

RAGLAN PUBLIC SCHOOL – NEWSLETTER

Excellence in learning, values and community

Week 3 Term 2

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Principals Report

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. It is most important for children to inform teachers if they see vehicles and/or people who make them feel unsafe when they are at school. Please encourage your children to speak to the teacher on duty or their class teacher.

Mother's Day Stall

A reminder that the P&C are holding a Mother's Day stall on Friday 8th May and are asking for donations to be sent into the front office. All gifts will be available for students to purchase for \$3.00 each. Thank you for your support.

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.

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.

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 makes it extremely hard to return to their owners.

Class Shield

This week, we encourage children to treat others as they would like to be treated. We are looking for children who keep their hands and feet to themselves, speak politely to each other and include others in activities and games.

PRINCIPALS RECOGNITION

I thank Mrs Carole Shaw and Mr Beau Akroyd for the time they have given to train our Rugby League players. I also thank and congratulate Mrs Waldron, Mrs Wade, Miss Schupfer and Mrs Cross and Stage 2 classes for their contributions to the Bathurst 200 Peoplescape display.

Working together as partners in the education of your child.

Meryl Tremain

SCHOOL CUP NETBALL CARNIVAL

A reminder that the correct date for our Netball Carnival is Friday 8th May which is Week 3. The children selected have notes to be returned ASAP so that I can ensure that there are enough children for both mixed teams. The children will have 5 games throughout the day. It is acceptable to drop the children off at the Bathurst netball courts at the beginning of the day and then collect them before 3pm. I will be in attendance all day.



Natalie Cross - Netball Coach

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Week 3

- 5/5 Student Information evening Kelso High Campus 6:30pm
- 7/5 Proclamation Day – School Leaders
- 8/5 P&C Mother's Day Stall
Healthy Ears Program Kindergarten students

Week 4

- 11-13/5 Naplan
- 15/5 Naplan catchup
School Assembly – Flag Raising BX 200
PSSA Soccer

Week 5

- 19/5 P&C Meeting 7pm school library
- 21/5 School Athletics Carnival
- 22/5 District Cross Country

NOTES SENT HOME

- Western Plain Zoo excursion K-2
- Parent Teacher Interviews
- PSSA Soccer
- School Athletics Carnival

STUDENTS LEADING THE WAY

We are proud of...

OUR STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Tyler Cummings and Cooper Faulkner are our students of the week. Tyler and Cooper are congratulated for their efforts in reading over the holidays. Well done Tyler and Cooper!



OUR ASSEMBLY AND PLAYGROUND AWARD WINNERS

Kobi Pinches and Lachlan Fitzsimmons (absent) are congratulated for their achievements throughout the week. Kobi has looked after school and personal property while Lachlan waits patiently and respectfully for others. They both received a prize to thank them.



OUR WINNERS OF THE CLASS SHIELD

Congratulations to 3/4C who are the winners of this week's class shield. Students are congratulated for the way they have looked after school and their own property. Hayden Hodges and Lara Edwards accepted the shield on behalf of 3/4C.



OUR PSSA RUGBY LEAGUE TEAM

Our Rugby League team played a very close match against Bathurst South last Friday. The game was very even at 6 tries to 5 in favour of South. All our players are congratulated for making a tremendous effort for the entirety of the game.

Report Mrs Shaw

ASSEMBLY AWARDS

The following children will be presented with their Striving Higher Awards at this week's assembly, Friday 8th May at 12pm:

5 Awards

Lachlan Martin, Brayden Furner, Alice Christie-Johnston, Luci Steffen, Riley Sewell, Jessie Maiava, Logan Davis, Chloe Hill, Thalia Ruming, Anja Swiegers, Toby Christie-Johnston, Deklin Wilson, Candida Lewis, Seth Brown, Angela Annand, Hayley Sheard.

Congratulations to all students for their achievements.

P&C NEWS

Canteen Roster:

8/5 Emma Hill, Renae Sikora, Mel Corby
11/5 Diane Hanrahan, Gil Priest
15/5 Jules Alexander, Sharon Adam, Pam West

LIBRARY NEWS

Bathurst Peoplescape

Four teachers (Mrs Waldron, Mrs Cross, Miss Schupfer & Mrs Wade) along with their Stage 2 classes contributed to the opening of the Bathurst bicentennial events on the weekend. Captain Piper, Peter Andren, Rachel Staines and Kate Smith all were immortalised with figures. The opening was a huge event and many hundreds of locals turned out. You can view the 200 figures outside the courthouse for the next couple of weeks. A fascinating and insightful look into the many people who have helped and continue to shape Bathurst.

Nichole Wade

Teacher-Librarian

