Peakhurst West Public School Swimming Pool Works notification | 28 April 2025

Dear staff, parents, carers and community members,

We are planning to replace the roof of the swimming pool at Peakhurst West Public School. This work is part of planned maintenance to repair sections of the roof and improve ventilation inside the swimming pool building.

Work is expected to start on 2 May 2025 and will be completed within 12 to 16 weeks, weather conditions permitting.

When the work is complete, the pool will be cleaned and reopened for use. Work hours will be between 7 am and 6 pm Monday to Friday, and 8 am and 1 pm on Saturday in accordance with NSW Environment Protection Authority construction times.

Temporary pool closure from Friday 2 May 2025

To ensure the safety of all users, the pool will be temporarily closed while this necessary work is being done.

We understand that the closure will cause inconvenience to the school and community groups who use the facility.

Community members can access alternative swimming facilities within the Georges River area, including:

- Hurstville Aquatic Leisure Centre, corner of King Georges and Forest Roads, Hurstville.
 This centre offers a range of aquatic facilities and programs.
- Sans Souci Leisure Centre, 521 Rocky Point Road, Sans Souci. This centre provides swimming pools and fitness amenities.

For more information on these public facilities, please visit the <u>Georges River Council Aquatic Centres page</u>.

Removal of asbestos containing materials

The eave linings of the swimming pool building (Building H) are known to contain bonded asbestos as listed on the school's asbestos register.

NSW Health explains that "living or working with asbestos, or just being around it, is a low risk to your health as long as the asbestos is in good condition and not damaged".

All work will be done in accordance with work health and safety laws and the NSW Department of Education's Asbestos Management Plan. Safety measures will be in place while work is being done. All work will be completed by licensed asbestos contractors and inspected by independent hygienists.





Once the eaves are removed, an independent hygienist will issue a clearance certificate and work to replace the roof will continue.

The health, safety, and wellbeing of all members of our school and the local community are our highest priorities.

Thank you for your cooperation during this important work.

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