

Dear Families,

Welcome to the last week of Term 2! I'm sure everyone is looking forward to a little down time after a very disruptive term.

Parent teacher interviews for K-2 will be held this week. We feel that this opportunity is essential for the wellbeing of our students as we continue to navigate our way out of unprecedented times. Please ensure you are on time and finish your meeting on time, this is crucial to avoid congestion in the corridors and adhere to social distancing measures. We thank you for your cooperation in working together to keep everyone safe.

3-6 parent teacher interviews will take place in Week 2 of Term 3. To book an available time please go to the below link and follow the steps.

- 1. Go to: https://www.schoolinterviews.com.au/
- 2. Make a booking.
- 3. Then type the event.
- 4. The event code for parents is: qgt6m

Thank you to our Stage three families for returning the note about camp. Our fingers and toes are crossed that the camp can go ahead for our students. As you will see on the next note that is coming home requesting a deposit, if camp does not go ahead, you will receive a full refund. We sincerely thank you for your willingness to assist in helping this to happen, especially given the short notice.

Today, we have had to move our school photos to Week 5 Friday 21 August. Please note the date change. Purchase order envelopes will be sent home at the beginning of Week 3.

Enjoy the winter break and we look forward to seeing all our students return on Tuesday 21st July for the commencement of Term 3. Monday 20 July is a school development day for staff.

Warm regards,

Melinda





2020 Term Dates



Term 2

School Development Day—Monday 27th & Tuesday 28th April 2020

Term 2 commences—Wednesday 29th April 2020

Last day of Term 2—Friday 3rd July 2020

Term 3

School Development Day - Monday 20th July 2020

Term 3 commences—Tuesday 21st July 2020

Last day of Term 3—Friday 25th September 2020

Term 4

Staff and students return-Monday 12th October 2020

Last day of term 4— Wednesday 16th December 2020

Dates to Remember

July

Friday July 3rd:

Years 1-2 Planetarium Incursion

Friday 31st July:

Athletics Carnival

School Banking is back!

Starting Term 3, banking will recommence on the Tuesday mornings. Please remind your child to hand their banking into their teacher in the morning so our wonderful volunteer Michelle can process it.





Photos will now be taking place on Friday 21st August. Please make sure students are wearing correct Winter uniform on the day.



P&C

P&C meeting is on Thursday 2nd July. It is held at a members house. Please email hazopandc@gmail.com for details. Or msg 0419 436 228

Canteen would like to thank everyone for their use of the Quickclig online ordering system. In this cold weather, we have plenty of hot food options available!

Office

A reminder to parents that if your child attends the office due to any cold/flu like symptoms, they will need to be collected by a parent or carer. Once the student has no symptoms, they are welcome to return to school as per Department guidelines.

Families wishing to enrol for Kindergarten 2021, please call in or contact the Office for an enrolment pack.

Dates to Remember

Tuesday 30th June:

Notes and payments returned for years 1&2 Planetarium incursion

Wednesday 1st July:

Deposit for Stage 3 camp due

Friday 3rd July:

Updating medical records forms to be returned to the Office

Friday 24th July:

Final payment for Stage 3 camp due

Nut Free Zone

We request that any nut based products are not consumed on school grounds.

Stage 3 Camp

Students in Stage 3 have received their permission notes for camp 2020. Camp will take place Monday 3rd August till Friday 7th August at Milson Island Sport and Recreation Camp. Deposits need to be returned to the Office by 1st July with full payment by July 24th. If the Department of Education does not allow the camp to proceed, all monies paid will be refunded. If you have any queries, please contact our school Office.



Bell Music



This week's bell sona: 'Adore You' by Harry Styles.



This week's bell song is 'Adore You' by Harry Styles

Harry Styles is an English singer, songwriter and actor who became a household name as a member of the band. One Direction. After the band's break up in 2016, Styles has continued as a solo artist. To date, he has had two albums, both of which hit the number 1 spot in over 10 different countries.

'Adore You' was released on 6 December 2019. The song has been a top 10 single in countries such as Australia, America, UK, Canada, Ireland, New Zealand and Belgium.

The reason why this song was chosen to be this week's bell song:

An ode to the mid-year holidays: Who doesn't adore a holiday? I'm not sure if Harry Styles a dthe holidays in mind as his muse when he wrote this song, but it works for me. It's been a challenging start to the year. Let's hope this holiday marks the start of some maintained normality returning back to all our lives. Stay safe, relax and have fun. See you next term.

I hope you enjoy the song.

Yours in music appreciation, Mr Dewhurst

Pyjama Day!

Friday 3rd July 2020

Gold Coin donation

(you must wear sensible footwear and warm clothing)

SRC initiative to purchase a scooter rack



PBL

Week 10 Winners

ES1	Jack F	KR
S1	Lily F	2L
S2	Gideon C	3/4R
S 3	Amy R	5/6S
	PBL Rule	

I am responsible if I place my rubbish in the bin and collect my containers.



Year 5 & 6 Awards

Class	Achievement	Appreciation
Mac M	Noah H	Ben A
	Olivia H	Ruaig P
5/6H	Abbey S	Lucinda O
	Blake S	Kirili D
5/6J	Kirsten F	Hayden R
	Belle K	Evie C
5/6M	Lia F	Aliesha M
	Genevieve B	Ella N
5/65	Zac T	Eli B
	Riley O	Amelia M

Year 3 & 4 Awards

Class	Achievement	Appreciation
3/4A	Kai C Layla A	Allira S Rachael P
3/4R	Harry S Finn S	Gideon C Scarlett B
3/4M	Tatiana P Addison M	Emmett V Alicia H

Congratulations to all our recipients.



Librar

Classes of the week in the library. The Kindy class who earns the most points for borrowing and co-operating, get Bluey and Bingo plush in their classroom. Years 1-2 will have Pig the Pug plush toy for a week in their classroom. Stage 2 & 3 will be rewarded with 15 minutes free time in their following library lesson.

Congratulations to Week 9 winners KH, 1HP, 3/4A and 5/6S

A reminder to all students to return their library books by the end of term. The first 4 classes to return all outstanding books will receive a prize.

Students can reserve and borrow books over the holidays via Oliver and can collect them next term.



BOOK FAIR

Our term 3 Book Fair has been rescheduled for Term 4.

Book Club will now be in term 3. Order forms will be sent home next Term





Thank you to the Blue Mountains People for Reconciliation and ANTaR for the gifted book "Young Dark Emu" by Bruce Pascoe

Athletics Carnival

Save the date! The Athletics carnival has been scheduled for Friday the 31st July!

Our Athletics carnival is open for all students from 2-6. The carnival will be at Tom Hunter Park in Faulconbridge with students travelling by bus to and from the oval. It promises to be a great day!

Crescendo – Music Program Information and Vpdates

Instrument tutorials have recommenced for flutes, clarinets, saxophones, trumpets and guitar. Drums and percussion will commence next term. Concert Band has also resumed. All students need to bring their own instruments, reeds if applicable and music. Looking forward to hearing our students play once again! Just a reminder to please finalise all Band fees by the end of the Term

We look forward to hearing beautiful music throughout our school again and we thank our tutors for their amazing commitment to the music program.



Kindergarten Climbers

Kindergarten have been very busy designing their own obstacle course each day. It's great to see them working together after so much time apart, especially with all the beautiful sunshine we have had.













What adventurous little people we have! Look at how well they can climb and balance.