

## NBSC Manly Campus The Pines Newsletter

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Principal: Ms Kathy O'Sullivan | Deputy Principals: Ms Marisa Carolan and Mr Alex Newcomb

3 February 2023

## **Principal's Report**

#### From the Principal

A very warm welcome to all members of our school community and particularly to our new students and families. The Year 7 Orientation program that was coordinated by Alex Newcomb, Lucienne Herft and Madeleine Koo, provided an opportunity for students to get to know each other, meet their teachers and ensure they can find their way around the school. The lessons learnt by the students as they adapt to change, will carry forward in many situations throughout their life. To help with the transition to high school, our Year 10 Peer Support Leaders gave up the last day of their holidays to assist Year 7 students as they participated in activities, getting to know our school.



Thank you also to our School Orientation Guides who are helping new Manly Campus students in Year 8 - 10 settle in.

I look forward to meeting parents and carer at our first P&C meeting on Wednesday 8 February. At this meeting I will provide an update on our key focus areas for 2023 along with a breakdown of the 2022 HSC results. The meeting is held in the learning hub (entry via the staff carpark) starting at 7pm.

#### Communication

The school newsletter is a vital form of communication used to celebrate success and is published on the school app and email distribution list supplied to the school - if there has been a change of address or a new email address, please advise the school. This year, The Pines Newsletter will be published three times throughout the term, in Week 2, 6 and 10.

Families are encouraged to download the school app School E-news, as updates and reminders are distributed via this mode of communication regularly. In addition to this there are direct links to the website, canteen, absent note, make a payment, calendar, newsletter and more. See the information at the end of this newsletter on how to access the app.

Open communication is valued and encouraged at all times, with Year Advisers being the first point of contact for matters relating to specific students. We welcome Ms Madeleine Koo (Year 7 Adviser) and Chloe Woodward (Year 8 Adviser) joining the Wellbeing Team of Ms Liz Lindsay (Year 9 Adviser) Ms Lucienne Herft (Head Teacher Wellbeing and Year 10 Adviser), Ms Josinta Chandra (Year 11 Adviser) and Mr Branko Goykovic (Year 12 Adviser).



Our deputies, Mr Alex Newcomb and Marisa Carolan have overarching responsibility for Year 7, 9, 11 and Year 8, 10, 12 respectively.

Deputy Principal – Year 7, 9 & 11 Mr Alex Newcomb alex.newcomb@det.nsw.edu.au

Deputy Principal – Year 8, 10 & 12 Ms Marisa Carolan marisa.carolan@det.nsw.edu.au



Our school counsellors are also available

to provide additional support for our students when required. We welcome Mr Dudley Poole and Ms Bryony Wiseman to the counselling team, joining Ms Kerri McTernan.

Ms Kerri McTernan (Monday) <u>kerri.mcternan@det.nsw.edu.au</u>

Mr Dudley Poole (Thursday B week, Friday) dudley.poole@det.nsw.edu.au

Ms Bryony Wiseman (Monday and Wednesday) bryony.wood@det.nsw.edu.au



The office staff are available to help new students with transport information, finance and paperwork issues. In addition, our students and staff are always willing to assist when required.

#### Staffing Update

This year we warmly welcome new staff members to our school. We are confident you will enjoy belonging to such a wonderful school and encourage you to become involved in the many varied school activities throughout the year.

Permanent positions:

- Noroja Rouzbehi (Head Teacher Mathematics)
- Brigit Myers (Visual Arts)
- Dudley Poole (Counsellor)

Temporary positions:

- Amy Whyte (Music)
- Katrina Ackroyd (Science)
- Zac Jurilj (TAS)
- Stefanie Grant (Student Learning Support Officer).

#### **Student Code of Conduct**

To set students up for a successful year, there has been a targeted focus on the Manly Campus Code of Conduct, with particular emphasis on point 5.



This document which was developed in consultation with the school community, outlines a series of rights and responsibilities that students have to themselves, to others, to the school and to the community. All students at Manly Campus are expected to adhere to this code. A copy is attached to the end of the newsletter.

The beginning of the school year is the best time to ensure that all students have appropriate uniform. The year has begun very well for nearly all students, and random uniform checks will begin in two weeks. Shoes should be black enclosed leather or vinyl (NOT canvas or sports style, except on Wednesdays). School shorts or pants should be grey (except on Wednesdays when sports uniform can be worn by students in Year 7-10).

Thank you in anticipation for your assistance in ensuring our students show their respect for our school through wearing the correct school uniform.

#### **Student Attendance**

Please refer to the student attendance flyer at the end of the newsletter for the procedures to adher to with student absences. This information is also on our school website under <u>Rules and Policies</u>

#### **HSC Results and Strategies**

A detailed breakdown of the 2022 HSC results along with the strategies that we have implemented over the last two years to help achieve these outstanding results will be presented at the P&C meeting on Wednesday 8 February.

#### Manly P&C Meeting

7pm Wednesday 8 February in the school library or via Zoom - details below Meeting ID: 695 2646 9545 Register in advance for this meeting: <u>https://au01web.zoom.us/meeting/register/</u> <u>u50ode-sqDIvHtHeMHDelhpFwRPzvJXeoc0b</u>

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.

## **Sport 2023**

Welcome back to another exciting year in Sport. Term 1 will see us begin Statewide Competitions, Sydney North Trials, School Swimming Championships, School Athletics Championships, Zone Swimming Championships and Sydney North Swimming Championships.

The Sports Coordinators for 2023 are Miss Kristie Crawford and Mr Scott White, so please contact them if you have any enquires.

Students are reminded to please check the Daily Notices and Sport Noticeboards for all sporting information.

#### 2023 School Championships

Championship	Date	Location
Swimming	Monday 20 February 2023	Manly Andrew Boy Charlton Swim Centre
Athletics	Friday 10 March 2023	Sydney Academy of Sport and Recreation (Narrabeen)
Cross Country	Friday 5 May 2023	Abbott Road Fields and surrounds

#### Statewide Competitions (Knockout)

NBSC Manly Campus has entered into the following Sydney North Statewide Competitions for 2023. With a large majority to commence this term.

Sport	Age and Gender	
AFL	Under 15 Boys	
Basketball	Under 15 Boys & Under 15 Girls   Open Boys & Open Girls	
Cricket	Open Boys	
Football	Under 15 Boys Bill Turner Cup and Under 15 Girls Bill Turner Trophy	
Football	Open Boys & Open Girls	
Netball	Under 15 Girls & Open Girls	
Table Tennis	Open Boys & Open Girls	
Tennis	Open Boys	
Touch Football	Open Boys & Open Girls	
Squash	Open Boys	
Volleyball	Open Boys & Open Girls	

If students are interested in any of these sports they should listen out for the daily notices and check the noticeboard outside the PDHPE Staffroom.

#### Sydney North School Sports Association

For all up to date information for Sydney North trials please see the Sydney North website <u>https://app.education.nsw.gov.au/sport/sydney-north</u>

**Term 1 trials include:** Open Baseball, Senior and Junior Boys and Girls Tennis, Open Boys and Girls Volleyball, Under 15 Boys and Girls Touch Football, Girls Rugby 7s, Open Boys and Girls Football, Open Boys AFL, Open Boys and Girls Basketball, Open Boys and Girls Hockey, Open Boys Rugby League, Open Boys Union and Open Girls Netball.

Please see Miss Crawford or Mr White for trial forms.

#### Recreational Sport – Years 8, 9 and 10

Recreation Sport commences week 3 (8/2/23) and concludes week 11 (5/4/23) and there is considerable variety offered to students this year. The table below highlights all the sports offered to students this term.

SPORT	VENUE and PROVIDER	
Aerial Silks	Integral Aerial Silks, 3A/24-26 Winbourne Rd, Brookvale	
Learn to Surf	Manly Surf School, Long Reef Beach. If closed, students will attend Collaroy Beach.	
Parkour	Stunt Gym, 4/13 Dale Street, Brookvale NSW 2100.	
Surfing/Bodyboarding	Long Reef Beach, Manly Campus Staff. If closed, students will attend Collaroy Beach.	
Skateboarding	School of Skate, 224 Harbord Rd, Brookvale NSW 2100	
Tennis	Evolve Tennis, Griffith Park, Anzac Ave, Collaroy NSW 2097.	
Vision PT & Gym	Vision Personal Training, 577 Pittwater Rd, Brookvale NSW 2100.	
SPORT	VENUE and PROVIDER	
Beach Sports (non- water-based beach activities)	NBSC Manly Campus, NBSC Manly Campus Staff	
Dance Technique and Skills Training with Ms Woodward	NBSC Manly Campus, NBSC Manly Campus Staff	
Football Codes	Denzil Joyce and Reub Hudson, NBSC Manly Campus Staff	
Multisport	Fisher Road Courts, Denzil Joyce and Reub Hudson, NBSC Manly Campus Staff	
Volleyball	NBSC Manly Campus, NBSC Manly Campus Staff	
Walking	Local North Curl Curl Community area, NBSC Manly Campus Staff	

#### **Recreational Sport – Year 7**

During Term 1, Year 7 will participate in 2 structured activities.

- 1. Blast Cricket Program run by Cricket NSW. This will commence Week 5 22/2/23 Week 8 15/3/23.
- 2. My Best Self Dance Program. This will commence Week 9 22/3/23 Week 5 (T2) 24/5/22

#### Acknowledgement of Sporting Achievements

We like to acknowledge our student's sporting achievements. Please email scott.white30@det.nsw.edu.au or kristie.crawford@det.nsw.edu.au with your child's results, achievements and any good action photos (permission to publish only).

Congratulations to: Oliver Franz (Year 11) who, during the January holidays, travelled to Perth to participate in the preparation, training camp and selection for the National Floorball team. He was officially selected for the Australian U19 Men's team and will be heading to Denmark in April where he will represent Australia at the Floorball World Championship (26-30 April).

## **Manly Campus Dance**

## **Ensembles 2023**

The Manly Campus Dance Ensembles offer dance training and performance opportunities to students

from years 7-12. We have both contemporary and jazz ensembles and cater to students of all experience levels from beginner to advanced.



Open auditions for all students interested in joining

the dance ensembles will be held in Week 2 and 3. Auditions will be held by year group stage, with separate auditions for contemporary and jazz.



#### **Contemporary audition**

Year 10, 11 and 12 - Friday 3 February 7:30am in the Performance Space

#### **Contemporary audition**

Year 7, 8 and 9 - Tuesday 7 February 7:30am in the Performance Space

#### Jazz audition

All years - Wednesday 8 February 7:30am in the Performance Space

To sign up to audition, students need to complete the <u>Google form via this link.</u>

Alternatively, use this QR code to take you to the form.



If you have any questions please contact me by email at <a href="mailto:chloe.woodward4@det.nsw.edu.au">chloe.woodward4@det.nsw.edu.au</a>

I look forward to seeing you at the audition and starting another amazing year of dance.

Ms Woodward

Change to the NBSC Manly Campus Second Hand Uniform Shop days open for 2023 Second Hand

This year the second hand uniform shop will be open on the first Wednesday and the third Thursday of the month, during term

Uniform Shop

time only, from 8:15am - 9am

## Next Open

## Thursday 16 February and Wednesday 1 March

Orders may also be requested online at: manly2ndhanduniforms@gmail.com

The second hand uniform shop is run by parent volunteers and relies on your generous donations. Donations of washed, good quality uniforms are much appreciated and can be left at the school office. 100% of proceeds go to the P&C for projects to benefit students.



#### Band News

Welcome to Band 2023!

We hope everyone has had a relaxing break.

The band committee and directors are looking forward to the musical year ahead, which is shaping up to be an exciting full programme for all ensembles after the disruption COVID has brought the last 3 years. We extend a very warm welcome to everyone, particularly our new families to band.

#### Year 7 Information Night - Band Monday 6 February

There is a different format to the Year 7 information night this year – information about the Band Program will be handed out to all families attending, and there will be someone from the Executive Committee there on the night to answer any questions you may have.

#### **New Band Directors**

As most of you know, 2023 brings three new Band Directors to Manly – Sophie Unsen (Concert Band), Sada Muramatsu (String Ensemble & Chamber Orchestra) and Steve Williams (Symphonic Wind Ensemble). We are very lucky to have such talented musicians leading our Band Program, together with the amazing Craig Driscoll, who continues to conduct our 4 jazz ensembles. Welcome Sophie, Sada and Steve.

#### **Conductor placement meetings**

By now, most students in Year 8 to 11 who want to continue with band will have met with the relevant band director for a short catch-up. All Year 7 students who have expressed an interest in band will be meeting this Sunday 5 February, along with everyone interested in the String stream.

<u>All Year 7 wind and jazz students will be placed in</u> <u>Concert Band</u> and should attend the first rehearsal on **Wednesday 8 February**.

<u>Strings students will be placed in the String Ensemble</u> (ie violins, cellos etc, not guitars) and should attend the first rehearsal on **Friday 10 February**.

Thank you to the band directors for the time and attention they have put into these meetings, and a huge thank you to Sharon Jewell (mum of Ben, Yr 10) for taking on the mammoth role of co-ordinating everything – not an easy task.

#### **Rehearsal Start Dates**

Most of our ensembles will start rehearsals the **week commencing Monday 6 February,** with the exception of Chamber Orchestra, which starts on **Monday 13 February,** and Jazz Combo, Junior Jazz Combo and Covers Band, which are still TBC. All rehearsals run from 7.20am – 8.50am.

**NOTE**: <u>Rehearsals are always on</u>, even on carnival and excursion days unless you have been emailed by your band liaison to say otherwise.

Wind Bands (Hall)			
Concert Band (CB) - junior	Wednesday		
Wind Ensemble (WE) - intermediate	Thursday		
Symphonic Wind Orchestra (SWO) - senior	Friday		
Jazz bands (Band Room)			
Big Band (BB) - intermediate	Tuesday		
Jazz Orchestra (JO) - senior	Wednesday		
Swing Band (SwB) - junior	Thursday		
Stage Band (SB) - intermediate	Friday		
Covers Band (CVB) - TBC	(LUNCH)		
Junior Jazz Combo (JJC) - <b>TBC</b>	(LUNCH)		
Jazz Combo (JC) - <b>TBC</b>	(LUNCH)		
Strings (Performance Space)			
String Ensemble (SE)	Friday		
Chamber Orchestra (CO)	Monday		

#### Invoicing

Band finances are processed through the school accounts. An invoice for Semester 1 fees will be issued by the school in Term 1 when band lists are finalised.

#### **Events**

There will be many different events across the year, starting with the **Dee Why Manly Sun Run fundraiser** on **Saturday 4 February**. Parents & students will be up bright and early tomorrow to volunteer for this event at various drink stations along the course. The band committee wishes to thank all band families for getting behind this valuable fundraising event! A big thank you as well to event coordinator Susie Halverston (mum of Ton, Year 11) for managing everything for us. Keep an eye on this page for more information on dates and times to go into your diary.

Dates for your diary Term One Dee Why – Manly Sun Run fundraiser Saturday 4 February from 5.30am Year 7 Placement Meetings Sunday 5 February



## STUDENT ATTENDANCE REQUIREMENTS

The law specifies that student absences must be explained within 7 days of the occurrence. (Education Reform Act 1990)

If your child will not be attending school for any reason other than school-related activites (eg an excursion, school camp or school representation for sport), you must notify the school immediately.



#### SEND AN EMAIL to:

nbscmanlys-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au Put your child's full name, reason for absence, and date of absence in the email. Mark the subject line as ABSENCE <NAME> <DATE>.



#### SCHOOL APP:

Preferred method for notifying the school of your child's absence.

<u>AWAY FOR ONE DAY</u>: Telephone the Attendance Office on 9905 3982 or send notification via the School App.

<u>ABSENT FOR 2 OR MORE CONSECUTIVE DAYS</u>: Telephone the Attendance Office on 9905 3982 or send notification via the School App. A Doctor's Certificate is required in case of prolonged absence or if the student has missed an exam or an assessment task.

<u>ABSENCE OF LEAVE</u>: If you know in advance that your child will be absent, please inform the school in writing. A completed <u>application form</u> addressed to the Principal must be made at least a month in advance for leave exceeding five school days.

<u>LEAVE PASS FOR A DAY:</u> Your child should submit the application to the Attendance Office, which is located in the Library, before school hours (i.e. before 9.00am). All medical/dental appointments should be made after school hours i.e. after 3.30pm on Monday/Tuesday/Thursday/Friday and after 2.30pm on Wednesday. *Attendance at Sport is compulsory*. All applications for Leave Passes will be approved by the Deputy Principal on Wednesday.

<u>LATE NOTES</u>: Students who arrive late should go to the Attendance Office in the Library. They will be issued with a Late Note for them to take to class. If you have given them a letter of explanation, this will be sufficient. However, if there is no explanation, an SMS will be sent home. You can respond via SMS.

<u>UNEXPLAINED ABSENCE:</u> If your child shows as being not in attendance after the daily rolls have been marked, and there is no prior advice, you will be sent an SMS message to that effect. You can respond via SMS.

Attendance at Wednesday sport, the school Swimming Carnival and Athletics Carnival and on the last day of each school term is expected.

# **STUDENT CODE OF CONDUCT**

Care and a second	1. Be treated with courtesy, fairness and respect	<ul> <li>Be accepting, respectful and courteous to others</li> <li>Follow teacher instructions</li> </ul>
Å	2. Develop individual potential in academic, creative, sporting & leadership areas	<ul> <li>Strive for personal best in every undertaking</li> <li>Enable others to learn</li> <li>Be punctual and prepared for all lessons and activities</li> <li>Complete all set tasks to a high standard</li> </ul>
	3. Have a safe non-threatening learning environment	<ul> <li>Behave honestly, sensibly &amp; safely in all areas of the school, at sport, on excursions &amp; travelling to &amp; from school</li> <li>Create an environment free of teasing, bullying &amp; all other forms of harassment</li> <li>Respect school property &amp; the property of others</li> <li>Respect the personal space &amp; privacy of others</li> </ul>
	4. Have a clean and tidy school	<ul> <li>Keep all areas of the school clean at all times</li> <li>Put all litter in garbage bins or recycling bins</li> <li>Ensure school books, equipment and materials remain undamaged and unmarked</li> </ul>
$\bigcirc$	5. Take pride in being a member of the Manly Campus community	<ul> <li>Act in a manner that reflects well on themselves and the school community</li> <li>Wear the correct school uniform</li> <li>Be active participants in school life to give back to the community</li> </ul>
	6. Celebrate success and enjoy recognition	<ul> <li>Value personal achievements</li> <li>Positively acknowledge the achievements of others</li> </ul>

#### The following behaviour will NOT be tolerated at Manly Campus:

Dangerous or violent behaviour
 Disruption of the work of teachers

Disruption of the work of teachers and students
Possession of dangerous implements or weapons or imitation weapons
Possession or use of illegal drugs, alcohol, vaping equipment or nicotine products
All forms of bullying, harassment and discrimination against students, staff or members of the community

Vandalism
Stealing
Misuse of technology
Offensive or abusive language
Truancy and unexplained absences



The NBSC Manly Campus School App is available through School Enews.



To download, please go to the App store and search for School Enews. Once you have downloaded the app, click on the + and type in NBSC Manly Campus, then select done.

The App is the main source of communication to parents allowing them to be connected with Manly Campus life. We highly recommend all Manly Campus families to download the School Enews - NBSC Manly Campus App.

Some key features of the app are:

- Reminder notifications for important events will be sent out through the app
- You can report a student absence in the Absent Note section
- You can Make a Payment through the app

In addition there are direct links to:

- Canteen information, including the volunteer roster link and *flexischools*.
- Calendar events
- Newsletter
- Information on the school website such as P&C, Band, etc



## School photographs on Friday 17/2/2023



chosen by your school. Format may vary from options shown

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Please note: Traditional, Composite or High-Resolution Virtual Group format is chosen by your school. Sibling photos, if available, can also be ordered online and must be ordered prior to your photo day. A late fee will apply for photos purchased after ordering has closed.

## how to order

#### order online

Online payment options include Visa, Mastercard and PayPal. Alternatively, you can choose to pay over 10 weeks using LatitudePay.



Go to www.advancedlife.com.au on your computer, phone or tablet.



Enter your school code:

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in the 'order and download' box. This will take you to your school's secure online ordering site.



Click on 'Order Photos' and complete your details and procedures. During this process you can place orders for additional children at your school and sibling photos, if available



### cash/envelope ordering

Your school prefers orders to be placed online. However, if you are unable to order online, please complete your order using the order envelope provided.

#### STEP 1

Complete a separate order envelope for each individual child's package/s ordered. If ordering for more than one child, payment should be enclosed in the envelope of the eldest child and this should be indicated on the envelope of the other child/children (the envelope that does not have cash enclosed).



Enclose exact cash payment in one envelope for the package/s you are ordering. Payment for more than one child should be in the eldest child's envelope and marked at the bottom of the envelope in the space provided.



Return your completed envelope/s, with correct cash payment, to our photographers on the day.

Please note: You must enclose exact correct payment, as change is not available. Credit card payments can only be made online and we no longer accept cheques. There is a separate envelope for sibling photo orders, should your school choose to offer sibling photos.

School photographs will be returned approximately 6 weeks after the day of photography. Please note this delivery timeframe is dependant on proofing and additional photography days at your school.

#### **IMPORTANT - "not for publication" students**

If you have instructed your school that your child's image is "not for publication" (sometimes called "do not publish" or "not for media release" instructions), the school will ensure that your child is not presented to our photographers on photo day and school photographs will not be available for purchase. If you wish to change your instruction, then you must notify your school, so they change their records and identify your child as able to be photographed for school photography purposes. All students presented to our photographers by your school on photo day will be photographed, their images will appear in school photography packages with their fellow students and these packages will be available to purchase by all families.





# Is your child in year 7 or year 10?



Provide your consent for routine school vaccinations online.

At the beginning of the school year, your child's school will share the link to complete the online consent form.

## Benefits of providing online consent:

- · easily update your child's details
- get SMS notifications when vaccinations are given
- faster upload of vaccination records to the Australian Immunisation Register (AIR)

## To provide online consent, you will need:

- the link provided by the school
- your Service NSW log-in details
- medicare details for you and your child

## Scan the QR code to give your consent now.



## Year 7 Diphtheriatetanus -pertussis (dTpa) Human

papillomavirus (HPV)

# Year 10

For more information on vaccination visit: health.nsw.gov.au/schoolvaccination

November 2022 @ NSW Health. SHPN (HP NSW) 221060.

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