



# Stratheden Public School

## Newsletter

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### WEEK 1

### TERM 4

#### Term 4, Week 1

Monday, 9th October

Wednesday, 11th October

Friday, 12th October

Monday, 23rd October

— School returns for everybody.

— SRC Lunch orders due.

— SRC Lunch—Sausage sizzle.

— Bookclub due.

#### Principal's Report

This week's news:

- **Welcome:** Welcome back to the final term of 2023. This will be a busy term with many different things happening. We have Intensive Swimming, our Mini Fete, an excursion to Currumbin Wildlife Sanctuary and Presentation Night during this term.

We welcome back Mrs Jane Eyles, who has been on leave.

We farewell Olive Hanigan and her family and wish them all the best.

- **Kindergarten Orientation:** This commences this week on Wednesday. We welcome Hugh Creighton and wish him a wonderful introduction to school life.
- **Tell Them From Me:** The annual Tell Them From Me Survey is now available. This survey provides parents/carers the opportunity to provide feedback in relation to the school. The parent survey is anonymous and may be completed at home or the computers will be set up at school next Monday, 16th October, for those who would like some assistance with the technology.

The survey provides good data if completed by as many parents/carers as possible.

**Please make the effort to complete this survey.** Thank you to all who have already done so.

This is the link: <http://nsw.tellthemfromme.com/6k720j>

- **Mobile Library:** The Mobile Library will be at the school on Wednesday, 18th October. 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.
- **School Bytes** — This is the new finance system the school is using, we ask that all parents set up their parent portal account. This will allow parents to see their child/children accounts, permissions, attendance etc.

This link will take you to the portal page—

<https://portal.schoolbytes.education/auth/login>

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

**Cathy Kauter**  
Principal

### K/1/2 News

This term our class will be working on the CWA Country of Study and the Science unit "all mixed up".

Congratulations to the following:

Home Readers: Penny Cowie  
Izayah Gall  
Piper Cowie

### Years 3/4/6 News

English: Continuing reading of "Charlotte's Web" by E.B. White.

Maths: Assessment and Area

Science: Chemical Science—"All Mixed Up"

Visual Art: Great Australian Painters

### Sightwords

Sightwords recommence this week. Each student should be aiming to learn their particular words, so as to improve their reading skills. Sightwords are tested each Friday.

### Kindergarten Enrolment

Enrolment for Kindergarten and Year 1-6 are still being taken, if 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, 11th October (Week 1),**

**Wednesday, 25th October (Week 3),**

**Wednesday, 8th November (Week 5),**

**Wednesday, 22nd November (Week 7) and**

**Wednesday, 6th December (Week 9).**

**These days are from 8.55am—3pm.**

Please see Miss Kauter for any further information.

### SRC News

This Friday, 13th October, the SRC have decided to have a fundraiser for the SRC. The students are allowed to dress up for Friday 13th. That will cost \$1. There is also a special lunch of a Sausage Sizzle and Spider for \$3.

### Jumbunna Mobile Preschool Stratheden

We are open **two** days a week at Stratheden Public School this year on **Thursdays and Fridays**.

For Information contact **Jumbunna 66622866** or **drop in to see us**.



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