



**Kindergarten
enjoyed their
visit to
Sculptures By
The Sea.**

**We were lucky
to meet one of
the artists.**



UNIFORM SHOP: VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

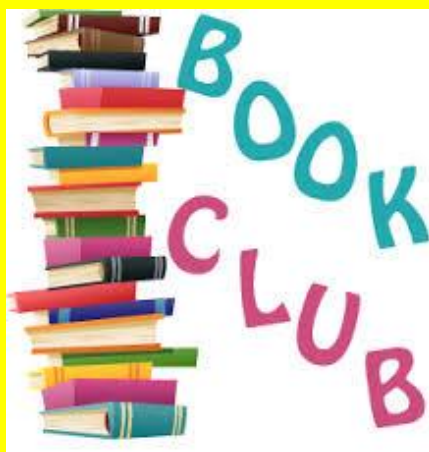
Can you spare an hour a fortnight? Or even once or twice a term?

The uniform shop is currently **CLOSED** as we have no volunteers to run the store and handle donations.

Please email the P&C (brontepandc@gmail.com) to let them know if you can help out.

WE NEED A VOLUNTEER FOR BOOK CLUB

Anyone interested in sorting and handing out Book Club twice a term, please see Mrs Verdun in the school Library.



In 1Purple Math Rotations are our favourite time
of the day!

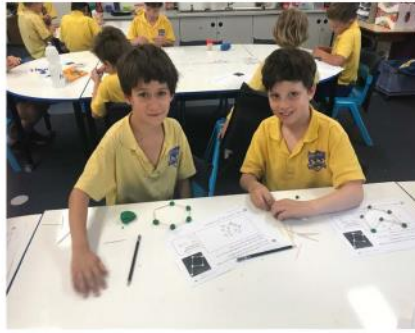
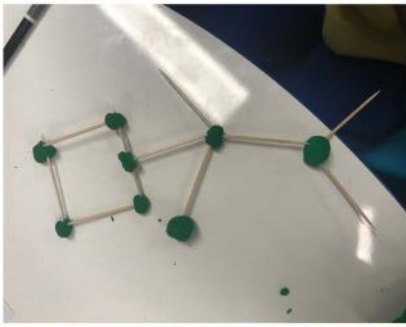


We enjoy working on our maths tasks.



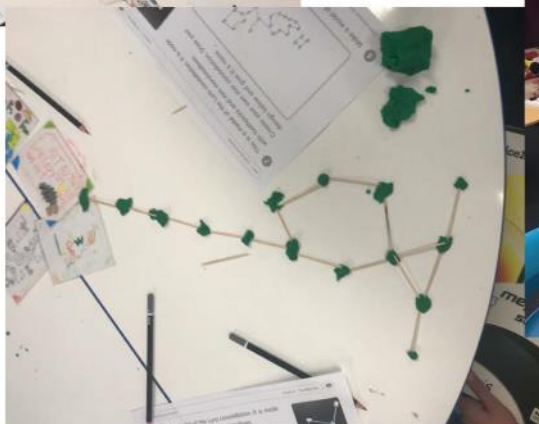
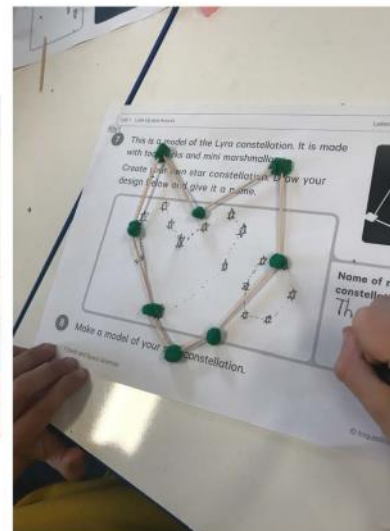
We work independently and build up our stamina!





2P are studying
the stars and
the night sky in

science. We have
designed our own
constellations!
Have a look!





Working with friends is fun!



We meeting with Mrs P at the teacher table and finishing off with a game of guess my number.

LIBRARY HIGHLIGHTS 2019

We have had another great year in the library, using this wonderful shared space for many different school events and of course, lots of learning and creativity. Students in K-6 take part in library lessons each week with enthusiasm. Over the year they have demonstrated growth in their knowledge and understanding of all aspects of information literacy. In particular, their awareness of what it means to be a global digital citizen has increased and their ability to use technology effectively to meet curriculum outcomes. At the heart of our library program is literature and this year we have enjoyed many events to promote a love of reading across the school, including National Simultaneous Storytime and the Premier's Reading Challenge. Book Week was another huge hit and taking students to see a live performance of Room on the Broom was a big highlight for me. Looking forward to another successful year in the library.

Thank you to all staff, students, parents and the wider school community for all your support in 2019.



BOOK FAIR WEEK 6



In Week 6 (Tuesday 19 November-Thursday 21st November), Bronte School Library is having a Book Fair. The Book Fair times are listed below and your child will bring home a sheet showing some of the books available at the fair. There is absolutely no obligation to buy books at the fair. Parents may find, however, that it is an opportune time to look for some early Christmas presents! Please note that this year there is a **PARENTS ONLY** time listed on Thursday. Parents are welcome to come with the K-2 children to help them select. Payment is by cash or credit card. Children will be able to look at the books in the fair during library times on Monday prior to the commencement of the fair. Our school library receives a percentage of all sales in either books or cash.

Thank you for your support,
Mary Verdun. Teacher/Librarian

BOOK FAIR TIMES

Tuesday 19th November	Wednesday 20th November	Thursday 21st November
8.30-9.00 Kindergarten and Year 1 ONLY	8.30-9.00 Years 2-3 ONLY	8.30-9.00 ALL WELCOME 9.00-9.30 Parents only
11.35-12.00 Years 4-6	11.35-12.00 Years 4-6	11.35-12.00 Years 4-6
3.00-3.30 ALL WELCOME	3.00-3.30 ALL WELCOME	3.00-3.30 ALL WELCOME

CONCERT Week has started

Tonight K-2 Concert Starts at 6pm in the hall

Tomorrow Thursday the 7th 3-6 Concert

2-3pm and 6-7pm

See you there!



Personal Care Item Collection

Reverend Graham Anson from the Wayside Chapel works with homeless people in our community. Up to 200 people in the eastern suburbs are homeless each night.

How can we help?

We are going to collect personal care items to donate to the Wayside Chapel Homeless Shelter.



We are collecting personal care items including:

Shampoo
Conditioner
Soap
Combs
Deodorant
Razors
Toothbrush
Toothpaste
Sunscreen
Band-aids
Towels
Face washes
Underwear
Socks
Beanies

Or any other item you can imagine would be useful to someone living on the street.



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Fun at the Kinder Orientation







Principal's Message

Hi Everyone,

We are all excited about the concert this week, especially the students. Thanks to the teachers for supporting our students to be stars on the stage and parents for helping with costumes. A great team effort!

This week I sent a letter to the students about looking after their belongings including the student bathrooms. The letter was discussed in every classroom and will be discussed at the next SRC meeting.

Dear Students,

This year your family raised money to fix up the school toilets. The toilets will look amazing after the renovation in the Christmas holidays. Please, continue, as always, to show you care by looking after our toilet spaces. Please don't place inappropriate things in toilets.

One of our school rules **Respect Property** means caring for the school environment and caring for everyone's belongings. For instance, if you find someone's hat, try and return it to the owner or the teacher whose class that student belongs. Finally, let's keep working together to look after our school and our things.

Part of the Bronte School vision states; Students are responsible global and local citizens who are environmentally-conscious and socially-confident, can critically analyse, can recognise how they can contribute positively to society, and can relate to and communicate across cultures.

This is a good opportunity to discuss looking after places and belongings with your child at home.

Thank you to Year 6 families for the present to the school. The money raised has purchased a new bubbler that will be positioned close to the Stage 3 building. (Canteen area)
Thanks to Jamie Hamilton for connecting the bubbler.

The Parent Survey is now open. Click on the link to provide us with feedback.

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/QNVVMDP>

See you at the concert!

Catherine Ryan



Nov	
Wed 6	K-2 Concert (2-3pm & 6-7pm)
Thu 7	3-6 Concert (2-3pm & 6-7pm)
Fri 8	Yr 6 Leaders Cenotaph 12.30-2.15pm
Mon 11	Band tryouts Yr 2/3
Mon 11 - Fri 15	Yr 2 Swim School Week 1
Tues 12	Kokoda Walk Yr 6
Wed 13	Transition Day 9.15am Night of Notables
Mon 18 Mon 18-22	Book Fair Yr 2 Swim School Week 2
Wed 20	Band Assembly (ICAS Awards) 9am
Fri 22	Bronte Sleep Out
Mon 25	P&C Meeting 7pm
Tue 26	Animal Dress Up Day -SRC
Wed 27th	Assembly 9:00 am Year 5 leadership speeches for positions in 2020
Fri 29	Assembly 40 2pm
Dec	
Tue 3	End of Year Band Night 6-7pm Last Scripture lesson
Wed 4	Yr 3&4 Young Engineers 9am Yr 5/6 Field trip to Apple 12 noon
Fri 6	PSSA Sport Concludes Yr 1&2 Observatory excursion 9am
Mon 9	Yr 3&4 Young Engineers
Wed 11	Presentation Assembly Yr3-6 9.15am
Thu 12	5B Field trip to Apple 12 noon
Fri 13	Sports Assembly 9am Parent Thank You breakfast 8.30am
Mon 16	Year 6 Farewell K-2 Presentation and Picnic Day 6M Field trip to Apple 9am
Tue 17	Luna Park Yr 5&6 Manhattan Bowl Yr 3&4
Wed 18	Last Day for Students

Bouncing Back

Adaptable people at Bronte PS:

Have the capacity to bounce back after experiencing hard times.

Remember that when times are tough:

Bad feelings will always go away again.

Other people can help you feel better if you talk to them.

Unhelpful thinking makes you feel more upset.

Nobody is perfect. Mistakes help you learn.

Concentrate on the good things and have a laugh.

Everybody feels sad and worried sometimes, not just you.

We can Bounce Back from bad times to feel positive again.



Resilience:
The Art of
Bouncing Back



The 2019 Parent Survey is open

Please follow the link:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/QNVVMDP>

Please take some time to complete the survey. The information will be used to improve our delivery.



2020 NSW PUBLIC SCHOOLS WEEKLY DANCE ENSEMBLES PROGRAM ENDORSEMENT OF STUDENT APPLICATION

Student Details

Student Name: _____	Mobile: _____
2020 School: _____	2020 School Year: _____
2019 School: _____	2019 School Year: _____
*Student Email: _____	
Were you a member of the 2019 NSW Public Schools Dance Ensembles program? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
If you answered YES , students attend the "Callback Audition" ONLY on Friday 6 December 2019 .	

Program Details

The **2020 Weekly Dance Ensembles auditions** are held at AMPA Dance Studios, Alexandria and is for students in Years 4-12 in 2020. Students must consult with their school concerning the policy in obtaining the Principal's approval. It is the student's responsibility to ensure that this "Endorsement Form" is received by The Arts Unit by the due date. Late applications will not be considered. More information <https://www.artsunit.nsw.edu.au/dance/weekly-ensembles>
The Arts Unit encourages students participating in its programs to support equivalent arts programs in their own school.

Parent/Guardian Permission

I give permission for my child to attend the 2020 Weekly Dance Ensembles Auditions .	
Parent/Guardian Name: _____	Mobile: _____
*Parent/Guardian Email: _____	
Parent/Guardian Signature: _____	Date: ____/____/2019

Teacher/Principal Permission

I endorse the above named student's application for the 2020 Weekly Dance Ensembles Auditions .	
If you are changing schools in 2020, please have your CURRENT principal sign this form.	
Nominating Teacher's Name: _____	
Teacher's Email: _____	
Principal Name: _____	
Principal Signature: _____	Date: ____/____/2019

*** Emails are our main source of communication, please check your email is correct**

All students must email us a head shot (school or passport size photo)

Please Return To: Suzie Rix – Dance Performance Officer, The Arts Unit

Fax No: 9569 6878

Email: dance.artsunit@det.nsw.edu.au

DUE Wednesday 27 November 2019

APPLY NOW FOR THE 2020
NSW PUBLIC SCHOOLS WEEKLY
DANCE ENSEMBLES

APPLICATIONS CLOSE 27 NOVEMBER 2019



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ENSEMBLES 2020**

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EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES 2019

VISUAL ART CLASS

Wednesday and Thursdays 3 - 4.30pm in classroom 3C
Contact Karen: 0408 716 841 or email irko.karen@gmail.com

PAINTING WITH MEL

For students who have an interest in learning to paint
Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursdays in class 5-6F 3.00 - 4:30pm
Contact Melanie: 0425174422.

VIP MUSIC

Learn Music on Keyboard.
Music theory, ensemble practice 45min lesson, small group, music material included. Tuesday morning 8.10 - 8.55am
In Admin building – end classroom (old 2W room).
Contact: 9411 3122 www.learnmusicatschool.com.au

SCHOOL BAND Junior and Senior – PRIVATE MUSIC LESSONS

Children in Years 2 to Year 6 have the opportunity to join the Bronte School Band program, run by The Music Partnership alexberri@musicpartnership.com.au
Contact: Alex Bieri 0404 494 487

TECHNOTASTIC – Computing Program

If you love computer games, solving problems and creating new things?
Tuesdays 6M 3.10 – 4.30pm
Contact: William Sayer 0403 996 636 wdsayer1@gmail.com

KICKEROOS:

Friday morning 7.30-8.30am. Top grass area Contact Melanie: 0416 628 531
Email: melanie@kickeroos.com.au

EASTS BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Tuesday mornings 7.45 – 8.30 Bottom Grass Courts
Contact: James 8283 5161 Register: WWW.EASTSBL.COM.AU
Search Bronte School

AFL – Auskick

Tuesday afternoons 3.15pm – 4.15pm
Contact Adam Clough 0423 373 043 Josh.Rozairo@afl.com.au

Please note - all classes run for an 8 week Term starting in week 2*

BRONTE SLEEP OUT FOR WAYSIDE CHAPEL

Bronte Public School
6.30pm Friday 22nd November
until 7.00am on Saturday 23rd November

<https://wayside.everydayhero.com/au/sleep-out-2019>

Register through the above link and then complete the form to be returned to school.

Adults and children \$15p.p.
includes BBQ breakfast

The registration form will be in newsletter or available from class teachers
Please complete registration form and return to office by Friday 8th November



PROUDLY BROUGHT TO YOU BY



ALL STUDENTS MUST BE UNDER SUPERVISION OF PARENT OR NOMINATED ADULT DURING THE ENTIRE NIGHT/SUBSEQUENT MORNING



Bronte Sleep Out for Wayside Chapel

Dear Parents and Carers,

As part of our increasing awareness of local social justice issues we are organising a Sleep Out on the bottom grass at school to support the Wayside Chapel and the important work it does to help the homeless. We are offering you the opportunity to experience a little of what it would be like to be homeless **from 6:30pm on Friday 22nd November until 7:00am on Saturday 23rd November 2019.**

From 6:30pm on Friday 22nd November 2019 registered students and their families will be assigned a space on the bottom grass and supplied with huge cardboard boxes with which to construct a shelter for the night. In the event of rain we will move to the hall. Please bring any warm clothes, blankets, pillows etc you feel you might need for the night. Please leave pets at home. There will be organised activity for part of the evening.

Please ensure you have eaten dinner before you arrive and bring any drinks and/ or snacks you may need throughout the night as no food will be provided by the school during the evening. A simple BBQ breakfast will be provided at approximately 8:00am the following morning. This is included in the cost.

The cost for each family member attending (adults and children) is **\$15.00**. All money goes to the Wayside chapel. You may also donate more money and/ or personal care items to the office if you would like.

All students must be under the supervision of their parent, or a nominated adult, during the entire night and subsequent morning. A few teachers will be attending, but they will not be responsible for supervision. It is requested that children and their families remain in the specified area without wandering off around the school. All attending will be required to assist in the pack up and cleaning up of the grounds on the Saturday morning before we leave at 7:00am.

Please return this registration note to the front office by Friday 8th November as there may be a limit on numbers.

Kind regards,
Social Justice Committee

Bronte Sleep Out for Wayside Chapel

I hereby give permission for the following members of my family to attend the Bronte Sleep Out **from 6:30pm Friday 22nd November until 7:00am on Saturday 23rd November 2019.**

1. _____ adult / student (Year _____)
2. _____ adult / student (Year _____)
3. _____ adult / student (Year _____)
4. _____ adult / student (Year _____)
5. _____ adult / student (Year _____)

I understand that my son/ daughter will be under my supervision, or the supervision of my nominated adult, throughout the entire event. I understand the cost will be **\$15.00 per person.**

Name _____ Date _____

Email _____ Mobile _____

email: bronte-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

website: www.brontepublicschool.com

TAKE NOTE

Late/Early Arrivals – When your child is late to school or planning on leaving early, all parents must sign in or out their children at the office. You will take your slip to the class teacher who will make note in their roll.

Sick or Absent – Please use the Skoolbag app to advise if your child will be sick or absent. This notification will be sent electronically to your child's teacher.

Leave: Parents must fill in an Application form for Extended Leave / Travel if planning on taking more than **10 days leave**. A certificate for your travel will be signed by the Principal, given to your child to take home. These forms are available from the office.

COMMUNICATION—SKOOLBAG APP

Do you have the SkoolBag app?

For up-to-the-minute notifications, please ensure you have the app on your device.

The SkoolBag app is our main form of communication to parents.

You can set your device to receive 'Push Notifications' for the Newsletter and Permission notes. You can pay your school fees using the app and complete the Absentee and Change of Address notification.

1. How to Install SkoolBag app
2. Get your favourite mobile device
3. Open the App Store/Play Store
4. Search for "SkoolBag"
5. Download the free app
5. Open the app and add your school (s)



IMPORTANT

SCHOOL INSTRUMENTS

It is the responsibility of students to take their instruments home every day.

These items are not covered by school insurance.

**NOW
ENROLLING**

Bronte Public School

Kindergarten Transition Information

Wednesday September 4 2019
Wednesday October 23 2019
Wednesday November 13 2019

Time: 9.15am - 10.30am
Enquiries Welcome

The pathway to learning starts with the first steps in Kindergarten



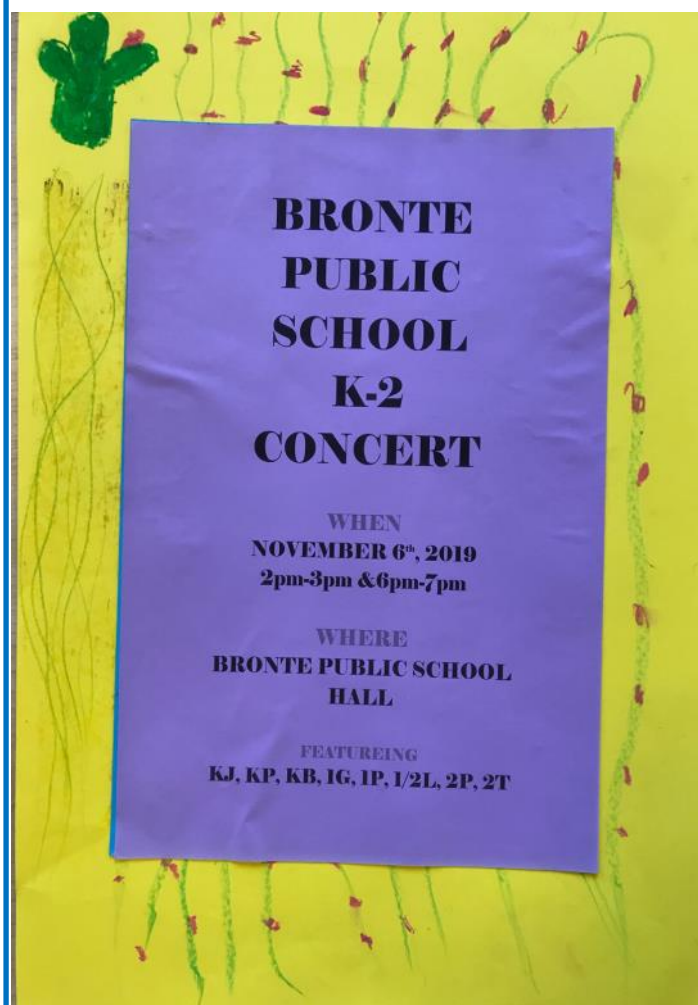
Hewlett Street Bronte NSW 2024

P: 02 9389 4527

E: bronte-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

W: bronte-p.schools.nsw.gov.au

A date for your diary... Do not miss the Bronte Public Concert!



MOBILE PHONES

Bronte Public School allows children to have mobile phones with them for before and after school use but the following rules are applied during all school hours (including before school and after school)

- No phones are to be used in the playground or classrooms without the permission of the class teacher or school executive.
- No photos or videos can be taken or recorded on a device during school hours.
- Where a parent needs to contact their child for messages, they should do so by talking to their teacher.
- New technology brings amazing opportunities for us all. Parents and educators must ensure that such opportunities bring positive learning experiences. Supervision and education are the keys to success.

**PLEASE
NOTE:**



LOST PROPERTY needs to be
checked by parents regularly.
Located in B Block



Education

High Performing Students Team

Applying for Year 7 entry to selective high schools in 2021

Thinking of applying for
a government selective
high school for Year 7
in 2021?

You must apply online at:

education.nsw.gov.au/public-schools/selective-high-schools-and-opportunity-classes/year-7



Key Dates

Application website opens:
8 October 2019

Application website closes:
10 pm, 11 November 2019
You must apply before this deadline.

Test authority advice sent to all applicants:
27 February 2020

Selective High School placement test:
12 March 2020

Placement outcome information sent
overnight on:
4 July 2020

Please read this booklet carefully before applying.

Parents should check the website at education.nsw.gov.au/shs-oc regularly throughout the application and placement process.

Please check the website for information before you contact the Team.

The Selective High Schools placement process for Year 7 entry is administered by the High Performing Students Team*.

Contact Details:

High Performing Students Team, NSW Department of Education
Email: ssu@det.nsw.edu.au
Telephone: 1300 880 367
Fax: 02 9266 8435
Postal Address: Locked Bag 53, DARLINGHURST NSW 1300
Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/772251106301086/>

Please Note:

* In this document, the High Performing Students Team is referred to as the Team.

'Parent' is defined under the Education Act, 1990, as a 'guardian or other person having custody or care of a child'

A few words from the canteen...



YOUR CANTEEN IS GREAT!

New healthy canteen guidelines have come into effect for all public schools across NSW. Our canteen menu received a score of **90%**, the highest in the state on the percentage of 'everyday foods' Vs. 'occasional foods'.

NEW SNACK ITEMS

There are plenty of new foods to try at the canteen this term



- ◆ Laughing Cow Cheese for a perfect little snack of calcium & protein
- ◆ Roasted Fava Beans are flavoured with garlic powder and make for a delicious healthy snack
- ◆ Mini Bites are a good little tummy filler, made from rice
- ◆ Just Juice is made just from fruit and are a perfect smaller size for the younger student

NEW HOT FOOD ITEMS

- ◆ Raisin Toast made with wholemeal flour for extra fibre
- ◆ Baked Beans on Toast & Spaghetti on Toast are a family classic & can be topped with cheese
- ◆ Baked Beans are also a new topping for Hot Potatoes

Please Donate Used Postage Stamps

We want to help children with cerebral palsy to walk!

The Australian Chapter of Lions International Stamp Club (LISC) is working to raise money to purchase mobility aids for children with cerebral palsy, helping them to stand and walk to the best of their ability. They do this by auctioning off stamps.

What can you do?

Cut out used stamps as shown in the photo below and place them in the box outside Ms Ryan's office.

From the SRC





Register Now!

Bronte PS (After School) Auskick Centre
Each Tuesday starting 19th November – 10th December from 3:15pm - 4:15pm



Each child will receive: Auskick Bluetooth Speaker, Footy Cards, Footy Pump AND an AFL Auskick Football! Your child will enjoy a safe, fun, action-packed 4 week program of games and skill development, ideal for boys and girls aged 4-12 for only \$51!

Register Now!
To register visit www.play.afl and enter your postcode then click on "Bronte PS (After School) Auskick Centre".

To receive FREE Tickets to Sydney Swans home games be sure to select yes to Red Rookie!

For more information contact: Adam Clough on 0423 373 043 Email: Josh.Rozairo@afl.com.au



Visit play.afl/auskick



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7.30am-8.30am Friday

Years K – 6 (must book to secure spot)

DATE

Term 2 (8wks)
25 Oct - 13 Dec

TIMES

7.30am Friday

Venue

Bronte Public School

Book Online Now

www.kickeroos.com.au or call 0416 628 531

BRONTE PUBLIC SCHOOL BASKETBALL SESSIONS

TUESDAYS @ BRONTE P.S.
BASKETBALL COURT
TIME: 7.45AM UNTIL 8.30AM
COST: \$88 (8 WEEKS @ \$11)
REGISTER AT: WWW.EASTSBL.COM.AU
SEARCH: BRONTE SCHOOL

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TO PLAY BASKETBALL IN BONDI



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*POTTERY *OPEN MIC *BONDI DANCE CO *ART PROJECTIONS
*PERFORMANCES *FOOD *DRINKS AND MUCH MORE ON THE LAWN

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