



PALINYEWAH PUBLIC SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

Tuesday 8 November

Week 5

November

Thursday 10

Kanga 8's Cricket
Kinder orientation

Monday 14

Practicum student
School Photos
P&C AGM @ 2.00pm

Tuesday 15

Bunnings Christmas Craft

Thursday 17

Year 7 orientation afternoon
Parent information session
for Year 7
Kinder orientation
Principals Conference

Friday 18

Principals Conference

Thursday 24

Year 7 full day orientation
Kinder orientation
Kinder parent session

Wednesday 30

Toy Library

December

Thursday 1

Kinder orientation (last session)

Wednesday 7

Concert

Friday 9

Student reports home

Wednesday 14

End of year celebration day

Friday 16

Last day of term

Dear Parents

Kindergarten Orientation Program

Our Kindergarten Orientation Program has begun. We are running a comprehensive program this term with Kindergarten students visiting the school each Thursday until the 1st December. We welcome Emma & Georgia Strachan to Palinyewah School. I look forward to working with our new students. **A parent information session will be held on Thursday 24 November from 10.00am until 11.00am.**

Kanga 8's Cricket

Some of our students from years 3 to 6 will travel to Wentworth on Thursday 10th to compete in the Kanga 8's Cricket Day. Good luck and enjoy the day. Students will be attending the day with Mr Mercer. Remaining students will have regular lessons at school with Ms Treverrow.

Summer Uniform

It is great to see everyone back at school in their summer uniform. Please encourage your child to wear their uniform each day as I believe it encourages a sense of pride and belonging within the school community. During term four students are required to wear a hat with a brim during paly times and for PE and Sport lessons. The school hat is a great option.

School Photos

School photos have been organised for Monday 14 November during school hours. Excitations will offer an individual, class and family portrait.

Individual - \$15

Class - \$20

Family - \$20

Please indicate on the attached form which photos you wish to purchase and include payment.

Year 5/6 Personal Development Session

Our year 5/6 Personal Development session was cancelled at the last minute due to illness. We are awaiting a new date for the session to occur. We will not require new permission slips.

School Website

Our school website is undergoing some changes. The DET is currently updating the format of school websites. This means anything I add to the website at the moment will not be saved. I will let you know when I can change and update again to keep information current and relevant. At the moment don't rely on the latest information and dates to be included. If in doubt of dates and events, ring the school and we can fill you in.

Application for selective high school 2013

Online applications are open until 21 November 2011 for parents or carers of Year 5 students who wish their children to be considered for placement in Year 7 at a selective high school in 2013.

You can find it at: www.schools.nsw.edu.au/shsplacement.

Hard copy application forms are also available from the school and must be returned by 18 November.

If you have any questions about the selective high school placement process please call 9707 6262 or email: ssu@det.nsw.edu.au.

Monet's Garden



Crazy Faces



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