



PALLAMALLAWA PUBLIC SCHOOL

Newsletter Thursday 17th November 2016

Relieving Principal: Tanya Withers

School Fees-End of School Financial Year (November)

As the end of the school Financial year 30th November approaches, the school needs all outstanding accounts to be paid immediately. Accounts have been sent home for outstanding School Fees/Laptop Hire. Items the school pays for and including Text Books, Laptop/Computer Hire, etc, are covered in these fees. Some families have not paid anything this year towards these costs.

Learn to Swim School Permission Notes

Notes have been sent home. Please return the note **and money** to the office as soon as possible. As soon as the notes and money are in, the staff can complete the organisation for this program. The Swimming Carnival will commence at 10.30am on Friday 25th at Warialda Pool. **All permission notes that need to be returned to school will now be on blue coloured paper.**

NRL Skills Session Permission Notes

Notes have been sent home. Please return these notes to the office if you would like your child to participate in this skills session on Tuesday 29th November. **All permission notes that need to be returned to school will now be on blue coloured paper.**

Chamber Music Visit

The New England Conservatorium of Music will be visiting our school on Friday 2nd December with a Trio of Musicians and presenting a 45 minute concert. The school will be subsidising this concert for all students to attend.

Jumpstart Graduation Assembly

Eddie, Millie & Raine received their Portfolios, Graduation Certificates and books at the Assembly last Thursday. They performed 3 Little Animals and Oh I can play on my drums. We look forward to seeing you all next year.



The Calendar

November

Mon 21st - Fri 25th Learn to Swim Program (Warialda Pool)

Fri 25th Swim Carnival starts at 10.30am

Tues 29th NRL Skills Session 9.45am-11am

December

Fri 2nd NECOM Visit-Musical Trio 11.30am

Tues 6th -WHS & MSC YR6 Transition Day

Wed 7th—Presentation Night 7pm

Sun 11th Community Christmas Party 1pm

Fri 16th—Shake, Rattle & Bowl Reward Excursion to Inverell

Fri 16th Last Day of Term-Students

Mon 19th SPPD— Staff Prof Dev Day

February

Fri 3rd Staff return to School

Mon 6th All Students return to School

Presentation Night— Wednesday 7th

Students will need the following items/clothing for Presentation Night

K-2 Costumes:

Girls— Black leggings, T-Shirt with hair teased up.

Boys— Black Jeans/Pants, Black T-Shirt with hair spiked up.

3-6 Costumes:

Girls—Black Leggings, Black T-Shirt, Flannelette Shirt & hair in a pony tail.

Boys—Jeans & Black Shirt.

P & C Meeting

The next P & C Meeting will be held early in Term 1, 2017. TBA on date.

Everybody is welcome to attend.

Jumpstart Transition Program Enrolments for 2017

Parents that are wanting to enrol their children in Kindergarten in 2018, are asked to get in touch with the school and put an expression of interest in with the Principal.



Congratulations to last Thursday Major Assembly Award Winners:

K-2 Class: Matthew Brazel, Vickashni Kumar, Dakota Bateman, Jorga Saunders, George Diprose, Miley Crouch.

3-6 Class: Benjamin Hobday, Chloe Slade-Eichorn, Rochelle Vosper, David Kumar & Bradley Maunder. **PBL Star - Rochelle Vosper**

Student Sign In/Sign Out Book

If your child is late to school or is leaving school early you must sign them either in or out. This book is located at the school office. This is part of departmental criteria and we must do this. If your child is away from school either sick or on leave, please write a note, make a phone call or just let staff know the reason they are away so it can be recorded against their absence.

P & C Raffles-Golden Grain – HELPERS NEEDED URGENTLY

Parents/Helpers required to sell raffle tickets at the Golden Grain to raise funds for the Pally P & C for four Friday nights starting on Friday 18th November to Friday 9th December 2016. Please contact Kevin Rigby if you can help out on Mobile No: 0458 270 775.

Library Books

Students are to return all Library books and Readers to school for stocktake.

Vosper Family Farewell

Staff and Students would like to wish the Vosper Family: Fenton, Rochelle & Imogen all the best for their move overseas to New Zealand to start a new life adventure. Staff & Students had a going away party on Tuesday afternoon for Imogen & Rochelle. Fellow students presented the girls with a going away card.



P & C Canteen News

Parents please note the change of Canteen Day that has commenced this term. The canteen days will be Wednesdays and Fridays. **Please be aware the Recess and the Lunch Menus are different. Parents please be aware that the items listed are only available at these specific times only. Not at both times.** **Due to the minimal canteens days left, no new stock will be ordered in for this year. If an item on the menu is not available, students will be asked to choose something else.** Thank you for understanding. **Please check the school app for Menu, Price List and Roster updates.**

Please check the day allocated to you and if you are unable to do this day, please swap with another parent and notify Jodi of the change on 0488103397.

Term 4 Canteen & Fruit Roster

<i>Wednesday Canteen</i>		Wednesday Fruit Roster	<i>Friday Canteen</i>	
			18 th	Salli Smith
23 rd	NO CANTEEN	NO CANTEEN	25 th	NO CANTEEN
30 th	Jodi Rigby	Monique McNeil	2 nd Dec	Helper Needed
7 th Dec	Jodi Rigby	Keira Williams	9 th	Georgia Wilson
14 th	Jodi Rigby	Judy Slade	16 th	NO CANTEEN