

Greenwell Point Public School



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NEWSLETTER

School Motto – Growing and Learning Together

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PRINCIPAL: Mrs Kate Murphy

1st August 2016

Term 3 Week 3

DATES TO REMEMBER

AUGUST

17 Festival meeting 8.30

19 School assembly 2pm

23 Education / Book
Week celebration

25 P&C meeting in the
hall

OCTOBER

27 Power FM Breakfast

29 Oyster/Fishing
festival

IMPORTANT REQUEST

Please **DO NOT** bring peanuts
or use peanut butter at
school.

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PRINCIPAL'S REPORT:

Dear Parents,

We only have twelve weeks left until the festival. We are still looking for stall holders, donations for prizes, sponsorship, white elephant items, offers for helpers on the day, plants and ideas. You are invited to come to the committee meeting to be held in the hall on Wednesday 17th August, commencing at 8.30am. Every cent earned goes back into the school to support your child's education and enjoyment.

Please keep 29th October free, so your children can perform and enjoy what looks like it will be a fun day for everyone. Teachers are coming on the day to run child friendly activities. This frees up parents to help on the P&C stall or have a well earned rest.

White elephant and craft items may be left at school when ever you are ready to bring them in. Support has been slow but I'm confident that the goodwill of our parents will shine.

My role as Principal of this school is to follow the priorities and policies of the Department of Education NSW. I do this job while trying to please everyone or at least making sure everyone understands why processes and procedures have to be followed. Last week we had a visit from the Home School Liaison Officer. It is his role to check that children are coming to school and if not why.

All late entries or early leaving from school have to be recorded. Children who regularly come late to school are missing important instructions that set them up to understand their lessons.

Many thanks to the parents who have asked family and friends to purchase a pie from our pie drive.

You are invited to join in the fun on Tuesday 23rd August for a combined Education/Book week celebration. Teachers are organising creative activities for parents and students and children are asked to dress up in their favourite book character.

Kate Murphy
Principal



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Congratulations and Happy Birthday to:
Jordan C in 2/3 who turns 8 on Thursday and
Matua in Kinder who turns 6 on Sunday

PARENT/TEACHER INTERVIEWS KINDERGARTEN

Thank you for the understanding shown for the cancellation of the Kindergarten interviews last week.

Mrs Bowman will be conducting the interviews on **Tuesday 16th August**. Please let Mrs Bowman know ASAP if the time you originally asked for is no longer suitable.

CANTEEN

If you have a spare 2 hours this Wednesday (9:30am to 11:30am) for canteen could you please contact Mrs Miller in the office. The meal deal this week will be hot dogs.

SPORT

AFL PAUL KELLY CUP—**CANCELLED**

Unfortunately, due to lack of interest and only having 3 notes returned from students for the Paul Kelly Cup tomorrow Tuesday 2nd August, we have had to cancel our participation in this event. Apologies to those students who returned their notes.



GREENWELL POINT PUBLIC SCHOOL—CANTEEN

MEAL DEAL—Wednesday 3rd August, 2016

I give permission for to receive a meal deal consisting of a hot dog, popper and popcorn for \$5. All students need to provide recess. Muffins can be purchased for 50¢.

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