Greenwell Point Public School

NEWSLETTER

School Motto – Growing and Learning Together

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PRINCIPAL: Mrs Cathie Glennan   **9th June, 2020**   ***Term 2 Week 7***

DATES TO REMEMBER

JUNE

9   Online applications open for the OC class 2021

12   Book Club due back

JULY

3   School Holidays start

20   Staff return Term 3

21   Students return T3

ADULTS <u>ARE NOT</u> TO ENTER THE SCHOOL GROUNDS UNLESS THEY HAVE NOTIFIED THE SCHOOL. KISS AND DROP YOUR CHILD OFF AT THE SCHOOL GATE AND RING AHEAD IF YOU HAVE AN AP-

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NO HAT NO PLAY

No hat will be given to any student who forget their hat. They will play under the cola.

Hat—$12 Uniform Shop

IMPORTANT REQUEST

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

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT:

Dear Parents,

We hope you all enjoyed a wonderful long weekend with your families and you managed to get in some down time.

This week at school sees the return of Ms Bowman who has been on an extended period of leave. Mr Tucker will however, continue to take 3/4B until the end of the term for continuity. We also have a student teacher joining us for the next 4 weeks from Charles Sturt University. His name is Thomas Matthews and we are excited to have him on board. Mr Matthews will be team teaching alongside Mr Tucker for the rest of the term, so welcome Mr Matthews.

Over a week ago now I set a writing challenge for 3/4B. Their challenge was to write a persuasive text on 'Gaming'. Their challenge was to convince me that either 'Gaming should be banned' or convince me that 'Gaming shouldn't be banned'. The children had a wonderful time researching and debating the topic. They posed very valid arguments both for and against. The activity sparked a lot of interest and the writing samples that were produced were a real credit to the children and the teacher. In the end the arguments for not banning gaming won. I cannot wait to set the next writing challenge and am looking to extending this out to Year 5/6 as well.

This week sees a new timetable for library borrowing. Please encourage your child to borrow on a regular occasion. Class designated days are as follows:

Monday - 3/4B
Tuesday - 1O
Wednesday - 5/6W
Thursday - 2/3G
Friday- Kindergarten

We are currently asking parents to notify the school if you have a child starting kindergarten in 2021 or if you know anyone in the Greenwell Point area to contact the school.

Congratulations to Eli Caswell and Ivy Grimwood for completing last weeks puzzles. I will give you your prize this week. I have a new puzzle

this week for you to complete and return to me asap.

Finally, just a friendly reminder about children crossing the road before and after school. We are witnessing many parents encouraging children to cross at locations other that the crossing by calling children across the road. Please discourage these dangerous habits and encourage your children to cross at the designated crossing locations. Please hold your child's hand when you cross. Lets work together to keep our children safe.

Have a great week.

Mrs Glennan
Principal

BIRTHDAYS

Congratulations and Happy Birthday

Shiann in Year 6 turns 12 on Saturday.

BOAT AWARDS

K—Izabel & Zoe

1 —Shayla & Jaicii

2/3—Deagan & Bella

3/4—Olivia & Madison

5/6—Jade & Heidi

BOOK CLUB
Book Club is due back on the 12th June, 2020. Late orders will not be accepted.

OC PLACEMENT FOR 2021
If your child is in Year 4 and you are interested in applying for the Year 5 opportunity class placement for 2021 the online application opens on Tuesday 9th June, 2020 and closes on Friday 26th June, 2020. If you are interested in a placement, please arrange with the office to pick up an information package.

All the Digits

Age 7 to 11 ★★

This represents the multiplication of a 4-figure number by 3.

$$\begin{array}{r} \star\star\star\star \\ \times \qquad 3 \\ \hline \star\star\star\star\star \end{array}$$

The whole calculation uses each of the digits 0 — 9 once and once only.

The 4-figure number contains three consecutive numbers, which are not in order. The third digit is the sum of two of the consecutive numbers.

The first, third and fifth figures of the five-digit product are three consecutive numbers, again not in order. The second and fourth digits are also consecutive numbers.

Can you replace the stars in the calculation with figures?

CHALLENGE

A prize for anyone who solves this maths problem. Mrs Glennan has the answer.