

# Toongabbie Public School

Friday 14th June, 2019  
Volume 10



## Dates to Remember:

17th June—P & C Meeting  
19th June—Orienteering  
20th June—Police Liaison Visit  
Stage 2 and 3  
21st June—Buzz Assembly  
27th June—Wanderers Cup  
27th June—Police Liaison Visit  
K-2  
1st July—Athletics Carnival  
2nd-4th July—Cares Year 4  
5th July—Last Day Term 2  
22nd July—Pupil Free Day  
23rd July—Students Return

## NOTES

\* Year 4 CARES Excursion

## PBL Focus

### *Being Hopeful*

Hope is the belief that a positive outcome or a brighter future is possible, sometimes despite the odds.

Just like reading and math, hope is something that students need to practice—and adults need to teach. The more hope students have, the happier and healthier they are, the more they persist in academic lessons, and the likelier they are to succeed.

At TPS we will look at symbols and messages of hope, how music and persistence plays an important role in believing things are possible, the way a community can portray hopefulness after a tragedy (candles, flowers, prayers etc). We will ask students to share examples of things they hope will be part of their future.

## Principal's Report - Craig Brown

### Looking After Our Students

Just a reminder about the school procedures we have in place to keep our students safe.

Parents and Carers who are on school grounds should not engage with students other than their own children. If you have any safety concerns, please discuss them with the teacher on duty or arrange to speak to the Principal.

Toilets are for students only.

### Gates

**Pedestrian Gates on Binalong Rd:-** the gates are locked at 9:30am and unlocked at approximately 2:30pm for parents to meet their children at school for bell time. Gates will be closely supervised by staff members if opened during the hours of 9:30am-2:30pm. The gates to the carpark need to remain unlocked during school hours as they are the main entry points for deliveries and emergency vehicles. **No pedestrians should enter via the driveway for safety reasons.**

**Gate on Fitzwilliam Rd (main entry near office):-** This is the only pedestrian gate open during school hours. **All visitors are to report to the office to sign in.** All other gates on this road are locked between 9.30am and 2.30pm.

### Collecting your child early or from Sick Bay

Any person wanting to collect a child from the school must first see staff in the K Block Administration. If you require someone else to collect your child, you need to inform the office in advance of their name and mobile number. Their ID must match the name you provide.

If your child is in K-2, after obtaining an Early Leaver pass from the office, you will be asked to collect your child from the classroom. Students in Years 3-6 will be called to the office to meet the parent/carer or nominated person.

### Late to School

Children who arrive late to school should report to the office. To ensure students arrive safely we ask parents to **walk their child to the office and provide an explanation**. Late arrivals and leaving early **require written explanations**. This is necessary for the safety of your child. Please talk to your child's teacher or make an appointment to discuss concerns with me if you have difficulties in this area.

### Road Safety Reminder

I would like to take this opportunity to remind parents of the importance of modelling road safety to our children. We explicitly teach our students about road safety but most of their learning about road safety comes from what they see and experience every day. Please ensure you always cross at the lights or a pedestrian crossing. Remind your children to look both ways before crossing - even if they have the green light to cross. Please note that there is currently work in progress outside the IGA to construct a Pedestrian Refuge Island. **Please cross at the lights while this work is in progress.**

Parents are not authorised to park in the school car parks between 8.00am and 4.00pm. We are very fortunate to have good legal parking available – you can usually park very close to the school.

I wish to thank all our families for their co-operation. Let's work together to create a consistent and supportive approach to student safety and wellbeing at our school.

### SCHOOL COUNSELLOR

Mrs Henman is the School Counsellor at Toongabbie Public School. Her role is to support student wellbeing through the provision of counselling and assessment of learning/behaviour/emotional concerns that are affecting children in the school setting. Mrs Henman works as part of the Learning and Support Team at Toongabbie Public School and children are referred to see her through this team via their class teacher. At times Mrs Henman is contacted by various external agencies offering courses for children and parents/carers. Information regarding these will be provided to parents via the school newsletter. Mrs Henman works Tuesday and Thursdays. She shares Monday with another counsellor, Mrs Joan Montgomery. Please talk to your child's class teacher if you have concerns in the first instance.

### **SCHOOL WORKS**

We have had to cut down a tree next to Block J as the roots were causing significant plumbing issues.

### **EID al FITR**

I would like to wish all our Muslim families well on this special occasion. This is the first day of Shawwal in the Islamic calendar. It marks the end of the month-long fast of Ramadan and the start of a feast that will last up to three days. This took place for our families last week.

### **SYDNEY WEST X-COUNTRY**

Congratulations to our students who represented the zone at the recent carnival. There were some very good results on the day. Special mention to Xavier Parsons who will represent Sydney West at the State Carnival and to Tiana Fuller who is a reserve for the team.

### **PARENT HELPERS**

Thank you to our parent helpers who do such a great job at our school. To keep our students safe we ask that all visitors to the school present themselves to the office to sign in. Parents assisting with programs will be asked to provide 100 points of ID and complete an appendix 5 on their first visit. We are using a new sign in computer to make things as simple as possible.

## **Relieving Deputy Principal's Report - Sue Bownds**

It's hard to believe that we are now at the end of Week 7 and only 3 weeks are left in term 2. The past two weeks have seen our Kindergarten excursion to the farm, Stage 2 excursion to the Maritime Museum, Stage 3 Sushi making day, the Hills Cup Rugby League, Band Camp, assembly items from 4M, 1A and the Regional Cross Country are just a few of the exciting things we offer at Toongabbie.

### **ASSEMBLY ITEMS:**

I was delighted to watch both items today and talk to all of our K-6 students. 4M did a very entertaining presentation using our Green Screen and showed off their fabulous acting and dancing skills, both in person and on the screen. Even Mr Brown made a guest appearance! 1A did a dancing collage of Disney songs in full costumes. A short video of each will be on Facebook for you to enjoy. Thank you to their teachers Miss Mehmet and Ms Page for their efforts in producing these items and to the many parents who helped in various ways. Here are a few photos:



4M

1A



### **WEEK 8 BUZZ ASSEMBLIES:**

Our Week 8 Buzz Assemblies will be held on Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June. The 3-6 assembly will be at 9am and the K-2 one at 11.40am. Both assemblies are in the hall. Letters are going home and should be received by Monday. Congratulations to all our recipients who are consistently safe, responsible respectful learners. It is exciting to note that we have students receiving badges for 6 or more buzz awards at both assemblies.

### **PLAY GROUP FOR 0-5 YEARS: EVERY THURSDAY 9-10.30AM**

Our Play group is going well. Last week we had an inside session in the Before and After School Care Building and this week another outside session with our sport's equipment. Mrs Smith made a surprise visit and helped with the parachute activities. Please spread the word about our Thursday mornings to anyone in the local community. There is no cost and tea and coffee are provided. I look forward to seeing you there.



### **ENVIRONMENTAL WARRIORS GARDEN PRODUCE:**

This week Mrs Matthews, Mr Carruthers and Mrs Osland, together with the Environmental Warriors organised their first garden produce sale. Cost was a gold coin donation and they quickly sold out of basil, parsley, radishes and many other herbs. We will let you know when the next sale will be for this wonderful initiative. This photo is of our nature area and the garden beds ready for the next planting. It is great to see so many people involved in these projects.



### **RUGBY LEAGUE – HILLS CUP ON WEDNESDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> JUNE:**

Mrs Arico and Mr Tucker took a junior and a senior team to participate in the Parramatta Eels Cup Rugby gala day. Both teams played really well, with the junior team making the semi-finals. Special thanks to Mrs Arico for taking the students and to Isaac's mum, Tiffany for organising jerseys for the boys to wear. Great work TPS.



### **ATHLETICS AND GYMNASTICS:**

Both of these programs are part of our PD/Health/PE programs. Athletics was held this term and still has 3 more weeks. The team from Be Skilled, Be Fit are busy testing our students from Years 2-6 for the field events. The track events will be held at our Athletics Carnival on the 1<sup>st</sup> July at Pendle Hill High School. Further details in a note shortly.

Makeup days for K-2 Athletics will be held. This week we had 2B and 1A. Next week we have 1S on Monday, 1/2P on Tuesday and 2K on Thursday. Your child will need to wear their sport's uniform on this day as well as their usual day. These makeup days are due to the students missing their lesson on Monday due to the Queens Birthday long week-end.

Next week a note will go home about gymnastics for Term 3. The timetable will be the same as for athletics and we are looking forward to watching the skills of our students improve due to this specialised instruction. These lessons will be held in the hall due to the colder weather.

### **CODING AND ROBOTICS WORKSHOPS FOR PARENTS:**

All 27 classes have been attending coding and robotics workshops this term. Chinton, who is one of our educators in this field, would like to offer some sessions for parents next week. These sessions run from 9-9.40am on Monday 17<sup>th</sup>, Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> and Friday 21<sup>st</sup>. We look forward to seeing you after you drop your children at school.

Time	Activity	Notes
9.05 – 9.10	Parents Briefing	We will explain why coding is important and brief them about the program we are running for their child.
9.10 – 9.30	Hands-on Workshop for Parents	We will offer the parents opportunity to try out some of the resources we are using including the Ozobots and the Mindstorms EV3.
9.30 – 9.35	Wrap-Up and Questions	We will answer any questions parents may have.

### **REPORTS FROM STAGES:**

We have started today to give you reports from each stage in the newsletter so you can keep informed of what is happening in our school. We hope you enjoy it. More regular information will be on our Toongabbie Public School Facebook page. Please feel free to comment and like our posts.



## P&C and Parent Auxiliary

### TOONGABBIE PUBLIC SCHOOL P&C ASSOCIATION

Please consider coming along to the next P&C General Meeting which will be held on Monday 17<sup>th</sup> June at 7pm.

Please also note the change of day and earlier start time for this meeting.

If you would like anything to be added to the agenda for this meeting, please email to [toongabbiepublicschool-pandc@gmail.com](mailto:toongabbiepublicschool-pandc@gmail.com) asap.

### SUNSAFE SCHOOL SUNNIES @ TOONGABBIE PUBLIC SCHOOL



School Sunnies are selling fast! Make sure you don't delay in ordering your child a pair. You can try them on in the school canteen and they may be purchased over the counter there or via the Flexischools app. Online orders will be delivered to the children via the lunch baskets within 48 hours of the order.

### ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS

2019/20 Entertainment books are still available at Toongabbie Public School. Filled with thousands of dollars of offers these books are a great investment for your family. We would suggest the digital edition that can be loaded onto your mobile phone so that you can take advantage of all the offers when you are out and about but if you would prefer a hard copy of the book, pre-purchase online and collect your 2019/20 Entertainment book from the school office in time for the school holidays.

Books for Greater Western Sydney is \$70 with a small commission from each sale going to the school.



Follow this link to order now! <https://www.entertainmentbook.com.au/orderbooks/2158c53>

**If you order before midnight tonight you will receive a FREE \$10 voucher for Caltex fuel**

### TERM 2 DISCO

Please add the date for the Term 2 Disco to your calendar now. FRIDAY 28<sup>th</sup> JUNE.

The theme for this disco chosen by the SRC members is TPS – Dress as anything starting with a T, P or S.

Tickets are available NOW in Flexischools or by returning the note and correct money to the canteen.

**Please note that DINNER AT THE DISCO must be pre-ordered.**

### PARENT AUXILIARY

The next Parent Auxiliary Meeting will be held on Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> June at 9am in the Before & After School Care building. Parents are welcome to bring toddlers along with them to these meetings.

The Parent Auxiliary is a P&C Sub-committee and is a great way to stay up to date on school events and news for those not able to make it the evening P&C Meetings.

## P&C Canteen — Rhonda Fogg, Canteen Manager

<b>Managers Special – Week 8</b>	Mexican Baked Potato with beef Mince, Sour cream and Guacamole (optional) or VEGETARIAN option with BEANS	\$4.50
<b>Mangers Special – Week 9 &amp; 10</b>	Honey Mustard Chicken with Rice	\$4.50

### MENU CHANGES

As we work toward adjusting our menu to comply with the NSW Healthy School Canteen Guidelines please be aware that there will be several changes happening over the coming months.

Zing Snappers, Jelly Cups, Jelly & Custard Cups will no longer be available in Term 3, however we are working towards having more healthy and delicious options available to replace these popular items. Hot popcorn will also be replaced in Term 3 with a packaged air popped corn. More details will be available in the next newsletter on these new products.

We will also be sending out a survey to all our families before the end of term to see how we are better able to cater to your children's dietary needs in the school canteen.

The canteen has been notified and are catering for all allergies within the school, however we are considering ways that we may be able to cater for those with Gluten intolerance and other cultural dietary requirements as we adapt our menu to the Healthy Canteen Guidelines.

### FRIDAY LUNCH ORDERS - PSSA ALERTS

If your child participates in PSSA, please ensure that this is marked on their lunch orders on a Friday as these orders are required to be prepared earlier so that the children can take their lunch with them to their sport.

If you are ordering on Flexischools, please check the ALERTS and mark your child as PSSA.

This needs to be completed in the order WITH the food order not separately. So make sure this appears at the check-out when completing the order.

### FLEXISCHOOLS APP

Make sure you have downloaded the Flexischools APP on your mobile device to stay up to date with all the latest items available in the canteen. This system is updated daily with the specials, any new items that become available or items that are out of stock.

There are also new and exciting freshly prepared treats appearing at times on the canteen counter at recess, for example this week there was Canteen made Banana Cake and Fruit sticks for sale and Pumpkin soup was freshly made on site and available to order for lunch or recess.

### SUSHI

A reminder that SUSHI FRIDAY orders can be made over the counter and on Flexischools prior to NOON on Thursday for Friday delivery. This service will be available each week to the end of term, however unfortunately SUSHI will not be available in Term 3. This service will potentially return in Term 4 as the weather warms up again.

### CASH SALES

Please be aware that the canteen does not have change in the mornings for large notes. Please try to have smaller notes or coins for over the counter orders. The canteen is also not able to provide change.

## TPS Band Report — Vanessa Wegener Band Convener

Concert Band students will be traveling to Kogarah for the Engadine BandFest on Tuesday 25th June. This festival is a strong Band tradition where the students perform a selection of 3 music pieces. Professional adjudicators rate the bands performance providing overall feedback and award a bronze, silver or gold medal. Our students will be very excited to learn they will be debuting their brand new band jackets on this excursion.

The Band have been working very hard towards their gold medal festival goal. None of this was more evident than in our recent annual Band Camp. Participation at camp is voluntary but provided the students in attendance with a weekend of intensive music tuition to help perfect their performance pieces. Camp also provided a fun new environment on the lovely Northern Beaches and the opportunity to make new friends with similar interests. The children who attended showed exemplary behaviour and we were all incredibly impressed by their "Going to the Movies" performances on the final afternoon. "Encore!" echoed from the 300 strong crowd.

Our Training Band will also be performing at the school assembly on Friday June 21st. Please come along and show your support to our littlest musicians who have been making wonderful progress since their first ever performance in Term 1.

### Mega Raffle

Congratulations to Johanna McFadgen - the winner of our first ever MegaRaffle! It was a wonderful surprise to discover one of our TPS families was taking home first prize - a \$1000 HelloWorld Winston Hills travel gift card.

Both Gail Flint and Staci Shackleton will enjoy shopping at Bunnings with their consolation prizes!

On behalf of the students I'd like to extend gratitude to all of the TPS families and members of the community who have supported us wholeheartedly in our recent fundraising events. Proceeds will be used to pay the student bus transport costs to Engadine Bandfest, will replace our aging Bass Guitars and a performance amplifier. Sincere thanks to everyone who has made this student support possible.



**HURRY!!**

**Tuesday 25th June is the last day to collect your Earn and Learn stickers.**

**Bring them in to school or pop them into the TPS collection box at Woolworths, Winston Hill by the 28th June so that we can claim our rewards before the end of the term.**

**Thank you for your support!**

## What's Happening at TPS

### **SUPPORT CLASSES**

K6B, K6M and K6P have had a very busy fortnight. We have enjoyed having Miss Lucas working with us across all our classes. Students have enjoyed a STEM challenge with our buddies from 5C. Our newly formed dance group have been learning a new dance with Miss Hiron. Stay tuned for our first performance in Week 10 at the K-2 assembly. Stage 2 students had a wonderful time visiting the Maritime Museum and, of course, we always love our athletics sessions with Craig and Lauren.



### **EARLY STAGE 1—CALMSLEY HILL FARM**

This term Kindergarten have been busy learning about where our food comes from in the unit 'Paddock to Plate'. As part of this unit, on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> June, a very excited bus load of Kindergarten students visited Calmsley Hill Farm. Whilst there, Kindergarten not only learnt about the many different things animals can provide, but also about the importance of conservation and sustainability. They eagerly met baby goats in the nursery, milked the cows, pet the ducklings and rabbits, had a blast on the tractor ride, watched Beau and his friends guide the sheep in to their pens and watched Barbara the Sheep get a haircut. The students were very excited to talk about their new discoveries on their trip home! Below are some photos of the activities.





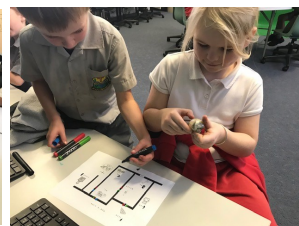
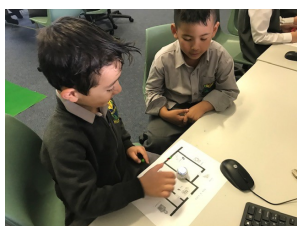
## What's Happening at TPS

### STAGE 1—1A ASSEMBLY

1A have been working hard on putting together a class performance called Disney Classics. There were scenes out of Lion King, Pocahontas, Little Mermaid, Beauty and the Beast and Aladdin. There was a lot of excitement in the classroom this week as they prepared for a dress rehearsal Thursday and performed at the K-2 assembly on Friday.



1a in robotics this week. Using pig the pug story to complete an ozobots challenge.



### STAGE 2—MARITIME MUSEUM

On Wednesday 4S, 3R and 3J went on an excursion to the Maritime Museum. We went on a bus to the city, we arrived at 10 am. In the city it was cold and it was raining. The first thing we did was go to the toilet. We then ate in the Maritime Museum, I looked at my watch and it was 10:30 am. After that we split up in to groups, my group first went to a place that showed us tools that explorers used and our tour guide Cheryl also talked about the explorers. Next we went and climbed aboard Captain James Cooks' ship called the Endeavour. On the ship the Cheryl told us about how the sailors and scientist survived, where they slept and what all of the crews jobs were. After we went on the Endeavour we went to the navy destroyer, HMAS Vampire. We first watched a video about why the destroyer is important. Then we went to explore the destroyer and looked at how these sailors lived. Finally, we ate our lunch on the steps of the museum overlooking Darling Harbour. After we were done eating our lunch we went on the bus to go back to school. At school we played bull-rush until the bell rang.

**by Cem 4S**

My trip to the Maritime Museum

It was a wet, rainy Wednesday. But this Wednesday was not a normal one. This was the day my class was going to the Maritime Museum. First we had to get on the bus to go to the city. Hopefully the rain will stop I thought.... it didn't! When we got there we went inside and had recess, usually we have recess at 11:00am but we had it at 10:00am instead. 3R, 3J and K-6B were there with us as well. Since they wanted three groups 4S had to get split up. I was in a group with the boys from K-6B and some of my friends. The first place we went was inside the museum. We saw the actual anchor from the HMS Sirius. Next we went to see this exhibit about Kay Cottee. There was her boat and some of her belongings. Did you know that Kay Cottee sailed the world by herself? All she had to keep her company was a giant teddy bear. Next we went to see some Aboriginal artefacts. There was a wooden canoe, but the Aboriginal people called it a Nawi.

Time to go on the boats! We were going on the replica endeavor and the destroyer. The Endeavor was a tall sailing ship. 'Wow!' I thought as our tour guide Roy uncovered the ladder. The ladder was really steep. When we got down we sat at a table where the crew would have eaten and we learnt about what the condition on the ship were like. Then we went through what would've been Captain Cook's quarters. Next we went on the destroyer, HMAS Vampire. On the destroyer we got to see bullets and the engine. We also got to sit in the gun control seat. I had a great time!!!

**by Chloe 4S**





## What's Happening at TPS

### **STAGE 3—SUSHI MAKING DAY**

The smell of teriyaki sauce filled the air and the sticky sushi rice stuck to their fingers, as the stage three students filled their sushi mats with carrot, cucumber and tuna or chicken last Thursday. Stage three are studying Japan this term and have also completed Kenji writing, drawn anime and made Koinobori. Several practicum teachers organised the kitchen, cooked the rice and bought the food to ensure all year 5 and 6 students had a great day of sushi making. Thanks to everyone involved.



## Round 5—Week 8

Netball	Boys Soccer	Girls Soccer	League-Tag
Darcy Yellow v Darcy White @ <b>Bathurst St</b>	Beresford Rd v Beresford Blue @ <b>Bathurst St</b>	Beresford Rd v Girra Greens @ <b>Daniel St</b>	Beresford Rd v Toonie Red @ <b>Binalong Oval</b>
Westmead v Girra Greens @ <b>Girraween PS</b>	Darcy White v Darcy Yellow @ <b>Best Road Oval</b>	Darcy White v Darcy Yellow @ <b>Bathurst St</b>	Girra Green v Toonie White @ <b>Binalong Oval</b>
Girra Yellow v Beresford Blue @ <b>Beresford Rd PS</b>	Girra Yellow v Warriors @ <b>Girraween Oval</b>	Girra Yellow v Westmead @ <b>Daniel St</b>	Girra Yellow v Westmead @ <b>Binalong Oval</b>
Metella Gold v The Meadows @ <b>Best Road Oval</b>	Metella Gold v Metella Blue @ <b>Best Road Oval</b>	Metella Rd v Wentworthville @ <b>Girraween Oval</b>	Metella Rd v Wentworthville @ <b>Binalong Oval</b>
Pendle Hill v Toonie White @ <b>Binalong Oval</b>	Pendle Hill v Girra Green @ <b>Girraween Oval</b>	Warriors v Toonie West @ <b>Harold Read Reserve</b>	Pendle Hill v The Meadows @ <b>Binalong Oval</b>
Toonie Red v Wanderers @ <b>Binalong Oval</b>	Toongabbie v The Meadows @ <b>Binalong Oval</b>	Toongabbie v Beresford Blue @ <b>Binalong Oval</b>	Darcy Rd v Beresford Blue @ <b>Binalong Oval</b>
Toonie West v Warriors @ <b>Binalong Oval</b>	Toonie West v Westmead @ <b>Pendle Hill Park</b>		
Wentworthville v Metella Blue @ <b>Best Road Oval</b>	Bye – Wentworthville		
Bye – Beresford Rd		<b>m</b>	

## Round 6—Week 9

Netball	Boys Soccer	Girls Soccer	League-Tag
Beresford Rd v Toonie Red @ <b>Binalong Oval</b>	Beresford Rd v Toonie West @ <b>Daniel St</b>	Beresford Rd v Girra Yellow @ <b>Bathurst St</b>	Beresford Rd v Toonie White @ <b>Binalong Oval</b>
Darcy White v Pendle Hill @ <b>Bathurst St</b>	Darcy White v Toongabbie @ <b>Binalong Oval</b>	Darcy White v Beresford Blue @ <b>Bathurst St</b>	The Meadows v Wentw'thville @ <b>Binalong Oval</b>
Girra Yellow v Metella Gold @ <b>Binalong Oval</b>	Girra Yellow v Pendle Hill @ <b>Girraween Oval</b>	Metella Road v Girra Greens @ <b>Girraween Oval</b>	Metella Rd v Girra Greens @ <b>Binalong Oval</b>
Girra Greens v Warriors @ <b>Girraween PS</b>	Metella Blue v Girra Green @ <b>Girraween Oval</b>	Warriors v Darcy Yellow @ <b>Best Road Oval</b>	Pendle Hill v Girra Yellow @ <b>Binalong Oval</b>
Darcy Yellow v Wanderers @ <b>Bathurst St</b>	Warriors v Darcy Yellow @ <b>Pendle Hill Park</b>	Toongabbie v Westmead @ <b>Binalong Oval</b>	Darcy Rd v Toonie Red @ <b>Binalong Oval</b>
Westmead v Toonie White @ <b>Binalong Oval</b>	The Meadows v Westmead @ <b>Best Road Oval</b>	Toonie West v Wentworthville @ <b>Harold Read Reserve</b>	Westmead v Beresford Blue @ <b>Binalong Oval</b>
Wentworthville v The Meadows @ <b>Best Road Oval</b>	Beresford Blue v Wentw'thville @ <b>Daniel St</b>	<i>Beresford Blue League Tag only has a senior team, their junior opponent will have a bye.</i>	
Toony West v Beresford Blue @ <b>Beresford Rd PS</b>	Bye – Metella Gold		
Bye – Metella Blue			



### **Fast jets and their pilots share secrets of the skies in support of NSW Kids in Need**

**Sunday 16 June 2019, SYDNEY:** Ever dreamed of flying fast jets? Curious minds and aspiring pilots are in for a treat on Sunday 16 June.

For the second year running, SkyAces RC is hosting an amazing day for fans and followers of large scale model aircraft in a special fundraising day supporting NSW Kids In Need.

The event is expected to draw as many as 10 of Australia's top model makers and pilots, providing hours of fun and fascination for all ages.

To be held at The Fast Jets Airfield, Quakers Hill in the grounds of the Nirimba TAFE campus, the event will run from 10am to 1pm.

The event is part of the 2019 NSW Kids in Need event series and will raise much-needed funds to support the vital work of child-focussed charities including:

- Bear Cottage Children's Hospice;
- The Burns Unit at The Children's Hospital at Westmead;
- Central Coast Kids in Need;
- Duke of Edinburgh's International Award – Australia;
- Muscular Dystrophy NSW; and
- SHINE for Kids

"Last year's event was a great success and it's thanks to the support and enthusiasm of all our partners and the attendees it's on again this year," said Mr Debnam.

"However, we wouldn't be in a position to make a difference to the lives of these children without the help of the SkyAces RC in offering this extraordinary experience.

NSW Kids in Need has raised more than \$600,000 for child-focussed charities over the past three years.

#### **Fast Jets and Amazing Pilots**

**Sunday, 16 June 2019**

**10.30am – 1.00pm**

Book tickets at **Fast Jets and Amazing Pilots' Tickets**

**Tickets are \$15 a head (kids 5 and under free). Money raised on the day will be donated to *New South Wales Kids in Need*.**

#### **Donations**

Donations can also be made at [www.nswkidsinneed.org.au](http://www.nswkidsinneed.org.au)

#### **WHAT TO BRING:**

Guests are encouraged to bring their cameras and advised to wear closed-toe shoes, hats and sunglasses as you will be outdoors. Perhaps bring a chair to sit back and watch the show.

#### **GETTING THERE:**

The Fast Jets Airfield at Quakers Hill is just off the M7 with plenty of parking on site.

#### **ACCESS:**

Wheelchair access is available.

**WEATHER:** If bad weather is forecast for the day, we'll postpone the event to a later date

**For further information, please contact: Holly Reynolds Left Field Communications 0409 462**

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