Calendar 2014

TERM 3

Week 3  Education Week  July

Monday 28th  Homework Club  July
Book Club Due
Tuesday 29th  Gymnastics Years 4-6
Wednesday 30th  Playgroup  July
Maths Olympiad No3 2014
UNSW English Test
Thursday 31st  OPEN DAY 9:30 Special Assembly
Active After School Starts

Week 4  August

Monday 4th  Stage 2 Rocks Excursion  August
Homework Club
Tuesday 5th  Stage 2 Rocks Excursion
Gymnastics Years 4-6
Wednesday 6th  Playgroup

Week 5  August

Monday 11th  UNSW Maths Test  August
Homework Club
Tuesday 12th  School Athletics Carnival
Wednesday 13th  Crazy Hair Day  Playgroup

Week 6  Book Week  August

Monday 18th  Homework Club
Wednesday 20th  Playgroup
Book Parade

Notes Home: Infants Excursion to Wildlife World & Aquarium

PRINCIPAL’S MESSAGE

Parents and community members are invited to our ‘Open Day’ on Thursday 31st July.

- 9:30am K-6 Assembly with special performances from our public speakers, choir and senior dance squad.
- 10:15am Open classrooms. Parents are invited into the classroom to see the great work their child is completing. You can also view the ‘Spelling Mastery’ program from 10:45 till 11:15am.
- 11:15 till 12pm bring your picnic basket and spend lunchtime with your child.
- 12pm The Kitchen will be open with cooking demonstrations

Last Tuesday, as part of our NAIDOC studies, all students attended the ‘Snake Tales’ presentation in the school library. Students learnt about snakes and lizards; safety issues when confronted with them and why they have been a major part of Aboriginal culture.

I would like to wish all the families a Happy Eid celebration, we look forward to having all the students back at school soon.
Hamish Woudsma
GOOD AS GOLD AWARDEES 25th July 2014


60 Awards  Norah 1/2A, Joudy K/1S, Anam & Romano KR

BOOK WEEK

The whole of Banksia Road Primary School will be celebrating book week in week 6 of this term from 18th to 22nd of August. The library will be having its annual Book Fair where students and parents have the opportunity to purchase books at very cheap prices. The other major event will be a Book Parade on Wednesday 20th of August. Students are encouraged to dress up as their favourite book character and enter the parade for the chance to win great prizes. Start planning your child’s costume now!

CRAZY HAIR DAY

To support the Leukaemia Foundation, the SRC have decided to hold a Crazy Hair Day! This will be held on Wednesday the 13th of August, Week 5. Please come to school with crazy hair and bring a gold coin donation. We will be looking out for the craziest hair, so be creative!

ACTIVE AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES TERM 3

Due to Ramadan, our Active After School Activities will commence on Thursday 31st July and conclude on Monday 15th September.

PSSA DRAW

Round 10 1st August 2014

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PLAYGROUP

Playgroup is held in the School Hall at 9.30-11.30 every Wednesday morning for all preschoolers. Everybody is welcome to attend. Come and bring your children and share in the fun.

Morning tea break is proudly sponsored by:

ABOU SALIM Fruit Shop

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Masters Chullora
**Beauty Taster Course at Banksia Rd**

**Who:** TAFE in Community Hub  
**When:** Monday 4th info and enrol  
**Course starts:** Thursday 7th  
Child care available  
Contact Antonietta 0401 416 560  
Learn the fundamentals of beauty and get support to start your own home-based small business or explore other options.

**Information Sessions presented by Arab Council at Banksia Road**

**When:** August 13th, 20th, 27th and 3rd Sept  
**Where:** Community Hub  
**Time:** 9:30 - 11:00 Morning Tea Provided  
Come along and learn about services and supports in the community over a coffee.  
All welcome  
Contact Antonietta 0401 416 560

**English Language Conversation Practice**

Practice speaking English over a cup of coffee  
4th August and every Monday afternoon in the hub from 1:30 pm - 3:00pm  
Contact Antonietta 0401 416 560

**2014 Tax Help**

Free Tax Help WEDNESDAYS ONLY from 30th July being held at Greenacre Neighbourhood Centre.  
**Bookings ESSENTIAL**, call 9750 7982 for an appointment.  
To be eligible you need to:  
- Be local to Greenacre/Chullora/Mt Lewis  
- Earn under $50,000 per year  
- Be registered with mygov – go here to register:  
  https://my.gov.au/LoginServices/main/login?execution=e2s1  
- Bring previous tax assessment

Anne Maree O’Neill & Antonietta Natoli  
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**Exercise Classes for Women**

Get ready for Spring!  
Come and join our weekly health and fitness classes with Pilates, Tai chi, Strength and Cardiovascular Training.

**When:** Every Wednesday  
6 August to 17 September

**Time:** 1.45pm – 2.45pm

**Where:** Banksia Rd Public School  
School Hall, 65 Banksia Rd  
Greenacre

**Cost:** Free

**Who:** All women – mothers, sisters, aunties, grandmothers, friends

**Trainer:** Robyn Suttor of Family Fit

Email or phone Anne Maree for more information or just meet us in the school hall every Wednesday.

Free childcare available!

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