



The Parkes East Parrot

13 August 2018

Term 3, Week 4



Merit Certificate Criteria for this week:

- Attempting all tasks
- Co-operating and appreciating others



Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL)

Focus for this week is:

***We establish and follow
the rules of a game***

It is important to understand the rules of a game before we start playing. This allows everyone to play fairly and for the game to continue without arguments. We should not change or make different rules without both teams agreeing.

Things to consider include:

- How many players are on each team?
- Is there someone available to umpire the game?
- If someone joins during the game, make sure both sides of the team are aware
- If problems start to occur, re-establish the rules and ask a teacher to help
- Play by the rules, it isn't fair to cheat

WHAT'S AHEAD...

Week 4

Tue 14 Aug P&C meeting, 7:00pm in Staff Room

Wed 15 Aug Wellington Eisteddfod Choir

Week 5

Mon 20 Aug Book Week

Thu 23 Aug Book Week Pirate Dress Up day

Week 6

Tue 28 Aug Parkes Show holiday, commencing 12:00 noon

Fri 31 Aug Elective sport commences, Years 2 - 6

It was spectacular to see so many families and carers here for our Education Week Open Day. To those of you who were able to come along on the day, thank you so very much for coming and being part of our celebration of Education Week and most importantly, your child/ren's learning.

Please remember that you are more than welcome to come in and meet with your child's class teacher at any time if you do have queries about their learning, or just want to check in with how they are progressing.

Congratulations to our Girls Touch Football team for their effort against Molong Central School last week. It was a very close game that went into additional time, with Molong coming away the victors on the day.

Our PBL Reward was held last Thursday. All of our students, from Kindergarten to Year 6, enjoyed watching a movie and eating popcorn in the hall. They are now working on having music during lunch time and a Crazy Sock Day.

The Lachlan Athletics Carnival was held last Friday with a significant number of Parkes East students competing in the various events. Congratulations to all of our students who competed on the day and to those who will be going on to Western Athletics. Thank you to the staff and parents who helped out with the running of the day.

Have a wonderful week, Mrs O'Neill

PARKES ANNUAL COMMUNITY READING DAY

Friday 14 September

Theme: Paint the Town REaD: REaDiculously

Dress: REaDiculously **Read:** REaDulous rhymes

Help celebrate literacy and spread the message

Read, Sing, Talk, Rhyme to your baby all the time.



MERIT CERTIFICATES - Term 3, Week 3

Work Ethic

*Neat presentation
of work*

K-6O: -
KH: Riley Hood
KI: Bella Wood
KM: Amahli Barber
1MB: Jackson Hodges
1MC: Jacob Gosper
1O: Aaryab Gautam
2M: Kasey Morgan
2L: Caitlin Baker
2-3D: Emily Hayward Parker
3K: Quinn Kriedemann
3-4F: Alicia Rivett
4-5M: Laura Burkitt
5-6S: Tayah Reeves
6R: Frasier Beaton

Behaviour

*Wears uniform
with pride*

Jye Morgan
Kyanna Dargin
Billy Lenahan
Payton Fuller
Liam Strudwick
Lachlan Gronn
Corey Hayes
Joel Turner
Abigail Bredan
Patrick McPherson
Pippa Robinson
Lillian Gosper
Michael Fritz
Isabella Hughes
Hunter Kriedemann

Wiradjuri

*Be at peace without
fighting*

Dekodah Morley
Locklann Hodges
Harley Cotter
Hayley Platt
Breanna Powell
Ebony Bland
Keely Lenahan
Olivia Milligan
Cameron Pfaff
Caitlin Francis
Lachlan Griffiths
Aksel Carroll
Ella Harbidge
Riley Blackstock
Izabella Ram

Rise Above Self: Isabelle ten Cate da Silva **Love of Reading:** Matthew Goulthorpe

TRANSITION PLAYGROUP

Transition playgroup for
2019 Kindergarten students
will **commence** on
Monday 20 August
through until

Thursday 27 September,
then there will be a two week
break for the school holidays.
Playgroup will recommence on
Monday 15 October through
until Thursday 15 November.

Monday 9:30 am-11:00 am

Tuesday 9:30 am-11:00 am

Wednesday 9:30 am-11:00 am

Thursday 9:30 am - 11:00 am

Morning Playgroup Sessions:
Please bring a piece of fruit and
bottle of water for morning tea.

Please remember:

Bring a hat and wear enclosed
shoes and sunscreen.

MAROON AND SILVER PENNANTS

Congratulations to the students listed below for achieving five Principal's Awards, which entitled them to be awarded with a Maroon Pennant.

- 1MB:** Sophia Charlton, Chelsey Ewin, Stella McGirr, Isabella ten Cate da Silva, Liam Strudwick, Callum Underwood
- 2L:** Cooper Kelly, Fletcher Matthews, Aiden O'Keefe, Mason Oram, Charlotte Layton, Caitlin Baker
- 2M:** Paityn Phillips-Thompson, Ellsie Tomlinson, Marno Barnard, Rhyley Moore, Memphis Potts, Jackson Reeves
- 2-3D:** Emily Hayward Parker, Natalia-Lea Phillips-Thompson, Tyler Everingham
- 3-4F:** Aksel Carroll

Congratulations to the students listed below for achieving ten Principal's Awards, which entitled them to be awarded with a Silver Pennant.

- 2M:** Kasey Morgan
- 2-3D:** Stephanie McNaughton, Lyla Miller
- 3-4F:** Aimee Ross, Brody Beuzeville

WEEKLY ASSEMBLY

This week, **5/6S** is co-ordinating assembly; presenting Merit Certificates, school reports and MC'ing the event.

If any parents would like to come along, they are more than welcome to attend.

LACHLAN ATHLETICS

A fantastic effort by all of our athletes at the Lachlan Athletics trials on Friday.

WOW!! 17 students will now have an opportunity to represent the Lachlan district at the Western trials in week 8, Friday 14 September.

Our representatives for Western trials will be: Phoebe Usher, Paul Richter, Jack Milne, Lilly Gosper, Alexander Chambers, Grace Milne, Makayla Sloane, Elly Thornberry, Patrick McPherson, Preston Goolagong, Marley Moran, Mack Mitchell, Tayah Reeves, Essie Mitchell, Ebony Bayliss-Cox, Millie Bayliss-Cox and Jaylin Moran.

Congratulations to all our representatives.

P & C MEETING

Tuesday 14 August

7:00 pm in Staff Room, all very welcome to attend



Live Life Well@ School is a whole of school approach to get students more active, more often and focus on healthy eating.

Our school is striving towards creating a healthy eating environment by: providing students with opportunity to 'Crunch n Sip' during a fruit, vegetable and water break in class; teaching students about healthy eating in the classroom; the school canteen working towards meeting the NSW Healthy School Canteen Strategy.

CELEBRATION OF PARKES PUBLIC

Parkes Public School is celebrating their 150th Anniversary this Friday 17 and Saturday 18 August.

There will be a **free** celebration fair after school on Friday from 3.00pm to 5.00pm. At the fair, there will be jumping castles, face painting, games, and all sorts of activities for everyone to enjoy.

On Saturday you can take a tour of the school at either 10.30am or 11.15am. Meet up with friends beforehand or after your tour for High Tea in the Library from 10am until 12 noon.

Orders for pavers will close on Friday, 28 September. Orders will be taken from the P&C stall outside the hall during the 150th Anniversary Celebration Fair on Friday 17 August and in the Library during High Tea on Saturday 18 August.

For further information go to the PPS 150 Years Celebration Facebook page:

<https://www.facebook.com/Parkes-Public-School-150-Years-Celebration-185273985585215>



YEAR 6 FAREWELL

The Year 6 Farewell will be held on Monday 17 December (Week 10, Term 4). To commence preparations and planning around decorations, food and other requirements for the evening, there will be a meeting in the PEPS staffroom on Wednesday 15 August (Week 4) at 3:30pm. Your assistance in the organisation of this evening will be greatly appreciated. All are very welcome.

PSSA KNOCKOUT - GIRLS TOUCH FOOTBALL

Congratulations to the Girls Touch Football team; Shailey Butt, Olive Moore, Phoebe Usher, Makayla Sloane, Daisy Dawson, Sophie Jones, Grace Milne, Sophie Cronin, Gemma Yeo, Kailen Butt, Millie Bayliss-Cox, Leni Constable and Ella Harbidge who successfully represented Parkes East Public School on Tuesday 7 August. In a very close game the score was tied at full time. In a drop off down to four players the girls were beaten by one point

Thank you to Mrs Stonestreet for her expertise in coaching the team, to Molong Public School for a great game and to parents who supported the girls.



"The Parrot" is available at the Parkes East Public School website www.parkeseast-p.schools.nsw.edu.au, along with other relevant school information and news.