

RAGLAN PUBLIC SCHOOL – NEWSLETTER

Excellence in learning, values and community

Week 3 Term 4

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Principals Report

Variation to Staff Development Day

In Term 4 on the 17th and 18th December, all schools are allocated 2 Staff Development Days (SDD). On these days, students do not attend as they are designed for staff to participate in professional learning. We are able to vary these dates to different days in the year. Staff will be meeting together on Thursday, 29th October from 3pm to 6pm to continue our work on syllabus implementation, student reports and evaluation of our 2015 School Plan which will lead us into planning for 2016. It is a normal school day for all students and staff.

State Athletics

Last Wednesday, Emilee Curran competed at state in the 800m 11 years girls. She came 6th in her heat with a time of 2.48 which was a mighty effort.



The following day our girls relay team Bronte Cullen Ward, Thalia Ruming, Nikki and Emily Browne performed exceptionally well coming 8th overall in the state. They ran a PB in the heat of 1:02.15 which qualified them for the semi-final. They ran even better in the semis with a time of 1:01.42 qualifying for the final.

Congratulations to our team of talented athletes who competed at state. They demonstrated dedication and commitment to their training leading up to the competition. We are all very proud of their efforts and of their great attitude and sportsmanship on the day.



Class Shield

As there are still a number of children who are not wearing hats, we will continue to focus on children wearing a hat while outside. If your child has lost their school hat, you can purchase a new one from the front office.

PRINCIPALS RECOGNITION

I would like to thank the P&C for their amazing contribution of 30 iPads, and to our school community who has supported the fundraising efforts of the P&C.

*Working together as partners in the
education of your child.
Meryl Tremain*

TERM 4 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Term 4

Week 3

Swim School week 3

- 20/10 P&C Meeting school library 7pm
23/10 S3 PSSA Combined Sport

Week 4

- 26/10 Book covering in library from 9am
27/10 Senior Choir Opera House
29/10 Public Speaking Finals
30/10 S3 PSSA Combined Sport

Week 5

- 3-5/11 S3 Excursion to Canberra.

Week 6

- 11-13/11 S2 Excursion to Lake Burrendong.

Week 7

- 17/11 P&C Meeting school library 7pm

Week 8

- 24/11 Information evening Kelso High Campus
27/11 Community carols evening

Week 8

- 1/12 Presentation Day
2/12 Year 6 students orientation day Kelso High Campus
4/12 Year 6 mini-fete

Week 10

- 11/12 Year 6 Graduation

Week 11

- 15/12 P&C Meeting
16/12 Students last day



STUDENTS LEADING THE WAY

We are proud of...

OUR STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Lachlan Melchers and Angus Tobin are our students of the week. They are congratulated for the way they have assisted teachers at the pool and helping with the younger students. Well done Lachlan and Angus.



OUR ASSEMBLY AND PLAYGROUND AWARD WINNERS



Jett Carter and Jesse Black-Thomas are congratulated for wearing their school uniform throughout the week. They both received a prize to thank them.

OUR WINNERS OF THE CLASS SHIELD

Congratulations to 1/2S who are the winners of this week's class shield. Students are congratulated for wearing their school uniform with pride. Caleb Cashman and Suzannah Ford accepted the shield on behalf of 1/2S.



OUR FIRST SILVER AWARD RECIPIENT



Cody Fraser is the first student this year to receive his Silver Award. Congratulations Cody!

GIRLS TOUCH FOOTBALL

On Friday our girls touch team travelled to Orange to play our semi-final game against Bletchington Public School. Even though they tried their absolute best, Bletchington was the better team on the day beating us 8-1. Regardless of this, the girls played fantastically as a team, supporting each other throughout the entire game, even when exhaustion set in.

I would like to say how proud I am of the effort that the girls have put in this year to improve their skills. There is no doubt that every single game they have played they have played fairly and with respect for themselves and the opposite team.

Even though we lost our semi-final game, we went further in the competition than ever before finishing in the top 4 teams in Western Region which is an outstanding result! I would like to thank Mrs Shelly Fox for her dedication, advice and expertise throughout the year. I've had a fantastic time coaching with her and thank her for all she has taught not only the girls but me as well!

Mrs Emma Jolley



ASSEMBLY AWARDS

The following children will be presented with their Striving Higher Awards at the assembly this Friday, 23rd October at 12pm.

10 Awards

Lizbeth Batten, Eve Robson, Kobe Akroyd, Lachlan Vallis, Sarah Willott, Sophie Falconer, April Howard, Jessica Belmonte, Brianna Adams, Candida Lewis, Tom Smith, Joshua Agland, Rani Johnson, Lilly Melchers, Zahra Grant, Andrew Bonham, Majot Shoker, Olivia Falconer, Loukia Robson, Natayia Hodges, Joshua Muggleton, Charlie-Mai Fox.

15 Awards

Lilly Bearne-Ryan

P&C NEWS

Canteen Roster:

- 23/10** Katrina Tobin, VOLUNTEER NEEDED
- 26/10** Jen Furner, Angela Melchers
- 30/10** Carmel Browne, Bernice Schwartz
- 2/11** Diane Hanrahan, Vilma Lewis
- 6/11** Katrina Tobin, Mel Corby
- 9/11** Jo Curran, Gill Priest
- 13/11** Jules Alexander, Pam West, Sharon Adam

