

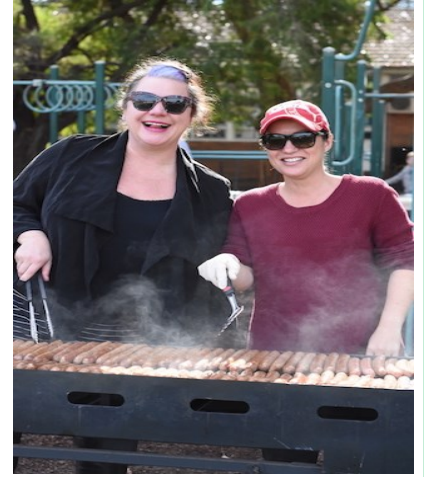


# School News

Wednesday 21 June 2017

## Athletics Carnival and BBQ a great success

What a perfect winter's day it was last week for our athletics carnival. Students were outstanding in their attitude and their determination to do a personal best. It was fabulous to see so many parents, carers and family members enjoying the day with the students. A special mention to our P and C who were magnificent in running the BBQ and drinks on the day as well as assisting with time keeping. Big congratulations to kindergarten for joining in their first carnival with such enthusiasm. Our website gallery has lots of pictures of the day.



## ATHLETICS CARNIVAL



## Our band shines at Bandfest

Our school band polished their last pieces for the Bandfest competition last week and they were sounding truly magnificent. Bandfest is an opportunity for the students to perform and work towards the achievement of a group goal. We look forward to hearing about their experience. Here they are working hard in their preparations for their Bandfest performance.



## Stage Three head to our nation's capital!

Stage Three are off to Canberra with their teachers to bring their unit of study on Democracy alive. We wish the students and their teachers a wonderful experience and look forward to welcoming them home on the last day of term.



## Playground upgrade

Outdoor Retreats Landscaping will commence the playground upgrade on 10 July. It will involve partitioning off the play area (the equipment and silver seating) for the duration of the build and will be completed in time for the 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Fair. When the students return to school in term 3, the construction area will be partitioned off for safety. We look forward to seeing the new play space unfold for our students. We thank the P and C for their contribution of \$40,000 to the upgrade.



## Save the date in Education Week!

We are holding our special open day for our 60<sup>th</sup> year on 2 August, 2017. We will have a book fair, open classrooms and performances as well as a picnic lunch and special assembly. We would love to see many parents and carers join us on the day. Pop it in your diary to save the date!

## Tree Safety

Over three days last week we had some extensive tree work undertaken to make safe the many trees we have on site. A significant amount of dead-wooding and corrective pruning was undertaken. This process helps to make our playground safer for our students. Thank you to everyone for their patience as the work was being carried out.

## Parents as Partners workshop

Senior Constable Deb Wilson from Miranda Police presented an informative session for our Parents as Partners workshop about keeping children safe and aware in the online environment. The session was informative and provided great tips for keeping children safe online. Thank you to Senior Constable Deb!

## Snack Canteen in Term 3

Thank you to the P and C for their organisation of a snack canteen for term 3. The canteen will be open for snacks on Friday after school, commencing on Friday, week 1 (21 July). The lunch order canteen is in the planning phase and more information about this will come home next term.

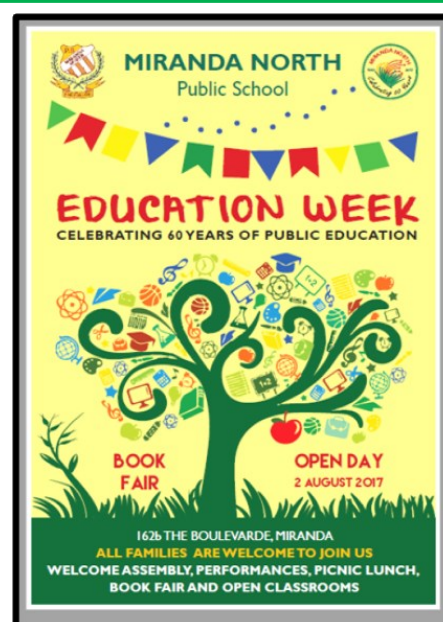
## State Hockey

Congratulations to Fletcher K who was selected to represent NSW at the State Hockey championships. Fletcher will commence training and compete as part of the NSW State team at the championships at Wyong in August. Well done Fletcher!



## Garden update:

Our gardens are starting to take shape and our 60<sup>th</sup> garden is in the process of being built. Sutherland Shire council has been generous in donating 100 tube stock plants for our gardens and we are planning a garden working bee on the first Saturday of term 3 to plant our and tidy up. The school community vegetable garden is also under construction and will be planted out during the working bee. We will start to see some great garden spaces over the next few months. Our school pavers will be incorporated into the school community vegetable garden for everyone to enjoy.



## Dates to Remember

Wednesday 21 June	Bandfest St George Bank Auditorium Kogarah Dance Extravaganza Tickets on sale (Year 1 Boys & Girls, Year 2 Girls)
Friday 23 June	SSSMF Junior Choir Rehearsal
Wednesday 28 June	28 June—30 June Stage 3 Canberra Excursion
Friday 30 June	Last day of Term 2
Tuesday 18 July	First day of Term 3 for students

## Student of the Week Term 2 Week 7

Class	Name
KE	Savannah A
KF	Frankie M
KMN	Mia H
1A	Abbey H
1F	Allira O
1/2B	Nikola T Lyla L
2J	Ethan H Sharlae Al
2/3M	Harriet M Jake H
3/4M	Madison L Duarte L
3/4W	Matilda E John M
4/5S	Angel V Daniella D
5/6D	Mily M Brianna W
6B	Leah P Abbey C

## A visit from the Mayor

On 24 May, students from 4/5S, 5/6D and 6B had the privilege of meeting the Mayor of the Sutherland Shire, Councillor Carmello Pesce. In line with their study of the different levels of government, the Mayor spoke to the students about his role in the council and answered many of the student's questions about his job and life. The Mayor also brought his mayoral chains for the students to see.





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