Greenwell Point Public School



NEWSLETTER

School Motto – Growing and Learning Together

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PRINCIPAL: Ms Cathie Secombe 16th February, 2021 Term 1 Week 4

DATES TO REMEMBER

FEBUARY

16 Meet & greet sessions

K/1 3.10pm-3.25pm

2/3 3.30pm-3.45pm

5/6 3.50pm-4.05pm

17 **3/4/5** 3.10pm-3.25pm

1/2 3.30pm-3.45pm

MARCH

- 1 STEPS (Eyesight test) Kinder only
- 16 P&C Meeting 6.00pm
- 24 X Country (Year 3 –6)
- 31 School Photos

NEW COVID RULES

If you need to enter the school grounds please scan the QR code and sign in at the office.

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.

Meet the Teacher Information Sessions

We hope you are able to make our 'Meet the Teacher' sessions being held both tonight and tomorrow. Please see the timetable for your child's time slot. As explained due to COVID restrictions we will hold our information sessions over 2 afternoons and we apologise if this causes you any inconvenience.

These sessions will provide information about your child's class, the expectations set across the school and the wonderful things they will be doing throughout the year. We look forward to seeing as many of you as possible.

Please note that these sessions are for parents only due to COVID restrictions for social distancing reasons. Thank you for your understanding.

Scripture

Scripture starts this Thursday. Please contact the office as soon as possible if you wish a change to your child's religious education. If we do not hear from you your child will attend the same choice as last year.

Afternoon Pick Up

Just a reminder for parents to collect their children promptly and walk them back to the car. I know everyone has been patient with the restrictions but I ask that parents do not wait on the road or have chats near the school gate. I also ask that children are supervised when back at your car or while you are talking to another parent. This is for safety reasons. I appreciate everyone's support and understanding in making our pick-up situation as safe and quickly as possible.

Illness/Cold and Flu

A high percentage of students have recently been sent home from school suffering from sore throats, runny noses and a cough. If your child is unwell we ask that you do not send them to school. All children presenting with cold or flu-like symptoms will be sent home. We thank you for your support in this matter.

Voluntary Contributions

At our last P& C Meeting we discussed voluntary contributions for students.

Voluntary contributions were set at the following:

One child - \$25.00 a year

Two children - \$40.00 a year

Three or more children-\$50.00 a year

The money from voluntary contributions goes towards purchasing resources for your child's classroom. Please remember there is no expectation on families to pay.

Have a great week,

Ms Catherine Secombe

BOAT AWARDS

K/1 - Isaac & Dom

1/2 - Zoe & Kenzie

2/3 - Olivia & Ivy

3/4/5—David & Isabel

5/6 — Taylah & Jade



BIRTHDAYS

Congratulations and Happy Birthday



Braxton in 2/3 turns 8 today Yuvi in 1/2 turns 6 on Thursday Hugh in 2/3 turns 9 on Saturday Myles in 1/2 turns 8 on Monday

P&C NEWS

This year the P&C are organising an Easter raffle. The P&C ask that each child brings in an Easter Egg donation for the raffle by the 19th March. Tickets will go on sale shortly through the MY SCHOOL CONNECT app for \$2.00 each. The raffle will be drawn on the 31st March and winners will be notified.

Every Friday night the P&C run the Pub raffle as they have done so for the past few years. We are asking for volunteers to help sell tickets. As an incentive a \$5.00 canteen voucher will be given. For more information please contact Helen George 0414 719 78.

Did you know that the P&C meet once a month on a Tuesday night in the school library? If you would like to join the P&C or would like any more information just ring Rachael Smith 0401 621 662

Uniforms and lunch orders can be ordered on the MY SCHOOL CONNECT app. Please note that uniforms orders will only be completed on a **Tuesday**.











Maths and Reading Buddies









COMMUNITY NOTICES

1st Nowra Scout Group is currently seeking new youth members to join our cub group.

Cubs is for both boys and girls aged 8 to 11 years. We focus on exploring the outdoors and living an active lifestyle in a safe and friendly environment. Our cub group meets on Monday nights from 6pm - 7:30pm.



Our hall can be found on the corner of Jervis and Shoalhaven Streets, Nowra.

For more information, please contact our leader, Kath Cain on 02 4448 5450 or search for us on Facebook.