



FROM THE PRINCIPAL

JUNIOR PBL TEAM UPDATE

The Junior PBL Team has been extremely busy this term! We have been out and about the playground, handing out Junior Clydes to students who have been United, Safe and Engaged. There has been a significant improvement in student behaviour since we have been patrolling areas, including the toilets, sand pit and COLAs. Don't forget, all Junior Clydes go into the draw to win a canteen voucher every assembly. You will also go into the draw to win a major prize at the end of each semester!

QUALITY WORK

Quality work happens every day at Stockton Public School. Congratulations to this week's quality workers:

- KW** Nate, Indi, Macie and Taze
- K/1A** Clare, Eve, Alicia and Luke
- 1/2H** Adana, Evie, Bitsy and Leni
- 1/2M** Bianca, Charlotte, Ella, Marli and Chloe
- 1/2S** Jack and Cooper
- 3/4J** Egan, Madie, Lucy and Levi
- 3/4P** Larson and Emily
- 4/5R** Maddie, Zoey, Luci and Tully
- 5/6K** Karlie, Kipp, Saxon and Ruby
- 5/6S** Taya, Faith, Noah and Gilbert



SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

Please have a safe and enjoyable holiday. Students and staff return on Monday 15th October. If you see anything suspicious on the school grounds throughout the holidays, please contact School Security on 1300 880 021.

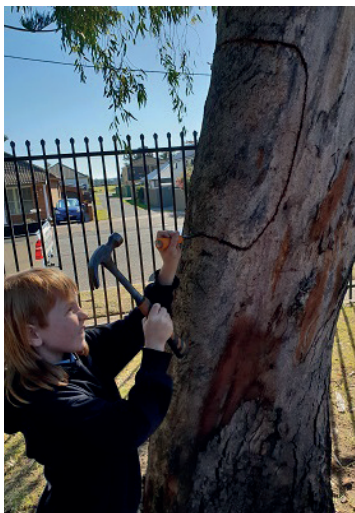
Dates For Your Diary

WED	26 Sept	Disco - Y6 Fundraiser
FRI	28 Sept	Last day Term 3 Sport Colours Day

MISSION AUSTRALIA VISIT

On Wednesday the 29th of August, our Year 5 students walked to the local Mission Australia Early Learning Centre to visit the preschool children. During their visit, they talked, played and interacted with the pre-schoolers. We are continually looking for opportunities to engage our students with their local community and build relationships with local businesses. We would like to thank the staff and children at Mission Australia and look forward to seeing them again soon!





WORIMI CULTURAL GROUP TERM UPDATE

Cultural Group has had a very busy end of term. Infants' students have been continuing to learn 'Murrin Gamu' (which means 'The Body Song' in English) and have enjoyed teaching some of the primary students how to sing the words. Primary students are working on translating their story books into Gathang. Some students have written a story on Australian animals, while others are creating 'Where's Wally' style books. We are looking forward to performing with the K-6 Choir at the Spring Fair on the 4th of November. We are currently learning a new song which we can't tell you about just yet because it's a surprise!

CANTEEN ROSTER

TERM 4 WEEK 1

Monday 15 October

L Donnelly

Tuesday 16 October

A Jones

Wednesday 17 October

D Rowan, J Smolen

Thursday 18 October

D White, J Moran

Friday 19 October

M Marriott, W Pugh, C Prentice, L Gledson

TERM 4 WEEK 2

Monday 22 October

N Bolton

Tuesday 23 October

E Roberts, M Mackay

Wednesday 24 October

A Campbell, J Daubney

Thursday 25 October

N Omay, P Matthews

Friday 26 October

J Ellery, D Oliver, S Trahair, E Senior



The Stockton Public School P&C Association is going to trial QuickCliq during Term 4. QuickCliq is a canteen online ordering system which is super easy to use and will make life so much easier on those days you are 'scrummaging' for change for a lunch order.

Our students and staff are very fortunate to have a school canteen that operates 5 days a week. Leonie and the canteen volunteers are always busy, and the introduction of this online ordering system will enhance our already fantastic canteen. The full menu is up on the QuickCliq system and ready to go from the first week of Term 4. Please note breakfast will not be available to be ordered online.

You can get started by visiting www.Quickcliq.com.au on your mobile or computer. Canteen orders can still be placed as usual. This system is not mandatory, however, we do encourage you to use it.

3 DAY JUNIOR & CADET TENNIS COACHING CLINIC AT STOCKTON TENNIS CLUB



Coach James Bellette will be running a clinic on the first week of the upcoming school holidays. Because of the long weekend it will be held on Tuesday 2nd Wednesday 3rd and Thursday 4th October. Times are from 9.00am to 1.00pm and you can attend for 1, 2 or the whole 3 days. Presentation and lunch provided on Thursday only.

Normally \$30 per day, the club and NCIG are subsidising this clinic so only pay \$20 per day or \$50 for the 3 days if you are a club member. Not a member? You can become a junior club member on the first day of attendance for \$10. BYO hats, sunscreen, snacks, lunch and water.

Please confirm if you will be attending as soon as possible to Tamara Johansen on 0438 315 152 to book your spot.

STOCKTON PUBLIC SCHOOL TEA TOWELS COMING SOON

The tea towel is covered in self portraits and hand prints of all the students and staff at Stockton Public School. (See picture below).

Cost is just \$12.50 each or 2 for \$20 and would make a lovely gift for family and friends.

This is a fundraiser for our Year 6. Orders will be taken early next term.



PRINCIPAL'S AWARDS

Congratulations to the following students who received Principal's Awards at this fortnight's assembly:



Front Row: Lachie, Kip, Jackson, Sam and Jackson

Back Row: Maddie, Kade, Milla, Archie and



Front Row: Benjamin, Luke, Billy, Kalini, Kenny, Jessica, Hayden, Xzanda, Rachael

Back Row: Max, Toby, Asha, Ella, Thomas and Cooper



Team Colours Day



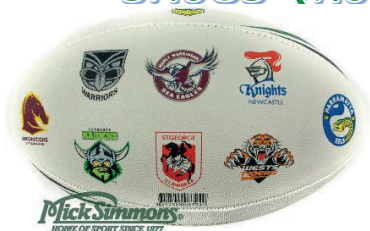
When: Friday 28th September

No Gold Coin Donation

Just for Fun!!

Wear your favourite sporting team colours instead of your school shirt.

School shorts, school hat and school shoes (no footy boots) must be worn.



1 or 2 days ABSENT a week doesn't seem much but...			
If your child misses....	That equals....	Which is....	And over 13 years of schooling that's....
1 day per fortnight	20 days per year	4 weeks per year	nearly 1½ years
1 day per week	40 days per year	8 weeks per year	over 2½ years
2 days per week	80 days per year	16 weeks per year	over 5 years
3 days per week	120 days per year	24 weeks per year	nearly 8 years

How about 10 minutes LATE a day? Surely that won't affect my child?			
He/she is only missing just....	That equals....	Which is....	And over 13 years of schooling that's....
10 mins per day	50 mins per week	nearly 1½ weeks per year	nearly ½ year
20 mins per day	1hr 40 mins per week	over 2½ weeks per year	nearly 1 year
30 mins per day	half a day per week	4 weeks per year	nearly 1½ years
1 hour per day	1 day per week	8 weeks per year	over 2½ years

Every Day Counts

If you want your child to be successful at school then YES, attendance does matter!

ATTENDANCE MATTERS

Regular school attendance is critical to student learning and well-being. It is a core rule in our public schools that all students “attend school every school day, unless they are legally excused, and be in class on time and prepared to learn.”

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HMRI Open Day

SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

Key: ■ Research and Discovery Seminars ■ Kid's Activities and Sessions

RESEARCH SEMINARS

Caves Lecture Theatre
Level 4

- 10am: Science Meets Fiction Talk for Kids
- 11am: Stroke Research
- 12pm: Respiratory Research
- 1pm: Nutrition and Physical Activity Research

KIDS ACTIVITIES

- Poo Palace Exhibit - Lvl 1
- Lung Loft Exhibit - Lvl 4
- 'Bacteria' Pond Fishing - Lvl 1
- DNA Building Workshop - Lvl 1
- Crazy Inventions Laboratory - Lvl 1
- Mechanical Hand Workshop - Lvl 1
- SMART Science Show - Lvl 1
- Face Painting - Lvl 1
- Trainee Researcher Challenge - Register Lvl 1
- Science & Art Workshop - Lvl 1
- Drawing with Artbots - Lvl 1
- Mad Scientist Photo Booth - Lvl 4
- Science Story Corner - Lvl 4
- PLUS MUCH MORE!

LAB TOURS

Every 30 Minutes

- Respiratory and Science Lab Tours - Level 2
- Cancer and Mothers & Babies Lab Tours - Level 3
- Clinical Trials Tours - Level 1

Interactive Health and Research Expo

10:00am - 3:00pm

The Health and Research Expo will run throughout the day on all levels of the HMRI Building.



EXTRA

KIDS Events

All Day Kids Special Events

- Poo Palace Interactive Activities - Level 1
- Lung Loft Exhibition - Cameron Room - Level 4

