

Dear Parents and Friends,

Welcome back! We hope everyone enjoyed their holidays and stayed warm. We have a very busy Term 3 with the Wellington, Orange Eisteddfods and the District Athletics Carnival. The children are looking forward to the 4 C's program which includes Cooking, Craft, Computers and Cultivation. French with Mr Moody will be teaching French to infants and primary this term. Our Rugby Union program will be starting in week 6 of this term.

School Times

School commences at **9am each morning** and **concludes at 3pm**, unless organised with Mrs Mac.

Students who arrive late or leave early are required to have a note that provides an explanation. These absences are marked on the roll as partial absences.

Election Day Cake Stall

Thank you to all those families who cooked cakes slices etc. for our Election Day Cake Stall. In particular a huge thank you to Jenny, Deina, Sam N, Kay and Jess (transition parent) for standing in the cold from 8am manning the stall. An amazing \$754.00 for our music program was made. Fantastic Effort!!

P&C Meeting

Our next P&C meeting will be held on Wednesday 27th July at the Spring Hill Tavern commencing at 5.30pm. All families, Friends and community members are invited to attend.

Uniform Order

Today we will be sending home a uniform order. These order forms are to be returned to school no later than Friday 29th July along with full payment.

Dates for the Diary**Sporting Dates for Diary**

22nd July – State Cross Country

27th July – P&C Meeting

2nd September – Regional Athletics – Dubbo

19th & 20th October – State Athletics - Sydney

End of Year Excursion for Primary Students

This year's Primary Excursion is to Canberra. A big thank you to Mrs Beer at Mullion Creek for organising this excursion. This excursion will held from 7th to 9th December. All primary students have been given information today regarding this excursion.

Welcome

This week we would like to welcome our two interns for CSU. Miss Murray will be working in the primary class while Miss Ryan will be in the infant's classroom. We hope you enjoy your time at Spring Hill.



Life Education Visit

We have not been advised of the date in Term 4 for the Healthy Harold visit.

School Photos

I am still waiting for the date to be confirmed for school photos.

District Carnival

Due to the current weather conditions we are still waiting to be advised the date for the District Athletics Carnival.

State Cross Country

Good luck to Shiralee who will compete in the State for Cross Country at Eastern Creek on Friday. Run Shiralee!!

Book Club

Book Club order forms are going home today; please return these to school by the 8th August.

BYB Friday

This term we will still be having our Bring Your Bike Friday (weather permitting) where children can bring their bikes or scooters. Students must bring their helmets.

NO HELMET NO RIDE!

A note will be going home today which you will need to sign and send back if you are happy for your child to bring their bike or scooter to school, only those students who have bought notes back will be able to participate.

Wellington and Orange Eisteddfod

This term we have the Wellington and Orange Eisteddfod the dates for these are as follows:

Wellington Individuals: 2/8/16

Wellington Whole School: 3/8/16

Orange Whole School Dance: 12/8/16

Orange Whole School Singing: 26/8/16

Please encourage your child to practice and read their poems to you.

Costumes

Please take note of what items your child needs to participate in the performances.

Infants

Girls Hair: 2 High Pigtails if possible. Their costumes will be taken to Wellington for them so they will need to arrive in full Eisteddfod Uniform. We are still chasing black shorts from the following students.

Skye, Lasche, Matayah

If any child is allergic to makeup please let the school know as the children will per having noses drawn on for their performance.

Primary

Girls Hair: High Pony Tail

Their costumes will be taken to Wellington for them so they will need to arrive in full Eisteddfod Uniform.

Eisteddfod Uniform

Students are to be in full winter uniform:

Girls: White Collared Shirt

Pinafore

Navy Tights

Black School Shoes

Spring Hill Jumper

Red Ribbons

Boys: Grey Pants

White Collared Shirt

Black School Shoes

Spring Hill Jumper

Thankyou

A big thank you to Mrs Marriot for her tireless efforts with making and organising the costumes and props for the Eisteddfods. Many hours have been spent during the school terms and holidays to get things ready. Thankyou to Deina for her help as well.

Music

Spring Hill Choir are competing at the Orange Eisteddfod singing and African song called Funga Alafia and the Disney piece Hushaby Mountain. Rehearsals are going well and the children sound amazing.

Miss T

Spring Hill Students and Staff are amazing!!!!
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