

# Stratheden Public School

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## WEEK 8

TERM 3

<u>Week 8 Term 3:</u>

Wednesday, 7th September — Lunch orders due.

-Mobile Library.

Friday, 9th September

- Tuckshop.

## Principal's Report

This week's news:

Canberra: William, Lucian and I have just spent four days in Canberra and Perisher Valley. It was a wonderful experience and the boys displayed manners and behaviour that were exemplary. Well done William and Lucian.

Thank you to Mrs Eyles, Mrs Schembri, Mrs Bennett and Mrs Whitton for looking after the school while I was away.

Casino/Kyogle Perfroming Arts Festival: After an absence of two years, due to COVID, this festival is recommencing. It will take place on Monday, 19th September, at the Casino Civic Centre. Our school participates in this festival and our students are performing a dance. Mrs Corryn Summers is putting a lot of effort into instructing the students and preparing their costumes.

For our students who have not participated before, this is considered a school activity and it is appreciated that everyone attend.

The students participate in a rehearsal on the Monday and perform that night.

Tickets for the performance are now available from the office. The cost is \$10 per adult and \$5 for any child who is not in the performance.

- **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 on Wednesday, 7th September. 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.
- 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.

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

#### Cathy Kauter Principal

#### K/1/2 News

 $\overline{K/1/2}$  are reviewing "Clive Eats Alligators" in Reading.

This week K/1/2 will be continuing to work on a unit of work on Latvia, the C.W.A. Country of Study. They will be completing a postcard as part of the C.W.A. Competition.

Congratulations to the following:

Home Readers: Piper Cowie

Stella Schmidt Aylah Hill

Chloe Humphreys

#### Merit Awards:

Stella Schmidt- Reaching Level 7 in reading. Chloe Humphreys- Good phonics results.

### 3/4/6 News

English—Writing—Explanations
Spelling—Unit 16
Reading Groups—Novel "Charlotte Web"

Maths—Decimals, percentages and time.

History/Geography — Continuing research on CWA Country—Latvia.

Science—Investigating Glass, How is it made?

#### Congratulations to the following students who received merit awards:

Olive Hanigan—Improved skills with working independently. Amity Schaefer—Improved concentration in her learning.

# **Sightwords**

Congratulations to the following:
Piper Cowie—HH1 (8), All Columns
Toby Creighton—WW3, Column 2
Stella Schmidt—WW3, Column 2
Chloe Humphreys—HH1 (1), Columns 3 & 4
Conrad Supple—HH1 (7), Columns 3 & 4
Landon Kelly—WW7, Column 1
Aylah Hill—HH3 (5), Columns 1 & 2
Amity Schaefer—HH3 (2), Columns 3 & 4

# Casino/Kyogle Performing Arts Festival

This will be held on Monday, 19th September at the Casino Civic Hall commencing at 6.30 pm and finishing at 9.00 pm approximately.

Details will be forthcoming.

The evening performance commences at 6.30pm and children will be required to be at the hall by 6.00 pm.

If there is a problem with transporting your child/children to this event or you are unable to attend, please let us know as soon as possible so that alternative transport might be organised. All students are expected to participate in this event, as it is part of the school curriculum.

Tickets are now on sale.

#### TICKETS WILL NOT BE SOLD AT THE DOOR ON THE NIGHT!

Cost of tickets are \$10.00 adult and \$5.00 primary school child or younger. Ticket numbers do not equate to a seat number. At the door of the Civic Centre, the ticket will be checked and then the ticket holder will be entitled to choose where he/she would like to sit. Those children performing in the concert do not need to buy tickets unless they want to sit in the audience with their family after they have performed. Please make sure that you purchase your tickets before Friday, 16th September.

Please fill in, sign and return the permission note attached.

#### 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.

#### Kindergarten Orientation

Kindergarten students for 2022 will commence their Orientation with Miss Kauter on

Wednesday, 19th October (Week 2), Wednesday, 2nd November (Week 4), Wednesday, 16th November (Week 6), Wednesday, 23rd November (Week 7) and Wednesday, 14th December (Week 10). These days are from 8.55am—3pm.

Please see Miss Kauter for any further information.

### P&C—Tuckshop

Tuckshop this week will be on Friday, 9th September.