



# Ross Hill Public School

Monday 26th February 2018

Week 5 Term 1

## What's On ...

### Week 5

#### **Tuesday 27th February and Wednesday 28th February**

- School Photos

#### **Tuesday 27th February**

- Support class water confidence program

#### **Friday 2nd March**

- Northwest Tennis trials
- Stage 2 Sport
- Schools clean up Australia day

### Week 6

#### **Monday 5th March**

- Northwest swimming carnival

#### **Thursday 8th March**

- School disco for Infants and Primary Students

#### **Friday 9th March**

- Zone football (soccer)
- Kindergarten Nursery Rhyme Day

### Week 7

#### **Friday 16th March**

- North West boys and girls Basketball trials

### Week 8

#### **Friday 23rd march**

- Zone rugby league and touch boys and girls

### Week 9

#### **Monday 26th March**

- Northern boys and girls soccer trials

## School Photos

The school photographer will be at our school this week to take the annual school photos. Students are asked to wear their summer school uniform which includes their black shoes.

The schedule is as follows:-

**Tuesday**— Year 1, Year 2 and Years 5&6, SRC

**Wednesday**—K-6J, K-6G, K-6P, Kinder, Years 3&4, family photos, school monitors and leaders and Year 6 group photo

## School Contributions

The yearly contributions of \$40 per child are due now. To enter the draw to win \$200 you must have paid your contributions in full by 23<sup>rd</sup> March. If you have not already done so please pay at the school office. Thank you to all the parents who have already paid.

## School Social

Next Thursday 8th March is our school social/disco. The tickets for the disco are \$5. The price includes one sausage sandwich, a bottle of water and a zooper dooper. Notes and money will be collected by class teachers who will issue the tickets. Students will need their ticket to gain entry to the disco at the Brown St entrance to the hall. Students can be collected from the rear of the hall at the end of the disco and must be collected by an adult.

K-2                      5:00pm to 6:30pm

Years 3-6            6:30pm to 8:00pm

All money raised from the disco will go to support Inverell Relay for Life.

## Mini Minstrels

Students from Kindergarten all the way to Year 4 enjoy weekly Mini Minstrel lessons, where they learn pitch, beat, rhythm, basic notation and have lots of fun making music. Learning music develops neural pathways and enhances brain function which leads to improved concentration and memory abilities.



## Crunch & Sip

Crunch & Sip is a program we participate in at Ross Hill that promotes the inclusion of fruit and vegetables and drinking water to assist students in their learning. Fruit and vegetables provide vital nutrients for kids, which are important for good health, both now and in the future. Each morning students have time to enjoy the delicious fruit and vegetables that you have prepared to start their day .



## Inverell Bus Service

Student bus passes are ready to be collected at 25-27 Brissett Street Inverell.



## AFTERNOON TEA, UNDER THE TREE! YOU'RE INVITED!

Ross Hill Public Schools P&C would love to invite you to a FREE afternoon tea as part of the National P&C day and want to celebrate with you.

Monday 5th March, from 2:30pm, under the tree @ the Kindergarten pick up area. Come early to pick up your kids, enjoy a homemade slice of cake and connect with some other parents you might not have met.

Our P&C value each family that makes up our school and look forward to meeting some old and new faces.

Ross Hill P&C

## Head Lice...

Please check your child's hair for head lice and eggs. We have had several cases at the school. Head lice are very contagious and need to be treated as soon as possible, to remove all lice and eggs.



## Library News

### Week 4

2B students enjoying some quiet reading time during their library lesson.



### Week 5

#### Borrower's Raffle

The library will be holding a book raffle next week. Every student that borrows a book during the week will receive a ticket to enter in the 'Borrower's Raffle. First prize will be a book and second prize a pen. Good luck and happy reading!



#### Overdue Notices

Overdue notices will be distributed over the next week. Please return your books weekly to avoid receiving a notice.



## MINI MINSTRELS





## P&C Canteen & Uniform Shop

**News:** Thank you to everyone who supports the canteen, whether its by volunteering or purchasing from the canteen. All profits go back into the school for much needed equipment as in art supplies, representative uniforms or play ground equipment. Please remember if you have a child in Kindergarten, Year 1 and Year 2 their lunch break is the first break. We have had some upset children wanting to eat with the older children, however as their lunch has been ordered for first break, we cannot change this due to the canteen providing fresh hot food for each break.

| Week 4    | Fantastic Helpers                 |
|-----------|-----------------------------------|
| Mon 26/2  | Ann Bussey, Josie Sheck           |
| Tues 27/2 | Jodie Haidle, Carleigh Hall       |
| Wed 28/2  | Therese McGann                    |
| Thurs 1/3 | Michelle Blackburn, Carleigh Hall |
| Fri 2/3   | Ann Bussey, Kristy Withers        |

| Week 5    | Fantastic Helpers                 |
|-----------|-----------------------------------|
| Mon 5/3   | Ann Bussey, Josie Sheck           |
| Tues 6/3  | Jodie Haidle, Carleigh Hall       |
| Wed 7/3   | Chantelle Smith                   |
| Thurs 8/3 | Michelle Blackburn, Carleigh Hall |
| Fri 9/3   | Ann Bussey, Kristy Withers        |

## Children's Art Classes

Monday afternoons @ 4:30pm– 6pm  
Ages 5-9

Thursdays afternoons @ 4:30pm–6pm  
Ages 10– 14

Cost \$25 per session

Classes run in blocks of 4 weeks @ Artlife  
Gallery 56 Otho Street Inverell



## Sports Calender

### Cricket

- Zone cricket trials Monday 9th April
- Northern cricket trials Thursday 3rd May
- North West girls cricket trials Friday 4th May
- North West Cricket trails Monday 14th May

### Cross Country

- School Cross Country Friday 11th May
- Zone Cross Country Friday 25th May
- North West Cross Country Friday 15th June

### Netball

- Zone netball trials Thursday 7th June
- Netball all schools cup Wednesday 13th June

### Football (soccer)

- Zone football trials Friday 9th March
- Northern boys and Girls soccer trials Monday 26th March
- North West soccer trials Thursday 5th April

### Swimming

- Zone Swimming Friday 23rd February
- North West Swimming Carnival Monday 5th March
- PSSA Swimming Wednesday 11th April & Thursday 12th April

### Tennis

- North West tennis trials Friday 2nd March

### Basketball

- North West boys & girls basket ball trials Friday 16th March

### Rugby league

- Zone Rugby League and touch for both boys and girls Friday 23rd March
- Northern Rugby League trials Friday 6th April
- North West Rugby Trials Friday 4th May

### Rugby Union

- Zone Rugby Union/Trials Monday 7th May
- Northern Rugby Trials Thursday 24th May
- North West Rugby Union trials Friday 1st June

### Touch football

- North West Touch trials Monday 21st May