



Greenwell Point Public School

NEWSLETTER



School Motto – Growing and Learning Together

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Term 1 Week 2

DATES TO REMEMBER

JANUARY

31 Best Start Testing for Kindergarten 2017

FEBRUARY

1 Kinder start

IMPORTANT REQUEST

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

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Greenwell Point Public School has a Facebook page where we post lots of reminders, good news stories and share snaps and snippets from our school days and events. Don't miss our on the updates and photos on your devices. Like our page today!

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Please remember that our newsletter is able to be viewed on our school website:
www.greenwelpt-p.schools.nsw.edu.au

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT:

Dear Parents and Guardians,

This year we have some changes that were not apparent at our presentation day. Mr Wilkinson decided not to take the offer of RFF teacher and has sort a position elsewhere. We wish him well in his new endeavours and thank him for his support in the past.

We welcome Mr Atherton who has been appointed to our school as a permanent teacher by the Department of Education. He will be teaching the 2/3/4 class. Other changes this year include Mr Perkins teaching RFF, Miss Gardner will be supporting Early Stage one and Stage one students and Mrs Court teaching 1/2 class on Fridays.

Miss Kath, Mrs Hiscox and Mrs Carol Williams will be supporting the teachers. Mrs Hiscox will be in the office Monday and Tuesday. Mrs Miller will be available Wednesday to Friday,

The classes for the year :-

Mrs Williams 4/5/6

Mr Atherton 2/3/4

Mrs Baker 1/2

Miss Bowman K/1

We also welcome this week several new students K-6: Lily, Abbie, Bethany , Ty, Zachery, Jacob, Craig, Olivia, Shiann, River, Isabella, Mikaela, Lilly and Jade. Please make their parents feel welcome by saying hello at the gate.

In every newsletter we will endeavour to include important information for your child's well being at school. If you are new to the school the newsletter will help answer most questions that arise. If you have any concerns or information you need to discuss, please remember I'm a teaching principal and therefore usually am only available after school or by appointment. The newsletter can be found online at the school website:

<http://www.greenwelpt-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/> and also on our schools Face Book page. At Greenwell Point Public school we also use the school stream app for communication. Please download this from iTunes or Google Play. If you have any troubles with this app, see Mrs Hiscox and she may be able to help.

New parents please note we are a nut free school and do have a student who is highly allergic to nuts.

We require every student to have a current information sheet in case of a technology failure. Please complete the attached form and have your child return it to school by the end of this week. If you are new to the school we already have yours.

Kate Murphy

Principal of a lovely small school doing amazing things!



BOAT AWARDS-

Positive Behaviour for Learning are called Boat awards which are a 'free and frequent' acknowledgement that a child is doing what has been asked of them in the playground. The tickets go into a draw at the end of the week where one lucky ticket holder per class wins a small prize. Winners appear in this space each week.



BIRTHDAYS

Congratulations and Happy Birthday to these people that had a birthday in January

Olivia W turned 5

Isabella H also 5

Ryan S turned 8

Nav turned 9

Cody Denny turned 10

Also to Max who turns 7 on the 3rd February.

Abbie Read who turns on the 5th .



CANTEEN—SORRY NO CANTEEN THIS WEEK.

P & C News:

The canteen is run by the P & C, so we are asking for volunteers to come and help. The canteen is only open one day a week which is usually a Wednesday but there is a suggestion that we may get more volunteers on a Friday, so if you can help please fill in the form below. Also we are looking for helpers for the Pub raffle, this is an amazing opportunity for our school as a fundraiser. If you have any questions about either please see Mrs Hiscox in the office for more details.

Thanking You

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Name:

I am available to help in the school canteen on a Wednesday ☐ or Friday ☐

I am available to help on a Friday Night at the Greenwell Point Pub raffle. ☐

I am interested in having my name and email address added to the P & C email list so that I can find out more information.

Name:

Email address:

