

2021



Springwood Public School

Term 2 – Friday 25th June, 2021

2021 Band is GO!!!





Springwood Public School

THE PLACE TO BE!

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In Darug and Gundungurra Country



Twitter: @SPS_placetobe

Friday 25th June, 2021

Hello Everyone,

What a Term! We had a whirlwind of a start to the first half of the year and sadly the dreaded covid put a quick sharp stop to everything in the last week. Hopefully over the next couple of weeks things begin to get better and we can start Term 3 off with a bang!

All the events which were postponed due to covid restrictions will hopefully be put on early next term. The Stage 2 excursion to the Zoo has been postponed to Term 4, it was the earliest available date unfortunately!

A **final final** reminder as we wrap up the term, please ensure that your child has the correct school hat ready for Term 3. Only school bucket hats and wide brimmed interchangeable hats will be allowed as of Term 3. We are more than happy to exchange any old hats, just pop into the office and see the office staff, they will help you out with all your hat needs.

TERM 3 REMINDER:

1. Parents must contact the school for any student absence as soon as possible.
2. After 3 days of unexplained absence you will get a phone call from the school.
3. Consistent late arrivals will also receive a letter home for an explanation.
4. Our Attendance Support Officer - Blue Mountains Network, will be following up any matters which are still unresolved after contact has been made with the home. The explanation of any absence from school is a legal requirement, please help us work towards a high level of attendance for our students, it is as easy as a phone call or an email. 4751 133 or springwood-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Thank you for all your continued support of our wonderful school. Stay Safe, stay warm.

Take care please. Remind your kids everyday how special they are and how much you love them! Hug the ones you love and hold on for an extra second or two, it makes a world of difference.

Mr Mehmet

Caught you Bee-ing good!

As part of our positive behaviour management plan for K-4 students, each day children who are demonstrating classroom skills and school values such as kindness, listening, perseverance, hard work, respectfulness, good manners, sharing, helping others etc. are recognised for their good deeds and given a 'Bee Award.' Each Week all the Bee awards go into a barrel and one name is drawn at assembly to receive a prize. Prizes are usually items that encourage physical activity such as balls, skipping ropes, frisbees or puzzles and art and craft.



Congratulations to each of you and thank you for making our school a happier, better place to Bee! Award winners will be named in future newsletters.

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Week 1	12-7-21 Staff Development Day – No Students	13-7-21 All students begin Term 3	14-7-21	15-7-21 BMPSSA 1500m Finals	16-7-21
Week 2	19-7-21 NAIDOC Week Activity Day!	20-7-21	21-7-21	22-7-21	23-7-21 100 Days of Kinder
Week 3	26-7-21	27-7-21	28-7-21 P&C Meeting 7pm	29-7-21	30-7-21
Week 4	2-8-21	3-8-21	4-8-21	5-8-21 School Athletics Carnival	6-8-21
Week 5	9-8-21	10-8-21	11-8-21	12-8-21	13-8-21
Week 6	16-8-21	17-8-21	18-8-21	19-8-21	20-8-21
Week 7	23-8-21 Book Week	24-8-21 James Roy – Author visit	25-8-21 Book Character Parade	26-8-21	27-8-21
Week 8	30-8-21 SWIM SCHOOL	31-8-21 SWIM SCHOOL	1-9-21 Father's Day Stall P&C Meeting 7pm SWIM SCHOOL	2-9-21 SWIM SCHOOL	3-9-21 BMPSSA Zone Athletics Carnival NO Swim School
Week 9	6-9-21 SWIM SCHOOL	7-9-21 SWIM SCHOOL	8-9-21 SWIM SCHOOL	9-9-21 SWIM SCHOOL	10-9-21 SWIM SCHOOL
Week 10	13-9-21	14-9-21	15-9-21	16-9-21 Honour Assembly	17-9-21 Last Day of Term

Communication

There are many forms of communication at Springwood Public School to inform our community. The main form and most direct is the **SKOOLBAG App**. Information attached.

The school website is the next place to look for information, which can be found at – www.springwoodpublicschool.com

You are also able to email the school at – springwood-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

The good old fashion phone number is – **4751 1333**

We also have a Twitter account where we announce events with photos - [@SPS_placetobe](https://twitter.com/SPS_placetobe)

Some of the class teachers run a **DOJO** account for direct messages to parents. You will be notified by the classroom teacher if this is the case for your child.

Most importantly for communication, please ensure that your contact details are always kept up to date by notifying the office as soon as possible. This goes for address, phone numbers, emergency contact details, most recent court orders, most up to date medical needs of your children and any changes to pick up details or if you are running late, etc.

Please remember that with winter now here there is always the risk of a cold or flu infection. Remember to remind children to continue the good habits of staying clean that they have developed over the last twelve months

NOTICE



**WASH YOUR
HANDS
WITH SOAP**



**COUGH
INTO YOUR
ELBOW**



**STAY HOME
IF SICK**



Why attendance matters

When your child misses school they miss important opportunities to...



Learn



Make friends



Build skills through fun

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On occasion students are absent from school for a number of reasons, mainly for ill health. It is mandatory departmental policy that the school is notified as soon as possible, preferably on the day, if a student will be absent for a school day. Please contact the school office as soon as possible if your child will be absent on 4751 1333. You can also use the Skoolbag App to notify the school of an absence or even by emailing the office on springwood-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Thank you for following up on this reminder.

Days missed = years lost

A day here and there doesn't seem like much, but...

When your child misses just...

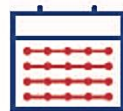
they miss weeks per year

and years over their school life

1 day per fortnight
M ~~W~~ T F
M T W T F

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4 weeks



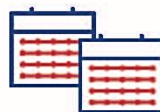
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Over **1** year missed

1 day per week
M ~~W~~ T F
M T W ~~F~~

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8 weeks



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Over **2.5** years missed

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Individualised swim lessons for children with a disability

Our specially designed Swim the Rainbow program is delivered by qualified and dedicated swim teachers in a social, fun and supportive aquatic environment.

Blue Mountains Rainbow Club
Meets at Springwood Aquatic Centre
11 Plateau Road, Springwood NSW 2777
Sundays 1:00pm – 4:00pm

Rainbow Club is a network of social swimming clubs for children with a disability

A safe and friendly community for children with a disability

Rainbow Club welcomes children with a disability regardless of the type of disability – helping children who find it difficult to participate in group swimming lessons to learn to swim and be safe in the water.

Swim the Rainbow program:

- Our unique Swim the Rainbow program has been specially designed to teach children with a disability
- The swimming goals are aligned to the seven colours of the Rainbow to help build confidence
- There is an expectation that a parent or guardian will remain close by to assist if required
- Vacancies arise at short notice, so we recommend you register and be ready to start swimming with a Club that understands and supports children with a disability

About Rainbow Club:

- We provide a membership for the duration of a school term (9 weekly half hour lessons)
- Our social calendar has something for everyone
- Club Committees are run by volunteers

We can't wait to see you at Rainbow Club soon!

JOIN US

See our website to register and find out more



Registered NDIS Provider



Vouchers accepted



Deductible gift recipient status



myrainbowclub.org.au



myrainbowclub.org.au



TUESDAY 29 + WEDNESDAY 30 JUNE 2021
9AM - 3PM
\$10 PER CHILD PER DAY
THE FACTORY | 28 LAWSON ROAD SPRINGWOOD

Two days of fun-filled events, for primary school children including dramas, singing, memory verse challenges and engaging bible talks. There will be a range of activities including: bushwalking, games, music, craft, wood-working, LEGO and more!

FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO REGISTER:
SPRINGWOODANGELICAN.ORG.AU/WINTERFEST

SWOT

SPRINGWOOD WORLD OF TENNIS

SCHOOL HOLIDAY

TENNIS COACHING CLINIC

SPRINGWOOD WORLD OF TENNIS, SPRING STREET, SPRINGWOOD

Mon 5th to Fri 9th July 2021 (9AM to 3PM)

JUNIORS 5YRS TO 16YRS. BEGINNERS TO ADVANCED. FULL SUPERVISION. FOR FURTHER DETAILS PLEASE RING

47 515383 OR 0416083472.

STUDENTS GRADED INTO GROUPS DEPENDING ON AGE AND ABILITY. COACHING HELD WET OR FINE, RACQUETS AVAILABLE FOR HIRE. LUNCH PROVIDED ON FRIDAY IN CONJUNCTION WITH PRIZE GIVING.

ENTRANCE FEE: = \$170 per clinic

**GIVING EACH ENTRANT OVER 25 HOURS TENNIS.
BOOK EARLY TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT**



FUN! TOURNAMENTS! TROPHIES! PRIZES

NAME: _____ **AGE:** _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____ **(please enclose full fee with this form)**

Entrant fee included of: **\$170**

PARENTS SIGNATURE: _____

ENROLMENTS MAY BE MADE AT THE PRO SHOP, SPRING ST, SPRINGWOOD
OR BY POSTING THIS FORM TO **PO BOX 473 SPRINGWOOD NSW 2777**
WITH CHEQUE PAYABLE TO SPRINGWOOD WORLD OF TENNIS.



SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM

Suitable for all skill levels focusing on fun practices that build into technical ability

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9AM - 12:30PM | \$150
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