

Term 1 Week 10

5 April 2019

## Deputy Principal Matters by Nathan Lawler



### School Spirit Week

Our Student Representative Council have organised a number of activities in celebration of Spirit Week. Their aim was to create opportunities for students to come together, laugh and have fun.

The celebrations actually started last Thursday where the SRC held an assembly for students in years 7-10. On display were a range of talents from our students and a short film clip, which highlighted some of the secret talents of our staff. Throughout this week students enjoyed cake stalls, lunchtime games and a movie night. Many thanks to the SRC and Mrs McGurgan for driving this very worthwhile celebration.



### North Shore High School's Music Spectacular

Last Saturday, we had around 100 students performing as part of the Music spectacular at Chatswood RSL. It was great to see the quality of the performances and I am sure that the audience of St Ives parents would agree that the standard improves each year.

Thanks to Ms Hawkins, Mrs Cooper, Mrs Andresson and lastly Ms Lovell for their work with the different ensembles. Special congratulations to the Saxophone Ensemble, Jazz Combo and Concert Band One, who will progress to the next round of competition.



## **Train and Bus travel**

I received a story this week from a member of the community who witnessed one of our student's handing over his seat on the bus to an elderly gentleman. The email was very positive. On the odd occasion we are also contacted when students do not show such courtesy. A few weeks back we spoke to all students about the importance of being aware of others and looking out for those that are less able. At times, when students are travelling to and from school they are looking down at their phones and not responding to what is happening around them. Is it important that students are looking up, being mindful of others and offering their seats to those who are less able.

## **Communication Flowchart**

The communication flowchart found below should be useful when trying to find information. As stated on the flowchart, assessment schedules can be found on the school website. As we move into what will be a busy term 2, you might suggest to your child that they look over the assessment grid for their year group and mark on a calendar when their assessments will be. Please note that there are times when the assessment grid will slightly change. Each grid is found on our school website – 'Learning at Our School' → 'Assessment and Reporting'

## **Student Uniform**

Wearing the correct uniform is something we value in the school. That is why we have placed importance on being responsive to students needs as reflected with the introduction of  $\frac{3}{4}$  length SIHS leggings on sport days. On wet weather days, students are expected to be wearing one of the two jackets available from our uniform shop. If a student is not in full correct uniform they must have written permission from a parent.

Our school dress code can be found on our school website – 'Uniform Shop' scroll down to 'Uniform Dress Code'.

## **Athletics Carnival Next Wednesday**

On Wednesday, we will hold our annual Athletics Carnival at Bannockburn Oval, Pymble. We will celebrate those that place at the top of their age groups and those that achieve their personal best. It is also an opportunity for ALL students to get involved and have some fun with their friends. Parents and grandparents are more than welcome to join us on the day. Permission forms were handed out on Wednesday and it is important that these are returned to the School Office ASAP.

## **St Ives High Run Club**

At the end of last year we were training for the Bare Creek Trail Run, which resulted in a team victory over Killara HS in the Bare Creek Mob Match. In 2019, Mrs Frykberg has been leading our school Run Club. We have been meeting each Tuesday at 7am and embarking on a number of different 5km tracks. Our next challenge is this weekend's Lindfield Fun Run.

If wanting to join our team, use the **code STIVESHIGH1**

**Start time:** 5km route starts at 8.10am. 10km route starts at 8.20am.

**Venue:** Roseville Oval, Clanville Road, Roseville.

<http://www.lindfieldrotaryfunrun.org.au/>

I hope to see you there.

## **Here are some key dates for your diary:**

Return Date - **Students return Tuesday April 30.**

During period 1 we will be holding our ANZAC assembly.

## **Mid-Year Reports**

May 17 – Year 12 reports will be available to parents.

May 31 – Year 11 reports will be available to parents.

June 14 – Years 8 and 10 reports will be available to parents.

June 28 – Years 9 and 11 reports will be available to parents.

All reports are accessed via the Parent Portal.

If you are a parent/guardian and you are not connected to the *Parent Portal* please contact Mr Champion [sean.champion@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:sean.champion@det.nsw.edu.au)

## **Parent Teacher Evenings**

June 18 – Years 8 and 10 Parent – Student conferences.

July 2 - Years 7 and 9 Parent- Student conferences.

***It is expected that students attend these conferences.***

*Best wishes*

**Nathan Lawler**

**Deputy Principal**

## SYDNEY NORTH SWIMMING CARNIVAL 2019

Another fabulous effort from the St Ives High swim team that competed at Sydney North Swimming carnival on 21 March at Sydney Olympic Aquatic Centre, Homebush. Our representatives included Nicholas L, Evan C, Nathan C, Dominyk F, Kenny C, Hayley G, Georgina F, Lucy W, Max B and Ashley W.

Once again, a lot of hard work and determination was displayed when the 13 years boys 50m Relay team came second in their event. Evan C, Nathan C, Dominyk F and Kenny C will now represent St Ives High, Ku-ring-gai Zone and Sydney North at the NSWCHS carnival next week.

Congratulations also goes to Ashley W who won her 400m freestyle event and will also be going to the state carnival for three events. Further congratulations also go to Kenny C who came 2<sup>nd</sup> in the 13 years boys 100m breaststroke and is representing at state swimming.

Congratulations to all of our swimmers and best of luck next week at the NSWCHS State swimming carnival.  
Mrs Sandy Terrey, Sports Organiser



Sydney North F15-16 400 m Freestyle		
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4	Mastroianni Amber	KILH
5	Williams Ashley	SI 4:54.74 1
6	Lambourne Charlotte	KI 4:57.75 2
7	Pitcher Allannah	TER
8	McBurney Izabella	GOSF

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# Bootcamp



Reminder that Bootcamp is held on Friday mornings at 7.00 am and is open to students, staff and parents.

Please wear appropriate footwear and bring a bottle of water.  
Brekkie Club serves breakfast at 8.00 am.

## CONTACTING THE APPROPRIATE STAFF MEMBER FLOWCHART

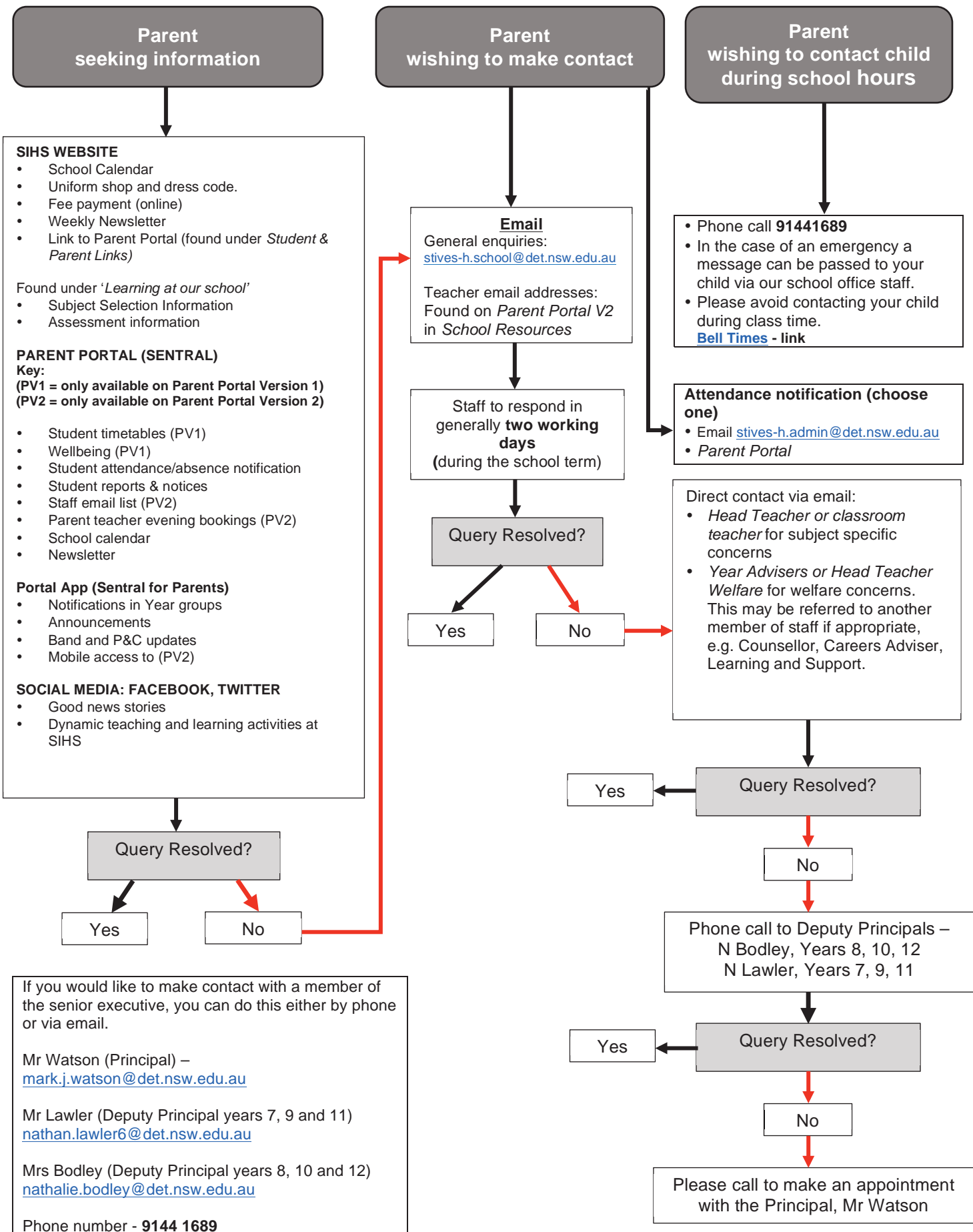
### **Rationale**

St Ives High School recognises the importance of being in partnership with parents/guardians and all those who are involved in the educational process of our students. We seek to develop positive relationships with all involved through appropriate and positive communication.

**The purpose of this document** is to outline ways the school community can efficiently and effectively communicate with staff members.

### **Scope**

This document applies to all members of the school community.



If you would like to make contact with a member of the senior executive, you can do this either by phone or via email.

Mr Watson (Principal) – [mark.j.watson@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:mark.j.watson@det.nsw.edu.au)

Mr Lawler (Deputy Principal years 7, 9 and 11) [nathan.lawler6@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:nathan.lawler6@det.nsw.edu.au)

Mrs Bodley (Deputy Principal years 8, 10 and 12) [nathalie.bodley@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:nathalie.bodley@det.nsw.edu.au)

Phone number - 9144 1689

**Note** – Parent Portal currently have 2 versions, which are very similar. When on your phone, PV2 should be more user-friendly. Your login details and access point will be the same for both. Here is a link to the [Parent Portal](#).

*Parents welcome ...*



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**ATHLETICS CARNIVAL**  
**Wednesday 10 April**

**Bannockburn Oval Pymble**

# CAREERS UPDATES



## Applying for university

The first step in applying for university will be to receive your UAC PIN and UAC guide, both which will be received by 3 April. The PIN will be sent to student's school email address. The UAC guide can be collected from the careers office at end of March. When applying for university students have 5 preferences which can be from the same university or across different universities. Students will need to have some idea of their obtainable ATAR so as to apply for courses within a range of their estimated ATAR else they may not receive an offer. Applications open on 3 April.

## Course Compass

To assist students to decide on a course to study at university, UAC have released a program called Course Compass. Give it a go here at: <https://www.uac.edu.au/course-compass/>

## Macquarie in a Day - Macquarie University, 17 & 18th April

We're opening our doors to Year 11 and Year 12 students for the chance to taste what a day in the life of a Macquarie student is really like. 8.30 - 3pm at Macquarie University campus. Register now, spaces filling up fast! Find out more at: [Mq.edu.au/mqinaday](http://Mq.edu.au/mqinaday)

## Macquarie University, Year 12 information Evening, Wednesday 1st May

We'll take you through our early entry program, courses, scholarships, pathway options and give you the opportunity to speak one-on-one with course advisers. Parents are encouraged to attend. 5:30-8:00pm, Macquarie University Campus. Register for expression of interest at [mq.edu.au/study/high-school-students/events](http://mq.edu.au/study/high-school-students/events)

## Macquarie University Year 10 Subject Selection Evening

Year 10 subject selection evening, Macquarie University, Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> May Find out about how subjects for the HSC can impact university studies. We will address adjustment factors, assumed knowledge, university admission and scholarship processes. 5.30 - 8pm, Macquarie University campus. Register for expression of interest at [mq.edu.au/study/high-school-students/events](http://mq.edu.au/study/high-school-students/events)

## University Clinical Aptitude Test (UCAT)

Students wishing to study medical, dental or medical science may need to sit the UCAT. Registrations are open now at <https://www.ucat.edu.au/> and close 17 May 2019.

## NS5 Careers Expo 2019 for year 10-12 students at Chatswood HS

The date for the 2019 careers expo will be Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July at Chatswood HS from 5.30-7.30pm. All major universities, TAFE and private colleges will have a table of representatives where you can ask questions and receive recent course and scholarship information.

For more information on any of these or other careers matters visit the Careers Adviser or email Mr Holmes at [neil.holmes@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:neil.holmes@det.nsw.edu.au) or call the school on 9144 1689 ext 116.

Visit my free careers website at <http://www.careeradvicensw.com> to view career videos, take career tests, view subject selection resources, links to all universities on bonus points, scholarships, elite athletes schemes, alternate entry to university, the job market, SRS and more.

## TALENT DEVELOPMENT PROJECT

The Department of Education has been a major sponsor of the Talent Development Project (TDP) for over 20 years. Their support has enabled the TDP to become the most successful youth training and development program for Australia's finest young musicians.

The TDP is open to singers, songwriters, musical theatre performers, instrumentalists and bands of all genres, who want to pursue a career in the music and entertainment industry. Each year, hundreds of students hope to gain a place in this prestigious program and if successful, will take part in a year or more of monthly master classes and workshops where they are mentored by some of the biggest names in the entertainment industry.

Leading consultants include Francine Bell, Sharon Millerchip, Veronica Beattie George, Greg Agar, Marion Rouvas, Mark Williams, Rai Thistlethwayte, Cameron Bruce, Kyle Bielfield, Bev Kennedy and Peter Casey.

For 28 years, the TDP has discovered and nurtured the talents of many successful national and international performers including Human Nature, Morgan Evans, Angus & Julia Stone, David Le'aupepe (Gang of Youths), David Harris, John Foreman OAM and Felicity Urquhart.

## Audition applications are NOW OPEN for students to be a part of the TDP in 2019/2020!

To be eligible, students must be in Years 10-12 and attend a NSW Public High School. They will need to fill out an online application form and complete an Endorsement Form that **MUST** be signed by their contact teacher and principle. Once these have been received, students will be informed of their live audition date via an email that will also be sent to their nominated teacher and parent/guardian.

Live auditions will be held in Sydney on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup>, Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup>, Friday 26<sup>th</sup> & Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> April at 242 Young Street, Waterloo (inside the International Screen Academy building). A piano accompanist will be available, otherwise performers are welcome to accompany themselves.

Video Audition options are also available.

**ALL Applications will close on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> April 2019.**

**Below is the link to the Online Application and Endorsement Form.**

<http://www.talentdevelopmentproject.org.au/apply-now/>





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What about your Flexischools account?

You can **continue using the Flexi account until Term 3- Week 4** or until when you have finished your credit inside your Flexischools account. Alternatively, you can request in writing (email) to Flexischools to cancel your account and transfer any remaining funds back to your bank account. **If you have children in other schools that use flexischools**, you don't need to do anything except to remove your St Ives High student from your account.

What about refunds?

We process refunds from our online store as well. In fact, it is easier to do refunds and exchanges through our own online store.

Give it a go and let us know about your experience.

Thank you for your support.

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# THE 2019/20 ENTERTAINMENT BOOK

The Entertainment Book turns 25 this year  
The Sydney & Surrounds edition will be **combined with**  
the Sydney Greater West edition,  
all for the same price (\$70).

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**At school office:** complete form, payment by credit card or cash

or

**Online – send email to [communications@stivespandc.com](mailto:communications@stivespandc.com) with *Entertainment Book* in the subject line to receive link**

If you don't use the Entertainment Book for your shopping, dining, travelling, accommodation and entertainment, you could be losing a huge amount in savings:

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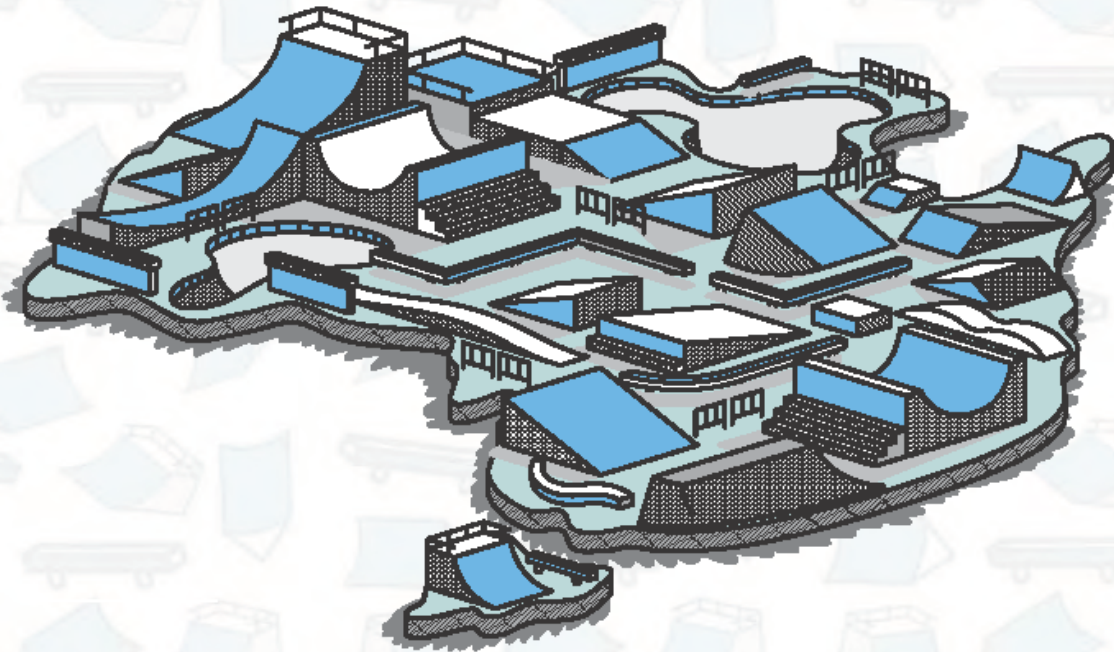
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NEW SOUTH WALES LEAGUE

# ST IVES SKATE PARK

Saturday 6th April



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- Are more able to cope when upset or angry
- Have fewer mental health and substance abuse difficulties
- Have more stable and satisfying relationships as adults
- Have greater career success

**WHEN:** 7 May to 11 June  
Tuesdays: 6.30pm – 8.30pm

**WHERE:** The Northern Centre, Ground floor, 3-5 Anthony Road, West Ryde

**FACILITATOR:** Christine Kim

**BOOKINGS:** <http://thenortherncentre.org.au/parenting-programs/program-roi-form/>





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