## **Greenwell Point Public School**



# NEWSLETTER

School Motto – Growing and Learning Together

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PRINCIPAL: Ms Cathie Secombe 23rd February, 2021 Term 1 Week 5

#### DATES TO REMEMBER

#### **FEBUARY**

#### **MARCH**

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

#### **APRIL**

2-19 School Holidays

20 Students return

#### **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,

We are halfway through the term already and the children have now settled into their classroom routines.

Last week, we held our parent 'Meet and Greet' and the staff and I thank those parents who were able to attend to find out more about their child's daily routines and what is expected in the classroom.

This week, teachers are devising Individual Education Plans for students with allocated funding and next week will be completing Personal Education Plans. Due to ongoing Covid restrictions, parents will not be asked to attend these meetings, however, a copy of the completed plans will be sent home for you to review. If you would like to discuss these further with your child's teacher please contact the school.

This Thursday, the whole school will begin golf coaching for sport. The children will need to wear comfortable joggers to participate in the skills taught. All students will need to remember their hat and a drink bottle on a daily basis. Children without a hat must play under the covered area.

On Friday 5<sup>th</sup> March, our school will be participating in Clean Up Australia Day around the school grounds. Your child is invited to bring a disposable or rubber glove to school to participate in the clean up. We always manage to fill a few bags each year with rubbish from areas around the playground and from areas not used on a daily basis.

Have a great week,

Ms Catherine Secombe

#### **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

#### **BOAT AWARDS**

K/1 - Savanah & Will S

1/2 - Xaviar & Summer

2/3 - Pixi & Massey

3/4/5— Evie & Ella

5/6 - Bella & Ms Weeks



#### BIRTHDAYS

#### Congratulations and Happy Birthday



Korey in 3/4/5 turns 9 tomorrow Bella in 5/6 turns 11 on Saturday

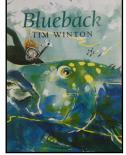
Uniforms and lunch orders can be ordered on the MY SCHOOL CONNECT app. Please note that uniforms orders will only be completed on a **Tuesday**.

#### **REMINDER**

Reminder for kindergarten parents if permission notes for the STEPS (EYESIGHT TEST) permission note has not been returned, please do so ASAP. If in need of a new form see Mrs Miller in the office.



During Term 1 3/4/5 have been reading and responding to the book "Blueback" by Tim Winton. The book is about a boy named Abel who develops a strong connection with a blue groper. We used the way in which Tim Wilton described Blueback and the ocean he swims in to paint our interpretation of the fish and bring the book to life.







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.

### **COMMUNITY NOTICES**

#### Do you want to play Girls League Tag?

Are you aged between 8 and 14?

If you answered yes then be at Crookhaven Oval on

Wednesday's from 5pm for more information and help with registering.

Or contact Jude Spurway on 0418 509 589 or message us on our Facebook page.

Registrations for all teams (boys & girls) are now open.

Go playrugbyleague.com to register

