

## **Greenwell Point Public School**

# NEWSLETTER

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#### School Motto – Growing and Learning Together

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RELIEVING PRINCIPAL: Mr Gordon Parrish 2nd November, 2015 Term 4 Week 5

#### **DATES TO REMEMBER**

#### **NOVEMBER**

4-6 Berry Sport/Rec

7 Trivia Night

13 Charity Day

16-

27 Swimming Scheme

#### PRINCIPAL'S REPORT:

Dear Parents.

Welcome to week 5 of term 4, and its CAMP week for students in 4, 5 and 6! Very exciting! Final notes have gone home and the weather isn't looking too bad for what should be a great 3 days!

A big thank you to our P&C and to all the other parents who helped to make our Halloween Disco such a howling success! The costumes were awesome and fun and good times were had by all, a real scream!!!

There will be a P&C meeting this Thursday in the Library at 1:30pm. This will be followed by the last Trivia Night meeting, speaking of which some parents will be meeting in the Hall this Tuesday morning to start preparations and tidying up the Hall for the Trivia Night. Contact Tara or Shannon if you can help! Students will be given a raffle book to help sell for the Trivia Night this Saturday. Please return all tickets sold or unsold to the office. Don't forget; make sure you purchase your TRIVIA NIGHT tickets this week!

Next Monday all students will begin a four week Gymnastics program under the guidance of the instructors from Nowra Gymnastics. This is another awesome opportunity for your children funded through the Sporting Schools program and there will be no cost to the children. All lessons will be in the morning and should not impact on attendance to the swimming scheme.

Our first Kinder playgroup morning will be next Friday the 13th of November, and straight after this all students will be heading down to the Boat Ramp Foreshore to participate in our Charity Walk A Thon. Please make sure you are encouraging your kids to collect as many sponsors as possible for the day, all monies raised will be distributed to the <a href="Loud Shirt Day">Loud Shirt Day</a>, <a href="Footy Colours Day">Footy Colours Day</a> and <a href="Canteen">Canteen</a> charities! Bandanas are still available for purchase at the office!

Don't forget, the Book Fair is running in the Library this Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday at lunchtime from 11:30 – 12:00, and again after school between 3:00 and 4:00 pm. Remember, every book sold goes towards adding books to our library. An awesome opportunity to get in early for Christmas!

Our School and the P&C have joined together with Greenwell Point Union Church to create a community calendar under the theme of "We Love Our Greenwell Point". The production of the calendar will be undertaken by Mr Phil Morehead and it is hoped that the calendar will promote a sense of community involvement and pride. There is no cost to the school and parents are under no obligation to purchase the calendar, all we need to supply are artworks, photos and short stories that focus on our community and the things that make Greenwell Point a "COOL" place to live. Such activities could include: fishing, boating, kayaking, cycling, sport, picnicking, fish and chips, or whatever else you might think of. Our students will complete some artwork and short stories here at school, but if you have some photos or work from your children and you wish to be part of this endeavour, then please email them or drop them into the office as soon as convenient. Email to greenwelpt-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

The calendar will be launched at the Community Carols on Monday 14th December and available for purchase in participating local businesses.

Don't forget, get our School Stream App: <a href="http://www.schoolstream.com.au/download/?school=Greenwell+Point+Public+School&school-url=http%3A%2F%">http://www.schoolstream.com.au/download/?school=Greenwell+Point+Public+School&school-url=http%3A%2F%</a>

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Kind regards Gordon Parrish Relieving Principal

#### **CHARITY DAY**

Each student has been given a note and a sponsorship form for the school's "Charity Day". Please take time to raise sponsors in a safe manor and if you would like to order a meal deal then please send in your form and money to







the school. If you have misplaced this form then please see Mrs Miller.

#### 4/5/6 BERRY SPORT AND RECREATION CAMP

On Wednesday the 4/5/6 excursion to Berry Sport & Rec will take place. Please meet your child at the school so we can all leave together. Please remember that transport will be arranged by yourselves to and from the venue. If you have not already done so please complete your medical details online and complete the final payment. Details of the online requirements were sent home on the last week of Term 3. Mr Wilkinson will now be the teacher attending camp. Have a great time.

#### **CANTEEN NEWS**

Mums and dads, our canteen supplies your children with a great meal deal and a friendly face every week. Canteen also teaches monetary skills—for our kids to save, earn or receive coins to spend on day per week. The interaction with canteen staff gives the children without family or teachers guidance, the opportunity to practice manners and gain self confidence. We cannot do it without volunteers—please spare 1-3 hours per month on a Wednesday morning and help keep our canteen growing. If you can help out in someway then please let Mrs Miller in the office know.

Regards, Canteen Workers

This week the meal deal is chicken nuggets and party pies. 1/4 frozen oranges are now available for 20 cents each.



## BIRTHDAYS

### Congratulations and Best Wishes to:

Michael in Kinder turns 6 tomorrow (Tuesday)

Clark in Kinder turns 6 on Friday



## GREENWELL POINT PUBLIC SCHOOL—CANTEEN MEAL DEAL- Wednesday 4th November, 2015

ing of chicken nuggets and party pies, a bag	to receive a meal deal consist- of popcorn/chips and popper for \$5. All students need to r 50 cents, ice blocks 50 cents, custard cups now \$1, 1/4 \$1.
Parent Signature	Date