

Greenwell Point Public School



NEWSLETTER

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Term 4 Week 5

DATES TO REMEMBER

NOVEMBER

- 3-7 Swimming scheme
- 5-7 Canberra Excursion
- 7 Kinder 2015 Playgroup
- 14 Kinder Orientation
- 21 Assembly 2pm

DECEMBER

- 5 School disco
- 16 School Presentation
1pm Hall. All welcome
- 17 Last day Students
- 19 Last day Teachers



PRINCIPAL'S REPORT:

Dear parents,

Our school values the input of our parents. This year we have been very positive with response we have received. Each year we ask for comments and opinions from the parents to help guide our future directions. Attached to this newsletter is a questionnaire. Could you please add your thoughts and return to the office ASAP.

We would normally be having a whole school assembly this Friday. Due to teacher training, excursions and general disruptions we will be having one in week 7 on Friday 21st November.

Thank you for keeping our children looking so neat and clean. As a parent I remember the morning sessions of reminders just before my children left the house. An organised child for the day ahead, always learns with enthusiasm and confidence.

Although we have no current reports of head lice, please still keep an eye on your child's head. Head lice is only controlled when we work together and let the school know if you have treated them in your child's hair.

Bus travel has again come to my attention. A few children are still finding it difficult to sit on their seats and to ignore others. The bus company has my blessing when they say they will suspend a child from the bus if their behaviour is disrupting the driver. A safe trip to and from home is our aim and we need your support. Please remind your child that safe travel is very important for all.

WE are moving further into the global world of technology with the purchase of a dozen Ipads. Their use will be closely monitored and intended to support the 'drill and practise' work the children are doing in class.

Kate Murphy

Principal of a school with more technology per student than most!

ACTIVE AFTER SCHOOLS AT SCHOOL

THIS WEEK ACTIVE AFTER SCHOOLS WILL BE HELD AT THE SCHOOL AND NOT THE CLUB. Please pick your child up from the school at 4:15pm. Thank you

CANBERRA EXCURSION

The Canberra excursion is THIS WEEK, Week 5 on Wednesday 5—7 November, 2014. Please remember Canberra can be cold of a night. Children also need a pair of thick socks to wear under their skating boots. Please finalise payments this week, if you haven't made arrangements with Mrs Miller.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Congratulations and Happy Birthday to:
Tatiana Thorpe turns 8 on Friday



BOAT AWARDS

K/1

Breeanah Cocking

1/2

Ashleigh Innes

3/4/5/6

Andrew Rowley

SCHOOL SWIMMING SCHEME

The school swimming scheme continues this week with all students attending keen and excited to be refreshing their swimming skills on such a warm day.

CANTEEN NEWS

Students participating in the swimming scheme CAN order lunch this week. Canteen has home-made muffins for 50 cents each and super dopper ice blocks for 30 cents, 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 ham salad sandwich, bag of popcorn and a water for \$5. Remember that your child may need something extra for recess.



HELP NEEDED

I would like to help with the selling of raffle tickets at the Greenwell Point Hotel. Please include me on the roster. Fathers are most welcome to help.

Your name _____

Dates I'm available this Friday 7th Nov, Friday 21st Nov, 28th Nov, 5th Dec, 12th Dec, 12th Dec, 19th Dec, 26th Dec, Jan 2nd, 9th Jan, 16th Jan, 23rd Jan, 30th Jan
Please circle dates.



GREENWELL POINT PUBLIC SCHOOL—CANTEEN MEAL DEAL—Wednesday 5th November, 2014

I give permission for to receive a meal deal consisting of a ham salad sandwich, bag of popcorn and a water for \$5. Students attending swimming CAN order lunch this week.

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Parent Signature

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Date