Term 4 Week 6
15 November 2018

Top Attenders

Students of the Week

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FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Students, Parents and Friends.
Thank you to everyone who has been working so hard to ensure their children are at school every day that they are well enough to attend. It is fantastic to see so many of our classes with such great attendance for the term. So far, for November, the following three classes are our top attending classes:

Mrs Sonter’s 1/2 Class → 96.05%
Miss Larsen’s 3/4 Class → 93.60%
Mrs Kirchner’s 2/3 Class → 90.43%

Next week our 5/6 Class will head off on their school camp. This is looking to be a brilliant couple of days filled with great activities and exciting opportunities to further develop friendships. Next week we will also have our Life Education Van visiting and all classes from P-6 will participate in the curriculum based units delivered by Healthy Harold and his friendly assistant Kathy. Next week is looking to be another busy week at Thabeban State School.

Please remember that if you have not paid for swimming you need to do so as a matter of urgency. From Monday any children who have not paid or entered into a payment plan with Mrs Long will no longer be able to attend lessons.

With the warmer months now upon us, please consider applying some SPF 50+ sunscreen to your child each morning. Sun safety is important and the decisions and choice we make now about skin care will potentially impact our children in the years to come.

Kind regards
M. Lawrance
Principal

FROM THE HPE DESK – BY MISS RUSSELL

Our swimming lessons have started at Norville Pool. Students have been practising and developing their swimming technique, water safety knowledge and water confidence, survival skills and endurance.

Please don’t forget to make sure your payment for swimming has been made to the office.

Check out our Thabeban students moving and learning at the pool.

YEAR 5/6 BEACH CAMP

Parents/Carers are reminded that full payment of the camp costs must be made before travelling. Check with your son/daughter for a last minute reminder letter that will come home next Wednesday.

We are looking forward to a couple of fun days.

Cheers Mrs D

The student council group has started collecting students’ empty popper containers.

We have two bright yellow Popper Bins, one for the upper eating area and one for the lower. At the end of the break, staff will direct the students to put ONLY empty poppers into the Popper Bin after taking the straw out.

Student council will have meetings and in consultation with staff will make decisions about how to spend the returns.

Our students will be making an important contribution to the recycling effort and learning that even as very young people, they have a role to play.
YEAR 1/2 CHATTER
This Term, Year One/Two have been going swimming at Norville Pool. We have some professional swimming teachers coaching us to become better swimmers and knowledgeable about water safety. Although the water has been a bit cool, students have enjoyed being in the water.

YEAR 4/5 CHAT
This term, year 4/5 students have been exploring solids, liquids and gases in Science. This is the first year that students are introduced to the structure of gases, having previously explored solids and liquids in younger grades. The structure of the molecules changes in solids, liquids and gases and students have explored the different criteria for each.
What solids, liquids and gases do you have around your home? Get exploring!

TUCKSHOP NIBBLES
Don’t forget the Meal Deals!
Next weeks special:
Meat Pie, Lemonade or Raspberry Icy Pole,
Cob of Corn $5

END OF YEAR RAFFLE TICKETS and DONATIONS
Hopefully you are selling a lot of tickets. More are available from the office.
Donations are coming in slowly, so please make sure you get yours in.
The allocations are;
Prep: Outdoor e.g. balls, hat, pavement chalk, water bottles, water balloons etc.
Yr 1: Confectionary e.g. lollies, chocolate, chips etc.
Yr 2: Baking e.g. cookbook, oven mitt, baking trays, cake mixes.
Yr 3: Car Care e.g. bucket, sponge, car wash, hose, air freshener.
Yr 4: Toys e.g. puzzles, board games, card games etc.
Yr 5: Art supplies e.g. Colouring books, pen, pencils, paint, brushes etc.
Yr 6: Pamper e.g. bath bombs, lotions, nail set, candles, face mask etc.

ALL DONATIONS TO BE PLACED IN THE CONTAINER AT THE OFFICE PLEASE

HAROLD IS COMING!!!!
The Life Education mobile classroom, a qualified educator and Harold the giraffe, will be visiting our school next Wednesday, Thursday & Friday.
Life Education presents health modules with different learning outcomes relevant to early, middle & upper primary years. These modules focus on promoting physical, social and emotional health. Health topics include: nutrition, exercise, body knowledge, safety (eg: sun, road, needle, cyber), pollution, communication, bullying, decision making & resilience. Drug topics for the primary school modules cover: medications, caffeine, tobacco and alcohol. Both health and drug topics are presented relevant to readiness and year levels. It is important for your child’s benefit that they attend each year from Prep to Year 6 as the modules are cumulative.
Cost will be $5 per student.
DATES TO REMEMBER

November
Mon 19 Swimming
Wed 21 P&C Meeting 2pm Life Ed
Thu 22 Year 5/6 Camp Life Ed
Fri 23 Year 5/6 Camp Life Ed
Mon 26 Swimming
Tue 27 Volunteers Thank You lunch
Fri 30 Prep Come & Try Day 12-1:30pm

December
Mon 3 Swimming
Fri 7 Celebration Day
Tue 11 Concert night

Schools days left in this year: 21

CLEANEST CLASSROOM CHAMPIONS

Our School Cleaners thank our Year 2/3 class who won the Week 5 Cleanest Classroom Award.
Well Done. Congratulations.

REGULAR EVENTS

Every Monday 2:30pm
Parade in the hall (Everyone is welcome)

Every Wednesday
Student Banking

Every Thursday before school
Chess Club (near tuckshop)

Every Wed, Thu, Fri
Tuckshop is open for first break.
Volunteers are always needed. Please help.

Every Fri
Icy cups for sale 50c (Outside Year 6)

BELL TIMES

8:45am Start of the day
11:00am First break
11:40am End of first break
1:30pm Second break
1:55pm End of second break
3:00pm End of the day

CLEAN CLASSROOM CHAMPIONS

Year 2/3
FOR WEEK ENDING
Term 4, Week 5

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