

# Keeping In Touch

Colyton Public School



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Term 4 Week 5 2019

## Remembrance Day 2019

On Monday 11 November, Ms Craven had the pleasure of taking our student leaders to Victoria Park, St Marys for the 2019 Remembrance Day Service.

Our leaders respectfully represented our school community during this ceremony, laying a wreath honouring our servicemen and women.

"When we arrived we listened to some people speak and there were soldiers there. The memorial was built 97 years ago and still to this day, it is a place to hold Remembrance Day services. All four of us laid a wreath at the bottom of the stairs to pay our respect.

At the end of the memorial the flag was raised and students from Erskine Park High School played the National Anthem.

Some of the things we took from this experience was learning about the area's loss during the war and about the fallen soldiers in 1918.

Thank you Ms Craven and Ms Cooper for letting us have this wonderful experience."

(A reflection from our school leaders)



*Lest we forget*



School Captains and Vice Captains with Ms Cooper



## Regional Athletics Carnival

On Thursday 17th October, the following students attended the Sydney West Regional Athletics Carnival, representing the St Marys zone. All students participated to the best of their ability and represented Colyton Public School with pride.

<b>Tristan 6J</b>	12yr boys 800m 12yr boys 1500m
<b>Ali 6R</b>	13yr boys 100m Senior boys long jump
<b>Young 6A</b>	11yr boys high jump
<b>Jayden 6A</b>	11yr boys discus
<b>Jamaal 5K</b>	11yr boys high jump
<b>Brayden 4/5B</b>	Junior boys 800m Junior boys 1500m
<b>Aiden 3P</b>	Junior boys long jump
<b>Marian 3D</b>	Junior girls discus

Congratulations to all on a fine effort!

A special thank you goes to the families who were able to transport other students to the event.

## Ali T from 6R represents at the State Level

Congratulations goes to **Ali Taqizada** from 6R, who participated at the State Athletics Championships. Ali placed an impressive 11th in New South Wales in the 100m. Congratulations Ali, we are extremely proud of you!

**Sarah King**  
Classroom Teacher Year 5

## Is your child not returning to Colyton Public School in 2020?

It is important for us to have accurate numbers of returning students when assigning classes for the year.

If your child is **NOT** returning to Colyton Public School in 2020 please inform your child's class teacher or the office staff as soon as possible.

Please phone the office on 9625-8185 if you have any questions.

## NSW Dance Sport Ballroom Dance competition

On Tuesday 22nd October 2019 the Senior and Junior Ballroom Dance teams competed at the NSW Dance Sport Championships accompanied by Miss Villa-Real, Mrs Sabellico and Mr Wilkinson.

All the students gave their best effort and represented Colyton Public School with pride. A big Congratulations to Georgia Borg and Marlo Lardizabal for placing 2nd out of 16 schools in the Cha Cha.



**Joyce Villa-Real**  
K-2 EAL/D Teacher

## State Spelling Bee

Last Friday, 8 November I had the privilege of attending the State Spelling Bee with Yash Singla and his family. It was held at the Eugene Goossens Hall ABC, Ultimo.

The Senior Finals were held first, commencing at 9:30am and expected to be completed by 12:30pm. However, the 49 Regional Representatives were such amazing spellers that the competition concluded over an hour overtime! Our announcer was the very entertaining Wendy Harmer and we had a special visit from our Premier, Gladys Berejiklian who had taken time out of her busy schedule visiting our bushfire zones.



Yash completed up to Level 6 when only 18 out of the 49 were left. He was a confident and accurate competitor who represented us with pride. Yash had memorised all the known words from the lists available. A wonderful achievement!

He left very happy with a bag full of goodies, including a medal, certificate, headphones, a novel and of course a Macquarie Dictionary.

Well done Yash we are so proud of your outstanding achievements.



Mrs Rodgers  
OC Classroom Teacher

## Application for Extended Leave –What you need to do

If you intend to take your child on an extended holiday in or out of Australia you will need to make an **'Application for Extended Leave'** (pictured below) **BEFORE** you departure. These forms are available from the front office. Once completed they should be returned to school for Principal Endorsement.

Please note that if your travel is overseas you **MUST** also provide a copy of your flight itinerary with your application form.

APPLICATION FOR EXTENDED LEAVE – TRAVEL					
<p><b>NOTE: PART A</b> is to be completed by the student's parent and returned to their child's school principal. Separate applications are to be completed for each school if siblings do not attend the same school.</p>					
PART A: STUDENT DETAILS					
Please complete table below with details of all students associated with the period of travel.					
FAMILY NAME	GIVEN NAME	DOB	AGE	GRADE	SRN
Student address: _____ Postcode: _____					
School name: _____					
Dates of extended leave applied for: From: ___/___/___ to: ___/___/___					
Number of school days: _____					
Reason for travel: _____					
Relevant travel documentation such as a ticket or itinerary (in the case of non flight bound travel within Australia only) must be attached to this application.					
DETAILS OF PRIOR EXEMPTION/EXTENDED LEAVE – TRAVEL (if applicable)					
Date of prior exemption/extended leave: From: ___/___/___ to: ___/___/___					
Number of school days: _____					
Copy of Certificate of Exemption/Extended Leave-Travel attached (Please tick <input type="checkbox"/> ): Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>					
PARENT DETAILS (Applicant)					
Family name: _____		Given name: _____			
Address: _____				Postcode: _____	
Telephone number: _____		Relationship to student: _____			
As the parent and applicant, I hereby apply for a Certificate of Extended Leave-Travel and understand my child will be granted a period of extended leave upon acceptance by the principal of the reasons provided.					

## Term 4 - 2019

### Week 5

### SWIM SCHOOL ALL WEEK - 9am-11:15am

Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> November

Colyton Cubs Playgroup 9am – 11am  
- Kindergarten Orientation Day 1

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> November

Play and Stay @ Colyton Playgroup 9am-11am

### Week 6

### SWIM SCHOOL ALL WEEK - 9am-11:15am

Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> November

Colyton Cubs Playgroup 9am – 11am  
- Kindergarten Orientation Day 2

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> November

Play and Stay @ Colyton Playgroup 9am-11am

### Week 7

Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> November

Colyton Cubs Playgroup 9am – 11am  
- Kindergarten Orientation Day 3

Friday 29<sup>th</sup> November

Play and Stay @ Colyton Playgroup 9am-11am

### Week 8

Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> December

Recognition Assembly

Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> December

Colyton Cubs Playgroup 9am – 11am  
- Kindergarten Orientation Day 4

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December

Play and Stay @ Colyton Playgroup 9am-11am

### Week 9

Monday 9<sup>th</sup> December

Year 6 Farewell

Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> December

Presentation Night from 6:30pm

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> December

K-5 Celebration Concert  
- Year 6 LUNA PARK  
- Class Party Day

### Week 10

Monday 16<sup>th</sup> December

Year 6 Graduation Ceremony

Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December

**Last day of Term 4 for students**

Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> December

Staff Development Day – **NO STUDENTS**

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December

Staff Development Day – **NO STUDENTS**



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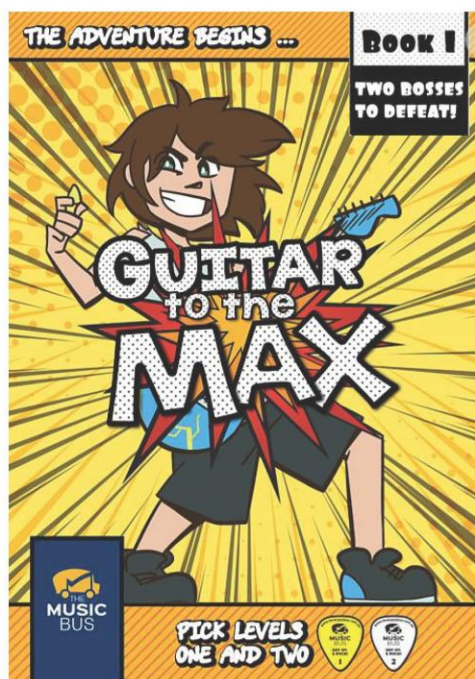
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# From the Music Bus...

## New Guitar Books!

Introducing **Guitar to the Max** 1 and 2, the first two books in our brand new series of guitar books!

**Guitar to the Max** follows our Music Bus guitarist Max (with a cool new look) while he battles aliens from space who have invaded earth and can only be defeated by the power of music!



As he and the students progress through their skills, they earn levelled picks and defeat the evil space aliens. The storyline and activities are presented in an engaging videogame style and the expertly illustrated books will be printed in stunning colour. Every page is full of brand new riffs, songs and skills to learn all with awesome backing tracks that kids will love playing along with.

There will be a transition period where students who are currently on the Rock'n Guitar Books are welcome to continue working on this book or to purchase one of the new books, but we will not be stocking the Rock'n Guitar Books any longer.

**If your child currently learns guitar on The Music Bus, please phone our office on 1300 168 742 and speak to one of our friendly office staff to purchase your book and your child will have their book in their next lesson.**

phone **1300 168 742**

Limited space available.

[www.themusicbus.com.au](http://www.themusicbus.com.au)

\*Offer available until end of term. To new students only. 1 free trial per student.

**BOOK  
Your child's  
Free Trial  
Lesson  
NOW!**





# St Marys Soccer Club 2020 Registrations



for Boys, Girls, Men, Women,  
and over 35's

**Coaches & Managers are also required**

**Potter Field, Cnr Shepherd Rd, & Orchard St, St Marys**

Saturday 1 <sup>st</sup> February	9am – 12pm	Sunday 2 <sup>nd</sup> February	1pm – 4pm
Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> February	6pm – 8pm	Saturday 8 <sup>th</sup> February	9 am – 12pm
Sunday 9 <sup>th</sup> February	1pm – 4pm	Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> February	6pm – 8pm
Saturday 15 <sup>th</sup> February	9am – 12pm	Sunday 16 <sup>th</sup> February	1pm – 4pm

Check our website regularly for updates.

Registration Bonus:

**UNDER 5, 6 & 7 PLAYERS FREE REGISTRATION  
WITH ACTIVE KIDS VOUCHER**

**ALL JUNIOR PLAYERS RECEIVE A FREE SOCCER BALL**

**ALL PLAYERS RECEIVE FREE SHORTS AND SOCKS**

Girls & Women ONLY Teams in selected age groups

New players need Proof of Age

Children as young as those turning 5 in 2020 catered for

\$100 Active Kids Rebate available to eligible students



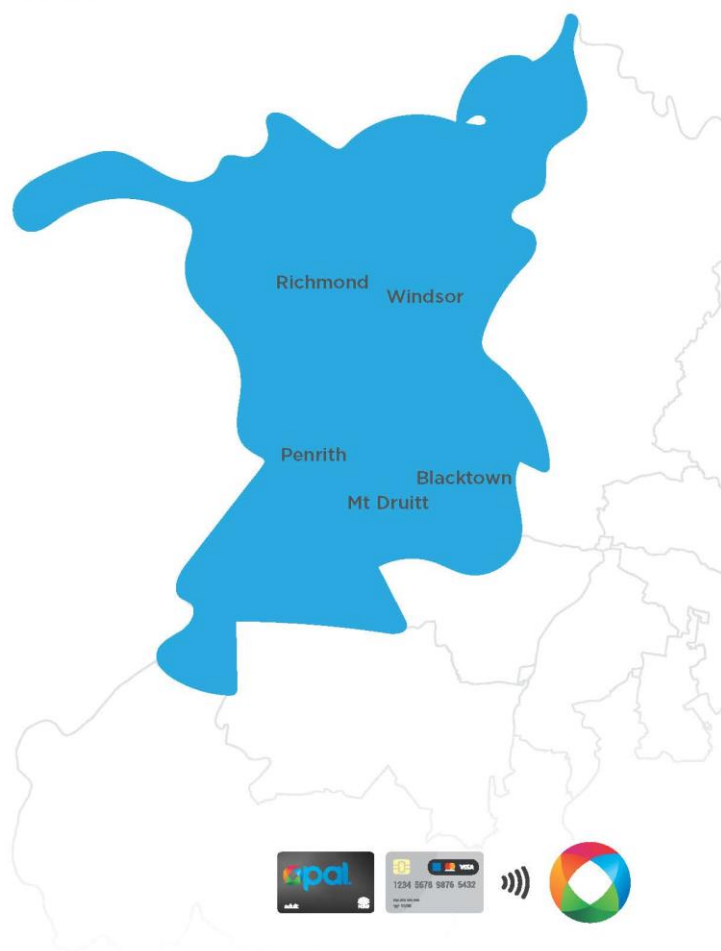
Enquiries: Maria 0466 657 069 registrar@stmaryssoccer.com.au  
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Website: <https://www.stmaryssoccer.com.au>

# Buses are going cashless

**From 28 October**, buses in Western Sydney will stop selling tickets.

## These bus routes are now cashless

668	718	739V	756	783
669	721	741	757	784
671	722	742	758	785
672	723	743	759	786
673	724	744	761	789
674	726	745	770	791
675C	728	746	771	793
675A	729	747	774	794
676	730	750	775	795
677	731	751	776	797
678	732	752	779	799
679	734	753	780	
680	735	754	781	
682	738	755	782	



Get an Opal card or use your credit card, debit card or linked device to tap on and tap off.

Find out more at [transportnsw.info](https://transportnsw.info)

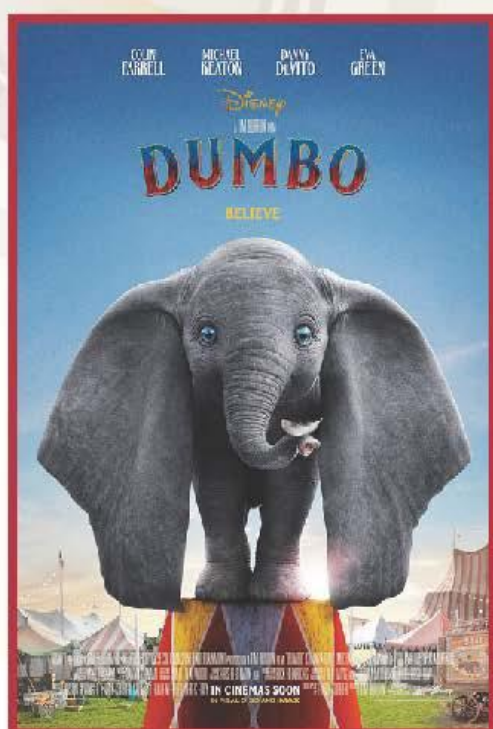


# Cinema

IN THE

# Park

SATURDAY 30  
NOVEMBER



**PENRITH**  
CITY COUNCIL



**TIME:** 6pm until late,  
movie commences at dusk.

**WHERE:** Regatta Park,  
River Road, Emu Plains

**FEATURE FILM:** 'Dumbo'

Kids activities & food for sale.

For more information phone 1300 736 836.

[penrith.city/events](http://penrith.city/events)



