

# Pallamallawa Public School

Newsletter 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2017

Mrs Julie Schwartz

#### Calendar

#### **February**

Fri 24th Canteen Commences

#### March

**Wed 15<sup>th</sup>** Jumpstart Parent Meeting 9am Thurs 16<sup>th</sup> P & C Meeting

Tues 21st Harmony Day

### Moree Zone Swimming Carnival - McKechnie Shield

Congratulations to Katie and Clare Cory who represented our school last Friday at the Moree Zone Swimming Carnival. Well Done Girls.

### Jumpstart Parent Meeting-15th March 9am

Parents of students commencing Kindergarten in 2018 are invited to attend a parent meeting on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> March at 9am. At this meeting parents will be advised of the program the school provides for transition to school. Parents are asked to contact the school if they will be attending.

### Thank You Parents-School Fees

To all the parents who have paid this terms fees or all years' fees, Thank You.

### School Fees - \$50 each student

This amount covers the cost of textbooks used by students. This needs to be paid by Friday, 24<sup>th</sup> February. The School subsidises the cost of text books, exercise books, classroom consumables and other activities such as Performances and Excursions.

### Voluntary Contribution

Parents can make a Voluntary Contribution to the school \$10.

## <u>ipad/Laptop Fees</u>

\$10 per student a term. This fee helps to cover education programs the school purchases each year to support learning. E.g. Spelling, Mathletics computer program for students to access at school and home. Agreement/Usage Notes need to be returned with money.

### Media / Walking Permission Note

These need to be completed and returned to school. The walking note covers all activities your child will be involved in during 2017 when moving around the village. Students will be supervised at all times.

### Update of Family Contact Information.

Please complete the update and return to school as soon as possible. We need to make sure information for family contacts is up to date. It is extremely important for the school to have up to date contact information especially if the school needs to contact parents quickly.

The Medical note is a Department of Education requirement and must be completed before your child can attend any excursions.

### Library for 2017

Both classes will have library on Friday this year. Students will need a library bag to borrow books from the library. Library bags are available from the canteen for \$10.

### Before School

Teacher supervision is provided from 8.40am. Students should not be arriving before this time unless previously arranged.

### School Newsletters - Thursdays

At this stage the School newsletter will be sent home on Thursday. Parents are reminded the newsletter can be delivered through email. Please notify the office of any updated emails addresses. School newsletters are also available on the school app.

### P & C Thank You

Thank you to our P & C for providing fridges for our students to use for lunch boxes and water bottles. Students need to put their lunch boxes in the fridge upon arrival at school.

### Assembly

There will be no Assembly next Wednesday. Staff will be attending professional development courses. Next Assembly date TBA.

#### Canteen

The Canteen will be operating on Monday and Friday. The canteen menu, price list and roster are available on the school app.

Canteen will commence tomorrow, Friday 24th February.

#### CANTEEN ROSTER for TERM 1

Monday Canteen		Monday	Friday Canteen	
		Fruit Roster		
			24 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Jodi Rigby
27 <sup>th</sup>	Kerry Munn	Susannah Pearse	3 <sup>rd</sup> March	Keira Williams
6 <sup>th</sup>	Amy Evans	Casey Schneider	10 <sup>th</sup>	Bec Diprose
13 <sup>th</sup>	Donna Stevens	Judy Slade	17 <sup>th</sup>	Krystelle Parsons
20 <sup>th</sup>	Jodi Rigby	Rennae Hancock	24 <sup>th</sup>	Tracey Baker
27 <sup>th</sup>	Salli Boughton	Liz Hobday	31 <sup>st</sup> March	Heidi Johnstone
3 <sup>rd</sup> April	Helper Needed	Bonnie Patch	7 <sup>th</sup>	Jodi Rigby

### Reminder Water Only School

Pallamallawa Public School is a water only school. Poppers and other sweet drinks are banned. (Pallamallawa Public School Health & Well Being Policy).

#### Student Sign In/Sign Out Book

Students late to school or leaving early must be signed in or out by parents/guardian/caregiver at the office.

### School Grounds Out of Hours- Reminder

No one is allowed on school grounds out of hours without the Principals permission.

### Golden Grain Raffles

The P & C helpers are needed for the Raffles at the Golden Grain Hotel for the next two weeks ( $24^{th}$  Feb &  $3^{rd}$  March). Please contact Kevin Rigby if you are able to assist on Mobile: 0458 270 775.