



The Parkes East Parrot

8 April 2019

Term 1, Week 11



Assembly and Easter Hat Parade this Friday at 2.00pm

School holidays commence this Friday at 3.10pm. School resumes for students on Tuesday 30 April.

Merit Certificate Criteria for this week:

- Taking pride in bookwork
- Being respectful towards others



Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL)

We show a positive attitude

WHAT'S AHEAD...

Week 11

- Mon 8 Apr Western Rugby League Trials
 Tue 9 Apr Girls Western Hockey Trials
 Tue 9 Apr 2LVR Radio Show
 Tue 9 Apr P&C Meeting - 7:00pm
 Wed 10 Apr Red Cross Fundraising—wear red and white
 PBL Celebration 11.45am
 Fri 12 Apr **2:00pm Weekly Assembly**
 Easter Hat Parade

Term 2 Week 2

- Tue 7 - Fri 10 May Life Education Van

LIFE EDUCATION VAN

The Life Education Van will be visiting our school next term, during Week 2. The cost of the Life Education Van was included in the school fees. If school fees haven't been paid then the cost to attend is \$5.00 per student. Please pay at the school office.



Holidays & ANZAC Day

Thank you to the entire school community for such a positive Term 1. I trust all families enjoy a safe and restful school holidays.

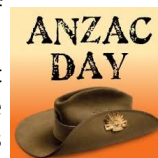
I must apologise to the school community for not being able to attend the Parkes ANZAC ceremonies this year. I am taking the opportunity of ANZAC Day falling in the school holidays to travel to Wauchope to spend this special day with my 95 year old returned veteran father. I am disappointed I can't be in two places at once as I know what a wonderful effort our school community makes to support the march.

A big thank you to the P&C for organising the wonderful BBQ last Friday afternoon.

May your week and school holidays be full of joy. Michael

ANZAC DAY

Anzac Day is Thursday 25 April, the last week of the school holidays. Traditionally, children from the school assemble and march for Anzac Day at 8:15 am from Short Street, Parkes (outside Masonic Lodge). It would be fabulous if as many students as possible could participate in their winter uniform.



MERIT CERTIFICATES - Term 1, Week 10

Work Ethic

Contributing to class activities and discussions

- K-6O:** -
KGS: Hudson Henry
KMK: Annabelle Dunn-Taylor
KMR: Luca Wright
1B: Harry Oram
1MC: Remi Dumaine
1-2I: Lotti McGirr
2L: George Miles
2T: Brax Nash
2-3D: Oscar Hendry
3-4F: Milo Anderson
3-4P: Flynn Colley Anderson
4-5S: Alicia Rivett
5-6H: Ella Harbidge
5-6R: Jemma Underwood

Behaviour

Being mindful of others

- Vincent Long
 Charlotte Hutchings
 Evie Bayliss-Cox
 Issac Swaffield
 Alyrah Phillips-Thompson
 Laila Kelly
 Cameron Hunter
 Jack Dunford
 Keely Lenehan
 Ellsie Tomlinson
 Hayden Milne
 Hayley Lawrence
 Sienna Barber
 Paige L Reeves
 Marleigh Beaton

Wiradjuri

Give honour, be respectful, be polite

- Dekodah Morley
 Zali Lovett
 Sebastian Bodiam
 Ella-Rose McDonald
 Lucy Allen
 Millie Ralph
 Josie Beuzeville
 Adam Nicholas (k/as Smede)
 Tyler Roberts
 Paityn Phillips-Thompson
 George Thomas
 Ethan Reeves
 Jaylin Moran
 Madison Chatman
 Samuel Rivett

Rise Above Self: Brody Beuzeville **Love of Reading:** Billy Lenehan

WEEKLY ASSEMBLY AND EASTER HAT PARADE



This week our assembly will commence at 2:00pm which will include the Easter Hat parade.

P&C MEETING

A P&C Meeting will be held tomorrow,

Tuesday 9 April at 7pm in the PEPS Staffroom.

All welcome to attend!

Fete organisation will be discussed.



PBL CELEBRATION

Our whole school PBL Celebration is on this Wednesday 10 April, commencing at 12:00pm.

If parents are able to assist on an activity, please arrive at the school at 11:45am and see Mrs Stonestreet.

CROSS COUNTRY RESULTS

Congratulations to the following children who were successful in Cross Country.

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| 5 years boys: | 1st Saxon Gosper, 2nd Carter Mansley, 3rd Oscar Gosper. |
| 5 years girls: | 1st Letty Newham-Fardell, 2nd Pippa Westcott, 3rd Charlotte Hutchings. |
| 6 year boys: | 1st Ruben Whitford, 2nd Nayte Reeves, 3rd Alexander Gibson. |
| 6 year girls: | 1st Emmi Smith, 2nd Matilda Smede, 3rd Anika Gronn. |
| 7 years boys: | 1st Charlie Rix, 2nd Cameron Hunter, 3rd Flynn Oram. |
| 7 years girls: | 1st Charli Milne, 2nd Finlay McGregor, 3rd Elly Downes. |
| 8 years boys: | 1st Kye Kinsela, 2nd Lachlan Gronn, 3rd Billy Dawson. |
| 8 years girls: | 1st Charlotte Layton, 2nd Ebony Bland, 3rd Josie Beuzeville. |
| 9 years boys: | 1st Tyler Butt, 2nd Patrick McPherson, 3rd Bryce Harding. |
| 9 years girls: | 1st Ayesha Carruthers, 2nd Quinn Kriedemann, 3rd Caitlin Francis. |
| 10 years boys: | 1st Tom Rix, 2nd Jaylin Moran, 3rd Jayden Kuun. |
| 10 years girls: | 1st Leni Constable, 2nd Millie Bayliss-Cox, 3rd Lillian Gosper. |
| 11 years boys: | 1st Brody Beuzeville, 2nd Riley Cronin, 3rd Harry Turner. |
| 11 years girls: | 1st Essie Mitchell, 2nd Grace Milne, 3rd Daisy Dawson. |
| 12/13 years boys: | 1st Eli Constable, 2nd Will Rix, 3rd Nicholas Mc Pherson. |
| 12/13 years girls: | 1st Elly Thornberry, 2nd Bronnie Searl, 3rd Sophy Jones. |

WESTERN SPORT REPRESENTATIVES

Rugby Union - Congratulations to Jack Milne who has been selected in the Western Rugby Union team.

Hockey - Congratulations to Will and Tom Rix on being selected in the Western Hockey Team.

UNIFORM SPECIAL ORDER

Orders for long sleeve polos and waterproof jackets need to be paid for by this Wednesday so the order can be placed.



We currently have an enormous amount of lost property located outside the Sick Bay, which is all un-named and therefore unfortunately unreturnable. All items that are not claimed by the end of Term will be donated to a local charity.

EASTER EGG GUESSING COMPETITION

The SRC are selling guesses in their annual Easter Egg Guessing Competition. They have a lovely jar of eggs with lots of eggs inside it for you to have a guess and see if you can win the jar full of eggs.



Guesses will be 50 cents and you can put down your guess with the SRC before school and at recess time. The winner will be announced at our Easter Hat Parade on 12 April.

RED CROSS FUNDRAISER

This Wednesday 10 April we will be supporting the Red Cross by wearing red and white to school and donating a gold coin to this terrific charity.



The Red Cross helps those in need all across the globe. Currently they have an Aussie Farmers appeal. Grants are being distributed to drought affected farming communities around Australia. We know this is one way we can support those around our town of Parkes. So wear your red and white clothes and remember to bring a gold coin to school on 10 April.



the power of humanity



ReAd ALERT: EXCITEMENT BREWING!
Racy, Red, Reading Rover heading our way. It will arrive on Friday 10 May at Cooke Park. Let's be getting READY to celebrate the message of "READ, SING, TALK, RHYME TO CHILDREN FROM BIRTH, TO GROW THEIR BRAIN."

SCHOOL HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES



School holiday workshops and activities are being held at the Parkes Library. There are a number of different activities, but you need to book in as spots are limited. For more information, please contact the Library on 6861 2309.

PARKES LIBRARY PERFORMANCE

All Year 6 students will be attending an Aboriginal Performance by Mitch Tambo at Parkes Shire Library this Wednesday at 1:30pm. Transport to and from the library will be by bus (at no cost to the students). Students will be accompanied by Mrs House.

INTERNATIONAL COMPETITIONS AND ASSESSMENTS FOR SCHOOLS (ICAS)

Years 3-6 students are invited to participate in these internationally recognised tests with families covering the cost of entry. There is no compulsion to participate but they are an excellent experience for students to undertake.

This year ICAS testing has gone online, offline assessments are only available for ICAS Writing Years 3 and 4.

Testing is available for Digital Technologies, Science, Writing, Spelling, English and Maths. Tests are \$14.50 each.

Please write students name on an envelope, tests to be undertaken, and include correct money for entry.

Closing date for entry is **Friday 12 April** at the school office.

"The Parrot" is available at the Parkes East Public School website <https://parkeseast-p.schools.nsw.gov.au>, along with other relevant school information and news.