



# Greenwell Point Public School

## NEWSLETTER

**'School Motto – Growing and Learning Together'**

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**PRINCIPAL: Mrs Kate Murphy**

**18th March, 2013**

**Term 1 Week 8**

### DATES TO REMEMBER

#### MARCH

- 18 P&C Meeting tonight in the school library at 5pm
- 25 Clearance Book Club due back
- 29 Good Friday and Easter Holidays
- 30 EASTER FETE

#### APRIL

- 2 Students return from Easter Break
- 15 School holiday's start
- 29 Staff Development Day—Day 1
- 30 Staff Development Day—Day 2

#### MAY

- 1 All students return for Term 2 and Small School's cross country carnival



### PRINCIPAL'S REPORT:

Dear Parents,

The Easter Fete is less than two weeks away. Thank you to the few parents who have already donated items or who have said they would help. Please complete the tear off note and return it to the office if you are available to help on the day. As you know many hands make light work. We need help to set up and clear away, help with the BBQ, craft stall, raffle and jumping castle.

On Wednesday of next week we will be having an Easter Hat Parade commencing at 9.30 a.m. Students are to make these hats at home and need not cost a lot of money. We will have three categories:

- Most original
- Most artistic
- Most recycled



The children will parade in four groups –Kindergarten, Years 1&2, 3&4, 5&6. Parents attending may like to bring a small plate of morning tea to share with other parents. I will set up a cuppa .

Our school motto is "Growing and Learning Together" if you ever hear of opportunities in the community for our children to learn something of interest, please let me know. Also if you have a skill and could share it at some stage with the children, we would appreciate it. I'm currently looking for someone who can sing and knows how to conduct a choir. This has to be a love job but would be satisfying to hear and see the children enjoying the songs. The songs have already been selected and will be part of the Music Festival later this year. Do we have a dancer who would teach a group of keen dancers? If we had enough interest we could make it a 'Doing It day Together.' Please let me know if you have a skill and the time to share your knowledge.

Kate Murphy  
Principal

### YOUNG LEADERS DAY Year 6

The Young Leaders Day is fast approaching for next Monday 25th March, 2013. All students are to be at Terara Public School by 5:30am. Parents are to arrange travel to and from Terara. The bus will not wait for late comers. Students are to wear full school uniform and enough food and drink for the whole day. Children can bring \$6-\$8 for a stop at McDonalds on the way home. The estimated time of return will be 5:45pm.

### P&C MEETING TONIGHT

The school P&C meeting will be held tonight Monday 18th March at 5pm in the school library. All new families and kinder parents are encouraged to attend as our AGM is not too far away.

## CANTEEN NEWS

**THERE WILL BE NO CANTEEN THIS FRIDAY.** Instead the P&C are holding a Meal Deal consisting of a cup of hot chips, a small fresh fruit box, a popper or water and a packet of chips for \$5 each. All orders to be in by Wednesday 20th March for catering. No late orders will be accepted. Please fill in the form below.

## UNIFORM SHOP

The cooler months are now coming and now would be a good time to start thinking about placing an order for winter uniforms.

## SCHOOL TEXT BOOKS

**PLEASE PAY FOR YOUR CHILD'S WORKBOOKS THIS WEEK,** classes are already using them and your child is missing out. Homework—\$14.50, Handwriting—\$12.50, Maths—\$16.50, Total of \$43.50 to be paid at the office. Homework book this year is optional.

## SCHOOL FEES

The school fees this year will be \$25 per student of if you have 2 children then the second child will cost \$20 and third child \$15. School fees provide the extras we are able to offer.

## P & C HOT CROSS BUN FUNDRAISER

All orders and money must be received by 3pm Thursday 21st March. No late orders will be accepted. The delivery date will be 3pm Tuesday 26th March from the school library.

For those families who take part their names will go into a draw to win one of two vouchers drawn by Bakers Delight staff. Voucher 1—\$25 to spend at Bakers Delight Stockland Nowra. Voucher 2—\$25 to spend at K-Mart. Good luck everyone.

## EASTER SCHOOL FETE AND CAR BOOT SALE

**Week 8** Donations of small items to fill lucky jars, clean jars of any size or even a jar you have filled yourself. Ideas in the past have been seeds with a pair of garden gloves, children's toys, girl hair accessories, sweets etc. and any craft items. Donations of ingredients to make cakes etc. if you haven't the time. Such as sugar, flour and icing sugar and donations of chocolate eggs to be used to fill baskets Your potted cuttings can be very saleable if planted now.

**Week 9** Donations of fresh eggs to be used for egg and bacon rolls.

Helpers on the day will also be required, please fill in the sheet below if you can help. **Everyone doing a little, will make it a great success.** Cost for a car boot sale is \$15 per site outside.

## YEAR 6 STUDENTS

We still have a few outstanding High School expression of interest forms to be returned to the school, please send these in by this Friday 22nd March.

### GREENWELL POINT PUBLIC SCHOOL MEAL DEAL ORDER



I would like my child/ren ..... to have a Meal Deal

consisting of: 1 cup of hot chips, 1 small box of fresh fruit ☐ popper or ☐ water and a packet of chips for \$5 each.

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Parent signature

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Date

### GREENWELL POINT PUBLIC SCHOOL FETE HELPERS



I ..... would like to help out on the day of the fete on Easter Saturday at

(please circle) setting up, clearing away, the jumping castle, BBQ or stall, from 7.30 to 1pm Thanking you

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Parents signature

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Time Preferred & job