Greenwell Point Public School



NEWSLETTER

School Motto - Growing and Learning Together

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PRINCIPAL: Ms Catherine Secombe 30th March, 2023 Term 1 Week 10

DATES TO REMEMBER

MARCH

31 Assembly/Easter Hat Parade 2pm in hall

APRIL

4-5-6 FREE Dental Clinic Visit

7-21 School Holidays

24 Staff Development Day

25 ANZAC Day

26 Students Return

28 School Photos

May

4 FISST Cross Country

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.

This will be our final newsletter for the term and I'd like to thank you all for a wonderful 11 weeks. It's gone extremely fast.

Coming up over the next few weeks we have the following:

End of Term assembly and Easter Hat Parade

This Friday sees our final assembly for the term. It will commence at 2pm and incorporate our Easter Hat Parade. All students are invited to wear a hat they have created at home. Year 1/2 will be performing for us. The P&C will also be drawing their Easter raffle.

Mural

On Monday 3rd April, students in Year 5/6 will be participating in the creating a small mural at the school. Students are encouraged to bring an old set of clothes with them. Please do not send in clothes that you are worried about getting dirty or stained.

Cross Country Practice

For the remainder of term, the entire school will be practising their skills for Cross Country along the waterfront path. Please say hello if you see us out and about.

ANZAC March

This year our school has again been invited to join the Dawn Service here at Greenwell Point. All students are invited to march. Students are to wear full school uniform and meet outside the Greenwell Point Butchery at 5:10 am. Students will march down to ANZAC park where they will participate in the dawn service lead by the RSL Club.

School Photos

Will be on the 28th April, full sport uniform to be worn. Please bring your envelopes in on the day. Sibling envelopes are available from the office.

Pressing Issues

Bus Travel

Over the last few weeks we have been contacted by the bus company regarding student behaviour on the bus. If your child catches the bus to and or from school, please see the Code of Conduct your child will bring home with them today. Whilst it is not a school issue to follow up behaviour on the bus, we are notified by the bus company.

Please ensure you outline to your child the buses expectations and your expectations of them on this service. The bus company has the right to revoke travel passes should their code of conduct not be followed.

No Stopping Zones

Recently we have had many parents dropping off and picking up in No Standing Zones. Please note, that the ranger regularly visits the school to monitor these areas and will issue fines. These areas are kept free to keep our children safe.

Have a safe and enjoyable Easter break and we will see all students back at school on Wednesday 26th April.

Have a great week!

Catherine Secombe

Principal

Nowra Zone Rugby League Trials

On Tuesday the 28th of March, Hugh (5/6T) Jetson (4/5J) and Josh (3/4F) played Rugby League for the Shoalhaven Central team at Lyrebird Park, Nowra. The boys played well and represented themselves and the school to the highest

Congratulations boys well done on your efforts.

Josh Swims at NSW PSSA State

On Wednesday 5th and Thursday 6th April next week, Josh will be representing the school at the NSW PSSA State Swimming Championships at the Olympic Aquatic Centre, Homebush. Good luck Josh all the best, we will all be cheering you on.



Rugby League Trials



YEAR 6 FUNDRAISER

Greenwell Point Open Tennis Competition:

Gold coin donation per competitor which is to be brought in on Friday 31st March. Money will be collected at 1st break under the COLA. The competition day is Tuesday 4th April (Week 11). Popcorn will be for sale on the day for 50c a bag. There will be prizes for best shot, funniest shot and also for the winning team. Teachers will also be playing in novelty matches.



OC Class 2024

If your child is in Year 4 and would you would like them to apply for the Opportunity Class 2024 then please apply online @ shsoc.education.nsw.gov.au

Applications are now open and close on the 15th May 2023. Your child will be required to sit a placement test on Thursday 27th July 2023.

If you are interested please contact the school for an information package or an online package can be viewed @ education.nsw.gov.au/oc



Easter Bunny comes to visit K/1S





BIRTHDAYS

Congratulations and Happy Birthday April Birthdays:

Ava P, Lincon, Jaxson, Nixon, Adam, William W, Luca, Chris, Hamish & Jett.

BOAT AWARDS

Congratulations

K/1: Kane, Nixon & Lyla x 2 1/2: Avah-Jade, Lila, Doug & Cody 3/4: Noah, Shayla, Savy & Miila 4/5: Luca, Ella, Adam & Olli 5/6: Eloise, Destiny & Lilly x 2

COMMUNITY

Easter Fete at Greenwell Point Community Hall on the 8th of April starting at 9am till 1.30pm. Lots of fun for all, from chocolate wheel, the local fire truck, stalls to entertainment and also a visit from the Easter bunny.



Auskick AFL School Holiday Camp at Nowra Showground on the 19th April starting at 10am till 12.00pm. To register scan the code or call John Dyball 0411 226 086. This is a FREE AFL program.



Junior Winter Tennis Competition starts in May and finishes end of September. If you are interested please contact Vicki Pritchard 0412 134 40