

# Greenwell Point Public School



# NEWSLETTER

**School Motto – Growing and Learning Together**

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**PRINCIPAL: Mrs Kate Murphy**

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**Term 1 Week 4**

## DATES TO REMEMBER

### FEBRUARY

- 17 NRL Clinic K-6
- 24 Small school's swimming carnival for selected students

### MARCH

- 7 NRL Clinic K-6
- 14 AFL Clinic K-6
- 21 AFL Clinic K-6
- 25 Auskick Gala Day 3/4

### APRIL

- 7 Small schools Cross Country Carnival



## PRINCIPAL'S REPORT:

Dear Parents/Carers,

Our first P&C meeting was held last Friday. At this meeting a motion was passed to introduce a school dress. The definite style and cost are yet to be determined. This will optional with the skorts and will be phased in over the next two years.

Please remember that children need to attend school regularly to gain the best education possible. If sickness or family situations mean they are away for any period of time, please contact the school immediately.

From time to time I include information that I think may be helpful in the newsletter. It can be anything from healthy eating to parking safely. This information is always given in good faith and is never intended to single out anyone or to criticise the very hard job you are doing as parents.

'Learning to Read': Watch the video to hear what these teachers have to say to help, with quick tips on how to make it easier.

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=E50m77mluKU&feature=share>

Please refer to [www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au](http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au) a department website for helpful hints with your child's learning.

Kate Murphy  
Principal

## SCHOOL WORKBOOKS

Kinder to Year 2 Workbooks:

Targeting Handwriting \$12.50, Targeting Maths \$16.50 and Homework book \$14.50. Total \$43.50

Year 3 to Year 6:

Targeting Handwriting \$12.50 and Targeting Maths \$16.50. Total \$29  
Mr Wilkinson will be organising class homework.

## 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.

## SCHOOL BANKING

If any student has a school dollarmite account then please bring your banking in on Mondays. If you would like to open a school banking account then please see Mrs Miller in the office for the correct paperwork.

### **SMALL SCHOOL'S SWIMMING CARNIVAL**

All Years 3-6 students who are turning 8 this year and can confidently swim 50 meters are invited to attend the small school's swimming carnival. A separate note will be going home to those students who have been tested at the Greenwell Point Pool and are capable of swimming 50 meters.

### **ACTIVE AFTER SCHOOL Years 3-6**

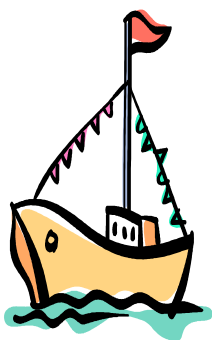
Starting this Wednesday we will be participating in the Active After Schools' Program running every Wednesday for an hour until Week 10. Children will be invited to apply and excellent behaviour will be expected from the visiting coach. Please return notes to school by Wednesday. Children not be going to the bowling club this week. Please collect children from the school at 4.15 pm.

### **PRIVATE PIANO MUSIC LESSONS AT SCHOOL**

Private piano lessons will be offered by a qualified teacher with Australian Guild Music Society. Lessons are available for pleasure or for piano performance exams at the cost of \$25 a half hour lesson. Children may take up this opportunity if they are beginners or already have significant music ability. These lessons will be available during school hours providing a much needed opportunity for working parents and the children of our school.

### **CANTEEN NEWS**

Our school canteen is up and running on Wednesday's. Students are to mark their order on a brown paper bag and bring it to the office Wednesday morning. If you would like to volunteer one day per month then please let the school or Kylie Kaszonyi know.



### **BOAT AWARDS**

K/1

Nav Innes

1/2

Luke Butler

3/4/5/6

Angus McKay

### **BIRTHDAYS**

*Congratulations and Happy Birthday to:*  
Paige Lember who turns 6 on Saturday



## **SPORT**

### **NRL AND AFL CLINICS**

The school will be holding both NRL and AFL clinics for K-6 over the next month. These clinics are free and will be held at school with an Auskick Gala Day for Years 3 and 4 on the 25th March.

## **COMMUNITY NOTICES**

### **SHOALHAVEN CITY COUNCIL FINES**

Shoalhaven City Council have recently sent out an e-mail reminding families about the school zone traffic and parking offences. Please find attached a copy of these fines.