

Pallamallawa Public School

Newsletter 9th August 2018

Miss Tanya Withers (Rel Principal)

Calendar 2018

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Tues 14th STEM Day -
Croppa Creek

Thurs 16th Jumpstart

Mon 20th NRL Skills

Tues 21st Open Afternoon
starting at 1pm-Assembly

Thurs 23rd Jumpstart

Thurs 23rd CWA

International Day-POLAND

Mon 27th NRL Skills

Tues 28th STEM Day PPS

Thurs 30th Jumpstart

SEPT

Wed 5th Public Speaking
Night @ 6.30pm

Thurs 6th Jumpstart

Thurs 6th Small Schools

NRL GALA Day

Tues 11th STEM Day

Gravesend PS

Thurs 13th Jumpstart

Thurs 20th STEM Market

Day at PPS

Mon 24th-Fri 28th 3-6 Lake

Ainsworth Excursion

Fri 28th Last Day Term 3

Oct

Mon 15th Staff & Students
Return to School

Trawalla Nut Pick

A Very Big Thank You to the Staff & Management of Stahmann Farms for letting our Students, Staff and Parents come to the farm and see how the nuts are grown, picked and packed. Everyone had a wonderful day, especially the delicious BBQ lunch that you supplied for everyone.

Landcare Visit

Shelley & Alex from Landcare visited the school on Thursday 2nd, to talk to students about the importance of wildlife and trees to our environment. Landcare kindly donated some trees, plastic plant protectors, support sticks and mulch to the school for the students to plant in our gardens. Thank you Shelley & Alex.

Heferen Shield

Congratulations to Summah, Kaytlyn, George, Ryder, Joshua, Bella-Lee, Clare, Chloe & Kaydhan who competed at the Heferen Shield Carnival on Friday 3rd August. Ms Bess was very impressed with our student's sportsmanship and behaviour on the day. Well Done to you all.

NRL Skills Day

Mr Peter Stevens-NRL Lead Game Development Office-North West Region will be visiting the school on Mondays to teach students about ball skills, fitness, diet and how to play sport correctly, lessening the chances of injury.

Readers K-2

Parents please return your K-2 child's readers that they had over the school holidays. Thank you Ms Pidgeon.

Open Afternoon for Education Week

On Tuesday 21st August, parents are welcome to come to school and have lunch with their child at 1pm (Parents to supply packed lunches). Classroom activities will start at 1.45pm, concluding with an Assembly.

CWA International Day-POLAND

The school has been invited to attend the CWA International Day at Warialda Public School on Thursday 23rd August. Students have been busy learning the Heel Toe Polka Dance and singing a song to perform on the day. The CWA Ladies will be providing Morning Tea for staff and students. Students will need to bring a packed lunch and water bottle.

Martin Chatterton - Author Visit

Pallamallawa & Croppa Creek students attended the visit by writer, illustrator & speaker, Martin Chatterton on Tuesday 7th August. Mr Chatterton spoke to students about the books he has written and did some amazing illustrations. Pallamallawa students have been reading Mr Chatterton's books in class prior to his visit. Students had a fantastic time, laughter was emitting from the classroom all over the school. Students are now enthusiastic to read more of Martin's books. Martin and his wife Annie were very impressed with all student's behaviour on the day. Student photos are on the Facebook page.

STEM Launch Day

Students from Croppa Creek and Gravesend schools joined with our students on Wednesday 1st August for their STEM Day Launch. Students presented their planned market day product and they received feedback from other students and teachers. Students also participated in team building activities. Student photos are on the Facebook page.

Lake Ainsworth Excursion

Pallamallawa 3-6 students have written to businesses in Moree asking if they are able to donate an item for the students to raffle to raise money to go towards their Lake Ainsworth Excursion at the end of Term. A big Thank you to Ms Pidgeon for helping organise the letters from students and picking up of the donated items. Thank you to Mrs Rigby for organising the raffle books to go home with students to sell. Cost of Tickets are \$2 or 3 for \$5.

1st Prize is a Webber Q2200 BBQ & Trolley, we have some wonderful prizes on offer. The raffle will be drawn at our Sandra Parsons Public Speaking Night on Wednesday 5th September. Students will be selling 100 club tickets, which will be available at the Mud Bomb event on Sunday 12th August. Any students able to help Ms Pidgeon sell tickets on this day are asked to meet her at the Ground.

The cost of the excursion has been reduced to \$340 per student due to the fundraising so far. This will be further reduced by the current raffle.

Canteen Roster

Please check the day allocated to you on the roster and if you are unable to do this day, please swap with another parent and notify Jaimi of the change on (0429 184 847 - Jaimi's Number). If no one is available to do this day, the canteen will close on that day. Please contact Jaimi if any Grandparent, Aunty or Community member you know of who is willing to help out at the Canteen.

Monday Canteen		Thursday Canteen	
		9 th	Salli Smith
13 th	Jaimi Sharkey	16 th	Lisa Lang-Morley
20 th	Jaimi Sharkey	23 rd	NO CANTEEN
27 th	Jaimi Sharkey	30 th	Helper Needed
3 rd Sept	Jaimi Sharkey	6 th	Trish Fox
10 th	Jaimi Sharkey	13 th	Emily Parker
17 th	Jaimi Sharkey	20 th	Jaimi Parker- Special Day
24 th	Jaimi Sharkey	27 th	Lisa Lang-Morley

Hunter New England Local Health District
ABN 27 645 237 701
Hunter New England Oral Health
Oral Health Support Level 3,
8/670 Hunter Street Newcastle
NSW 2303

Dear Parent/Caregiver/Guardians,

Hunter New England Oral Health (HNE Oral Health) provides dental care for all children under 18 years of age. With over 20 dental clinics throughout the Local Health District, our teams consist of qualified and experienced dental practitioners i.e. dentists, dental therapists and oral health therapists who are supported by dental assistants in providing quality dental care for your child.

HNE Oral Health is not associated with any private mobile dental services.

Your local HNE Oral Health public dental clinic also accepts the use of Child Dental Benefits Schedule (COBS). The COBS gives eligible children aged 2 to 17 years access to up to \$1000 in Medicare benefits for dental services over two years. The COBS can be used through either a private or NSW public dental services such as HNE Oral Health.

Our service is committed to ensure the best use of your child's COBS benefit. The benefits are used to further enhance the dental services that we provide in local communities.

It's important to note that there are no 'out of pocket' costs when using your child's COBS benefit with HNE Oral Health, even if the \$1000 cap is reached. Regardless of whether your child is eligible for the COBS or not, our teams consistently focus on providing quality dental care in best supporting your child's oral health needs.

Call today to book an appointment for your child on 1300 651 625

For more information about oral health and accessing our services, please visit the HNE Kids Health webpage at www.hnekidshealth.nsw.gov.au/site/oralhealth

	<p><i>Is it time for a dental check-up?</i></p> <p>Hunter New England Oral Health provides free dental care for <u>all</u> children under 18yrs of age</p> <p>We accept the Child Dental Benefits Scheme</p> <p>Moree Dental Clinic opening hours: 8:00am – 4:30pm</p> <p>We are located at Alice St, Moree</p>
 <p>Health Hunter New England Local Health District</p>	<p>Call 1300 651 625 to book an appointment for your child</p> <p>For more information about oral health and accessing our service, visit the HNE Kids Health webpage at www.hnekidshealth.nsw.gov.au/oralhealth</p>

A BIG THANK YOU TO THE FOLLOWING LOCAL BUSINESS WHO HAVE DONATED TOWARDS OUR 3-6 SCHOOL EXCURSION RAFFLE.

THE PALLY PUB

McGREGOR GOURLAY

GENEROUS COMMUNITY MEMBER

DOMINO'S PIZZA, MOREE

YOUNIQUE HAIR IMAGE

BEAUTY MATTERS

HILL FITZSIMMONS P/L

MS PIDGEON

BALO SQUARE NEWSPAPER

MOREE DISCOUNT DRUG STORE