



BIRRONG BULLETIN

The Newsletter of Birrong Girls High School

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PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Safe driving

Parents will have noted new banners displayed on the school's front fence. These banners promoting safe driving were provided by Bankstown Council as they are keen to ensure the safety of students around local schools.



Parents please take care to follow the rules of the road when dropping off and picking up your child and ensure the safety of all our students.

The safety of our students is of paramount concern to us all; however, reckless and bad driving at the front of the school continues to put our students at risk.

Remember that the car parks on the school grounds are for teachers only.

Swimming Carnival

I congratulate all the competitors and their enthusiastic supporters at the school's swimming carnival held on Monday 18 February at the Birrong Swimming Centre. It was a very successful carnival with a large number of enthusiastic competitors and great attendance particularly from Year 12.



Special congratulations to three very talented swimmers:

- Jasmine Tran, Year 10
- Nadine Johnston Araujo, Year 7
- Isabella Johnston Araujo, Year 10

who have made the regional swimming squad.

Congratulations to:

- Our Prefects and SRC who were great ambassadors for our school at International Women's Day events on Friday 8 March.
- All those students who are making great use of the Homework Centre in the library on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday afternoons.

Thank you to:

- All the parents who made time to meet with the teachers on Tuesday 12 March for **the parent/teacher interviews**; **our teachers greatly appreciate your interest and involvement**. Taking an active interest in your daughter's education and developing a positive home-school relationship greatly assists your daughter achieve to the best of her ability.

Coming Events:

I extend a warm invitation to all our parents to attend the next **P&C meeting which will be held on Wednesday 20 March at 5pm in the Common Room**. The first half hour of the meeting will focus on the School Plan 2012-2014.

I invite you to contact the school to make an appointment with me (Tel: 9644 5057) if you have any issues that you wish to discuss about your daughter's education.

I hope you enjoy reading about the achievements and activities of the school in the following pages.

Jenni Wilkins
Principal

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REPORT FROM THE DEPUTY PRINCIPALS

Congratulations to every Birrong girl who is striving for personal excellence in all aspects of her school life. This newsletter looks at ways that each Birrong Girl can have a successful year.

Learning and Leading from the Stories of Others

On Friday 8 March the Prefects celebrated International Women's Day at Darling Harbour where they were inspired by guest speaker, Rosie Johnson. Rosie was appointed to the Papua New Guinea Magisterial Services in 2007, an extraordinary achievement for a woman in her country, and provides legal advice and support in the area of domestic violence.



Prefects at Darling Harbour after attending the International Women's Day Breakfast

Sixty-seven percent of women in Papua New Guinea report that they have been beaten, including close to 100% of women living in the highlands. These statistics indicate just how important Rosie Johnson's work is in breaking the cycle of violence and abuse which is so common in Papua New Guinea. Particularly moving was Rosie's account of the challenges she faced in carving out a role for herself as an independent woman with the power to make a difference. Rather than seeing herself as a victim of a patriarchal rule, she became a strong advocate for oppressed women and particularly victims of violence. Education gave Rosie the confidence and self-belief to transform her own life and the lives of others. Her story is the story of the power of one and a reminder that we can all make a difference.

Attend and be Punctual

A simple way to succeed at school, as well as to earn merit certificates, is to attend and be on time. Those students with perfect or near perfect attendance are the ones who invariably leave school with a very fine HSC, as well as a swag of awards.

Be an Active Member of your School – Get Involved in Extra-curricular Activities

Success at school is closely related to involvement in the range of experiences the school offers as well as attendance, home study and revision. Many students are already training in preparation for their involvement in competitive sports such as netball, soccer, touch footy, softball, rugby league, volleyball and basketball. Other opportunities include: debating, chess, public speaking, Environment Club, choir, Amnesty International, Premier's Reading Challenge and Streamwatch to name but a few. Choose something you find interesting and see the coordinating teacher concerned to make your experience at school more rewarding.

Homework and Revision

All students are expected to complete homework. This includes formal work set by teachers as well as revision and silent reading.

The following guideline indicates the number of hours students in various years should set aside for homework:

- Years 7 and 8 - one hour each night
- Years 9 and 10 – a minimum of two hours each night
- Years 11 and 12 – at least three hours each night

Make Use of the Homework Centre

The homework centre is very popular with our students. It operates for two hours after school on Monday to Thursday and is well resourced with computers and reference material. In addition, experienced teachers provide assistance to students who require support with their homework.

The homework centre provides an excellent opportunity for students to engage productively in their learning.

Our local community also offers programs to assist students with homework and study:

Bankstown Library provides an online tutoring service in English, Maths, Science, writing and research Monday – Friday from 4.00-8.00pm.

Auburn Library provides free help with homework each Tuesday and Thursday from 4.00-7.00pm and each Wednesday from 3.00-5.00pm. A qualified teacher is available to assist students with homework and technology access.

The quality of support for students in our school and local community is of a very high standard. All students are encouraged to utilise these excellent resources.

Be Alert: Cyber-bullying

While technology has provided enormous opportunities for learning and communication, it has also become a forum for cyber-bullying. Online chat rooms, instant messaging, SMS and social networking sites like Facebook can be abused as vehicles for bullying.

Cyber-bullying is a crime. Here are some ways that you can protect yourself from cyber-bullying:

Keep a record (including time and date) so that the bully can easily be identified by the police.

Tell someone – talk to a trusted adult (parent, teacher, school counsellor) who can provide advice and help you take action.

Block bullies – contact your phone or internet service provider so that they can block calls from identified senders. Remove any inappropriate comments but always keep the evidence in case you need to follow up with authorities.

Contact the police if messages are threatening– threats to safety are a crime and need to be reported.

Don't engage with the bully – don't respond to the bully because this is exactly what they want. Ignoring a bully often results in the bully leaving you alone.

Change your contact details – don't be accessible; get a new user name for the internet, a new e-mail account, a new phone number for your mobile.

Never share your user name and password – this is private information and should be kept private at all times.

Cyber-bullying is a very concerning social issue. It is important that students do not provide opportunities for bullying and know what to do should a situation arise.

To every Birrong girl: realise your potential by working to the best of your ability; aim to make a difference each day, no matter how small or humble; and set your sights high.

Ad Astra,

Ms Fletcher and Ms Crossan
Deputy Principals

NEW TEACHER

Krishnal Mohan
Social Science



My name is Krishnal Mohan. I am new to the Social Science faculty at Birrong Girls High School in 2013.

At university I completed a double degree including a Bachelor of Arts Double Major, majoring in Economics and

History and a Bachelor of Education. I have been working in Education since 2008. My practicum teaching block was at Bankstown Girls High School in 2007 and I stayed on as a temporary teacher for the past 5 years at that school.

Social Science subjects are my passion and I am particularly fond of Economics and Business Studies. I am looking forward to sharing my enthusiasm for the subjects I teach with the girls here at Birrong Girls High and encouraging them to become skilled in this subject area. I am also very eager to work hard training with the school soccer team as the new soccer coach for Birrong Girls.

I'd like to thank all of the staff and students who have made me feel welcome and I am looking forward to getting to know everybody better in the future.

HEAD TEACHER ADMINISTRATION REPORT

One of the many jobs for the Head Teacher of Administration is to liaise with Department of Education and Communities (DEC) representatives about student attendance.

Every DEC school in NSW is associated with a HSLO (Home School Liaison Officer) who visits the school at least once a week. The HSLO assigned to Birrong Girls High school is Sue Porter. She checks each student's attendance patterns in our school.

Sue's duties include interviewing students whose attendance is falling below the acceptable standards for the DEC. Sue has interviewed a number of our students and she will continue to monitor their attendance and progress. There are a number of students (Years 7 – 12) who will meet Sue over the next few weeks to discuss their poor attendance.



Sue Porter

We thank Sue Porter for the support she offers all the students at Birrong Girls High School.

Mrs George
Head Teacher Administration



BIRRONG GIRLS HIGH SCHOOL PARENTS & CITIZENS ASSOCIATION

**Parents are invited to attend the
P & C MEETING
on Wednesday, 20 March 2013
at 5pm in the Common Room**

WELFARE MATTERS

Vaccinations

Our school is participating in the NSW Adolescent Vaccination Program for Year 7 students. The following vaccinations will be provided over the year:

- Hepatitis B vaccination, two doses will be given. This vaccine is recommended for students who have not previously received a course of 3 vaccines as a baby or younger child. You can check your child's vaccination history by calling the Australian Immunisation Register on 1800 653 809.
- Human Papilloma Virus (HPV) vaccination for cervical cancer prevention, three doses will be given. Vaccination in Year 7 is ideal as the immune system gives a strong response to vaccines at this age.
- Varicella (Chickenpox) vaccine, one dose will be given. This is recommended for students who have not had the disease or have not already been vaccinated.
- Diphtheria, Tetanus and Pertussis (Whooping Cough) vaccine, one dose is given.

Year 7 students have been issued the vaccination consent forms. Parents/guardians should read the information provided with the consent forms to understand the facts about the vaccines that will be offered. Information in languages other than English is available at:

http://www.health.nsw.gov.au/publichealth/immunisation/school_prog/languages_forms.asp

Vaccination dates are:

20 March: Vaccines offered: Diphtheria, Tetanus and Pertussis and Human Papilloma Virus (1).

20 June: Vaccines offered: Hepatitis B (1) and Human Papilloma Virus (2).

21 November: Vaccines offered: Hepatitis B (2), Human Papilloma Virus (3) and Varicella (Chickenpox).

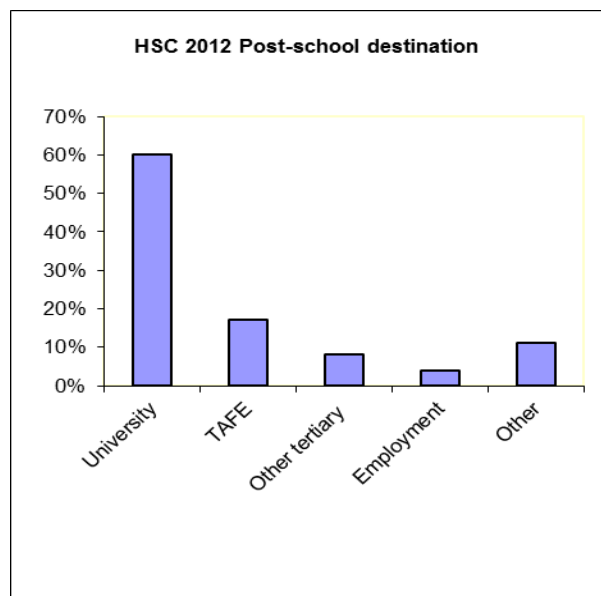
The consent forms for the required vaccines have been issued to students and these were due to Ms Salvagio by 14 March. No student will be vaccinated without the signed original consent forms. After the vaccination students will be given a Record of Vaccination to take home to keep their immunisation records up to date. Please keep vaccination records in a safe place as they may be required for future work or travel.

Ms Salvagio
Head Teacher Welfare

FROM THE CAREERS ROOM

This is what the 120 girls from the HSC class of 2012 are doing now:

University	60%	72
TAFE	17%	20
Other tertiary	8%	10
Employment	4%	5
Other	11%	13
Total	100%	120 students



"Other" includes students who are travelling, on a gap year or were unable to be contacted.

Year 12

There have been a number of guest speakers at lunchtime on Wednesday in the Library, so encourage your daughter to attend, to assist her in making an informed choice about where she will be in 2014.

Year 10

Year 10 should all complete Work Experience by 22 March. Thank you, parents, for completing the evaluation on the last page of the Diary. The next Work Experience is 18-22 November, so encourage your daughter to organise this soon. This is an opportunity to try a potential career, so encourage your daughter to aim high. All girls will receive a Work Experience Certificate when they return the fully completed Diary and the green Employer evaluation form. My lessons with Year 10 next term will look at subject selection for Year 11 and how to write a cover letter for a job.

Year 7

All Year 7 girls are using BlogEd, so ask your daughter to show you her post.

TFN

All students in Years 10-12 should have a Tax File Number (TFN). See me to apply.

Ms Austin
Careers Adviser

THE SCIENCE EXPERIENCE

The Science Experience was held at Sydney University from 9-11 January 2013. Inspirational mentors looked after us during those three days.

Our project was to determine the guilty parties in a crime scene investigation using scientific method. One of the highlights involved extracting and identifying DNA. We were also informed about the different courses and subjects available at Sydney University, including psychology, forensics and medicine. Games designed to test how we cooperate and work as a team were great fun and included building a water tower and preventing an egg from cracking.



On the last day of the Science Experience we were very lucky to have an all you can eat pizza lunch which everyone thought was awesome! Towards the end of the day YSA (Young Scientists of Australia) presenters demonstrated some cool and whacky experiments. We also had a very special guest named Dr Karl Kruszelnicki who used to be a scientist, engineer and doctor, but is currently an author and science commentator on radio and television.

The students that attended the experience received an award for participating and were invited to be photographed with Dr Karl Kruszelnicki.

We think that the Science Experience was a great 3 day experience and we would love to do it again! We both plan to join YSA because it would be a great opportunity for us to get more involved in science. So if, like us, you like science, we suggest that you keep your eyes open for opportunities to meet new people with similar interests and learn more about science.

By: Caziza Ahmed and Emily Webb, Year 10

VALENTINE'S DAY AT BIRRONG GIRLS HIGH



The Prefects performed a witty and highly entertaining skit at assembly for Valentine's Day. Their drama performance was a potted version of "Titanic", complete with iceberg and a title song. Their traditional Rose Stall was a wonderful success too.



A JAZZ NIGHT TO REMEMBER

On 26 February, Chelsea and I had the pleasure of being in the company of Judy Carmichael, a Grammy nominated jazz 'stride' pianist and her accompanying jazz guitarist, Sam Dunn at the U.S. Consulate's residence in Double Bay. At this event we were accompanied by Ms Wilkins, Ms Fletcher and Ms Corbin. We had the chance to watch memorable performances, eat great tasting food and socialise with inspiring individuals.



Ms Corbin, Chelsea, Riana and Ms Wilkins

Not only were we able to witness the grand performance of Ms Carmichael and Mr Dunn, we were also able to watch other students showcase their talents in a heart-warming rendition of 'Natural Woman'. After the performance, Judy and Sam came into the courtyard to mingle with the guests; we had the opportunity to talk with Judy and Sam, this is when we discovered how down to earth they were. Along with Judy's amusing anecdotes, her most recent cover 'Come and Get It' was a particular favourite for both Chelsea and I, alongside 'All of the Cats'. As a vocalist and Chelsea being a very talented pianist, we were really inspired by the enthusiasm and dedication that both artists demonstrated.

By: Riana Oliver and Chelsea Trang, Year 12

NETBOOK PROGRAM FOR YEAR 9

On 27 February, two meetings for the parents of Year 9 students were scheduled focusing on the rollout of netbooks and their application to learning. These netbooks will be distributed, free of charge, to all Year 9 students who attend Government schools. The meeting was hosted by Ms Wilkins, Ms Fletcher, Mr Clark, Mr Payne and Mr Nguyen.



Mr Clark handing out the Netbook User Charter to parents

The impact of the netbooks on learning was addressed in the meeting along with cyber safety, student use, care, storage and maintenance. The laptops contain all the programs needed for school including Microsoft Office and many more expensive programs. Parents were required to sign the Netbook User Charter before the netbooks could be passed to their daughters.

Year 9 will be issued with netbooks in Week 8 that come with a charger and a protective soft case. This year's colour is a stunning 'Ferrari Red' and has a squishy lining around the outside to protect it from minor bumps.

Year 9 are really looking forward to receiving their laptops and are already thinking of ways to customise them. It is exciting to know that a new and convenient piece of equipment, the netbook, has been added to the learning environment of Year 9. Learning will certainly become more efficient and interesting.

**By: Sandra Dang and Ghaida Alameddine,
Year 9**

BGHS SWIMMING CARNIVAL 2013



On 18 February the Birrong Girls High School (BGHS) swimming carnival was held at Birrong Swimming Centre. The day was full of excitement and apprehension; all students looked the part supporting their team in their house colours.

The day began with the Year 12 parade and they provided us with an array of interesting costumes and themes. Thank you Year 12 for your creative and fun-filled ideas to get our carnival underway.

We had a host of excellent swimmers who took part in the races, many of them taking part in all events for their age group. The highly contested invitational 50m sprint was the highlight of the day with a close finish between Isabella Johnston Araujo and Miss Rothwell, with Isabella taking out first place.

Congratulations go to the following students for being awarded age swimming champions for 2013:

12 yrs	Monique Steel
13 yrs	Kathleen Logie and Catherine Zhuo
14 yrs	Anna Qiu
15 yrs	Isabella Johnston Araujo
16 yrs	Jasmine Tran

The house cheering competition was fiercely contested with a range of dances, cheers and house colours in full view of the judges. Congratulations go to Yurong house for having the best cheer on the day.

The final house points were as follows:

1 st place	Yurong	391 points
2 nd place	Inga	229 points
3 rd place	Miga	157 points
4 th place	Bundarra	142 points

Congratulations to every girl who swam in a race on the day. It isn't about what place you came but the fact you "had a go".

Further congratulations go to Nadine Johnston Araujo, Isabella Johnston Araujo and Jasmine Tran who qualified to represent Edmondson Girls at the Regional Swimming Carnival.

Miss Sirris
Carnival Organiser

SWIMMING CARNIVAL PHOTO GALLERY



The teachers who were recording results were busy all day



Ms Lord discusses strategies with a student prior to the race



Ms Boyle, Ms Shinas and Miss Sirris



Year 11 Hospitality students worked with TAS teachers to provide morning tea for the staff

SRC REPORT

It has been a busy start to the year for the SRC. We have set out our plans for the year and have welcomed some new members onto the team.

On 8 March the SRC celebrated International Women's Day by attending the Zonta International Women's Day Breakfast at the Yagoona Greyhound Social Club. This year's theme was *'Ending Violence Against Women'*. The guest speaker of the morning was Emma Sleeman, a student from Concord High, who received the Order of Australia Association's Award for her service to the community. Emma spoke of her time spent as a volunteer in Haiti where she witnessed the inequalities that women are subjected to in that country. At 17 years of age, Emma is an inspiring example of what we as women can do, regardless of age, to help make a difference to the lives of women around the world.

Year 7 SRC elections will be taking place later this term. We have four positions to fill and are encouraging eager and dedicated Year 7 students who display good leadership skills to nominate themselves for election. Keep an eye out in the notices for more information.

From the SRC

WELCOME BBQ FOR PARENTS OF NEW STUDENTS

13 February 2013



Year 11 helpers informed Year 7 about school clubs



Year 7 Advisers - Ms Hawk and Ms Lazarevski (both on right) welcomed new Year 7 families

YOUNG WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP SEMINAR

On 8 March, Sarah Bae and I attended the Year 11 Young Women's Leadership Seminar at Parliament House, where we were able to represent the member for Auburn, Barbara Perry. It was an amazing day and we shared this experience with girls from other schools in New South Wales. There were inspirational speeches from women leaders including the chief scientist of Australia, Penny Sackett. They discussed the concepts and definitions of leadership and encouraged us to develop our leadership skills.



We were also provided with a tour of the Legislative Council and Assembly (see photo above), although unfortunately, we did not see our Premier, Barry O'Farrell. Sarah and I really enjoyed the day and learnt a great deal from this experience. The one message that we would like to share with you is, "take the good and not the perfect" because as Penny Sackett says, "the perfect might never come, so when there is an opportunity, take it."

By: Betty Nguyen, Year 11

THE PREMIER'S READING CHALLENGE

Last year 230,000 students around the state successfully completed the Premier's Reading Challenge. The number has grown steadily for the past eleven years, so we expect that there will be even more young people eager to take on the Challenge in 2013.

Reading transports us into other worlds and lives. It allows us to experience a whole range of exciting stories and explore issues which can challenge the way we think and feel.

Students who accept the Challenge this year will have even more books from which to choose. With over 7000 books now on the booklist, the Challenge offers students an opportunity to read widely. We encourage all participants to be adventurous in their reading and add as many different types of books as they can to their reading records.

Birrong Girls has a proud record of PRC completions so we expect every Year 7, 8 and 9 student to register for the Challenge. We can help you find books and register online. "Reading takes you places when you have to stay where you are." Click on the link:

<https://products.schools.nsw.edu.au/prc/logon.html> and use your Portal User Name and Password to log on.

Mr Davidson
Teacher Librarian

HAVE YOU RECEIVED THE SCHOOLKIDS BONUS?

Do you know about the Schoolkids Bonus? It is a new cash payment to help eligible families and students with the costs of primary and secondary school studies. Around 1.2 million families have already benefited from the first wave of payments in January 2013 – *have you?*

If you receive a family or income support payment, including Family Tax Benefit Part A, you could be eligible to receive \$410 a year for each primary student and \$820 a year for each secondary student, with half paid in January and half paid in July.

The Schoolkids Bonus replaces the Education Tax Refund (ETR) and is a much simpler system. You no longer need to collect receipts and payments are made automatically so you don't have to wait months to make a claim via your tax return. Unlike the ETR you can choose how you use the payment to best support your children's education – whether it be school books, stationery, uniforms, school fees, or excursions.

Check your eligibility by visiting australia.gov.au/schoolkidsbonus and if you think you might have missed out on the January payment, contact Centrelink – either in person at a Centrelink-Medicare Office or by calling 132 468.

BIRRONG GIRLS HIGH SCHOOL CALENDAR
For your diary / noticeboard

March:

Monday, 18th to Friday, 22nd ■ Year 10 Work Experience

Wednesday, 20th ■ Year 7 Vaccinations
 ■ P&C Meeting, Common Room, 5pm

Wednesday, 27th ■ SCHOOL PHOTOS

Friday, 29th ■ Good Friday Public Holiday

April:

Monday, 1st ■ Easter Monday Public Holiday

Tuesday, 2nd to Friday, 12th ■ Year 12 Mid-Course Exams

Friday, 12th ■ Last day of Term 1

Enjoy the School Holidays!

Monday, 29th ■ School Development Day 1
 – for staff only

Tuesday, 30th ■ School Development Day 2
 – for staff only

May:

Wednesday, 1st ■ All students return to school

Wednesday, 1st to Tuesday 14th ■ Year 11 Half Yearly Exams

Monday, 13th to Friday, 24th ■ Year 12 Hospitality Work Placement

Tuesday, 14th ■ NAPLAN TESTS

Wednesday, 15th ■ NAPLAN TESTS
 ■ P&C Meeting, Common Room, 5pm

Thursday 16th ■ NAPLAN TESTS

Friday, 17th ■ Catch-up day for NAPLAN

Western Sydney Careers Expo 2013

Thursday 20 June and Friday 21 June, 9am – 3pm

Saturday 22 June and Sunday 23 June, 10am – 3pm

Sydney Showground, Sydney Olympic Park

The Western Sydney Careers Expo brings together over 120 exhibitors providing information on tertiary and training courses, career and employment opportunities, HSC subjects, study skills and gap year programs. Exhibitors include Australia's major universities. The Expo also features 130 seminars on HSC subjects including English and Maths, tertiary courses, career, employment and study advice. Admission is \$10 or \$25 for families of 3 or more (children 14 and under free) and is valid for all four days of The Expo. Admission includes seminars.

For more details see The Expo Visitor Guide in your local Fairfax Community Newspaper in early June 2013 or westernsydneycareerexpo.com.au

PARENT TIPS

When older kids struggle with reading

Should you let your reluctant teen reader choose magazines over books? If your child is still struggling to read and write, and they're heading into high school, there are ways to get them on the right page.

Find out more:

<http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/homework-and-study/english/english-tips/when-older-kids-struggle-with-reading>

All about apostrophes

Not knowing where to place apostrophes can haunt people for their entire lives. Here's an easy guide to help your child understand what they mean, how to use them and get them right.

Find out more:

http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/homework-and-study/english/english-a-to-z-/english_glossary/8Qum/551/apostrophe+denoting+ownership



Solving equations

Struggling to remember what algebra was all about and need to help your kids with their homework? Take a look at this study sheet for examples:

http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/homework-and-study/maths/maths-a-to-z-/maths_glossary/RId5/44/algebra

Essay planning

Kids often rush headlong into essay writing tasks without thinking through what is required. Effective essay planning can involve brainstorming, mind-mapping, and organising notes depending on the question and type of response required. These factsheets explain everything.

Find out more:

http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/homework-and-study/english/english-a-to-z-/english_glossary/8Qum/2661/essay+planning

Yagoona Public School 60th Anniversary



Anniversary Dinner
Friday 5th April, 2013
The Grand Ballroom
Bankstown Sports Club
6pm – 11pm

\$60 per person
including
3 Course meal, DJ, Comedian
Raffles, Auctions

60th Celebration
Saturday 6th April, 2013
425 Hume Hwy, Yagoona
from 11am

including
rides, face painting, stalls,
showbags, balloons music,
entertainment,
Disco
Fireworks to end the day!



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Celebrating 60 years of outstanding public education

Bảng Cấm Ngừng

Người lái xe không được ngừng tại nơi có bảng cấm ngừng áp dụng.

Phạt tối thiểu \$298 và mất hai điểm



Ngừng xe tại hoặc gần

- nơi người qua đường
- nơi trẻ em qua đường
- bất cứ dấu hiệu qua đường nào

Phạt tối thiểu \$397 và mất hai điểm



Đậu xe song song

Đậu xe song song là bất hợp pháp và nguy hiểm.

Phạt tối thiểu \$298 và mất hai điểm.



Quay xe lại bất hợp pháp

Phạt tối thiểu \$298 và mất ba điểm.



Bảng Cấm đậu

Người lái xe không được phép ngừng trừ phi có người xuống hoặc lên xe. Thời gian ngừng tối đa hai phút. Người lái xe phải ở gần xe trong vòng ba thước.

Phạt tối thiểu \$165 và mất hai điểm



Bảng Trạm xe buýt

Người lái xe không được phép ngừng hoặc đậu tại trạm xe buýt trừ phi lái xe buýt công cộng.

Phạt tối thiểu \$298 và mất hai điểm.



Luôn luôn nắm tay trẻ em tại nơi hoặc gần xe cộ lưu thông

PARENTS, for the sake of our students please model good behaviour especially around the school. Children and young people will copy the example you set.

Child Restraint Rules

Children under 7 years of age must be restrained in a suitable and approved child restraint or booster seat for their age when travelling in a vehicle. Always make sure your children are 'Buckled up' before driving off.

Minimum penalty \$298 and three demerit points.

In the City of Bankstown our School Zones are enforced by NSW Police, Council's Parking Officers and Rangers.

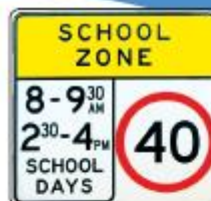
Don't think driving away means you won't be fined.

Speeding and illegally parked vehicles are photographed and infringement notices are posted to the registered owner of the vehicle.

For further information please contact:

The Road Safety Officer
Bankstown City Council. Ph: 9707 9999.

For further information on penalties and demerit points go to www.rms.nsw.gov.au



Driving safely
in and around
school zones

Printed on recycled paper. School Zones (B) 9/12

No Stopping signs

Drivers must not stop in an area to which a no stopping sign applies. Minimum penalty \$298 and two demerit points.



إشارات 'ممنوع التوقف' (No Stopping)

على السائقين عدم التوقف في منطقة تنطبق عليها إشارة 'ممنوع التوقف'. الحد الأدنى للغرامة 298 دولاراً وخسارة نقطتين من نقاط الأهلية (demerit point).

Stopping on or near

- Pedestrian Crossing
 - Children's Crossing
 - any marked Foot Crossing
- Minimum penalty \$397 and two demerit points.



ممنوع التوقف فوق أو قرب

- معبر مشاة مخطط
 - معبر أطفال المدارس
 - أي معبر مشاة Foot Crossing محدد بإشارات للمشاة
- الحد الأدنى للغرامة 397 دولاراً وخسارة نقطتين من نقاط الأهلية (demerit point).

Double Parking

Double parking is illegal and dangerous. Minimum penalty \$298 and two demerit points.



الصف المزدوج

الصف المزدوج مخالف للقانون وخطير. الحد الأدنى للغرامة 298 دولاراً وخسارة نقطتين من نقاط الأهلية (demerit point).

Making an illegal U-turn

Minimum penalty \$298 and three demerit points.



إشارات 'ممنوع الوقوف' (No Parking)

على السائقين عدم التوقف إلا إذا كانوا ينزلون أو يصعدون ركاباً. أقصى مدة للتوقف دقيقتان. على السائق البقاء ضمن مسافة ثلاثة أمتار من السيارة. الحد الأدنى للغرامة 165 دولاراً وخسارة نقطتين من نقاط الأهلية (demerit point).

No Parking signs

Drivers must not stop unless you are dropping off, or picking up passengers. Maximum stopping time is two minutes. The driver must stay within three metres of the vehicle. Minimum penalty \$165 and two demerit points.



"No Stopping" 標誌

在 "No Stopping" (禁止停車) 標誌適用的區域，司機不得停車逗留。罰款至少為298元，同時扣2分。



如下列地方或其附近停車逗留：

- 人行橫道
- 兒童通行橫道
- 已標明的任何人行橫道

罰款至少為397元，同時扣2分。



並排停車

並排停車 (Double parking) 不但違法，而且有危險。罰款至少為298元，同時扣2分。



違法掉頭 (U-turn)

罰款至少為298元，同時扣3分。

"No Parking" 標誌

除了讓乘客上下車之外，司機不得停車逗留。停車時間不得超過兩分鐘。司機離開車輛的距離不得超過三米。罰款至少為165元，同時扣2分。



"Bus Zone" 標誌

除了巴士司機之外，司機不得在巴士停車區 (bus zone) 停車逗留 (stop) 或停放車輛 (park)。罰款至少為298元，同時扣2分。



Bus Zone signs

Drivers must not stop or park in a bus zone unless you are driving a public bus. Minimum penalty \$298 and two demerit points.



Always hold your child's hand in and around traffic

在交通繁忙地帶，一定要始終牽住孩子的手。

