

# Perthville Public School



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## Newsletter

Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2020

Term 3 Week 7

Dear Parents and Carers,

Well done everyone for being able to quickly adjust to the few new Covid safe restrictions that came into play during the last fortnight. Our school is calm and settled and the students are showing great commitment to their learning. We are very proud of our classes and our teachers are doing a wonderful job keeping everyone on track.

Welcome to the Gallagher family - Jaxon in 1/2 and Milla in 4/5, we know you will love it here are Perthville.

### Staff Changes

**Principal Position** - Mrs James on Leave – I will be on leave from Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> September to the end of term 3. Ms Naylor will be the Relieving Principal during these two weeks.

**Kindergarten** - Ms Morris will not be back in Term 4 due to an operation on her foot – Mrs Bicanic will take Kindergarten full time for the remainder of the year.

**1/2** – Ms Naylor Monday and Tuesday and Mrs Glasgow will continue her 3 days W Th F

### SASS Recognition Week

Last week we acknowledged the work of Suzanne, Elaine, Jayne, Di and Paul. Our school runs so smoothly because of the dedication shown by these fantastic staff. Thank you for all you do each day, a very hard-working talented team!



FOOTY  
Colours  
Day

## Footy Colours Day

Wear your favourite footy colours to school

Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> September

Special  
Lunch is a  
Hot Dog



Order form sent home today

As you are aware schools in NSW have been advised to continue with or commence new Covid Safe regulations until the end of term 3.

### **What can't occur?**

- Non-essential adults are still not permitted on school grounds. Exceptions are made for NDIS providers, health or welfare meetings with parents (These are carried out in the office area)
- No P&C Meetings unless using an online platform like Zoom
- No Choirs – Other creative arts will continue eg verse speaking and percussion
- No Band – If you wish to arrange private lessons outside school with Mr Dickson please contact Mrs Yordanoff
- No Quocka for Year 1
- No Numeracy Continuum groups – students are not to move between classes with different cohorts.
- Kindergarten or Year 6 to 7 Transitions for 2021 cohort until advised
- Both major excursions to Canberra and Sydney have been cancelled – Refunds will be issued for the deposits paid

### **What can continue the following activities with limitations and Covid Safe Planning?**

- Scripture continues – No singing
- Dance – With Covid Plan in place
- Athletics Carnival will continue but events will be held with student's own class.
- Library continues – within own class
- School assemblies outside approx. 15 minutes
- School Photos will go ahead, no staff photo
- University Prac teachers can complete Practicum sessions in schools
- Mandatory Face to Face Professional Learning eg CPR etc

Students will continue to be monitored washing hands or sanitizing, using appropriate hygiene etiquette like coughing into their elbow, using a tissue then putting it straight in the bin and washing their hands.

Please be aware that we send some classes out 5 minutes earlier at 3.20pm due to maintaining social distancing at the entrance gates.

Staff will also need to maintain social distancing during break times.

**Most importantly if any staff or student presents with flu like symptoms, they must not come to school or if at school they must be sent straight home, self-isolate and a Covid test must be administered.**

**We are then required to see proof of the negative result and the person must be symptom free before returning to school.**

### **Family Details**

A sheet was sent home last week. It is essential that you confirm all information and return promptly.

We can then update the details and have the correct information that is used in emergency situations and for the correct school funding.

### **Kindergarten and Other Enrolments for 2021**

We currently have 18 students enrolled for Kindergarten in 2021. Before we send out information about our Perthville Possums transition to school program, we are awaiting permission to have non-essential children and adults on site. We appreciate your patience with this matter and will be able to notify you once restrictions have lifted.

## **School Photos – Next Week**

Will be held in Week 8 – Friday 11<sup>th</sup> September – Winter Uniform Please.

There will be NO Staff Photo in 2020 due to social distancing regulations.

Please order online the school does not handle any money for this event.

## **Attendance at School**

Every student is expected at school every day UNLESS they are;

- at home because they are currently unwell
- at home because they have a medical certificate which states that they are unable to return to school due to an ongoing medical condition

If parents believe that their child has a condition which means it's not safe for them to return to school, they will need to provide a medical certificate.

If a student is absent for more than three days without a medical certificate, this will be recorded as an unauthorised absence and followed up by the school.

If a student falls ill while at school, the department's current first aid procedures apply including contacting the student's parent or carer or emergency contact, to collect the student. Families should ensure all emergency contacts are up to date.

## **Hudson's red locks to disappear!**

Hudson Franklin is finally doing the Shave For A Cure this year.

He will do it on 24th of October. His goal is to raise \$1000.00.

The school is very proud of you Hudson! If you can support Hudson please donate through the link below

<https://secure.leukaemiafoundation.org.au/registant/FundraisingPage.aspx?Referrer=%26Referrer%3ddirect%252fnone&RegistrationID=796460>

## **Premier's Reading Challenge**

Congratulations to those students who completed the Premier's Reading Challenge. The K-2 students completed the challenge during their library lessons, but a special congratulations to those primary students who completed the challenge during their own time. Well done to the 4/5 class as every student completed the challenge!



Mrs Bicanic

## **Check in Assessments**

Year 5 have completed both Reading and Numeracy. Year 3 will be held next term, not in week 10 as previously advertised. All assessments will be used by teachers to inform future learning in line with the Literacy and Numeracy Progressions.

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National Literacy  
and Numeracy  
Learning  
Progressions

**Library Spot**

**Name:** Claudia Kelly

**Age:** 12

**Class:** 5/6

**What book are you reading at the moment?**

*Danny the Champion of the World* by Roald Dahl

**Is it on the Premier's Reading Challenge booklist?**

Yes

**What is it about?**

It's about a boy named Danny who lives with his Dad. They have wonderful adventures together.

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

I would strongly recommend this book because it is full of suspense and keeps you guessing what will happen next. It is also really funny!



Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>7</b> 31/8-4/9			Newsletter		Assembly Awards
<b>8</b> 7/9-11/9			Footy Colours Day & Hot Dog Lunch	Mrs James away —————→	School Photos
<b>9</b> 14/9-18/9	Mrs James away —————→		Newsletter		Assembly Awards
<b>10</b> 21/9-25/9	Mrs James away —————→	NAIDOC Week			Last day Term 3

Students start back in Term 4 on **Monday 12<sup>th</sup> October**

Be a getting to school safely champ:

**Cross the road safely** Hold my hand ✓  
 Always hold a grown up's hand Use a safe place to cross ✓  
 Stop! Look! Listen! Think! ✓



**SCHOOL**

- STOP** One step back from the road
- LOOK** Continuously both ways
- LISTEN** For the sounds of approaching traffic
- THINK** Think whether it is safe to cross and keep checking until safely across

## Excursion Deposit Refunds

Those families who have paid the excursion deposit by cash or cheque will today receive a "Student Refund Application" form. This form will come home with your child and it will need to be completed and returned to the office as soon as possible please. The funds will be deposited into the nominated bank account noted on the form.

Families that paid by POP payment will have the payment returned to the credit card used on the POP system. Families who paid by EFTPOS are required to come to the office and a refund will be placed on the card originally used for the payment.



SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS WILL BE TAKEN ON:

Friday 11 September 2020

**ORDER NOW go to [www.advancedlife.com.au](http://www.advancedlife.com.au) and enter the code  
C83 9ZN Q9D**

Dear Parents,

School photographs are scheduled to be taken by advancedlife. Whilst an envelope has been distributed, if possible it is our preference that ordering be completed online to reduce administration and potential security issues related to the return of cash and envelopes on photo day.

Orders for packages and sibling photographs can be placed securely online at [www.advancedlife.com.au](http://www.advancedlife.com.au) using our school's unique 9 digit advancedorder code. Portrait and group package orders are due by photography day.

Should you wish to purchase a sibling photograph online, the order must be placed no later than the day before photography day. Sibling photographs will only be taken if an order has been placed.

Should you have any queries concerning school photographs or online ordering, please contact us not the school at [www.advancedlife.com.au/contact](http://www.advancedlife.com.au/contact)

# Hot Dog Day

Wednesday 9 September 2020



Please complete the form below for each family member ordering.

***Orders required by Tuesday 8 September.***

Student	Roll class	No. of Hot Dogs	\$	Total
			2.50	
			2.50	
			2.50	
			2.50	
			2.50	

*Gluten free option available \$3.50.*

Please include payment with order form.