

Greenwell Point Public School



NEWSLETTER

School Motto – Growing and Learning Together

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14th September, 2023

Term 3 Week 9

DATES TO REMEMBER

SEPTEMBER

15th Assembly 2.20pm
19th Possum Magic K-2
22nd Last Day of Term 3

OCTOBER

9th Students and Staff return to school Term 4
16th-17th Years 5 & 6 Sydney Excursion



School Bytes



MY SCHOOL
CONNECT

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's been another couple of busy weeks at Greenwell Point.

Students in the Choral Festival performed on Wednesday. I know Mrs Fulginiti, Ms Scott and I were very proud of their performance last Wednesday night. They gave up many lunch times to practice and I would like to thank both of those teachers for their dedication. To thank them for their efforts and dedication, next Tuesday the choir students will be treated to a 'hot chip' luncheon.

Last week was SASS recognition week and I would like to say a HUGE thankyou and acknowledge all the wonderful work our SASS staff do. Without them our school wouldn't run as efficiently and our students wouldn't get the support they do. Thank you to Mrs Miller, Mrs Hiscox, Mrs Williams, Mrs Buckpitt, Mrs Nathaniel, Mrs Rooney, Ms O'Leary and Mr Sheppard.

Our fencing is almost complete and we are trialling locking und unlocking the gates at different times to find the system that suits the school community best. It is looking very much like we will only having 3 gates opened (Jervis St, Church St, and Greenwell Point Rd). All gates will be unlocked as teachers arrive in the morning and will be re-locked at approx. 9:20am each morning. Entry after this time will only be through the Greenwell Point Rd gate.

Gates will be re-opened at 2:50pm.

Any visitor to the site must now sign in at the front office.

We are also establishing 'Kiss, grab my bag and go' zones for students. If your child is experiencing difficulty with this, please let us know so we may assist in building your child's resilience and independence. Some students may just need a bit more encouragement than others.

Most students by now however, are very familiar with morning drop off procedures and routines so we do not envisage many issues.

If by chance you need to speak to a teacher or visit the office for any reason, please remember that you must sign in.

Please be patient as we organise official signage for these areas.

This week sees 4/5J performing at our assembly, we hope you can all make it. Don't forget that next Tuesday sees our Infants students attend their excursion to the Shoalhaven Entertainment Centre.

Being that this is also the last newsletter of the term, I would like to wish you all a safe and enjoyable break. Hopefully we experience lots of this lovely warmer weather.

Catherine Secombe
Principal



BOAT AWARDS

Congratulations

- K/1: Nixon, Mariah, James & Isla
 1/2: Lila, Isaac, Jaxson & Cody
 3/4: Savannah, Mya & Summer x 2
 4/5: Edward, Ellie, Michael & Olli
 5/6: Isaac, Deagan, Eloise & Olivia W



COMMUNITY NEWS

FROZEN JR

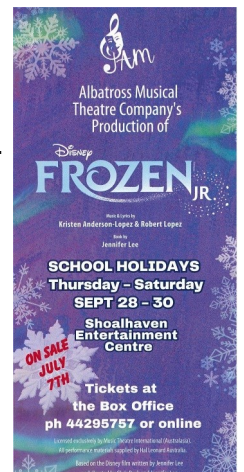
The Albatross Musical Theatre Company's production of Frozen Jr. is being presented during the school holidays from Thursday 28th – Saturday the 30th of September at the Shoalhaven Entertainment Centre. Tickets are available at the Box Office or online.

PRITCHARD TENNIS ACADEMY

Holiday Tennis Clinic: is on the 25/ 26/27th September from 9am – 12 noon.

To enrol and for more information contact Mark 0427 961 101 or Vicki 0412 134 840

Friday Junior Summer Tennis Competition: Starts Term 4, 2023, finishes end of Term 1, 2024. If you are interested contact Vicki 0412 134 840



SHOALHAVEN Community Wills Day

The Salvos offer a community service in which generous and independent local solicitors prepare a simple Wills in exchange for a \$100.00 (\$150.00 per couple) contribution to our work (The Salvation Army). It is a great way to ensure you have a Will that reflects your wishes, while supporting Australians in need.

Appointments are essential. Appointments are between 9.00am and 5.00pm.

Located at 162 St Anns Street, Nowra.

Call 1800 337 082 or book online at salvationarmy.org.au/willsday

