



Stratheden Public School

Newsletter

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WEEK 6

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Week 6 Term 3:

Wednesday, 24th August

— Mobile Library.

— Lunch orders due.

Friday, 26th August

— SRC Fundraiser for the Cancer Council
(Yellow dress-up for Daffodil Day.)

— Tuckshop.

— Book Club orders due.

Sunday, 28th August

— Year 6 off to Canberra.

Principal's Report

This week's news:

- **Stratheden PS Athletics:** Our school athletics carnival was a great day, held in wonderful sunshine. Congratulations to all students on your magnificent efforts.

Results are attached.

- **Zone Athletics:** We wish Aylah Hill and William Humphreys all the best at the Zone Athletics on the 26th August at Byron Bay.
- **Canberra:** Year 6 will be travelling to Canberra to participate with other small schools learning about Australia's capital city. I will be attending with them and Mrs Eyles will be acting on my behalf during the week.

Year 6 parents are asked to attend a meeting relating to this trip on Monday morning at 8.30am.

- **CLUBS:** CLUBS continues. The CLUBS this year are Kite Making, Marbling and Pompoms. The pompoms were excellent, as was the marbling. The kites were a bit late arriving, so I'm sure the Kites will look great when they are made.
- **COVID Rules:** 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.
- **Mobile Library:** The Mobile Library will be at the school this Wednesday, 24th August. 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.
- **Premier's Sporting Challenge:** This is now finished. Please return all yellow sheets.
- **Skool Loop**—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.

- School Webpage/Facebook/Seesaw/Skool Loop— take the time to check out our school pages.

Cathy Kauter
Principal

K/1/2 News

K/1/2 are completing their study of "Brer Rabbit and Friends" in Reading.

This week K/1/2 will be working on a unit of work on Latvia, the C.W.A. Country of Study.

Congratulations to the following:

Home Readers: Toby Creighton

Merit Awards: Mikey—Hegedus—Learning new skills.
Aylah Hill—Great reading development.

3/4/6 News

English—Writing—Explanations
Spelling—Unit 14
Reading Groups—Finishing narrative.

Maths—Multiplication & Statistics

History/Geography — C.W.A. Latvia Booklet.

Science—Unit on Materials—Glass

Merit Awards: Olive Hanigan—Helping out in Week 5.
William Humphreys— Helping out in Week 5.

Sightwords

Congratulations to the following:

Piper Cowie—HH1 (7), All
Chloe Humphreys—WW9, Column 2
Aylah Hill—HH3 (4), All

Zone Athletics

Zone Athletics will be held at Cavanbah Centre, 249 Ewingsdale Road, Byron Bay on **Friday, 26th August.**

All students are required to wear their school uniform.

The students who have qualified for zone are as follows:

Aylah Hill—100m
William Humphreys—100m & 200m

Kindergarten Enrolment

Parents with students attending Kindergarten in 2023, should have already received their enrolment packs.

Please return these to the office by **the end of Term 3**.

Enrolment for Kindergarten and Year 1-6 are still being taken, is you know of anyone interested, please ask them to contact the school.

Canberra

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.

SRC News

The Semester 2 SRC has been elected and inducted. Congratulations to William Humphreys, Olive Hanigan, Aylah Hill and Mikey Hegedus.

The SRC have decided to have a fundraiser for the Cancer Council on Friday, 26th August. As this is Daffodil Day time, they are having a Yellow Dress Up Day. Gold coin donation.

P&C—Tuckshop

Tuckshop this week will be on Friday, 26th August.