

Greenwell Point Public School



NEWSLETTER

School Motto – Growing and Learning Together

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Term 2 Week 2

DATES TO REMEMBER

APRIL

27 P & C AGM & General Meeting

29 FISST X Country

MAY

4 Shoalhaven High Visit Year 6

11-19 Naplan (Years 3 & 5)

26 National Sorry Day

27 District X Country

JUNE

14 Queen's birthday

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 forgets their hat. They will play under the cola.

IMPORTANT REQUEST

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

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT:

Dear Parents/Carers,

Over the next 4 weeks we will be hosting a student-teacher in Year 5/6. Welcome to Ms Blane, we know you will have a wonderful time here at Greenwell Point Public and I know the students are very excited to have you here with us. We hope you take a lot from your time here at Greenwell Point Public and can use the knowledge you gain from working alongside our wonderful teaching staff and apply this to other schools. I'm sure you will also provide the students with some wonderful learning experiences during this time.

Thank you to Chief Petty Officer Phil Hirschhausen and Mr Tim Standen who attended our School ANZAC service yesterday. Both your talks to the children and the generous gift of books for our library were well received. Can I also take the opportunity to thank our school leaders Max George and Indeeke Pinkard as well as Rob George (Parent) for representing our school at this years Dawn Service. Due to restrictions, we were only able to have 3 people attend.

Today I had the pleasure of reading some work from our Year 1 students. These students have been learning about persuasive texts and putting forward their arguments backed by fact and/or opinions. It is wonderful to see our younger students considering all points of view before making a decision. Keep up the great work Year 1!

Later this week students aged 8 and over heading off to Willandra to compete alongside students from other small schools at the Cross Country. I'd like to take the opportunity to wish all of our students the best of luck for this event and congratulate them for participating. Please note parents can attend, but restrictions do apply. Please refer to the original note that was sent home last term.

Finally, I'd like to give a massive thank you to Mrs Baker who relived for me during my leave of absence. She did a wonderful job and the school ran very smoothly.

Have a great week.

Ms Catherine Secombe

P&C NEWS

There will be AGM and a general meeting tonight, everyone is welcome, we would love to see new faces, there is no pressure to take a position, just show up at 6pm in school library.

The Friday night meat raffle at the Greenwell Point Hotel has been a major fundraiser for the P&C for many years now. Without it we would still be dreaming of a multi purpose court, we wouldn't have fly screens (to keep the pesky mosquitoes out of the class rooms), air conditioners in every class room, new and updated readers, free end of year fun days for all our kids, free bus trips for all our kids, access to so many IPADs and much, much more. We need your help to raise these funds so our kids can have more than the average small public school and so we can help pay for things we as parents and carers would otherwise have to. The patrons at the Greenwell Point Hotel happily open their wallets and their purses every week to help us, but we need some volunteers to take their money. We are on track to make a profit of around \$8,000 for the year. Please consider if you can help on a Friday night, rally your friends, your relatives and/or kids

BIRTHDAYS

Congratulations and Happy Birthday



Jett in K/1 turns 6 today
Bella in 2/3 turns 8 on Friday
Cale in 2/3 turns 8 on Monday

BOAT AWARDS



K/1 —Emmett & Isaac
1/2 — Ava & Jesse
2/3 — Jetson & Hugh
3/4/5—Olivia & Taylor
5/6 — Riley & Bella

friends parents/carers and help the P&C raise some funds to help your kids. All volunteers will receive a \$5 canteen voucher for volunteering.

Dates that need to be filled for the next few months are below:

14th May - Nicole and ?, 21st May, 28th May

4th June, 11th June, 25th June

2nd July, 9th July, 16th July, 23rd July & 30th July.

If you are able to help on any of these dates please contact Helen on 041 471 9778

BOOK CLUB

Book Club is due back on the 30th April. Please take note that orders after this date **will not be accepted** and that the preferred method to order books is online using LOOP. www.scholastic.com.au/LOOP

NETBALL CLUB

Netball club is starting THIS FRIDAY @ 8.30 in the morning with Mrs Oatley & Miss Weekes for the Year 5 & Year 6 only.



Our school representatives at Greenwell Point
Anzac Day ceremony



Ms Cathie Secombe, Chief Petty Officer Phil Hirschausen
HMAS Albatross and
Mr Tim Standen RSL Nowra sub branch.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

SHOALHAVEN FOOTBALL TERM 2

Mini skills program for players, male or female born between 2014-2016.

This program is suitable for players of all abilities. Activities will include special awareness running with the ball, striking the ball, small sided games.

On Monday at South Nowra between 4.00pm –4.45pm. This is a 6 week program commencing 3rd May.

The program cost \$65.00. If interested please either email your expression of interest to

coaching@sholhavenfootball.com.au or 0488034500 with player's name, date of birth, contact number, health issues & email address.



LEAGUE STARS: BE YOUR OWN HERO

League Stars is an introductory program that is all play, no contact, appealing to the true nature of kids, in all their messy, high energy, love of fun and play. League Stars is run after school for primary school aged children over 6 Weeks. The program is suitable for all abilities with the focus on practicing fundamental movement skills and having a blast with friends.

Culburra League Stars Program Information:

- **MONDAY AFTERNOONS from 4pm - 5pm**

- Girls and Boys ages **5-12 years old**

- Cost \$79 (includes league stars pack and the 6 x 1 hour sessions)

- All ages and abilities are welcome. (Current and non-registered players)

- All Participants to bring their OWN drink bottle clearly labelled, hat, and wear suitable sporting footwear (e.g. joggers or football boots).

- You will receive your League Stars pack in the mail

- Please ensure parents, guardians, or caretakers arrive 10 minutes prior to the conclusion of the session to pick up/sign out their child.

- Any participant or parent displaying cold/flu symptoms are urged to stay at home.

To REGISTER: go to

<https://profile.mysideline.com.au/register/clubsearch/?criteria=culburra&type=player&activity=League%20Stars&gender&agemin&agemax&comptype&source=rugby-league&fbclid=IwAR17jWD80HaUCAckT7mraRXweJs2X7ITnWGhrVorDpsQ1DrETjrvYFGk34>