

RAGLAN PUBLIC SCHOOL – NEWSLETTER

Excellence in learning, values and community

Week 6 Term 2

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Principals Report

Welcome to winter. I keep waiting for the cold weather to come and I'm sure it will!

Lost Property

As the mornings get colder, we are gathering a lot of Lost Property items which are located in the school foyer. If your child is missing an item of clothing, come and check to see if any of their belongings have been placed in the tubs. Most of these items found don't have names on them which make it extremely hard to return to their owners.

Stranger Danger

It is time to remind students about stranger danger. I encourage you to speak with your children regarding how to stay safe when out in the community, and stranger danger. Please remind them of the importance of letting you know where they are, to walk with a friend and to keep well clear of people in cars. If something does happen that makes them feel unsafe, they should speak to you so that appropriate action can be taken.

Voluntary School Contributions

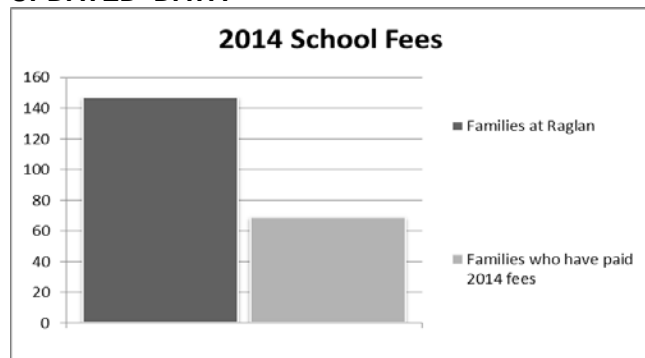
I thank all parents who have paid their voluntary school contributions.

School contributions are used to give direct support to student learning and are an integral and vital component of our annual budget.

As these funds have already been spent on resources for the children, we place great value on the financial contribution which each family can make.

If you have 1 child attending the school fees are \$30; if you have 2 or more children attending the school fees are \$50.

UPDATED DATA



Class Shield –No Bullying

Over the next week, we will be looking for children who demonstrate they can be respectful towards others. The class shield will be presented to the class who:

- Treats others as they would like to be treated
- Keep their hands and feet to themselves
- Speak to others in a kind and polite voice
- Encourage others
- Respect others personal space

Semester 1 Reports – English reminder

Students have recently been involved in their semester one assessments in preparation for reports. As teachers have already started to enter information into SBSR, the current report continues to be used this semester.

Reports will be sent home on Wednesday, 25th June with parent teacher interviews planned for early Term 3. An Expression of Interest note will be sent home this term regarding the date and your preferred times.

If your family circumstances require us to provide you with an additional copy of your child's report, please let our staff at the front office know.

Birthday Cakes

Birthdays are always a special time often being celebrated at school with their classmates and a cake. I remind parents that we have children at school who have a peanut allergy and ask you not send cakes and other food products that will be shared if they contain nuts. If sending cupcakes, can I also request that you not decorate them with toothpicks as they can be a bit dangerous in the playground.

PRINCIPALS RECOGNITION

I would like to recognise the SRC and Mrs Cross for their organisation of the weekly focus for our class shield. Each fortnight when they meet, they discuss the area that needs to be focused on and this is then spoken about in school assemblies and classrooms.

Working together as partners in the education of your child.

Meryl Tremain

NOTES SENT HOME

- ES1/S1 Excursion to Japanese Gardens, Cowra
- RPS Biggest Morning Tea
- Year 6 i-Learn
- Combined Opera House Choir rehearsal

STUDENTS LEADING THE WAY

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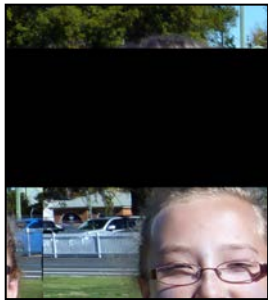
OUR ASSEMBLY AND PLAYGROUND AWARD WINNERS



Mackenzie Humphries and Jada Jenkins are to be congratulated for their achievements throughout the week. They received a prize to thank them for the way they have treated others respectfully this week.

STUDENT REPORTS

WESTERN REGION NETBALL TRIALS



On the 29th May, I attended the Western Netball Trials in Dubbo. There was 73 children trying out and the competition was tough. We were all separated into teams of 7 and were able to play 2 quarters of the game. It was a very nerve racking event for most of the kids including me but we pulled through.

At the end of all games, we came together and were told who the first 20 who had a chance. I was fortunate enough to make it into the top 20!

We then played one quarter. Unfortunately, I didn't make it into the team for State but I had a great day and was very proud of myself and how far I've come.

Report by Summer Weekes

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Week 6

5/6 Biggest Morning Tea 10.30-11.30

Week 7

10/6 Combined Opera House rehearsal

11/6 Year 6 i-Learn KHS

ASSEMBLY AWARDS

The following students will be presented with an award at this week's assembly at 12pm on Friday.

5 Awards

Reece Belmonte, Aiden Jones, Katelyn Holman, Ethan Belmonte, Ben Halverson, Alice Christie-Johnston, Riley Sewell, Gabrielle Davis, Alayah Fox, Xavier Adams, Lyla Sikora, Vsna Saban, Jordan Thomas, Cooper Akroyd, Amelia Turcsanyi, Bridie Tobin and Amelia Thomas.

Congratulations to you All!

LIBRARY NEWS

Biggest Cupcake Morning Tea (BMT).

Every year Raglan Public School holds their annual Biggest Morning Tea (BMT). This year **students are asked to make cupcakes only.** Morning tea will be at a cost of \$2 per student. Adults are invited to purchase tea/coffee and cupcakes for \$5.

When: Thursday 5th June, 10:30am-11:30am in the courtyard. All proceeds will be donated to Bathurst Can Assist.

Mrs Hemming & Mrs Wade
BCMT Organisers

P&C NEWS

Canteen Roster Term 2

6/6 Carmel Browne, Renae Sikora /Elaine Fox

9/6 **CLOSED**

13/6 Emma Hill, Lisa Laughlin

Athletics Carnival and Cross Country Photos



COMMUNITY NEWS



Bathurst Regional Council Vacation Care will be operating from Monday 30th June through to Friday 11th July 2014 at 7 Lee Street Kelso. Operating hours are 8:00am to 6:00pm.

If you have any enquiries or wish to receive an enrolment pack and program please contact Narelle on 6338 2800 or email vc@bathurst.nsw.gov.au Bookings are being taken now.

The Great Moscow Circus

The Circus is in Bathurst at the Showground.

Dates are from the 5th- 15th June at various times and bookings are recommended.

Jackaroo Ranch- Horse Riding Camps

Camps are for the "horse mad" children aged from 6-16 years old and the days are devoted to horse activities including a 1 hour lesson and 3 hour trail ride with lessons on grooming, saddling, haltering, catching and other safety aspects of horsemanship. The camp caters for beginners to advanced riders.

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