

# Greenwell Point Public School



# NEWSLETTER

*School Motto – Growing and Learning Together*

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PRINCIPAL: Ms Catherine Secombe

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Term 2 Week 6

## DATES TO REMEMBER

### MAY

- 25 P&C meeting 6pm
- 26 National Sorry Day

### JUNE

- 4 Book club orders due
- 14 Queen's birthday holiday
- 25 Whole school assembly (2:20pm)
- 25 Last Day Term 2

### JULY

- 12 Pupil free day
- 13 Students return

## 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,

It was lovely to see so many of you at last week's assembly. We are hoping that come towards the end of the year we will be able to hold a normal assembly without restrictions. Congratulations to all of our award winners and our SRC representatives.

Today sees our district cross country competitors race at Willandra. We would like to wish them all the best of luck and we know you will be wonderful ambassadors for our school. The following students are representing our school. Edward T 1/2, Noah S 2/3, Patrick S 2/3, Ella B 3/4/5, Eli C 3/4/5, Elijah C 3/4/5, Isabel H 3/4/5, Taylor L 3/4/5, Charlaine P 3/4/5, Evie P 3/4/5, Leylani 3/4/5, Lilly R 3/4/5, Samantha H 5/6, Indeeka P 5/6, Jade P 5/6, Asher 5/6, Riley W 5/6 and Tyson W 5/6.

Tomorrow is National Sorry Day. Observed annually on 26 May, National Sorry Day remembers and acknowledges the mistreatment of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people who were forcibly removed from their families and communities, which we now know as 'The Stolen Generations'.

National Sorry Day is a day to acknowledge the strength of Stolen Generations Survivors and reflect on how we can all play a part in the healing process for our people and nation. While this date carries great significance for the Stolen Generations and other Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples, it is also commemorated by Australians right around the country. We will recognise the day ourselves at school, with some activities and time for reflection.

Please join us tonight in the library at 6 pm for our P&C meeting if you are able. On tonight's agenda we will be discussing our meeting frequencies, canteen menu, fundraising ideas, and upcoming school events. The meeting should be concluded by 7 pm. All are welcome!

Have a great week.

Ms Catherine Secombe





## BIRTHDAYS

### Congratulations and Happy Birthday

Charlaine in 3/4/5 turns 11 today  
 Elijah in 3/4/5 turns 10 on Thursday  
 Ethan in K/1 turns 7 on Thursday  
 Eli B in 3/4/5 turns 8 on Friday  
 Pixi in 2/3 turns 9 on Sunday



## BOAT AWARDS

K/1 — Avah-Jade & Lila  
 1/2 — Aleisha & Zoe  
 2/3 — Bella & Liam  
 3/4/5— Taylor & Brayden  
 5/6 — Indeeka & Max L

## ASSEMBLY AWARDS

### K/1

**Alex**—for excellent attitude in reading groups.  
**Sam**—for working hard on learning his sounds and camera words.  
**Savannah**—for always delivering neat and colourful work.  
**William W**—for entertaining speech about his favourite book.  
**Finley**—for impressive contributions to daily number tasks.

### Year 1/2

**Anahera**—for achieving significant growth in reading.  
**Michael**— for displaying commitment and responsibility to his class job.  
**Myles**—for a well structured persuasive writing text.  
**Chayse**—for demonstrating mathematics thinking skills beyond Year 1 level.  
**Kenzi**—for showing responsibility in all aspects of schooling.  
**Airlie**—for demonstrating responsibility for own learning.

### 2/3

**Bella**—for persevering during challenging maths lessons.  
**Patrick**—for always demonstrating our school value of responsibility, in and out of the classroom.  
**Ellie**— for always displaying an enthusiastic attitude towards all learning tasks.  
**Harley**—for showing his understanding of our school values by striving to better himself on and off of the playground.  
**Hugh**—for putting in a huge effort in phonics and reading lessons.  
**Jake**—for showing dedication and perseverance in improving his handwriting.

### 3/4/5

**Tamika**—For presenting an engaging persuasive speech.  
**Jack**— For presenting a persuasive speech with confidence.  
**Korey**— For presenting a persuasive speech that engaged his audience  
**Olivia**— For always bringing a positive and respectful attitude to school.  
**Lilly** — For taking responsibility for her learning by asking for help when needed.  
**Elijah** — For taking responsibility for his learning by researching facts about Christopher Columbus in his own time.

### 5/6

**Clark**— For working beyond in decimals and fraction and clay sculptures.  
**Michael**— For working beyond in decimals and persuasive writing.  
**Chelsea**— For developing a sense of confidence in class discussions.  
**Riley** — For being a responsible and respectful learner.  
**Heidi** —For being a kind classmate and being a responsible learner.  
**Asher**— for being a respectful classmate.

For canteen and school uniform purchases.

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**Book Club LOOP**  
 The EASIEST way for parents to order and pay for Book Club!

**Parents: Are you registered for LOOP?**  
 LOOP is the easiest way for you to order and pay online for your child's Book Club order, if you wish to pay by credit card.

Parents who are registered for LOOP receive exclusive sneak peeks, downloads and offers throughout the school year—don't miss out!

**BONUS!**

Head to [scholastic.com.au/LOOP](https://scholastic.com.au/LOOP) and register today!

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## COMMUNITY NOTICES

### Aware Achieving Wellbeing And Resilience through Education.

AWARE is a free school holiday program providing 3 days of activities and learning for children aged 8-12 years where a parent/carer or other family member is living with mental ill health. Through craft, music and games, participants are supported to learn about mental ill health and express themselves in a safe environment. They will meet others in similar situations and learn about issues that may arise in their families due to mental ill health, ways to manage their emotions and seek support.

On: Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday 6-8 July 2021, 9.00am – 3.30pm Location Bomaderry Anglican Church Corner Princes Hwy and W Birriley St Bomaderry 2541 This is a free course. Lunch and refreshments provided. For bookings and information Kerry 4254 1600 Hayleigh 0447 328 11

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