

# Perthville Public School



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## Newsletter

Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> April 2019

Term I Week 11

Dear Parents,

It has been a wonderful term and we are really proud of all of our students. We look forward to ending the term with our Easter hat and mask parade which will be held at 12.30 this Friday. We wish everyone a lovely Easter break and a great holiday. Well done to all staff on a fabulous term!

### **Congratulations to Mr Dickson – New Permanent Assistant Principal**

Last week, Mr Dickson was successful in obtaining the permanent role of Assistant Principal in our school. Mr Dickson has been relieving in the position for the past few years since Mrs Kerr left in Term 2, 2017. Mr Dickson brings a wealth of knowledge and passion to his role each and every day and we are very proud of his appointment. I would like to thank Mr Drew Lenehan who was the parent representative on the panel and also Mrs Jacque Bicanic – Teaching Representative and Mrs Ngaire Oliver - Assistant Principal, Orange Public School. The caliber of all applications was tremendous. Well done Kurt. I look forward to working with you.

### **Great Term with Mr North**

We've loved having Mr North back this term and it's sad to see him go. Ms Naylor will be back in the Assistant Principal and Learning and Support Position next term which is also great to see. Mr North has done a super job with our students and it's been great to see him put athletics in action with all classes this week.

### **World's Greatest Shave – We are so proud of our students!**

It's so amazing to see just what kids can achieve when they have a goal and purpose. We are so very proud of Dusty, Noah, Will M, Ryan and Ashleigh who raised over \$7000 for the Leukemia foundation through the World's Greatest Shave. Thanks must go to Jane Soetens our Number One hairdresser who did the big chop on the day! Well done to everyone who supported our fantastic five!



### **State Swimming Carnival**

Good luck to Brooklyn who will compete tomorrow at the State Swimming Championships. We know she will do amazingly well!

## Easter Hat & Mask Parade & P&C Raffle – Friday 12<sup>th</sup> April ←

This Friday 12.30pm

K-2 has been very busy making their masks in preparation for the Easter hat parade. Please come along and see our wonderful creations and watch our kids do their super dance!

The P&C will also be holding an Easter Raffle which will be drawn following the parade.

What a lovely way to end the term!



## ANZAC Day March – Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> April (2<sup>nd</sup> week of holidays)

Our students are encouraged to join the ANZAC march starting at the RSL from 10am. Students need to meet Ms Naylor, Ms Morris and Ms Barlow at the front of the RSL where they will march to the front of the Carillion where the service will take place. Students need to be in full uniform and wear their hats. Following the service students need to be collected by parents from the front of the Carillion.

## Perthville School ANZAC Service First Friday back - Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May

Our whole school community is invited to attend our ANZAC service on Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May commencing at 9.30am.



## Cross Country – Friday 10<sup>th</sup> May Week 2 Term 2

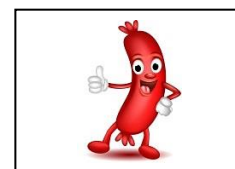
On Friday 10<sup>th</sup> May, all students who turn 8 or are older will be participating in our cross country event which will begin at 12pm. Students will be running on and around the school grounds again this year. The 8, 9 & 10 year old students will be running 2km and the 11-12 year old students will be running 3km. We are in need of a few parent helpers to assist with the supervision of students outside the school grounds. If you are able to help on the day and can be at school by 12pm, please contact the office and you will be allocated a position on the day. Students who finish in the top 4 will be representing Perthville at the Bathurst District Carnival on Friday 31<sup>st</sup> May at Mount Panorama. We welcome family and friends who are interested in watching this event.

## Sausage Sizzle Lunch after Cross Country - \$2.50

On Cross Country day the P&C will cook a sausage sizzle lunch. Cost is \$2.50. Yummy!

## Mother's Day Stall – Friday 10<sup>th</sup> May Week 2 Term 2 - \$5.00

This will be held after the cross country in the afternoon starting at 2.15pm. Any parents willing to assist with the stall are asked to contact Amanda Peterson. \$5 per gift and we'll go shopping!



## Staff Development Day

All staff return to school on Monday 29<sup>th</sup> April, students return on Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> April. Staff will be completing work on assessment procedures and digital technology.

## NAPLAN Online

The National Assessment Program – Literacy and Numeracy for Years 3 & 5 will commence in week 3 next term. Students should be encouraged to not become anxious and simply do their best. Mrs James and Mr Dickson will administer the tests. These will be held in the computer lab.

## Perthville 'Speak Off' huge success

Well done to all children who prepared speeches and presented them so beautifully last Thursday. The students chosen to represent our school are as follows.

The CWA Public Speaking competition will be held at James Sheahan School in Orange on Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> May. Good luck to all students.

Year 3 – Jenna Gallagher

Year 4 – Jaya Farrar

Year 5 – Katie McPhail

Year 6 – Riley Armstrong



James Sheahan Catholic High School  
49 Anson Street Orange

## Library Spot

Name: Katie McPhail

Age: 10

Class: 4/5

What book are you reading at the moment?

My Story – *Pyramid of secrets* by Jim Eldridge

Is it on the Premier's Reading Challenge booklist?

No, but it will be one of my own choice books.

What is it about?


It is set in 2517 BC and is about a 12 year old Egyptian boy who is forced to work on the pyramids.

Did you like it and would you recommend it to others? Why?

I really like history and fiction. As the book is historical fiction, I found it fascinating! I would recommend this book to anyone that likes history or fiction.



## Term One

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
11 8 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup>	External Validation Submission Preparation  Sporting School Athletics 3-6	  P&C Meeting  6pm	  Newsletter	    →	→  Last Day Tm 1 Easter Hat Parade  

## Change to School Photo Day

**As boys are at the next round of softball on the first Wednesday of Term 2, school photos have been moved to**  
**22<sup>nd</sup> August – Term 3**

## TERM 2 - 2019

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>I</b> 29 <sup>th</sup> -3 <sup>rd</sup> May	Staff Development Day (SDD)	Students return	<b>Newsletter</b> <b>Boys Softball</b>		ANZAC Service 9.30
<b>May</b> <b>2</b> 6 <sup>th</sup> - 10 <sup>th</sup>		State basketball		→	Cross Country 12pm Sausage Sizzle Mother's day Stall
<b>3</b> 13 <sup>th</sup> - 17 <sup>th</sup>		<b>NAPLAN</b> <b>P &amp; C Meeting</b> <b>6pm</b>	<b>Newsletter</b>	→	Assembly <b>9.30</b> <b>Girls Softball</b>  NAPLAN Back UP DAY
<b>4</b> 20 <sup>th</sup> - 24 <sup>th</sup>	After School Rugby League Starts	CWA Public Speaking – James Shehan  Grip Leadership conference – BMEC Leaders			
<b>5</b> 27 <sup>th</sup> - 31 <sup>st</sup>		External Validation Panel Day	<b>Newsletter</b>		Assembly <b>9.30</b> District Cross Country
<b>June</b> <b>6</b> 3 <sup>rd</sup> - 7 <sup>th</sup>	↓			Perthville PS Athletics Field Events	Perthville PS Athletics Track Events
<b>7</b> 10 <sup>th</sup> - 14 <sup>th</sup>	Queen's birthday holiday	P & C Meeting 6pm	<b>Newsletter</b>	Athletics Field Events & Infants Carnival	Assembly <b>9.30</b> Athletics Track
<b>8</b> 17 <sup>th</sup> - 21 <sup>st</sup>	↓				
<b>9</b> 24 <sup>th</sup> - 28 <sup>th</sup>	↓		<b>Newsletter</b>		Assembly <b>9.30</b>
<b>July</b> <b>10</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> - 5 <sup>th</sup>		Reports sent home with students			