

RAGLAN PUBLIC SCHOOL – NEWSLETTER

Excellence in learning, values and community

Week 7 Term 4

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Principals Report

Money Tree

Our recycling bins were recently emptied and we raised \$68. I thank all parents who continue to put their paper and cardboard in these bins and to the students who take out the recycling each day.

Remembrance Day

I thank our students and Mrs Scanes for their leadership of our school Remembrance Day Ceremony, as well as Mr Grimley and Mrs Jolley for their organisation of the event. I was very privileged to have five students come to my office last week to share their writing with me. Their task was to choose one of the wars and write a letter home to their mother.

Warmer Weather

The weather certainly has warmed up. A reminder we have our No Hat No Play policy in place. Please ensure your child has one of the schools wide brimmed hats each day. It's extremely important for children to rehydrate during the day. Please make sure your child has plenty of water to drink each day. Drink bottles are most welcome in the classrooms.

Kindergarten 2015 Parent Information Session

Last Friday, we held an information session for parents who have children starting Kindergarten next year. We had an excellent number of parents, many new to our school, and I thank everyone for taking the time to come and find out what their child is going to need. Starting school is very exciting and we are pleased to provide a strong transition to school program.



Maths at home

Our children's early experiences with measurement are often based on watching their parents. Seeing mum or dad measure and pour ingredients for a recipe or weigh items at the fruit shop will often become part of their play. For additional help with maths at home go to:

<http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/homework-and-study/mathematics/mathematics-tips/helping-your-child-measure-mass-and-volume>

Class Shield

This week, we encourage children to team players. The shield will be awarded to the class which shows it can:

- Cooperate with others
- Allow others to join in
- Play games by the rules
- Play fair
- Take turns
- Help others

PRINCIPALS RECOGNITION

I thank Mrs Scanes for her organisation of the parent information session last Friday and Miss Stewart for putting all the packages together.

Working together as partners in the education of your child.

Meryl Tremain

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Week 7

18-20/11 S3 Camp, Narrabeen

Week 8

25/11 Yr 7 Information evening at Kelso High Campus

Future Events

3/12 Yr 7 Orientation day at Kelso High Campus'

5/12 Yr 6 Mini fete

9/12 Presentation Day

12/12 Yr 6 Farewell

15/12 Class Parties / Big Day Out

STUDENTS LEADING THE WAY

We are proud of...

OUR STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Jayden Russell, Riley Muggleton and April Howard are our students of the week. Jayden is a shining star and is always willing to help others. April has been applying herself to her learning and has made great academic growth. Riley has been making excellent choices in the classroom and playground. Well done Riley, April and Jayden.



OUR ASSEMBLY AND PLAYGROUND AWARD WINNERS

Manjot Shoker (waiting patiently) and Hayden Hodges (absent) (great listening in assembly) are congratulated for their achievements throughout the week. Manjot waits patiently for assembly to begin and Hayden is a great listener. They both received a prize to thank them.



OUR WINNERS OF THE CLASS SHIELD



Congratulations to 2/3S and 2H who are the winners of this week's class shield. Students are congratulated for the great choices they have been making during the week. Bronte

Cullen-Ward, Brady Rodham, Thalia Ruming and Lachlan Martin accepted the shield on behalf of their classes.

RAGLAN PS FOOTPRINT AWARD

2H are the winners of this week's Foot Print Award. They have made a huge effort to help keep our playground clean throughout the week. Issabella West and Byron Jeffree accepted the award on behalf of 2H.



ASSEMBLY AWARDS

The following students will be presented with an award at this week's assembly at 1:45pm on Friday.

10 Awards

Natasha Dolbel, Zahra Grant, Rani Johnson, Caelum Gilmore, Zac Bensley, Angus Tobin, Kirsten Bednal, Hannah Findlay, Bryce Urquhart, Thalia Ruming.

15 Awards

Lachlan Vallis, Loukia Robson.

Congratulations to all award recipients!

P&C NEWS

Canteen Roster Term 3

21/11 Emma Hill, Jade Mazzotti
24/11 Jo Curran, Sharon Adams
28/11 Katrina Tobin, Liz Symes

There will be a P&C meeting tonight **Tuesday, 18th November at 7pm** in the library.

Raffle Tickets

Can you please return any raffle tickets and money to the office ASAP as this will be drawn on the afternoon of the Mini Fete.

1st prize – \$75.00 Good Guys voucher

2nd prize – Toy Hamper

3rd prize – Lolly Hamper

Donations

If you have any cans of coloured hairspray or half used bottles of nail polish lying around at home not being used, we would appreciate the donation of these products for our Year 6 Mini Fete in Week 9.

Garden Art Competition

Reminder that the Environmental club is hosting a Garden Art competition this term open to all students. The closing date for entries is **Monday, 24th November**.

RAW Art Photographs.

