

## NEWSLETTER

*Empowering Learners for their future*

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Term 3: Week 1

### FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Welcome back, we hope that all our families enjoyed a happy and safe break. I hope all students are well rested and ready to get back into their learning.

Next week after a term of training we will finally go live with our new computer system (LMBR). It is expected that there will be a few bumps along the way as we implement the new system and the functions that it will provide. The new system will track and monitor attendance patterns. To help with the system could all parents please be prompt in

returning absence notes with explanations of why your child has missed a day of school.

Parent teacher interviews will take place over the next two Fridays, starting with our Primary students this Friday and infants students the following Friday. Please complete and return the attached note in regards to arranging an interview with your child's teacher.

We are looking forward to discussing your child's learning progression.

Jason Hurley  
Relieving Principal

### Assembly

Congratulations to the award winners at Assembly last term.

Year 3-6 (below)

Merit certificates: Luke Anderson & Thomas Sinca

Student of the week: Sophie Luef



K,1,2 (above)

Merit Certificates: Isabelle Caldow & Darby Cattle

Student of the week: Broden Davey



**Well Done!**



## K/1/2 Term 3 News Topics

Week 1: Free News

Week 2: If I could live anywhere...

Week 3: Family is important because...

Week 4: If I was a giant I would...

Week 5: If I had a rocket I would travel to...

Week 6: Friends are important because...

Week 7: If I was invisible I would...

Week 8: If I had all the money in the world I would...

Week 9: Next year I want to learn about...

Week 10: Free news

Monday: Isla, Henry, Darby

Tuesday: Stevie, Isabel, Laci

Wednesday: Broden, Ellie, Macey



## A Visit to the Post Office

Students in K,1,2 have all written letters to a Penpal in Scotland and they walked to the Post Office to post them. They are all hoping to receive a letter back in the next few weeks!



# Infant's 100 Day Celebration



On Thursday the 27<sup>th</sup> July  
K/1/2 will celebrate reaching 100  
days of school for 2017.

**THERE WILL BE A JELLYBEAN GUESSING  
COMPETITION.**

**\*NOTE IT WILL NOT HAVE 100  
JELLYBEANS IN IT!**



The party will be held during the middle session and the rest of the day will follow as normal.

We will be watching a film together. If your child has a movie they would like to bring in please make sure their name is on it.



It would be great if each student could bring a plate of food/snacks/treats for our class to share. Keeping in mind the 100 day theme.

Don't forget we are a nut free school.





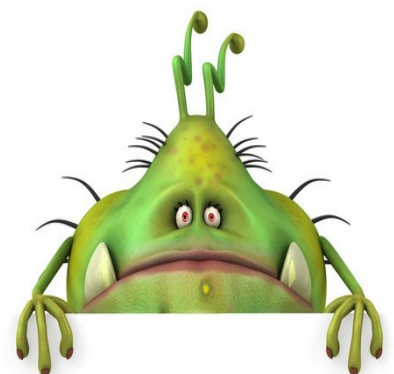
## Hand Washing

Good hand washing protects against the spread of many illnesses - from the common cold (which is responsible for 22 million lost school-days each year) to more serious illnesses such as meningitis, flu, hepatitis A, and most types of infectious diarrhea.

To prevent the spread of colds, flus and other sicknesses please remind your child to wash their hands properly with soap.

So when are the best times to wash your hands?

- when your hands are dirty
- before eating or touching food (like if you're helping cook or bake, for example)
- after using the bathroom
- after blowing your nose or coughing
- after touching pets or other animals
- after playing outside
- before and after visiting a sick relative or friend



## PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS

Dear parents

We have set aside two days at the beginning of this term to discuss your child's learning progression and half yearly report. The first will be Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July for Primary students and the 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday 28<sup>th</sup> July for infants' students. If you are unavailable to make a time on these days to meet with your child's teacher, you are welcome to make an appointment with your child's teacher any other day of the week between 8.30am-9.00am or 3.15-4pm.

Due to pick up and drop of times being popular the time allocation to each child will be 15minutes. If you wish to book a longer appointment please select a time during the day.

Please place your name against at least 3 times in case your first choice is unavailable

	Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> July (Primary)	Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> July (Infants)
8:30		
8:45		
9:00		
9:15		
9:30		
10:00		
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11:00		
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2:45		
3:00		
3:15		
3:30		
3:45		
4:00		

- ☐ I will contact the school and arrange a time for another date
- ☐ I do not wish to attend an interview with my child's teacher

# Canteen Roster

## TERM THREE

<u>21st July</u>	Sarah Anderson
<u>28th July</u>	Candice Davey
<u>4th Aug</u>	Simone Hall
<u>11th Aug</u>	Bre Mayall
<u>18th Aug</u>	Sam Bell
<u>25th Aug</u>	Narelle Cattle
<u>1st Sept</u>	Sheryll Caldow
<u>8th Sept</u>	Natalie McCarten
<u>15th Sept</u>	Georgie Luelf
<u>22nd Sept</u>	Louise Sinca

If you are unable to do your rostered day on could you please swap with someone else.

Thank you! Without you all we would not have canteen for the kids

### A Quick Bite ...

Feel more energised with these everyday foods

"Everyday foods" include lots of tasty and nutritious foods. They help our bodies to function the way they should.

There is lots of evidence about how good are everyday foods and the harm of too many occasional foods. Your day to day eating should be made up of everyday foods. These include:

- A variety of **vegetables**. Aim for 5 servings.
- **Cereal foods** - choose mostly wholegrain or high fibre.
- **Fruit** - fresh, frozen, tinned or dried (small amounts)
- **Meat and alternatives to meat** like eggs, tofu, legumes, nuts and seeds.
- **Dairy foods** - choose mostly reduced fat.



For portion sizes and food ideas visit

[www.eatforhealth.gov.au/food-essentials/how-much-do-we-need-each-day](http://www.eatforhealth.gov.au/food-essentials/how-much-do-we-need-each-day)

For more information visit

[www.mhhd.health.nsw.gov.au/services/health-promotion-1](http://www.mhhd.health.nsw.gov.au/services/health-promotion-1)

Live Life Well  
@ School



Health  
Murrumbidgee  
Local Health District



Weethalle Cordially  
invites you to...

Black & White  
Spring Ball

September  
Saturday 9th 2017

Weethalle Hall Railway Road

BLACK & WHITE EVENING ATTIRE  
Two course dinner, Byo Alcohol & Live Music By  
Crackerjack

Doors open 6:30pm - Late

Tickets \$70 per person

18 YEARS & OVER WELCOME

all proceeds support local community organisations

To reserve a ticket please contact

Jo Foster by 26th August

0415 563 226 / jofost28@hotmail.com

No tickets sold on the night

Centre pieces supplied by Ardlee Outback