

# Spring Hill Public School

## Newsletter



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Term 4 Week 3

Dear parents, friends and students,

Welcome back to a much warmer term! Please make sure your child has their school hat as we are now in Term 4 which means no hat no play!

We hope everyone enjoyed the school holidays and have recharged their batteries for a very busy term 4. A warm welcome to our new student Cambell Davis and his family to our school.

### State Athletics Silver



Congratulations to our amazing PP5 Relay team Michael, Joseph, Liam and Mackenzie who won silver at the State PSSA PP5 carnival at Homebush last Thursday. They were awesome and I'm so proud of their achievement. A special thank you to John McKenzie for his assistance and I am looking forward to 2018!



PP5 Relay team and Nigel Bagley

### Parent Helpers

This Wednesday we would like to finish painting our beautiful mural on the Administration Building. We need volunteers to help us paint, so please come along at 2:00pm.

We also need volunteers to help cover new novels and picture books for the library.

### Welcome Back

A very warm welcome back to Mr Moody who has returned from overseas. Mr Moody will be inspiring our Primary students with French and Geography this term.

## **BBQ**

Tomorrow we will be having a BBQ at school, these are left over from the church fete. Sausage sandwiches are \$2 each. Please pay at the office in the morning.

## **School Gardens**

Our school gardens look beautiful with the Camellia blooming and Betty's Garden looking spectacular! A special thank you to Amanda and our students for their work every Wednesday during the 4 C's.

## **Uniforms**

Students are asked to wear their summer uniforms Monday to Thursday and the sports uniform on Friday.

Girls	Boys
Blue Cullottes	Grey Shorts
Blue Polo	Blue Polo
Joggers	Joggers

## **Infants Class**

Our literacy focus this term is writing Persuasive Texts and publishing their best work. In PDHPE students have been examining their feelings and how to express themselves appropriately and resolve problems. This week we looked at different ways to be sun safe. In science students are exploring music and the sounds different instruments make, forms and sources of energy including operations of everyday devices. Any small boxes, milk bottles or paper towel rolls are greatly needed for our next Science lesson on Friday.

## **Primary Class**

This term in the primary classroom students have been actively involved in lessons that prepare and support students and to lead and contribute healthy, safe and meaningful lives that promote respect, responsibility, enjoyment, inclusion and resilience. Students will examine relationships, choices, consequences and the importance of taking responsibility for their actions. In science students in Yrs 3 & 4 are conducting experiments on melting Yr 5 & 6 students are doing solids, liquids and gases.

## **Primary Excursion to Sydney**

Just a reminder to please pay any current instalments that are now due. Please pay this at the office, and remember to keep up to date on the payment schedule.

## **Jack May Cup**

A huge thank you to the Spring Hill P&C for a delicious BBQ lunch and all the parent helpers who assisted with field and track events.

Our age champions were:

Senior Boy-Joseph

Senior Girl-Maddi

Sub Senior-Mack

Sub Senior-Michael

Juvenile Girl - Alexa

### P & C Cake Stall and BBQ

A big thank you to our P & C who raised close to \$600 at the church fete on Saturday, thank you to all those parents who contributed and donated their time.

### Ice Blocks

With the weather getting warmer we will be selling ice blocks Monday to Thursday for 50c each. Students must see a staff member as soon as they finish their lunch to purchase one. This will start on Tuesday.



### Swimming

Our swimming program has continued this term at the Orange Aquatic Centre. Students should have a swimming cap, towel and goggles (please bring your own as we do not supply them). Students **must** be signed off before they leave the pool.

**Invoices are now overdue. Anyone with issues regarding this should please see Mrs Mac.**



### Primary Photos

Could all primary students please bring in 6 photos each for art. We will be photocopying them and they will be placed on a wooden cube. You will get the photos back.

### Yr 6 Photos

Could our Yr. 6 students please bring in at least 3 photos so Sam can add these to our end of year slideshow.

### YR 6 Photos Invitation

Students in Year 6 have been invited to Mullion Creek P.S on Fridays to participate in STEAM with other senior students. This is an opportunity to acknowledge friendships with students attending similar high schools next year.

Private transport is required as the day will commence at 9:00am and finish at 1:00pm. Students will then have swimming at the Orange Aquatic Centre.

### Small School OSSA Spectacular

The dates for the OSSA Spectacular are as follows:

Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> November- Arrive at the Library toilets in sports uniform **no later than 8:50am**, students can be picked up at 12:30pm to go home for the afternoon to rest, picking up from the same place they are dropped off.

Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> November- Arrive at the Civic Theatre **no later than 6:00pm** at the stage door car park side dressed in their costume.

Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> November- Arrive at the Library toilets **no later than 11:30am** students can be picked up at 2:30pm to go home for the afternoon to rest, picking up from the same place they are dropped off.

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We will have a more detailed note go home to families closer to the date. If you have any questions regarding the OSSA School Spectacular please see Mrs Marriott.

Tickets are now on sale through Ticketek or the Civic Theatre adults-\$28 and children-\$18.00 no students performing will need a tickets.

### P&C Meeting Dates for the rest of the year.

9<sup>th</sup> November

14<sup>th</sup> December

All meetings will be held at The Railway Hotel Spring Hill at 5.45pm



# Calendar Dates

## Term 4 Dates to remember

- 27/10- Yr 6 Mullion Creek STEAM (every Friday)
- 27/10- OSSA Drama Group rehearsal
- 27/10- Whole School Swimming (every Friday)
- 7 - 8/11- Full Dress Rehearsal OSSA Spectacular
- 11-13/12- Primary Excursion to Sydney
- 7/12- End of Year Presentation (details to come)
- 14/12- Infants end of Year Excursion (details to come)



## Our busy Term 4 so far...









