



"Your Local School... Our local Community"

BLACK & WHITE NEWS

Thursday 6 June, 2019

Term 2 Week 6

FROM THE PRINCIPAL



Dear Parents,

Welcome to Week 6 of Term 2

Kindergarten Open Day

Thank you to all the families who attended our Open Day for 2020 kindergarten students. We had an excellent response and it is great to see that our kindergarten enrolments are up compared to the same time last year. If you have not yet enrolled your child for 2020, please contact the office for more information. The sooner that we have a true indication of the number of students attending, the sooner that we will be able to begin on our organisational structures for next year.

Congratulations Jono - State Champion

Congratulations to Jono and the Sydney North PSSA soccer squad who were recently crowned as undefeated state champions at the NSW PSSA Championships at Proctor Park, Bathurst. This is a wonderful achievement by Jono and the team. It is something that they should all be extremely proud of.

Jono and the Sydney North PSSA squad



Change of Information

It is important that the school has up to date information in regards to phone numbers and address. If you have

changed the details of any of these, please contact the office and advise the office staff of the change. This will allow us to have all current information should we require in case of an emergency.

School Uniform

It is very important that all students wear the correct school uniform on a daily basis. Unfortunately some of the students have begun wearing different coloured tops, baseball caps of their favourite team and a variety of other non-uniform items. There are also a number of students wearing their zone and regional PSSA apparel on a daily basis. Could I ask that parents encourage all students to wear the appropriate school uniform at all times. This would be greatly appreciated.

*Non school PSSA apparel may be worn on Friday.

** Exceptions will be made for additional jackets worn during the extreme weather days.

Thank you John Alexander - new flags

Thank you to John Alexander, the Federal Member for Bennelong for providing our school with 3 new flags to replace our tattered and torn old flags. We appreciate your assistance. The new flags are currently flying proudly on the flag poles, overlooking the COLA area. (Mr John Alexander with 2 of the new flags and our captains and prefects)



Too sick to go to school?

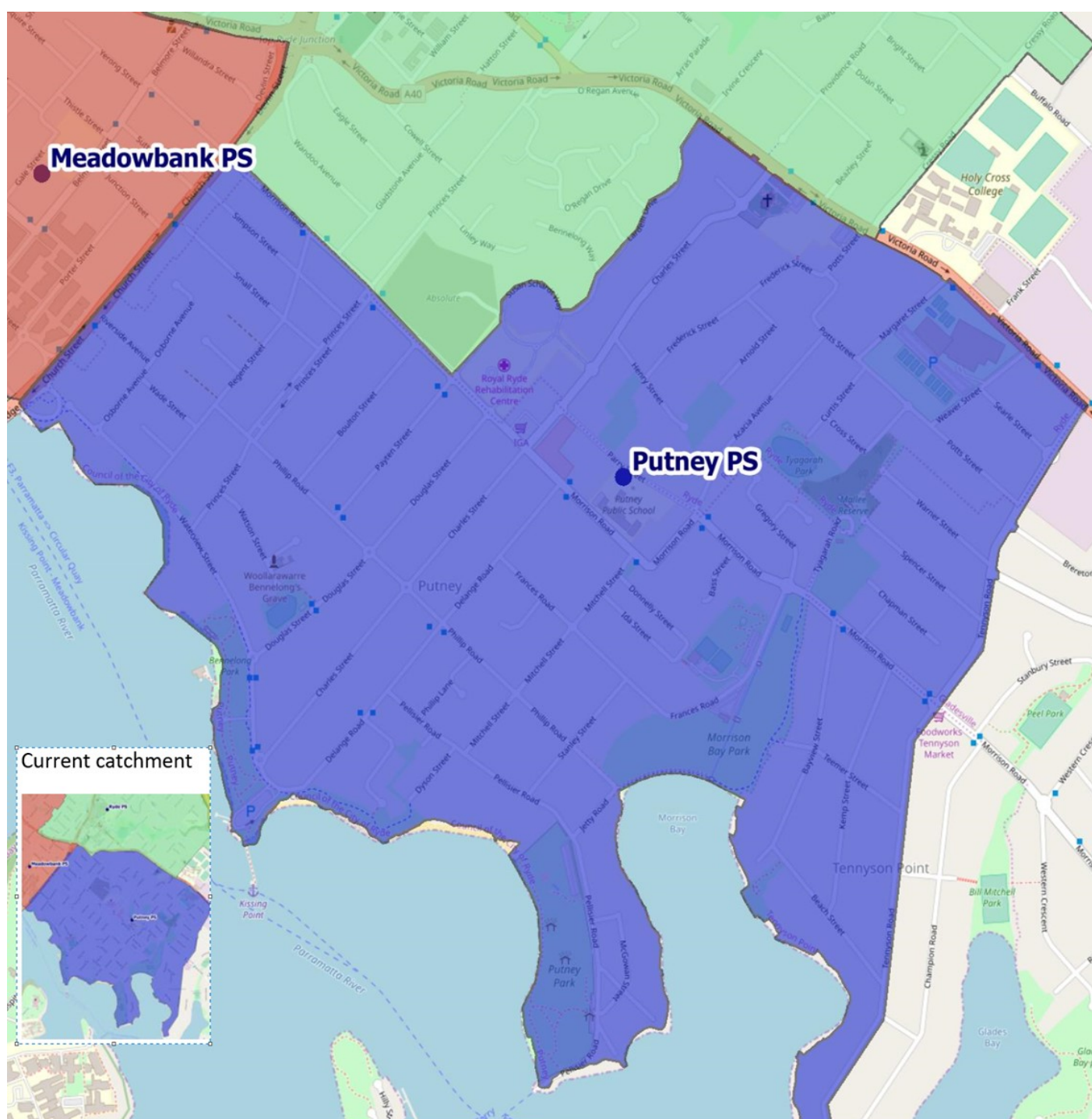
We currently have an increase in the number of students and teachers off school with influenza. We also have a number of students with low immune systems. It is important that we do all that we can to stop the spread. When deciding whether your sick child should attend school or not, please consult: <https://education.nsw.gov.au/public-schools/practical-help-for-parents-and-carers/family-wellbeing/health/too-sick-to-go-to-school>

The information in the link is supplied NSW Health via the Department of Education.

New Enrolment Boundaries

As mentioned in the last newsletter, the establishment of a new school in Smalls Road has impacted the enrolment boundaries for the surrounding schools, including Putney Public School.

Below is the new boundary for Putney Public School



COMING UP SOON @ PUTNEY PS

2019

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| Monday 10 June | Queen's Birthday Holiday |
| Thursday 21 June | Sydney North Cross Country Carnival - Gosford |
| Wednesday 3 July | Athletics Carnival - St Lukes Oval, Concord |
| Wednesday 3 July | PPS Film Festival - 5pm |
| Friday 5 July | Last Day Term 2 |
| Monday 22 July | Staff Development Day |
| Tuesday 23 July | Student Return for Term 3 |
| Tuesday 23 July - Friday 2 August | Life Education Van on Site |
| Monday 5 August - Friday 9 August | Education Week |
| Mon/Tue 5-6 August | Year 5 Camp |
| Wednesday 7 August | NAIDOC Performance |

**World's Greatest Shave Update**

Last term, students and teachers supported Henna's fundraising for the Leukaemia Foundation by taking part in a lolly guessing competition.

Lots of guesses were made in exchange for coins and \$83.20 was raised.

When combined with the fundraising Henna raised outside of school from friends and family, a total of \$326.86 was raised.

As promised, Henna cut her long locks for a shorter bob. Well done Henna in your amazing fundraising efforts and thank you everyone for supporting such a worthy cause.

Communication Survey

As part of our school plan, we are currently reviewing our communication processes and would love to hear your feedback. Please take a few minutes to complete the following short survey. Your answers will be anonymous and provide us with some valuable insights. The information collected will be used to enhance our communication with the school community.

The survey can be accessed via the following link or QR code:

<https://tinyurl.com/ppscomsurvey2019>

The survey will be available online until Friday 21st June 2019.

J. St Flour, K Donnelly, C. Foo & N. Shearer



COVER YOUR COUGH AND SNEEZE



Stop the spread of germs that make people sick



When you cough or sneeze
cover your nose and mouth
with a tissue



or

Cough or sneeze into your
elbow, not your hands.



Throw away your tissue!

Clean your hands after
coughing or sneezing.

Thanks!



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