

**Dear Parents and Friends,**

Spring Hill Public students and staff enjoyed last Friday's performance at the Orange Function Centre in the choir section. A huge thank you to Mrs T and Mrs Nichols for all of their hard work and expertise.

Our students were exemplary on the stage and at McDonalds, with several employees and the manager at McDonalds commenting on the manners and behaviour of all our students. Well Done!!

**Mrs Ryan**

A very special welcome to Mrs Ryan who will be taking over the Infants Class while Mrs Carter is on maternity leave.

If you have not yet met Mrs Ryan please come and introduce yourself and feel free to ask her any questions you may have.

**Welcome to the Milton Family**

A big welcome to the Milton family, Megan and Stuart and their children Chase, Zoe and Ivy. Chase has become a valued member of our Kindergarten class and shows an amazing talent for riding his bike over large hills.

**Book Week & End of Term Assembly**

Book Week Parade will be held on Tuesday the 13<sup>th</sup> September at 10:30am. All students are encouraged to participate by dressing up as their favourite character from a book. After the book week parade we will be having a special assembly to recognise the amazing effort students and staff have put in this term. We would love for all to attend and share a special morning tea. If you can, please bring a plate to share.

**Regional Carnival**

Good luck to the following students who are off to Dubbo tomorrow for the Western Athletics Carnival.

Shiralee, Mackenzie, Joseph and Liam.  
Best of luck kids!!

**Dates for the Diary**

**2<sup>nd</sup> September** – Regional Athletics – Dubbo

**6<sup>th</sup> September** - T20 Cricket

**13<sup>th</sup> September** - Premiers Spelling Challenge

**13<sup>th</sup> September** - Book Week and Assembly

**19<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> October** – State Athletics – Sydney

**20<sup>th</sup> September** - School Photos

**School Photos**

School photos will be on Tuesday the 20<sup>th</sup> of September. We still have a large number of students who have not returned photo forms. Please do so by Tuesday the 13<sup>th</sup> September as the information has to be returned to the photographer. If you need your shoot key to pay online please see the school as soon as possible. Children are to be in full school eisteddfod uniform.

**School Lunchboxes**

We are now coming into a very active time of the year with afternoon sport, bike riding and swimming (starting in term 4). Please make sure your children have a good breakfast and their lunchboxes have some fruit and veggies, a sandwich, dairy e.g. cheese or yoghurt and a bottle of water. In the last 3 weeks of term the oven will be available for hot lunches every Tuesday. We have a fridge in the kids kitchen which they can put their lunch boxes in if need be. PTO for some great lunch box ideas.

**Orange Eisteddfod Dance & Choir**

Congratulations to all of our amazing students on their efforts at the Orange Eisteddfod. The children competed in the dance section where the infants received a Highly Commended and primary an Encouragement Award. They also competed in the small school section for choir, coming 2nd.

**Geography and French with Mr Moody**

This week in geography the primary students looked at Australian landscapes and had the task of locating each landmark within Australia.

## Father's Day Gifts

Thankyou to Jess Tink for organising the "plant a little love" gifts.

## Primary Classroom

Primary have had a very busy week reading Pannikin & Pinta. We have created beautiful artworks of the different settings. In maths we have been focusing on 12hr & 24hr time. Our projects look great on our back wall.

Well done everyone.

**Miss Murray**

## Infants Room

Our infant students have been working super hard on their reading and writing this week. All students are making excellent progress and are demonstrating their love for literacy every day in the classroom. Please read with them at home whenever you can find the time. The more reading they do, the faster they will progress. Our students are looking forward to father's day this Sunday and spending time with the special people in their lives.

**Mrs Ryan**

## Transition

Alexanders Outing brought lots of questions to transition this week predicting how Alexander would get out of the deep hole. In the afternoon we enjoyed the sunshine and made our Father's day gifts.

Well done transition

**Miss Murray**

## BYB Friday and Rugby

There will be no bike riding or afternoon rugby this Friday due to the terrible weather forecast.

## Student of the Week & Merit Awards

Congratulations to the following students who received student of the week awards for 19/8/16 Elliot Devenish and Scarlett Palazzi, the following students received merit awards Jorja Palazzi & Lasche Tandy.



## Lunchbox Ideas



## Recipe of the Week

### Cheese & Vegemite Scrolls

#### Ingredients

- 1 ½ cups self-raising flour
- ½ cup wholemeal flour
- 80g butter
- 2/3 cup milk
- 2/4 cup cheddar cheese, grated
- ¼ cup parmesan cheese, grated
- 1 tbsp Vegemite, heaped
- 1 tbsp. milk

#### Method

1. Preheat oven to 200°C.
2. In a medium bowl, combine both flours and butter.
3. Using your fingertips, rub the butter through the flours until you have a breadcrumb consistency, then add ¾ of the cheese combination and milk and work into a dough ball with your hands.
4. When these ingredients are combined, lightly flour your kitchen bench and gently push the dough out into a rectangle, approx. 1 cm in depth.
5. Spread Vegemite evenly over the top of the dough and sprinkle with remaining cheese.
6. Roll the dough into a long rope shape, rolling it away from you. When you have a rope of dough, cut it into eight equal rounds and place them on a lined baking tray.
7. Brush with milk.
8. Bake for 20 minutes then remove from oven and cool on wire rack.