

1 July 2019

## Homebush West Public School Excellence in Public Education

Empowering every student to be active, informed, creative and successful

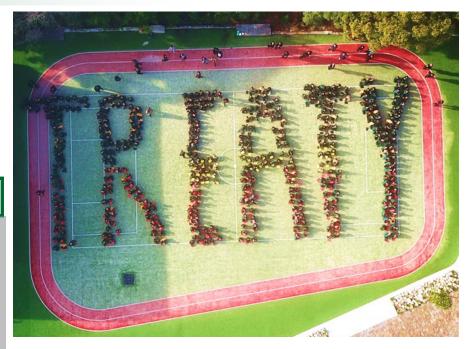
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#### **Special Points of Interest**

- NAIDOC Week
- Invitation to Parents
- Term 2 Teaching and Learning
- Walking Bus enrolments open for Term 3

## Right: NAIDOC Week

Term 3. Week 1 Monday Staff Development Day – No Students Tuesdav Chatterbox Café 9.15-11.30 Wednesday Colour Run Year 6 Fundraiser Spanish class 3.15pm Thursday Assembly (Hosted by 21D) Scripture **Enrichment Groups** Peer Support Chess classes 3pm Stage 3 Debating 3.15pm Friday National Tree Planting Day Stage 1 and 2 Swim Program **PSSA** Tennis Stage 1 Art Exhibition French Class 3.15pm



Its NAIDOC Week 2019, and this year we celebrate Aboriginal Achievement, culture, history, and connection to country with the theme; Voice, Treaty, Truth, Let's work together for a shared future. Our students have been preparing for NAIDOC celebrations learning about what a treaty is, why it is important, when treaties are entered into and why. Today we showed our commitment to hearing the truth about Aboriginal history and reconciling and empowering all of us to flourish in the future by forming a human treaty as we hosted a special assembly to mark Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander culture. Our 'human treaty' was a great success, engaging every student and staff member, what commitment. This special moment was accompanied by the famous song 'Treaty' by Yothu Yindi which was written in the hope of reconciliation, still not fully realised. Our whole school sang the National Anthem including the Dharawal verse of this song, all captured by drone, to be shared to our website and across the school. Thanks to the NAIDOC team, Ms Pashley, Ms Pene, Ms Molloy and Ms Stone for making this fabulous memorable moment possible and contributing to our NAIDOC learning as a school community. Thank you to the parents who joined us for the morning.

#### Invitations this week

Be reminded that *parents are invited* to the following school events this week;

- Stage 3 Museum Exhibition Wednesday
- Stage 1 Toy Exhibition Thursday

We hope that you might be able to make the time to attend one of these opportunities to partner with us in education.



#### **Term 2 Teaching and Learning**

We are very proud of the many achievements of our students during this momentous term of authentic learning experiences. Last week Jerra (43D) and Adhrit (65C) won their final in the Multicultural Perspectives Public Speaking Competition. Aki (43Z) received a Highly Commended Award and Suhaan (65P) spoke remarkably well, **congratulations to all of these students!** Thank you to all those who made this opportunity available to our students. Another special mention goes to the Drumbeat group who delivered their concluding performance at our school assembly, a wonderful demonstration of the journey these students have made. Mr Debnan and Mr Fung are acknowledged for their commitment to delivering this valuable program. We commend all our students who have worked hard throughout the term in STEM and CAPA learning, we look forward to viewing their showcase this week.



Jerra, Adhrit, Aki and Suhaan at the Multicultural Perspectives Public Speaking Competition

We value Quality in all that we do

We would like to thank everyone for their contribution this term; to our respectful, creative, resilient students; our supportive parents particularly our P&C and uniform shop teams; our administration team who go above and beyond for the school and our dedicated professional teachers who show such commitment to ensuring a culture of excellence and equity is evident and a culture of professionalism and dedication is tangible.

We wish all our families a safe, refreshing holiday break and remind everyone that students will **return to school on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> July.** We look forward to everything that Term 3 holds for Homebush West.

A reminder to our students if you need help or someone to talk to in the holidays; <u>Kids Helpline</u> <u>https://kidshelpline.com.au/</u>

Estelle Southall - Principal Roxanne Picoaga - Deputy Principal

Coming Up Term 3, Week 2 2019 30 July – K-6 Athletics Carnival 31 July – OC Test



Thank you to the Commonwealth Bank for their generous donation of \$500 towards



Final Drumbeat performance at Assembly

### Woolworths Earn and Learn

Earn & Learn is over for another year. Thank you for your participation. We love seeing the whole community rally together and are wonderfully overwhelmed by the support shown to the program.



All stickers need to be sent to school by Thursday morning 4 July, so that they can be redeemed by Homebush West.

Respect for Others

In Peer Support this week children will be focusing on the skills of winning in a friendly way and coping with losing. The children will participate in various activities and discuss how to accept the outcome of a game, no matter what it is, in a friendly way in order to maintain those friendships. During the week encourage your child to practise these skills in all aspects life – whether it be weekend sport or choosing what to watch.

## Want to learn Mandarin Chinese? Welcome to join us!

Chinese school is now taking new enrolments this year. We welcome all students from 4 years old and up who would love to learn Mandarin to join us. Our classes are held every Saturday morning from 9am-12pm during school term. We have classes to target students of all Chinese levels ranging from Kindergarten to Secondary School level Chinese. To enrol, parents just need to turn up with their child to School and we have staff to assist you right away. For further enquiries, please don't hesitate call on 0403083671.

## Walking Bus enrolments open for Term 3

Enrolments to use the Walking Bus in Term 3 onwards will open this week. Enrolments are only open for a short time, this week and Week 1 of next term.

Families wishing to start using the Walking Bus in Term 3 need to enrol ASAP using this link <u>http://wsbhwps.weebly.com/enrol-my-childchildren.html</u>

If you have already enrolled, you do not need to enrol again.

Questions? Please look at the Walking Bus website as there is lots of information there <u>http://</u>wsbhwps.weebly.com

Also an information video here <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bCa2u35sHCo</u> Still have a question after looking at the website? Contact <u>suzanne@suzanne-ellis.com</u>

We value



### Cupcake Day Report

Thank you Stage 2 and Stage 3 families who baked, decorated and bought yummy cupcakes for the Cupcake Day last week. We raised nearly \$870.Thank you for your support.

Thank you also to the volunteers who collected orders, delivered cupcakes and sold after school. Teachers and staff we appreciate your help, as always you make sure these events run smoothly and are successful.

All the money raised goes back to school, it goes towards wonderful projects like the bikes which P&C contributed over \$6000 to this term.

What a wonderful team work Homebush West community !!

P&C Committee





Additional Active Kids Voucher available from 1 July 2019 The NSW Government is helping kids get active with the Active Kids program. The Active Kids program provides two \$100 vouchers for parents, guardians and carers of school-enrolled children to use towards sport and active recreation costs each year.



We value Success for all

From 1 July 2019, parents, guardians and carers can apply for the second \$100 Active Kids voucher.

Voucher 1 is valid January to December and Voucher 2 is valid July to December.

The vouchers may be used with a registered activity provider for registration, participation and membership costs for sport, fitness and active recreation activities.

To use a voucher, find a registered activity provider and present your voucher when you sign up.

The Active Kids program is one of more than 70 NSW Government rebates and savings that help with your cost of living.

#### **PSSA Reports**

Senior Girls Soccer Ms Pashley Junior Girls Soccer Ms Pene Senior Boys Soccer Ms Smith Junior Boys Soccer Mr Penman Senior Mixed Netball – Ms Tuazon Junior Netball – Ms Joseph

PSSA was cancelled due to ground closure.

## Chatterbox Café – English Class FREE

Come and join the continuation of English Classes - called 'Chatterbox Café - in our Media Room (in the library) every Tuesday from 9:15-11:30am. Strathfield Council provides teachers and volunteers to practise your conversational English skills. Morning tea and printing resources also available.



We have commenced the School Run4Fun Colour Explosion which is as a major fundraiser next term so we do ask for your support. The more money we raise the more we can provide for the students through vital school projects, in particular **Stage 3 Camp and Year 6 Farewell and Graduation**.

The School Run4Fun Colour Explosion has been postponed and will now be held on **Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> July, 2019 (Term 3, Week 1)**. We do ask that you bring a spare change of clothes to school, most importantly a plain white shirt as the students will be covered in powder from head to toe. The day's focus is on fun and fitness with the added benefit of raising funds for our school. **Colour Powder** 

The colour powder used in our event has been sourced direct from India, the home of Holi Powder. It is made of high quality corn starch and permitted food colours. It's non-toxic, biodegradable, skin safe and environmentally friendly. Toxicological Risk Assessment and ingredient listings can be obtained from the School Office upon request. Students with asthma are advised to be careful in their decision to participate.

## How Does My Child Fundraise?

Students have now received a Sponsorship Form with instructions on how to raise money and order prizes. Students obtain donations in cash using the Sponsorship Form together with online fundraising. **Students should continue to collect money over the next term in a labelled zip lock bag and add sponsor details to their booklet or online.** 

Students who raise as little as \$10 or more will receive an incentive prize for their efforts. But why not aim higher? You have the option to choose up to five (5) prizes and this will set your fundraising goal. Family and friends are your greatest supporters, so ask them first for your support. You will reach your fundraising goal in no time.

## **Student Profile Page**

Create a Student Profile Page at <u>www.myprofilepage.com.au</u> which is unique to you. There are also some great features like recording your sponsorships and selecting your prize goal.

You can also register for online fundraising. It's the easiest way to help your child raise money and to reach your fundraising goal sooner.

WIN A SHARE OF \$200,000 WORTH OF FREE SPONSORSHIP <u>www.myprofilepage.com.au</u> and enter your unique code you're an instant winner. Give your fundraising goal a kick **DONATIONS.** Create a Student Profile Page at found on page five (5) of your Sponsorship Form to see if start!

## How to Order Prizes?

To reward your child for their efforts, they will receive incentive prizes based on the total amount of sponsorship dollars raised in cash, online, and if applicable, any **FREE SPONSORSHIP DONATIONS** won using the unique code on page five (5) of the Sponsorship Form. You have two options to place your prize order:

**1.** Login or create a Student Profile Page at <u>www.myprofilepage.com.au</u>. Once the fundraiser has finished, click the 'ORDER MY PRIZE' button and then confirm your total amount raised and order your prize/s, <u>OR</u>

2. Complete the back page of the Sponsorship Form and return to the school.

Please note, all donations need to be finalised on or before **23<sup>rd</sup> July 2019**. Student prizes will be delivered shortly after.

Thank you in advance for your participation, and get ready for a BLAST OF COLOUR! Happy fundraising! <u>https://s3hwps.weebly.com/help-videos.html</u>





## Merit Award Recipients for Term 2, Week 9

Congratulations to the following recipients:

Class	Name	Name	Name	Name
кт	Sasha	Mansehaj	Muhammad Ameen	Seleena
КW	Keanna	Sai Madhav	Rita	Ostin
КН	Advait S	Pearl M	Yuqi Z	Sonika G
21D	Luna M	Miguel C	Samantha C	Jiwon J
21T	Ruo Lin C	Wyatt L	Kritina C	Aidan B
21M	Huda B	Thanmukil B	Cherry D	Aroosh F
21H	Imelda W	Aileen Y	Shan T	Edward T
43P	Nehaa	Bradley	Karambir	Kanishk
43H	Mohammad	Sushritha	Daris	Ashley
65C	Jayaditya V	Limerick D	Sharan U	Joanna Z
65W	Cathy C	Milind A	Elena L	Jocelin L
65S	Indianna G	Pravin A	Emirhan T	Vishali P

### **Exclusive Real Estate supporting Homebush West Public School**

Exclusive Real Estate is very keen to help our school and community and is a top Real Estate Agent in the area. They have offered an extra incentive that you can pass on to friends and family. If you take advantage of Exclusive Real Estate's great service you can benefit the school at the same time, Exclusive will donate:

\$500 from any sale referral

\$250 for any property management referral

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\$500 for any strata building Just mention Homebush West Public School!! <u>www.exclusivere.com.au</u> Andrew Bova m: 0414 614 256 e: <u>mailto:andrew@exclusivere.com.au</u>

The Walking Bus is proudly sponsored by Exclusive Real Estate



## The Chaplaincy Program run by Mrs Prouty is proudly sponsored by



#### **Hot Dog Orders**

Friday Hot Dog Orders – Last orders by 3pm Thursdays					
Hot Dog Order Form					
First Name:					
Last Name:					
Class:					





The last two weeks, YMCA Homebush West children had the opportunity to use the new Cricket set and to play in school's new playground for most of our time during outdoor play.





The children are divided into two age groups to engage in cricket games. This develops children's social skills by encouraging social engagement and providing opportunities for leadership training.

Winter Vacation Care program is now available online!

Here at YMCA Homebush West OSHC we provide a Vacation Care experience that the children look forward to. Through various activities, children have the opportunity to engage in arts and craft, cooking, sports activities, dance, drama and so much more. We even have day trips and excursions to interesting destinations. No matter what your child is interested in, we will plan school holiday activities to suit.

Please visit our website to find our Winter Vacation Care program <u>https://www.ymcansw.org.au/centres/ymca-homebush-west-oshc/vacation-care/</u> children must be enrolled at school or school aged.

Book Vacation Care online through My Family Lounge (MFL). You can use this portal to create yearly enrolments for Before and After School Care as well as casual bookings for Vacation Care and you only need to register once.

Once you have created your account, use it to book both Before and After School Care and Vacation Care.

For further assistance families can also call our Child Care team on 1300 009 679 or email <u>childcare@ymcansw.org.au</u>

Book now and get in quick as our places are limited!

Yours Sincerely,

The YMCA Homebush West OSHC P: 0409 717 516 E: oshc.homebushwest@ymcansw.org.au W: <u>www.ymcansw.org.au</u>





## **Boot Camp Taster Program**

This program runs for four weeks on a Monday and a Thursday night

## Monday 8th July – 29th July 2019 (four weeks)



Location: Bark Huts Session one: 6:30pm - 7:15pm Session two: 7:15pm - 8pm

## Thursday 11th July – 1st August 2019 (four weeks)



Location: Bressington Park Session one: 6:30pm - 7:15pm Session two: 7:15pm - 8pm





Booking essential, full payment required before program commences. To register call Strathfield Council on 9748 9999 or email council@strathfield.nsw.gov.au



## Term 3 2019 All programs run once a week.

Free program for children aged 7-13 ABOVE A HEALTHY WEIGHT. Children and parents/carers need to attend each week.

# IT'S FREE



After school, during term



Exercise with fun games



Learn about healthy eating



Build confidence & self-esteem

	Where	Address	Day & Time	Starts
ASHFIELD	Pratten Park Community Sports and Bowling Club	Arthur St (between Hugh St & A'Beckett Ave) Ashfield 2131	Wednesdays 3.45pm-5.45pm	24/7/19 For 10 weeks
LAKEMBA	Australian National Sports Club	571-577 Punchbowl Road (in Parry Park) Lakemba 2195	Thursdays 4pm-6pm	25/7/19 For 10 weeks
STRATHFIELD	Dutton Centre	40 Augusta St Strathfield 2135	Saturdays 10am-12pm	27/7/19 For 9 weeks

For more information and to register your child, free call 1800 780 900 or visit go4fun.com.au



# www.hypedanceco.com.au

## **Dance Classes ENROL NOW!** 舞蹈班立即报名

댄스 클래스 지금 등록하십시오.

## **SYDNEY OLYMPIC PARK**

Jazz, Tap Musical Theatre Hip Hop

es 18mths +

Located on HILL RD **Opposite DHL** 

**REGISTERED ACTIVE KIDS & CREATIVE KIDS PROVIDER** To apply for a \$100 voucher please visit service.nsw.gov.au

<u> Zdance.</u>

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## SCHOOL HOLIDAY DANCE WORKSHOPS ×

**TUESDAY 16th July** Ages 5yrs - 10yrs

WEDNESDAY 17th July Ages 11yrs - 16yrs

10:30am - 10:45am Warm Up 10:45am - 11:30am lazz 11:30am - 11:45am **Snack Break** 11:45am - 12:30pm **Hip Hop** 12:30pm - 1:00pm Lunch Break 1:00pm - 1:45pm Lyrical

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Educational fun dance program Be challenged Learn new skills Make new friends...

Cost \$65.00 inc gst

What to Wear: Sports Shoes (sneakers) and Active Wear (top & bottoms/tights). What to Bring: Snack, water & lunch and most importantly A BIG SMILE!

**REGISTER ONLINE AT:** www.hypedanceco.com.au LOCATION: Level 2, Unit 4/35 Carter St SYDNEY OLYMPIC PARK (Driveway - enter on Hill Rd) Full Facilities **Plenty of** parking







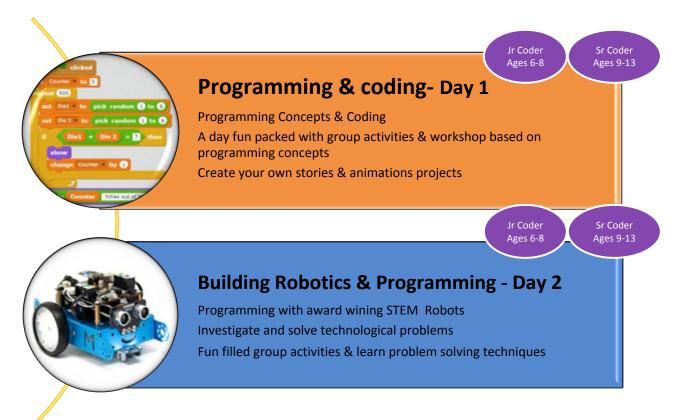
Join our fun filled full- 2 Days Tech Camp in July 2019!

S.T.E.A.M based creative programming, coding & robotics for children. Suitable for ages 6-13 & Teens. We help children with design & computational thinking, collaboration and a maker mindset so kids can be creators and inventors. We provide different levels of coding and robotics to inspire budding creators.









## Locations & dates

Jasper Road Public School Jasper Road, Baulkham Hill – 2153

Dates- 10<sup>th</sup> July 2019 - Programming & coding - Day 1 11<sup>th</sup> July 2019 – Robotic & Drone - Day 2 Homebush West Public School Rochester St, Homebush - 2140

Dates- 15<sup>th</sup> July 2019 - Programming & coding - Day 1 16<sup>th</sup> July 2019 - Robotic & Drone - Day 2

## Winter **School Holiday** Activities

## Check out our school holiday activities for primary school students

Students will receive an interactive presentation on banknote security features and get a sneak peek at the new uncirculated \$20 banknote. They will also be taken on a guided journey through the Museum and learn about the history of Australia.

Sessions for Kindergarten – Year 2 Monday 8th July, 10.00am – 11.30am Wednesday 10th July, 10.00am – 11.30am Friday 12th July, 10.00am – 11.30am

Sessions for Year 3 – Year 6 Monday 8th July, 1.00pm – 2.30pm Wednesday 10th July, 1.00pm – 2.30pm Friday 12th July, 1.00pm – 2.30pm



### Cost: Free

Registrations of interest are now open. To register your child please visit the Museum Website www.museum.rba.gov.au/events

#### Important Information:

Offers for attendance to School Holiday sessions will be sent 5-10 business days out from the event. As this is a highly subscribed event we cannot guarantee all registrations will be offered a place for this school holiday period.

Email: museum@rba.gov.au Phone: (02) 9551 9743 Ground Floor, 65 Martin Place Sydney NSW 2000

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校长的信息 星期一 教师培训日 星期二 英语学习咖啡室: 早上九点十五分到十一点半 星期三 彩色长跑筹款活动 星期四 全校大会 田赛比赛 宗教学习 兴趣小组 学生互助组活动 国际象棋,下午三点 五六年级辩论培训,三点十五分开始 星期五 全国性的植树日 一年级到四年级游泳课 PSSA 体育竞技 网球 一二年级艺术展 法语班,下午三点十五分

Term 2 Week 10 Newsletter

## Invitation

在这里想提醒大家来参加学校的活动

- 五六年级的博物馆展览-星期三
- 一二年级的玩具博览-星期四

希望家长争取来参加这些活动,达到学校与家庭联手给孩子提供教育的目的。

## Term 2 Teaching and Learning

在这里,我想表扬我们的学生这个学期一直努力学习,取得了很好的成绩。我期待着他 们这周的作品展示。我也想感谢大家的全力合作,老师,家长,特别是家长委员会的成 员,还有我们的办公室职员等等。教职员工的专业精神和奉献都是有目共睹的。

最后,希望大家过一个轻松愉快安全的假期。下学期学生开课时间是七月二十三日星期 二。

Estelle Southall – 校长 Roxanne Picoaga – 副校长

**Coming Up** 

近期大事 Term 3, Week 2 2019 七月二十九日-田径比赛 七月三十日-全校运动会 七月三十一日-OC 精英班考试

## Peer Support, Keeping Friends

在这周的学生互助活动中。学生们会着重学习如何在游戏活动里以友好的姿态赢朋友, 或者输了如何正确面对,什么活动都好,都需要有正确的心态接受结果,不管是输是赢。 在家多鼓励孩子在日常生活中练习这样的技巧。

## Additional Active Kids Voucher available from 1 July 2019

新州政府给在学儿童提供"活力儿童"津贴,用于支付学生的运动课程。这个津贴以往 是一年一百块,现在多增加了一百块。第一次的补助100块可以在一月到十二月之间使 用,第二次的补贴可以在七月到十二月份之间使用。这些代用卷可以用于学生参加体育 培训等项目,但培训机构必须是正式注册的公司。

## Colour Run

彩色长跑预备工作已经开始。这是下学期最主要的筹款活动,请家长尽力支持我们的活动。我们要筹得更多资金,用于五六年级第三学期的野营活动以及六年级的毕业典礼。 彩色长跑会推迟到第三学期第一周,七月二十四日星期三。到时请学生们带一件衣服来 更换,更重要的是带一件单色的T恤衫,跑完后在衣服上喷上色彩。这个活动给学校筹款 的同时还可以鼓励学生多运动,也让学生娱乐一番。

学生现在应该已经收到了筹款和奖品的通知,接下来的时间可以继续收集筹款,登记捐 款人的个人资料等等。

为了奖励孩子全力支持学校筹款,我们会按照他们捐款金额发奖品。他们对冲奖品有两 个方法,第一是先在以下网页登记名字www.myprofilepage.com.au,跑完后可以在上面按 筹款金额锁定要换的奖品。另一个方法是学生在赞助表格后面填上个人资料,所有的筹 款要在七月二十三日前交回学校,学生的奖品很快就会分放下去。提前谢谢大家的参与。

## **Cupcake Day Report**

感谢我们四到六年级的学生家长,上周为我们的筹款活动准备了很多美味的纸杯蛋糕。 我们共筹得八百七十块。谢谢大家的支持。另外也想感谢做义工的家长,献出了他们的 时间来帮忙。所有筹得的款项会用于学校的项目中。到目前为止,家长委员会已经给学 校贡献了\$6000了。

## Want to learn Mandarin Chinese? Welcome to join us!

中文学校开始招生。欢迎所有四岁以上的学生。上课时间是每周六早上九点到十二点。 学校假期不开班。想报名请家长在周六带孩子来学校,会有职员办理报名手续。有问题 请打电话咨询 0403083671.

## **Walking Bus**

步行校车鼓励孩子健康,活跃的生活方式,改善社区的安全,同时减低校园周边交通堵 塞现象。

我们的步行校车是由志愿者帮忙运作的。我们一直都需要自愿帮忙的家长,你们不一定 要住在步行校车的线路上。请大家踊跃帮忙。你们不需要天天帮或早上下午都帮,什么 时候可以帮那什么时候帮就可以了。

你们可以把小孩带上,我们很多志愿者都有幼年的孩子,你们可以推着婴儿车步行,要 是你们可以提供帮助,请把链接里的表格填上

## <u>http://wsbhwps.weebly.com/become-a-volunteer.html</u> 或者联系校办公室或 Suzanne <u>suzanne@suzanne-ellis.com</u>

## Chatterbox Café – English Class FREE

欢迎大家来参与我们的免费英文课程!每周二早上九点十五分到十一点三十分, Strathfield 市政厅给我们提供义教的老师帮大家提高英语水平。我们免费提供早茶以及印 刷材料。详情请向 Mrs Prouty 询问。

## Exclusive Real Estate supporting Homebush West Public School

Exclusive 是本区有口碑的地产公司,他们很乐意帮助我们学校和社区。要是我们能够介绍一个房子给他们卖,他们会给我们'步行校车'赞助\$500,要是我们介绍一间房子给他们出租,他们会赞助\$250,要是我们介绍一栋单元给他们管理,他们会赞助\$500。介绍的时候,要提起我们学校的名字。

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地产经纪 Andrew Bova m: 0414 614 256 电邮: <u>mailto:andrew@exclusivere.com.au</u> 学校的"步行校车"是由他们赞助的。