

Principal's Update

Friday 4 April

Dear all

With only a few days to go till the end of term, I am hoping that you are remaining well. This may be the last Update for the term and I wanted to take the opportunity to thank you for your support and understanding, in what has been another very challenging term.

The good news is that the school has continued to operate throughout the term except for that one day due to storm damage. The last week of term has started well with two beautiful and sunny days.

Furthermore, we are finishing with a bang in that on Monday night we had the Year 12 Leadership Council Induction at the Mosman Art Gallery. As you know we have a Leadership Council where the student committee members parallel the parent committees. The Mayor of Mosman Carolyn Corrigan was our guest speaker and it was wonderful night.

Tomorrow night at the Return Servicemen's Club we will hold Akoosticum in the auditorium. This will be our first Akoosticum since COVID and I know our music ensembles and groups will be keen to show their musical talent. Attached to this email is the flyer for Akoosticum and you can use the QR code to purchase tickets.

On Friday we will hold an ANZAC day ceremony in the morning. Thank you to Year 10 history and Ms Smith for coordinating the ceremony and the Year 10 students will be in attendance. Of course one of our music ensembles will be performing at the Dawn Service at Georges Heights.

Friday 8 April is the last day of term 1 and school recommences for students on Wednesday 27 April. Week 1 will be an A week and the term is ten weeks long.

Term 3 is traditionally the end of Semester 2 and there is a lot of assessment and reporting in this term:

- Years 7 and 9 have NAPLAN in weeks 3 and 4
- Year 10 have Half Yearly formal exams and StuVac for the first time
- Year 12 will complete their trial HSC in weeks 8 - 10

There will also be two camps:

- Year 7 camp - week 2 (4-6 May)
- Year 11 camp - week 4 (18 - 20 May)

Finally there will be a number of subject information evenings and parent teacher nights so I think we will all be kept entertained and busy.

Have a lovely holiday and I look forward to seeing you at one of the many events in term 2.

Susan