

Spring Hill Public School



Term 3 Issue 4

12th September 2019



Calendar Dates

13/9- Regional Athletics
19/9- Last day of band
23/9- Book Week Parade & Assembly
24/9- Healthy Harold
27/9- Last day of term.

Awards

5 & 6

Michael Stewart- Student of the week
James Devenish- Merit
Zoe Stevenson- Merit

3 & 4

Rowdy Roberts- Student of the Week
Chelsea McDonald- Merit
Quincy Roberts- Merit
Elliot Devenish- Merit
Lasche Tandy- Merit
Zali Burton- merit
Joe Wiegold- Merit

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Hannah McKenzie- student of the Week
Lindsey Murphy- Merit
Harper Johnson- Merit

Dear Parents, Friends and Students,

Even though it's coming towards the end of Term 3, students have been working harder than ever! Applying themselves to tasks and trying their absolute best. They should be commended for their approach to learning and efforts across all areas. Keep up the great work!

This Term, we celebrated the wonderful efforts of our amazing School Administrative and Support Staff (SASS). We cannot thank them enough for the time and they put in each day. Thank you again Kerrie, Sam, Deina, Sandy and Pete for your ongoing assistance in making the school a positive and supportive place to be for all.

Miss Cornish

Western Athletics- 13th September 2019

Good luck to Zoe, Michael, Jacob, Joe, Cambell and Zali who will be participating in the Western Athletics Carnival in Dubbo tomorrow.
GO SPRING HILL!

IMPORTANT- Permission notes & Payments

Just a reminder that from now on **ALL permission notes and payments need to be returned with payment BY THE DUE DATE. Late notes and/or payments will not be accepted and your child will not be able to attend.**

Please do not ask for exemption from this as refusal may offend. The office is open from 8.00am to 3.30pm.

Fees

Healthy Harold and Term 4 Swimming is now due. If your child is not participating please let the school know as soon as possible so numbers can be adjusted.

Healthy Harold 24/9 - \$10 per student due 13th September 2019- permission note available on School Stream

Term 4 Swimming- \$60 per student due 27th September 2019- permission note available on School Stream soon

End of Year Excursion- \$300 per student total amount to be paid by 6th November 2019.

Please make sure these payments are made by the due date.

Sport Shirts

We will be doing an order for sport shirts in the coming weeks please keep an eye on School Stream for alerts the cost of the sport shirts is \$36.30.

Last day of school- Friday 27th September

On the last day of the term we will be having a colour run, all students are asked to dress in old casual clothes and bring a pair of goggles. We will also be having a BBQ students will be able to purchase sausage sandwiches for \$2 each with money raised going to the men's shed.

Book Week

This years' book week will take place on Monday 23rd September 2019. The theme for this year is "Reading is my super Power".

The book week parade will start at 11:30am followed by our last assembly for Term 3.

History Exams

Students in years 3, 4, 5 & 6 will have a history exam on Wednesday 25th September. Please study!

Band Program

Due to it being the last day of the band program on Thursday 19th September 2019, we ask students to begin to return their instruments on the Monday before (Monday 16th September) in preparation.

If your child is interested in continuing to learn and play an instrument please contact Emma Knott at the Mitchell Conservatorium on #6331 6622.

R U Ok? Day – Thursday 12th September

Today is R U OK? Day. This is a day dedicated to inspiring and empowering everyone to meaningfully connect with the people around them by asking a simple question, R U OK? Please check in with the people in your life. You don't need to be an expert to reach out, just a good friend and a great listener. Now could be a great time to ask your child "Are you OK? and to support them if they are struggling.

It could be tricky to have a meaningful conversation so here are some conversation starters (retrieved from www.ruok.org.au):

1. Ask R U OK?
2. Listen
3. Encourage action
4. Check in

Remember, a conversation could change a life.

National Child Protection Week (NAPCAN - Prevent Child Abuse and Neglect)

Last week was National Child Protection Week. In 2019 National Child Protection Week focus on introducing a 'child development' communication frame to promote the messages that:

- Kids do well when parents are supported
- To Raise thriving kids, parents need support to navigate life's choppy waters

If you need support please don't hesitate to ask. We are here to not only support your child but also you as parents to allow students to thrive in all areas of their schooling.

Mr H

Term 3 had already begun,
And Spring Hill students were having so much fun,
Until Mr H came back to Spring Hill School,
And tried to make learning French cool!

The students have all been very good,
Just like Mrs Mac said they should,
I have enjoyed all of my time,
And wish this school could have been mine

I hope you all have a fantastic year,
On my last day don't shed a tear,
I will hopefully be back,
So keep working hard and don't be slack!

Miss McGrath

During this term I have been lucky enough to complete my last placement in the Infants Classroom. We are having lots of fun with a variety of different hands-on and creative activities. I have been enjoying all of their fun personalities, they are a wonderful bunch of kids. It is a pleasure to be a part of their learning experience and watch them grow over the term. Please don't hesitate to come and have a chat if you see me around.





