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Public School



Term 2 Week 10: 3 July 2019



FROM THE PRINCIPAL

What a term it has been.... I am not sure where the weeks have gone but here we are, in the final days of the term. It has been a busy last few weeks. Congratulations to the students who have worked really hard this term. I must say that the behaviour across the term has been superb.

NAIDOC DAY CELEBRATIONS

Yesterday we celebrated NAIDOC Day with a day of cultural activities. Thank you to Andrew Smith and Justin Ridgeway for joining us from Worrimi Aboriginal Land Council. Thank you to Liz for all her hard work in organising people and events. Thank you to East Maitland Public School Wirapan dancers for entertaining us and teaching us dance. It is wonderful to see what other schools are doing. It was a successful day with students involved in art, aboriginal games, story telling and food tasting – kangaroo and bush tomato sausages, lemon myrtle biscuits and rosella jam (thank you Fionna Ralph).



STAFF

I want to take this opportunity to thank the staff for all of their support this term. It has been very busy and at times unpredictable. However, their hard work has continued throughout the term. I am very lucky to work with such a supportive team. Congratulations to Miss Warby and Miss Fitzgerald on the successful completion of their practicums. Miss Warby has been on KW and Miss Fitzgerald on 5/6K. We wish you continued success with your university studies and future career in teaching.

QUALITY WORK

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

KW	Archie, Archie, Lucia and Hayden
1/2A	Holly, Riley, Evie and Lara
1/2HD	Jordan, Luke, Arthur, Joel, Nate and Ella
1/2S	Sam, Kailani, Max and Bronte
3/4P	Ross
4/5R	Lucy, Amelia, Keira and Zev
5/6K	Jonas, Jackson, Darcy and Saxon
5/6S	Ty, Brooke, Linnea and Karlie

KINDER ENROLMENTS 2020

We are currently taking enrolments for Kindergarten 2020. To enable us to correctly estimate enrolments and staff the school appropriately for 2020, any parents enrolling new children K-6 need to complete enrolment forms and leave their details at the office. Please let any neighbours and friends in the local area know that we are enrolling now. Please be reminded that if you live out of zone I am unable to confirm an enrolment for siblings at this point in time. This is dependent on current and new enrolments across the school K-6. There is also no guarantee of placement in local/ feeder high schools. Please see school website for current enrolment procedures.

Dates For Your Diary

FRI	5 Jul	Last day Term 3
MON	22 Jul	Staff Development Day
TUE	23 Jul	Students' first day Term 3
FRI	26 Jul	Spelling Bee Yrs 1-6
MON	5 Aug	Education Week

From The Principal Cont.

LIFESKILLS PROGRAM

Our Lifeskills program has come to an end this term. The students all participated in a weekly 45 minute mindfulness and yoga lesson. All classrooms will now include time to practise and strengthen these skills through scheduled breaks in classroom activities. This program was fully funded by the school for every student, as we believe these are transferable skills for life.

PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS FOR KINDERGARTEN

Thank you to the kindergarten parents that met with the teachers to discuss their child's progress. We hope that you found this meeting valuable in understanding more about your child's learning. Parent-teacher interviews K-6 will happen again at the end of Term 3.

School will finish this Friday for 2 weeks holiday. Staff will return on Monday 22nd July for a Staff Development Day and students will return on Tuesday 23rd July. Attached is Term 3 calendar. Please note this calendar may change as Term 3 shapes up. I hope that you all have a safe and relaxing holiday.

2019 PREMIER'S SPELLING BEE FOR STUDENTS IN GRADES 1-6

We are excited to announce the 2019 Premier's Spelling Bee for students in grades 1-6, which will be held on the following dates:

Classroom Spelling Bee:
Friday 26th July (Term 3, Week 1)

Junior/Senior Spelling Bee:
Tuesday 6th August (Term 3, Week 3)

We encourage your child to study the word lists in preparation for the spelling bee. This is a great opportunity for students to improve their spelling skills and have fun! The 2019 word lists can be accessed via the website listed below. The Junior word list is for students in grades 1-4. The Senior word list is for students in grades 5-6

<https://www.artsunit.nsw.edu.au/premiers-spelling-bee>
Password: pizza

Parents are invited to attend the Junior and Senior Spelling Bee in the hall on Tuesday 6th August at 12pm.

PRINCIPAL'S AWARD

Congratulations to Georgia, Max, Aston, Taze, Arthur, Asha, Tamasine, Mitchell, Adrien and Aimeric who each received a Principal's Award at this fortnight's assembly.



Congratulations to the Stage 2 and 3 children who each received a Principal's Award at this fortnight's assembly.



Dylan, Billy, Jaylan, Emily, Bonnie, Evie, Kobie, Sollie, Jasmine, Aiden, Madison, Zali and Lucy.

PUMPKIN HARVEST



This week we harvested our pumpkins. Next term they'll be turned into lovely pumpkin soup which we'll sell at the canteen. Well done enviro rangers!

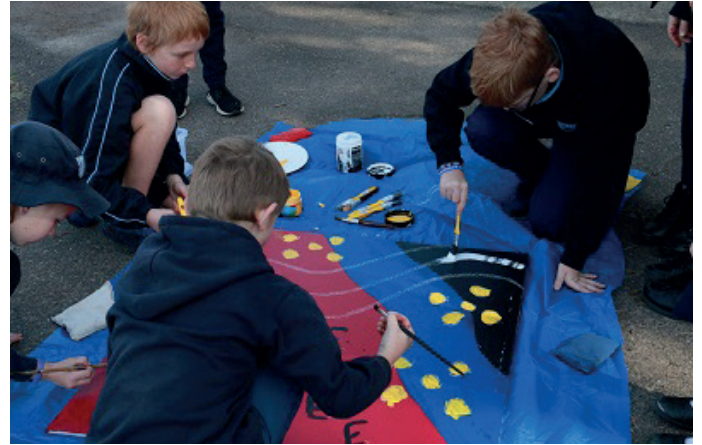
FROM THE SPORTS DESK

Congratulations to the Boy's PSSA Touch Football team who won their first game against Carrington 13 tries to 1. The team will now play their next game early next term.



Congratulations to those students who qualified for the Zone Athletics Carnival to be held on Tuesday 13th August at Hunter Sports Centre, Glendale. Information has been sent home with students about the day today.

NAIDOC CELEBRATIONS



CANTEEN ROSTER

TERM 3 WEEK 1

Monday 22 July

Staff Development Day

Tuesday 23 July

R Gorfine

Wednesday 24 July

A Morris, D Rowanl

Thursday 25 July

D White, J Moran

Friday 26 July

W Pugh, C Prentice, L Gledson, H Smees

TERM 3 WEEK 2

Monday 29 July

M Gill, K Callinan

Tuesday 30 July

M Mackay

Wednesday 31 July

J Daubney, A Campbell

Thursday 1 August

P Matthews, L Sidden

Friday 2 August

J Ellery, D Oliver, Y Senior



STOCKTON PUBLIC SCHOOL CANTEEN PRICE LIST

Current 22/07/2019

in accordance with the NSW Healthy School Canteen Strategy



HEALTHY EVERYDAY BREAKFASTS

CHEESE ON TOAST (low fat)	\$1.00
RAISIN TOAST	\$1.00
VEGEMITE ON TOAST	\$1.00
JUICE POPPERS (Apple, Paradise, Apple/Blackcurrant 200ml)	\$2.50
MOOVE LITE MILK (Chocolate & Strawberry 300ml bottles)	\$2.50
HOT MILO	\$1.00

STUDENT ONLY MEAL DEAL (sorry teachers....just for kids)

SALAD SANDWICH/WRAP/ROLL + 600ml WATER + QUELCH STICKS	ONLY \$7.00
ADD HAM/CHICKEN (not tenders or flame grill)	\$1.00
UPGRADE DRINK	\$1.00

ONLINE ORDERS MUST BE ORDERED BY 8.45AM www.quickcliq.com.au
COUNTER ORDERS MUST BE IN BY 9AM (NO EXCEPTIONS)

(Failure to do so will result in you being offered a BASIC SANDWICH ONLY and a drink if requested. A note will be sent home advising payment due)

HEALTHY EVERYDAY LUNCHES

VEGEMITE SANDWICH	\$2.00
HONEY SANDWICH	\$2.00
CHEESE SANDWICH (low fat)	\$3.00
CHEESE & VEGEMITE SANDWICH (low fat)	\$3.00
CHEESE & TOMATO SANDWICH	\$3.50
LEAN CHICKEN SANDWICH	\$4.00
LEAN HAM SANDWICH	\$4.00
EGG SANDWICH	\$3.50
SALAD SANDWICH (Lettuce, tom, cucumber, carrot, beet)	\$5.50
HAM/CHICKEN/BEEF & SALAD SANDWICH	\$6.50
CHICKEN, LETTUCE & MAYO SANDWICH	\$5.00
HAM & CHEESE TOASTED SANDWICH	\$4.50
HAM & CHEESE BAKERY ROLL - warmed (Thompsons Bakery)	\$3.50
FLAME GRILLED CHICKEN BREAST WRAP (with salad)	\$6.50
FLAME GRILLED CHICKEN TOASTIE WRAP (with ch & BBQ sce)	\$5.50
CHICKEN BURGER (grilled breast fillet, lettuce & mayo)	\$5.50
HOT CHEESE ROLL	\$3.50
WRAP/BREAD ROLL (extra)	\$0.60
EXTRA FILLINGS (inc. cheese)	\$0.60
HAM/CHICKEN/BEEF SALAD CONTAINER - Large (inc. egg & cheese)	\$9.00
HAM/CHICKEN/BEEF SALAD CONTAINER - Sml (inc. egg & cheese)	\$7.00

ANY SANDWICHES/WRAP/ROLLS CAN BE TOASTED FOR AN EXTRA \$1.00

SALAD CONTAINER - Large (inc. egg & cheese)	\$8.00
SALAD CONTAINER - Small (inc. egg & cheese)	\$6.00
VITA WEATS (2) & VEGEMITE	\$1.00
VITA WEATS (2) & CHEESE	\$1.50
CHICKEN/ROAST BEEF & GRAVY ROLL	\$5.50
CORN ON THE COB	\$1.00

Available Terms 2 & 3 Only:

RAVIOLI & GARLIC BREAD	\$5.50
MACARONI & CHEESE (220gm) & GARLIC BREAD	\$5.50
POTATO SKINS FILLED WITH BAKED BEANS & CHEESE	\$2.50
POTATO SKINS FILLED WITH CHEESE & BOLOGNAISE SAUCE	\$2.50
HOMEMADE SOUP OF THE WEEK & GARLIC BREAD	\$4.00

OCCASIONAL LUNCHES

GARLIC BREAD	\$1.00
CHICKEN TENDERS (Sweet Chilli or Plain)	\$2.00
NOODLE CUP	\$2.50
SAUSAGE ROLL (Lean)	\$3.50
CHICKEN BREAST GOUJONS (6 pack)	\$4.00
McCAINS HAM & PINEAPPLE PIZZA	\$3.00
SAUCE (Tomato or BBQ)	\$0.50

HEALTHY EVERYDAY FRUIT (fruit is seasonal-please check availability)

FRUIT SALAD CONTAINER	\$5.00
APPLE	\$1.00
ORANGE	\$1.00
PEAR	\$1.00
MANDERINE	\$1.00
BANANA	\$1.00

HEALTHY EVERYDAY DRINKS

MOOVE LITE MILK (Chocolate & Strawberry 300ml bottles)	\$2.50
WATER 600ml	\$2.50
JUICE POPPERS (Apple, Paradise, Apple & Blackcurrant 200ml)	\$2.50
Chill J 250ml (Raspberry, B/currant, Cola, Watermelon, Orange/Passif)	\$2.50

HEALTHY EVERYDAY SNACKS

POPCORN	\$2.00
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OCCASIONAL SNACKS

CHOCOLATE MUFFIN (Low fat)	\$2.50
RED ROCK CHIPS (Sea Salt)	\$2.00

HEALTHY EVERYDAY FROZEN TREATS

FRUIT CUP (Apple/Blackcurrant)	\$1.50
QUELCH FRUIT STICKS	\$0.60
FROZEN PINEAPPLE RINGS	\$0.50

OCCASIONAL FROZEN TREATS

VANILLA ICE CREAM CUP (Gluten free)	\$1.50
YOGHURT TWISTERS (Strawberry)	\$2.50
JUICIE TUBE (Lemonade)	\$2.00
MOOSIE (Chocolate)	\$2.00

PLEASE CHECK BEFORE ORDERING AS SOME FOODS MAY NOT BE AVAILABLE FROM TIME TO TIME

CANTEEN VOLUNTEERS ALWAYS WELCOME

Leonie Hunt (Canteen Co-Ordinator)

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Mobile: 0421 247 691 (Leonie)

TERM 3 STOCKTON PUBLIC SCHOOL CALENDAR

T3	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat	Sun
1	22/7 Staff Development Day	23/7 Students return ~ STEM4TEN	24/7 ~ STEM4TEN	25/7 Choir @ 8:15am Little Athletics talk @ 10am	26/7 Class spelling bee Yrs 1-6	27/7	28/7
2	29/7	30/7 ~ Yr 6 Parent information night at Newcastle High School ~ STEM4TEN	31/7 ~ STEM4TEN	1/8 Choir @ 8:15am	2/8	3/8	4/8
3	5/8 Education Week – more information to come in Week 1	6/8 ~ Stage spelling bee finals ~ STEM4TEN	7/8 ~ STEM4TEN	8/8 Choir @ 8:15am	9/8	10/8	11/8
4	12/8	13/8 ~ Zone Athletics Carnival ~ STEM4TEN	14/8 ~ STEM4TEN	15/8 Choir @ 8:15am	16/8	17/8	18/8
5	19/8 Book Week ~ Book Week Parade	20/8 ~ Yr 6 taster lessons at Newcastle High School ~ STEM4TEN	21/8 ~ Newcastle Permanent Maths Comp Yr 5 & Yr 6 ~ STEM4TEN	22/8 Choir @ 8:15am	23/8	24/8	25/8
6	26/8	27/8 ~ Preschool and Kindergarten excursion – Possum magic ~ STEM4TEN	28/8 ~ STEM4TEN	29/8 Choir @ 8:15am	30/8 ~ Father's Day breakfast ~ Father's Day stall ~ Stage 2 Newcastle cricket BLAST CUP ~ Water safety talks Newcastle City Council	31/8	1/9
7	2/9 ~ Parent teacher Interviews	3/9 ~ Parent teacher Interviews ~ ICAS digital technologies ~ STEM4TEN	4/9 ~ Parent teacher Interviews ~ STEM4TEN	5/9 Choir @ 8:15am ~ ICAS Science	6/9	7/9	8/9
8	9/9	10/9 ~ ICAS writing ~ STEM4TEN	11/9 ~ STEM4TEN	12/9 Choir @ 8:15am ~ ICAS spelling	13/9	14/9	15/9
9	16/9	17/9 ~ ICAS English ~ STEM4TEN	18/9 ~ STEM4TEN	19/9 Choir @ 8:15am ICAS maths	20/9	21/9	22/9
10	23/9	24/9 ~ Performance Day and Night	25/9 ~ Performance Day and Night	26/9 ~ STEM4TEN	27/9 ~ STEM4TEN	28/9	29/9
H	30/9	1/10	2/10	3/10	4/10	5/10	6/10
H	7/10	8/10	9/10	10/10	11/10	12/10	13/10