

Our School Newsletter

Greenwich Public School

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Principal's Message

Good afternoon Parents, Carers and Friends of Greenwich Public School.

Welcome to Week 10 of Term 4 2018.

I would like to wish all students and parents all the best for the festive season and the New Year. Thank you for your support throughout this year. I look forward to 2019 and all the exciting things it will bring.

I hope you all have a wonderful Christmas with family and friends and that everyone remains safe during our summer break.

Farewell Ms Hernandez

Today we farewell Ms Gayle Hernandez, from Vancouver Canada, who has been teaching with us in 2018. We thank Ms Hernandez for her kindness and expertise this year on KGH and we would like to wish her well for her return home. I know that KGH will always remember her fondly, as will all our staff.

Christmas Gift Tree

Thank you to all the families who donated to our giving tree. The gifts have been taken to the Lane Cove Community Centre for distribution.

Greenwich Build Update

Please find attached the schedule of building works for both campuses over the holiday break.

Return to school 2019

Teachers return to school on 29 January 2019 and students in Years 1-6 will return on 30 January. Kindergarten will complete Best Start in week 1 and start school on Monday 4 February 2019.

Thank you and have a wonderful break with family and friends.

Vicki McKenzie.



NSW Department of Education – School Infrastructure



Greenwich Public School

Summer holidays construction works

December 2018

Investing in our schools

The NSW Government is investing \$6 billion over the next four years to deliver more than 170 new and upgraded schools to support communities across NSW. In addition, a record \$847 million is being spent on school maintenance over four years. This is the largest investment in public education infrastructure in the history of NSW.

Upgrade of Greenwich Public School

A project is being planned for both the Kingslangley Road and Greenwich Road campuses of Greenwich Public School. The project will deliver flexible learning spaces for 670 students by 2020.

The Kingslangley Road campus upgrade will include 18 new permanent teaching spaces, a new library, two existing permanent teaching spaces converted to special programs rooms, and an upgrade to core facilities including the canteen, staff and administration amenities and the hall.

The Greenwich Road campus upgrade will include 8 new permanent teaching spaces, two existing teaching spaces converted to special programs rooms and an upgrade to the existing administration building.

Progress summary

Lane Cove Council have concluded assessment of the Development Application and approval for both sites was received on 14 November 2018. The contract for design and construction has been awarded to Taylor Construction Group (TCG). Site establishment works are being undertaken and the finalisation of the detailed design is ongoing.

Summer school holiday works

Some preparatory construction works will be undertaken during the Summer school holidays to enable major construction to commence in early 2019. These works will include:

Kingslangley Road campus

- Continue site establishment works
- Deliver up to four demountable classrooms from the Greenwich Road campus to the Kingslangley Road campus.
- Commence demolition of the tennis courts.

Greenwich Road campus

- Continue site establishment works
- Install temporary pedestrian pathway
- Commence installation of stormwater tank.

Please see overleaf for more information.

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AWARDS K-6

Merit



Bronze



DIARY DATES

**TERM 4
WEEK 10**

Wednesday 19 December

- 2-6 Talent Quest
- Last day for students
- Year 6 farewell assembly 2.20-3.10pm

**TERM 1 2019
WEEK 1**

- Years 1- 6 students return Wednesday 30 January 2019

WEEK 3

Wednesday 13 February

- Swimming Carnival

WEEK 6

Tuesday 5 March

- Photo Day

WEEK 7

Monday 11 March

- Stage 3 Leadership – Young Leaders Day

HARDCOPY NOTES SENT HOME

- Nil

SURVEYS FOR YOUR ATTENTION

- Nil

EMAIL ATTACHMENTS HOME THIS WEEK

- Nil