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PUBLIC SCHOOL

Term 1 Week 10

31 March 2023

2023 Premier's Reading Challenge

With the holidays coming up, there is no better time to start the Premier's Reading Challenge.
Students may borrow up to 5 books over the holidays. Please remember to bring a library bag next Monday if you are wanting to borrow from the school library. Mrs Francis and Miss Juliet will be able to help students select a title from the vast PRC range of titles.



2023 NSW Premier's Reading Challenge Start reading now!

Key dates for students in K-10: Challenge opens Monday 27 February Challenge closes for student entries Friday 18 August

Cross Country

The Small Schools Cross Country event will be held Week 1 of next term. We have started training at school to build stamina for the event. Students are encouraged to continue training over the school holiday break.

The distances that students run are 8-10 years - 2 km and 11-13 years - 3km. The age group each student competes in is the age they turn on their birthday this year.

Parents are welcome to attend the cross-country carnival. Please ensure you have completed the SZapp permission note and also returned the lunch pre-orders by Thursday 6 April.

Parent Teacher Interviews

Thank you to those parents who were able to come for a Parent Teacher interview. If you were not able to make one of the appointment times, you are most welcome to discuss your child's progress at any time with the teachers. Please contact the office at any time to arrange a mutually suitable time to meet.



Education

UPCOMING EVENTS

APRIL

Wednesday 5

 Reward outing - Lunch at Get Hooked and Tweed Heads Library Questacon visit

Thursday 6 - Last day of Term 1

various activities

Monday 24

Staff development daystudents do not attend

Tuesday 25

 ANZAC Day public holiday

Wednesday 26

 First day of Term 2 for students

Thursday 27

 Small Schools Cross Country Carnival @ Stokers Siding PS

End of term activities

Wednesday 5 April - Reward Outing

As a reward outing students will travel into Tweed Heads to have a hot chip lunch. They will then visit the Tweed Heads Library to experience the Questacon travelling Bytewise exhibit.

"Visitors of all ages enjoy, discover and explore principles of computational thinking through interactive processes, sorting, networks, logic and information theory. Byte Wise's intriguing exhibit investigations engage both mind and body, challenging visitors with code breaking, geometry and logic puzzles. Find the most efficient way to sort objects, play with polyominoes, and send a knight on a networking tour."

Please complete the permission note on the SZapp by Tuesday 4 April.

Thursday 6 April

A variety of activities will be held on the last day of term. Parents and community members are welcome to join us for all or some of the activities. As part of our Easter activities, students may wear bright coloured clothes to school.

12:45 pm - Easter hat parade – the students will make an Easter hat at school on the Monday

1:00 pm - Anzac Day remembrance assembly

1:10 pm - Sausage sizzle lunch

1.40 pm - End of Term Assembly

Parents/carers, if you will be joining us for a sausage sizzle lunch, please complete this survey https://forms.office.com/r/NFh66MuLxd to help with catering.

Home Reading

It was wonderful to see so many of the students regularly reading each night. With the holidays coming up, it is a great opportunity to catch up on the running total of nights read.

Remember – every student who reads 200 nights or more before Term 4 Week 9 will receive an additional award at our Presentation Assembly. With regular reading, this challenge is very achievable. There are more than 250 nights (including weekends and holidays) to go before Presentation.

Congratulations to the students who have achieved the first Home Reading milestone.

25 nights - Oliver, Lennox and a Year 6 student

Breakfast Club recipe

Making a variety of foods for Breakfast Club has provided an opportunity for the students to learn some cooking skills and try different foods. This week, we made Breakfast Quiche ... which can be enjoyed at any meal of the day. Here is our recipe. You can add some other vegies, like corn, onion or tomato, if you like. The recipe can also be cooked in a large dish rather than individual muffins.

Breakfast Quiche

4 eggs, beaten
2 tablespoons SR flour – heaped
1 zucchini, grated
1 carrot, grated
100g ham, chopped
1/2 cup grated cheese

Mix eggs and flour together.
Mix in other ingredients.
Lightly grease a 6-hole muffin tray.
Spoon mixture into muffin tray.
Cook 20 mins at 180°C.
Cool slightly.
Run a knife around the edge of each quiche before turning out.

Easter Holiday Break

Term 1 has almost come to an end. Thursday 6 April will be the last day of term. Students return to school on Wednesday 26 April.

Anzac Day march

Thank you to those families who responded to the Anzac Day march survey. Unfortunately, we will not be participating in the march due to the small number of students available.

Baby chickens visit

Thanks to Oliver's mum who brought in some adorable chicks for a visit.







SOCCER FUN DAY

Our students had a fantastic day at the Soccer fun day held at Burringbar Public School. All student's played to their best ability, had a go, and displayed wonderful teamwork and sportsmanship! Congratulations to Lennox who received a medal for his excellent display of team work and sportsmanship





