

Monday, 8th Wednesday, 10th Thursday, 11th

C.L.A.S.S. Long Jump and High Jump at SPS. Life Education Van. School Photos.

# Principal's Report

This week's news:

- <u>Book Fair</u>: Thank you for your support of the Book Fair. The school was able to have over \$350 of books for the library. Well done!
- <u>C.L.A.S.S. Athletics</u>: This continues on Monday, 8th August, at our school. We will be hosting the other small schools for long jump and high jump. Every student from our school will participate in the long jump, but only students who have made the qualifying heights for Zone will participate in high jump.

Parents/carers are welcome to attend, but will be required to sign in.

There will be a tuckshop on this day. Monies help to pay for the C.L.A.S.S. Athletics.

• <u>Life Education Van</u>: The Life Education Van will be at the school on Wednesday, 10th August. We will be combining with Rappville Public School and Manifold Public School.

Please return permission notes by Monday, 8th August. You may use the assistance money provided by the government.

• <u>School Photos</u>: These will be taken on Thursday, 11th August. All orders and money are required by Wednesday, 10th August. You may use the assistance money provided by the government.

This year we are not first up, therefore students will need to remain neat and tidy for a longer period of time.

- <u>COVID Rules</u>: At present, the school is still working with the same rules as for Term 2. It is important that no one attends school if they are sick with any illness. If COVID symptoms exist, a RAT needs to be undertaken, and if positive, the NSW Health Guidelines need to be followed.
- <u>Mobile Library</u>: This library is available for community members every second Wednesday at 11.45am, on the school grounds. There is a great variety of books, magazines, DVDs and CDs available.
- <u>Premier's Sporting Challenge</u>: Continues until the 20th August. Forms to register physical activity are attached to today's newsletter. All physical activity is counted e.g. walking the dog, riding a bike.

• <u>Skool Loop</u>—Has been set up. This is a different app to Seesaw. Skool Loop will be used for administration information e.g newsletters, easier access to paying online, important information and advising of absences.

To access this app, please search Skool Loop in your Play Store or App Store and download for free.

• <u>School Webpage/Facebook/Seesaw/Skool Loop</u> take the time to check out our school pages.

Cathy Kauter Principal

## <u>K/1/2 News</u>

 $\overline{K/1/2}$  are continuing to study the story "Brer Rabbit and Friends" in Reading.

This week the students will continue with a unit of work on the Commonwealth Games in Birmingham, England.

Congratulations to the following:

<u>Home Readers:</u> Toby Creighton Aylah Hill Chloe Humphreys Piper Cowie

# 3/4/6 News

English—Reading—Chapter book & Short story. Writing—Descriptions. Spelling—Unit 11 and Unit 5

Maths—Multiplication & Division & Statistics

History/Geography — The class is starting a unit on the country, Latvia, for the C.W.A. Country of Study. — A unit on Canberra and the Federal Government has commenced to assist all student's understanding of our Capital City and Government, particularly our Year 6 who are visiting Canberra soon.

Visual Art—Artwork depicting Canberra—Lake Burley Griffin

# <u>Sightwords</u>

Congratulations to the following: Piper Cowie—HH1 (5), All Toby Creighton—WW2, Column 2 Stella Schmidt—WW2, Column 2 Chloe Humphreys—WW9, Column 1 Aylah Hill—HH3 (3), All Amity Schaefer—HH3 (1), Columns 3 & 4

## <u>School Photos</u>

School Photos are to be taken on Thursday, 11th August 2022.

# Please return envelopes with money by Monday the 8th August 2022.

Payment is required on the day before photos are taken otherwise a single photo will not

be taken and your child will not receive a class photo. Correct money is required as the photographer and school are unable to give change.

If you wish to have a family group taken please **DO NOT** put family envelope inside the individual envelope, keep it separate.

Please have your child/children in the correct full school uniform. Envelopes were handed out last week, please note each student received an envelope (payment can be made in one envelope). Families also received an envelope.

# PLEASE RETURN ALL ENVELOPES EVEN IF YOU ARE CHOOSING NOT TO PURCHASE BY MONDAY, 8TH AUGUST.

#### Life Education Van

The Life Education Van will be visiting the school on **Wednesday**, **10th August**. Our students will be participating at various sessions throughout the day.

#### The cost this year is \$12 per student.

The Happy Healthy Harold shop will be open again with various merchandise. See price list.

#### Please fill in, sign and return permission note from last week's newsletter.

#### <u>Canberra</u>

Students from our school will soon be undertaking an education tour of the national capital. Students will be given the opportunity to participate in a variety of educational programs with a focus on Australia's history, culture, heritage and democracy.

The Australian Government recognises the importance of all young Australians being able to visit the national capital as part of their Civics and Citizenship education. To assist families in meeting the cost of the excursion the Australian Government is contributing funding of \$90 per student under the Parliament and Civics Education Rebate program towards those costs. The rebate is paid directly to the school upon completion of the excursion.

## P&C-Tuckshop

Tuckshop this week will be on Monday, 8th August. Menu is attached.

## P&C News

Due to unforeseen circumstances the next P&C Meeting will be held on **Wednesday**, **10th August**, **2022 at 3pm**.