: 9:30am – 11:30am

COST: Donation

Register at Gateway: 1300 316 746

CHILD CARE AVAILABLE
 - MUST BE BOOKED



Gateway encourages, supports & respects diversity in families & communities. Our Groups are open to everyone.



| MON | TUE | WED | THU | FRI |
|---|---|---|--|---|
| 1 October | 2 October | 3 October | 4 October | 5 October |
| PUBLIC HOLIDAY | INCURSION | DAY CAMP | EXCURSION | DAY CAMP |
| Public Holiday Closed Today | Games 2 You A fun day of outdoor laser tag, giant hamster balls and a super cool games theater! | Junior Master Chef We are putting our cooking skills to the test and cooking up a storm. | Y Stadium It's Y against Y at this fun and friendly sports tournament at the Hawkesbury Y Stadium. | Escape Room Adventure! Work in teams to crack codes, solve puzzles and escape the mummies tomb! |
| \$0 | \$70 | \$52 | \$77 | \$52 |
| 8 October | 9 October | 10 October | 11 October | 12 October |
| DAY CAMP | INCURSION | DAY CAMP | DAY CAMP | EXCURSION |
| DIY Slime and Squishies It's a hands on ooey gooeey adventure with our DIY slime and make your own Squishie day | Sports In Schools Go Karting, Bubble Soccer and a whole load of active fun! | Movie Making Madness Lights, Camera, Action - let's be movie stars and watch our mates on the big screen. | Base Camp Commandos Teams will build awesome base camps with recycled materials and compete in a scavenger hunt. | Ropes Adventures Course! Swing, climb, slide and soar on an awesome ropes adventure course! |
| \$52 | \$68 | \$52 | \$52 | \$80 |

Your adventure awaits!

Springwood YMCA **October '18**
 1-59 Burns Rd Springwood
 0428 791 175

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SECURE YOUR PLACE!**
ymcansw.org.au/springwood

**Destination
DISCOVERy**

Springwood Neighbourhood Centre

Co-operative Ltd

Striving for a community that is vibrant caring and inclusive

Raising Grandchildren



A support group

Springwood Neighbourhood Centre is proud to announce a new group for 2018.

Raising Grandchildren is a support group for grandparents who care for their grandchildren. This group will meet on the first Wednesday of the month during school terms. Come along to meet other grandparents who are the primary carers of their grandchildren.

2018 Term 3 dates: WEDNESDAY August 1st and September 5th,

Time: 10:00am-12:00pm

Venue: Tanderra OOSH, 14 Raymond Rd, Springwood


For more information and to RSVP please call

Jenny on 0450 001 393

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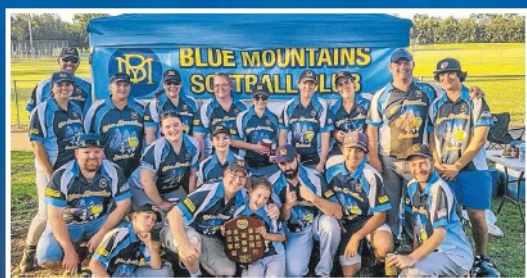
1:30pm-3:30pm
Term 3 dates:
August 1st, September 5th
The "Green Room" at The Springwood Hub
104-108 Macquarie Rd Springwood.

Please call Faye on
0430 035 253
to RSVP or for more information

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In the October School Holidays:

Thurs 11 Oct 9.30am to 4.00pm

Fri 12 Oct 9.30am to 4.00pm

Sat 13 Oct 9.30am followed by
Concert at 12.30pm

Venue: Mid-Mountains Community Centre

Cost: \$120, Sibling Discounts Apply

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