

# Stroud Road Public School and Community Newsletter

Monday, 22nd August 2016

## REMINDERS FOR SCHOOLS DAYS

Monday: Canteen (recess and lunch)

Tuesday: Garden Club

Wednesday: School banking, library borrowing

Thursday: Canteen (recess)

Friday: Sport, recorders, music

## NEWS DAYS

Monday – Jack, Izzabella, Lachlan, Darcy, Indy

Tuesday – Lucy, Hayley E, Nic, Raiden, Kaiden

Wednesday – Hayley FW, Bronte, Zarleigh, Connor, Ben

Thursday – Elijah, Poppy, Sam, Madeline, Layla

## STUDENT OF THE WEEK

Each week staff choose 1 student who has gone above and beyond to achieve one or more of our PBL goals (respect, care, learn, share).

Congratulations to Hayley Edwards for improvement in your expression and fluency when reading Rowan of Rin.



Hayley will receive a voucher to get an ice block or packet of chips from the canteen.

## SUPER SPELLERS

Well done to Kaiden, Darcy, Ben, Lachlan, Hayley E and Lucy who were our super spellers on Friday, getting 100% in their spelling test.



## ADDITIONAL HOURS

With the increase in our Infants enrolments we have been allocated an extra 2 hours of staffing per week. Mrs Madden is going to come in from 9-11am on Thursdays to continue her work on literacy with the Infants class.

## BUCKETTS OF TALENT

A very big congratulations and thank you to the students who performed at Bucketts of Talent, either in our recorder group or the choir. We are all so very proud of your performance on the night. Thank you also to the parents and carers who drove their children to the evening performance.

### ZONE ATHLETICS

I was very impressed with the sportsmanship shown at the 2 days of the zone athletics carnival last week. All students were all really well behaved and represented their schools with pride. Thank you to the parents who attended the day and were our very loud cheer squad.

A special thank you to Emily from Stroud and Zarleigh from our school who joined with 2 students from Clarencetown to run an extra race to participate in the PP5/PP6 relay to give the other schools some competition.

### BOOK WEEK ASSEMBLY

I am looking forward to seeing parents, carers and friends at our Book Week assembly next Wednesday.

A brief outline of the day is as follows:

12noon FREE sausage sizzle lunch for all

12:30pm Assembly

1:00pm Book Week activities

Class entries are to be returned by the 23<sup>rd</sup> August.

Students are welcome to wear their costumes all day.

### NEWCASTLE PERMANENT MATHS COMPETITION

Students in 3-6 will be participating in the Newcastle Permanent Maths Competition on Wednesday morning.

### HOT LUNCH

Kerri is organising hot lunch for students this week. Students will be enjoying hot potatoes with toppings and a dessert. If your child would like to have hot lunch please send in \$5.00 for each child.

### PRINCIPAL NETWORK DAY

I will be at Forster on Friday for a Principal Network Day. Students will have Mrs McNeice and Mrs Melmeth as usual.

### MRS BELL

We are looking forward to having Mrs Bell back on prac next week. She will be with us for 4 weeks.

### P&C MEETING

Thank you to the parents who attended the P&C meeting this afternoon.

### SWAP IT

## LUNCHBOX IDEAS



Crunch&Sip®	Recess	Lunch	Drink
Raw green beans Water	Sultanas Baked beans	Rice cakes with cheese & tomato	Water bottle

#### FUSSY EATERS

When kids are involved in lunchbox choices they are more likely to eat what's packed. Simply choosing the vegetable or fruit can be enough to make them want to eat it!

#### SAVE MONEY \$\$

Buy tins of salt-reduced baked beans and portion into small containers. Don't forget to pack a spoon!

[www.goodforkids.nsw.gov.au](http://www.goodforkids.nsw.gov.au)



### ZOO SNOOZ EXCURSION

Parents are still welcome to make payments for the Zoo Snooz excursion. Full payment is due before the excursion in week 8 this term.

### YEAR 5/6 EXCURSION TO HILL END AND BATHURST

Thank you for the notes and money that has been sent in for the Bathurst excursion. Full payment will be due before the end of the term (23/9).

### **Week 6**

Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup> Aug	Newc. Perm Maths Comp. Book Week assembly
Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> Aug	Hot Lunch (Kerri) Horse Tales
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> Aug	Kindergarten Transition Principal Network Day

### **Week 7**

Mrs Bell prac	
Monday 29 <sup>th</sup> Aug	Kindergarten Transition
Thursday 1 <sup>st</sup> Sept	Horse Tales
Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sept	Hunter athletics

### **Week 8**

Mrs Bell prac	
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Stage 2 Zoo Snooz

Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Stage 2 Zoo Snooz
	Kindergarten Transition
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Horse Tales

#### Week 9

Mrs Bell prac	
Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Kindergarten Transition
	Responsible Pet visit
	P&C meeting 7pm
Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Hot Lunch (Janet)
	Horse Tales

#### Week 10

Mrs Bell prac	
Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> Sept	Kindergarten Transition
	Horse Tales

#### HOLIDAYS

Saturday 1 <sup>st</sup> Oct	Stroud Country Fair
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Crystal McGuigan  
Principal

## P&C News

### Canteen Roster – Term 3

29 <sup>th</sup> August	Davina
12 <sup>th</sup> September	Molly
19 <sup>th</sup> September	Janet

Thankyou for your assistance with the canteen. If you are not able to attend on your rostered day please arrange for a replacement.

#### UNIFORMS

If you would like to purchase any uniform items could you please send in the money with a note advising the item and size and the item will be sent home with your child or given to you.

## Chat with the Chappie

First up, a big thanks for your warm welcome to Stroud Road Public School! My role here as Chaplain will be multi-faceted, but mainly to provide social, emotional and spiritual support to students, staff and families, regardless of what faith or beliefs they hold.

Each week this section will have some ideas and thoughts for developing healthy families and relationships. If you would ever like to chat in person, I'm at the school on Mondays and Thursdays and can be contacted on 0422 523 896 to arrange a time to meet.

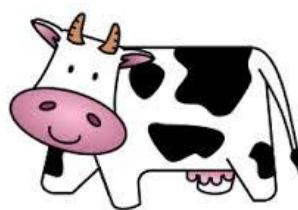
This week, I'd like to start looking at how we can have happier and healthier families. We live in a time where life is busy! There always seems to be something on, something to be at, something to do. Whilst it's not bad to be busy, it can become unhealthy and damaging to family relationships. Research has shown that families who eat at least one meal a day together (with the T.V off!), are happier and healthier. Eating a meal together gives time for checking in with one another and connecting. The evening meal can be a great time to do this. This week, try turning off all technology, sit around the table and eat a meal together; as a family. Make sure everyone gets the chance to answer these two questions;

1. What was the worst thing about today?
2. What was the best thing about today?

You'll be amazed at how good it feels to have a little more connection with each other 😊



## GLOUCESTER JUNIOR CATTLE SHOW



Friday, 16  
September 2016  
at Gloucester  
Show Ground  
Commencing

9.00am to 2.30pm for children up to 20  
years of age

The Junior Cattle Show is a day to introduce and educate children of primary and high school ages to beef and dairy cattle handling, preparation for parading and judging. There are a number of events on the programme that the children can take part in even if they don't have their own animals to exhibit.

Programme and Entry forms available from Local Schools, CRT & Norco. For more information contact David Bignell 6558 5512, email [bignell@ipstarmail.com.au](mailto:bignell@ipstarmail.com.au) or Facebook, Gloucester Junior Cattle Show.

Stroud Valley 'Pop-Up' Markets will pop-up anytime, anywhere!

The next one is at Alderley Creek Wines, Bucketts Way, Stroud.

Stall bookings now open, \$20 per stall.

We love 'Handmade, Home Cooked, Home Grown'!  
8:30am - 12pm

Love the Great Lakes

*Stroud Valley  
'Pop-Up Market'  
Alderley Creek Winery  
Bucketts Way  
Stroud  
3rd September  
Book a stall now \$20!  
Enq: 0414863045*

**STROUD ROAD**

**'Bash 'n Bang'**

**Family Bonfire & Fireworks**

**SATURDAY 27<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST**

**Entertainment from 6.00pm**

**Adults / High School \$10.00**  
**Kinder to Year 6 \$3.00**

Experience incredible views of planets & the Moon  
through Dustin's telescope by Gold Coin Donation

**Food & Drinks Available**    **'Random Raffle' Draw**

Bring a chair & say good-bye to Winter with our warm bonfire  
As we welcome in Spring with a night's sky filled with colour

**A Stroud Road Community Hall Fundraiser**  
**Gratefully supported by :-**

Enquiries :- Rod Williams 0439 193288 or Garry Snowdon 0427 396745