

# Ross Hill Public School

Monday 18 November 2019

Week 6 Term 4

## School Self-Evaluation

Don't forget to go on line and complete our short 5 question satisfaction survey. We use this information to help us with our 2020 planning. Complete the survey by either going through the web link or by using the above QR code.

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/H58FLLV>



## High School Transition

Thursday 28 November will be a full day transition for all Year 6 students. Students are to make their own way to and from either Inverell High School or Macintyre High School. Information notes have been sent home with all Year 6 students.

## P&C Scholarships

Scholarships to the value of \$750.00 are being offered to 2020 Year 6 students. Applications open on Monday 18 November to all Year 5 students who are currently attending Ross Hill Public School.

To apply, students complete and return the application and agreement. To support their application, students are required to submit:

- ♦ A letter addressing the selection criteria (no more than 2 pages) and
- ♦ A portfolio to support the application. This can be in the form of photographs, drawings, videos etc.

No original copies are to be included. Applicants will be short-listed and undergo an interview and selection process. Applications will close on Monday 2 December and the winners will be announced at Presentation evening.

## P&C Christmas Raffle

Tickets heading home this week with all students. Heaps of prizes to be won. \$2:00 per ticket

This great raffle will be drawn at Presentation Night (11 December)

Please return your tickets & money by Monday 9 December to teachers



## What's On ...



### Thursday 28 November

Year 6 full day transition to High Schools

### Monday 2 December

P&C Scholarships closing date

### Wednesday 11 December

Years K to 6 Presentation Evening

### Monday 16 December

School reports to be sent home

### Tuesday 17 December

Kindergarten beach day  
Stage 2 end of year party  
Stage 3 pool party day  
SU Christmas party and students last day

### Wednesday 18 December

Last day of Term 4 for students



Danthonia Youth Choir &  
Ensemble invites you to

# Welcome Christmas!

Inverell Town Hall  
6:30 pm, Friday  
13 December 2019

A Celebration  
of Hope

Start your holidays with this  
**FREE, family-friendly concert.**

Refreshments provided.  
No RSVP required. Contact: 6723 2213  
events@danthonia.com.au

## P&C Canteen News

The uniform shop is stocked with summer dresses and boys summer polos. Get in quick while stocks last! Remember what you spend at the school stays with the school.

T4 Week 6	Fantastic Helpers
Mon 18 Nov	Josie Sheck
Tue 19 Nov	Jodie Haidle
Wed 20 Nov	Lisa Parsons
Thurs 21 Nov	Michelle Blackburn & Carleigh Hall
Fri 22 Nov	Margaret Hewat

T4 Week 6	Fantastic Helpers
Mon 25 Nov	Josie Sheck
Tue 26 Nov	Jodie Haidle
Wed 27 Nov	Lisa Parsons
Thurs 28 Nov	Michelle Blackburn & Carleigh Hall
Fri 29 Nov	Carleigh Hall, Ann Campbell

## Good for Kids good for life

### TRADITIONAL INDIGENOUS GAMES

Looking for fun activities for the kids?

Why not try some **Yulunga: Traditional Indigenous Games**

**Thirring-Nunna** 'thir-ring-nun-na' is a hide and seek game that is played by the Aboriginal children in Queensland.



One player is the 'seeker' and the other players hide. Once hidden, the players are not allowed to move from their hiding places.

The seeker searches for the hidden players.

When players are found they can help the 'seeker' to find the other players.

Source: Yulunga Traditional Games - sportaus.gov.au/yulunga

## Library News

Thank you to the students who have already returned their library books.

We have a number of overdue books and ask if you would please check at home.

## Scholastic Book Orders

Book Club brochures have been sent home this week with students.

Orders for issue 8 will close on Tuesday 19 November. There will be no late orders.



## Year 2 Swim School

Congratulations to our Year 2 students who are half way through a successful intensive swimming program. Many students made a significant improvement in water confidence and swimming ability with some students learning how to dive in the deeper water. Learning to swim is an essential survival skill.

Thank you goes to the Year 2 teachers for their planning, organisation and great teaching.



## P&C

Thank you to the wonderful parents who attend our P&C meetings. These are dedicated people who volunteer their time to provide the best possible learning opportunities for students. This group of people provide an amazing range of services to our school including our school canteen, School banking, Mothers Day and Fathers Day stalls along with a range of fundraising activities. A special thank you to our P&C Executive Team for their terrific support this year.

Everyone is welcome to attend our P&C meetings held on the 2nd Wednesdays of each month is the school staffroom.



## Kindergarten 2020

Congratulations and thank you to all of the parents and children who have attended our Kindergarten

Orientation Program this year. We are so excited about our new Kindergarten students for 2020.

If your child is enrolling in Kindergarten at Ross Hill in 2020 and you have not returned their enrolment application form along with the required documentation, could you please do so as soon as possible. You will need to bring your child's birth certificate, immunisation record and proof of address with the completed enrolment form.



## Warm Weather Precautions

In the best interests of all students health and safety, now we have come into the warm weather, all students are requested to wear their blue school hat whilst playing outdoors at school.

We also encourage parents to ensure that students have one bottle of water provided daily. Our summer policy when outdoors playing is:

**"No hat, play in the shade".**

## Scripture Teachers

Thank you to our school scripture teachers who have nearly completed their lessons for the year.

These wonderful people volunteer their time and effort to come to our school every Tuesday afternoon to teach scripture.

Our school is a better place for your efforts.





Year 6 visit Canberra

