



# Greenwell Point Public School

## NEWSLETTER

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**PRINCIPAL: Mrs Kate Murphy**

**20th October, 2014**

**Term 4 Week 3**

### DATES TO REMEMBER

#### OCTOBER

- 23 Book Club due back
- 24 P&C Meeting 9:15am
- 27-7 Swimming Scheme
- 31 Kinder 2015 Playgroup

#### NOVEMBER

- 5-7 Canberra Excursion
- 7 Kinder 2015 Playgroup
- 14 Kinder Orientation

#### DECEMBER

- 16 School Presentation
- 17 Last day



### PRINCIPAL'S REPORT:

Dear parents,

School attendance is a very important part of learning. Regular attendance will assure your child receives the best education possible. When a child is absent it is important to send a note to explain why they have been absent. You may also ring the school office. The class roll is a legal document and all absences must be explained with a valid reason. If you are having trouble getting your child to school and they are not sick, please come and have a chat.

Can I recommend an excellent speaker who will be in Nowra on Tuesday 28th October 12.30—2.30pm at the Shoalhaven Entertainment Centre.

#### **Celia Lashlie-Growing Gorgeous Boys into Good Men**

I have heard her speak on several occasions. She has worked with many men and boys in the past. She has significant insight into teenage boys. She gives parents hints to work with their own teenage sons.

Entry is by a gold coin donation.

Bookings are essential Ph: Donna Forknall (02) 42542700

There are only 8 weeks and 3 days left of this term. This time will go very quickly. Please keep dates handy and check your newsletter so nothing is missed.

Kind Regards

Kate Murphy

Principal of the best school in NSW

### Unique Christmas Present

Student Art work for sale— If you would like a special piece of memorabilia you can view and purchase your child's art work. It is on display in the old library. Cost \$10

### CANBERRA EXCURSION

The Canberra excursion is not far away and will take place in Week 5 on the 5—7 November, 2014. Please finalise payments in the next two weeks.

### SWIMMING SCHEME

**Any child in Years 4/5/6 going to Canberra can still participate in the swimming scheme at a reduced cost of \$54.60 due to missing the last 3 days of swimming.** If you would like to participate please let Mrs Miller know so she can give you a swimming note. The swimming scheme commences next week starting the 27th October and finishes on the 7th November. For those families that haven't already done so then please pay Mrs Miller as soon as possible.

## LOUD SHIRT DAY

A big thankyou to all students and staff who participated in the Loud Shirt Day on Friday. We raised \$62.20 and that will be sent off to the Shepherd Centre to help give deaf children a voice.

## CANTEEN NEWS

**This week for 50c each are homemade muffins, they are NOT part of the meal deal, they can be brought separately at 1st break only. Please give the money to Mrs Miller in the office.** The MEAL DEAL this Wednesday will be: a sausage sandwich, bag of popcorn and a popper for \$5. Remember that your child may need something extra for recess.



## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Congratulations and Happy Birthday to:

Asha Ganderton who turns 8 today  
Andrew Rowley turns 12 on Wednesday  
Lilly Usher turns 10 on Thursday

## COMMUNITY NOTICES

### STARLIGHT CHILDREN'S FOUNDATION-Saturday 25th October Huskisson

The Starlight Children's Foundation are hosting The Great Adventure Challenge (a multisport team based corporate adventure race) and are after volunteers to help. Roles include: setting up the start of the event, putting up signs/bollards and bunting, directing competitors to parking areas or manning transition areas. Please see Mrs Miller for more details if you can help on this day.

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### MEAL DEAL—Wednesday 22nd October, 2014

I give permission for ..... to receive a meal deal consisting of a sausage sandwich (tomato sauce or BBQ sauce) PLEASE CIRCLE, bag of popcorn and a popper for \$5.

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Parent Signature

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Date

**DON'T FORGET YOUR RECESS!**