



Stroud Road Public School and Community Newsletter

Monday, 29th 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 Ben Lathwell for presenting a wonderful debating lesson.



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

SUPER SPELLERS

Well done to Zarleigh, Nicholas, Ben, Darcy and Bronte who were our super spellers on Friday, getting 100% in their spelling test.



SASS WEEK

This week is SASS Week and during this week we take the time to appreciate all the work our SASS (School Administrative Support Staff) do for us.

I asked the students to tell me one special thing that the following support staff do to help us at school.

Mrs Dennis

'Mrs Dennis does all the newsletters'.

Mrs Melmeth

'Mrs Melmeth gets lovely books for us and looks after our library'.

Mrs Hawkins

'Mrs Hawkins helps me with my writing'.

Mrs Osborne

'She cleans up all our mess'.

Mr Ingram

'He mows and looks after our gardens'.

Mrs Thomas

'I can talk to her about my problems'.

Thank you all for everything you do from the students, staff and parents at Stroud Road Public School.

BOOK WEEK ASSEMBLY

A sincere thank you to the parents who dressed their children up so fabulously for the Book Week assembly last week, we really appreciate the effort. Thank you also to the parents who assisted cooking and serving our sausage sizzle lunch, providing some supper and attending our assembly. A VERY BIG thank you to Mrs Melmeth who organised the whole event. We can't thank you enough for all that you do Mrs Melmeth.



STEM SESSIONS

Mr Cornall, from Gloucester High School, will be visiting our school again on Wednesday this week (31st August) and again on Wednesday 14th September, in the morning session, to work with the 3-6 class on the STEM lego program. This is also a component of their Year 6-7 transition program but seeing we are a small school we are able to have all Primary students participate. Our students really enjoyed the first visit Mr Cornall had with us and we can't wait until this week.

NEWCASTLE PERMANENT MATHS COMPETITION

All our 3-6 students completed the Newcastle Permanent Maths Competition last week and the answer sheets have been sent away.

HOT LUNCH

Thank you to Kerri for doing hot lunch last week.

PRINCIPAL NETWORK DAY

We had a very informative day at the Principal Network day on Friday. During the day we looked at some of John Hattie's work, NDIS and current updates with the Department of Education.

DEBATING WITH BEN

We were excited to have Ben (Mr Lathwell) present a wonderful debating lesson to the Primary class last week. After he presented some information we had a mini debate with Mr Lathwell giving students some great feedback.



MRS BELL

It was great to have Mrs Bell back with us today. We will have her in the Primary class until the end of the term.

P&C MEETING

Thank you to everyone who attended the P&C meeting last week.

DUNGOG SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING DISCOVERY DAY

I will be with the Year 5/6 students on Friday at the Dungog Science and Engineering Discovery Day on Friday. Parents are welcome to attend for the day.

E-LEARNING

Today we dialled in to learn a new app called Koma Koma. It is a stop motion app. This app is free for anyone interested in downloading it for home use.



SWAP IT

LUNCHBOX IDEAS

Crunch&Sip®	Recess	Lunch	Drink
Whole carrot Water	Rice crackers Cheese triangle Pear	Chicken, cucumber lettuce & cream cheese sandwich	Water bottle

SAVE TIME? ⌚

Just like fruit, some vegetables can go in the lunchbox whole! Try carrots, mini cucumbers or cherry tomatoes.

SAVE MONEY \$\$

Buy a larger pack of rice crackers and a block of cheese. Portion 8 rice crackers and 4 cubes of cheese into a zip lock bag or plastic container for a home-made snack pack.

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ZOO SNOOZ EXCURSION

Full payment is now due for the Zoo Snooz excursion.

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 7

Mrs Bell prac	
Wednesday 31 st Aug	Mr Cornall - STEM
Thursday 1 st Sept	Horse Tales
Friday 2 nd Sept	5/6 Dungog Science Day
	Hunter athletics

Week 8

Mrs Bell prac	
Monday 5 th Sept	Stage 2 Zoo Snooz
Tuesday 6 th Sept	Stage 2 Zoo Snooz
	Kindergarten Transition
Thursday 8 th Sept	Horse Tales

Week 9

Mrs Bell prac	
Wednesday 14 th Sept	Kindergarten Transition
	Mr Cornall - STEM
	Responsible Pet visit
	P&C meeting 7pm
Thursday 15 th Sept	Hot Lunch (Janet)
	Horse Tales

Week 10

Mrs Bell prac	
Thursday 22 nd Sept	Kindergarten Transition
	Horse Tales

HOLIDAYS

Saturday 1 st Oct	Stroud Country Fair
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Crystal McGuigan
Principal

Canteen Roster – Term 3

5 th September	Leasa
12 th September	Molly
19 th 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.

Community News

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

