

TERM 1 - WEEK 11 2024

The Official

Palinyewah Public School

Newsletter



PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Hello Parents and Carers,

Welcome to Week 11!

As we come to the end of another term, I want to take a moment to reflect on the wonderful journey we've had together. It's been a term of growth, learning, and lots of connections.

I'm incredibly proud of our students for their dedication to learning and their willingness to engage with new ideas. From mastering tough subjects to forming lasting friendships, it's been inspiring to see.

I also want to highlight the incredible performances by our students at the recent PULSE performance night. Watching our students shine on stage at the Mildura Arts Centre and Dareton PS was truly a testament to their talent and hard work. Maybe there will be some holiday performance nights at home for family!

Schools, especially small schools can only be successful if they have a strong team. Palinyewah is one of those schools where every staff member jumps on board and helps out when needed. I am very lucky to have such great support and dedicated staff that wants to see our students succeed and grow every single day. Thank you to all of our staff!

I also want to give a big shoutout to our newest teacher, Miss Horton. In her short time here, she's already made a huge impact with her energy and the quality of teaching. We're looking forward to seeing you keep pushing our students even further.

And to Ms. Fraser, who's moving on at the end of this term, a huge thank you for all you've done for our little school and community. Ms Fraser has worked so hard ensuring our students and our school have remained a safe learning environment and made connections with all parents and community members (and making sure I am doing all of my jobs). You'll be thoroughly missed, and we wish you all the best in your future adventures and the important time with your family.

To everyone in our school community, thank you for your support and enthusiasm this term. Let's take some time to rest and recharge over the holidays, and I can't wait to see what we'll achieve together next term.

Enjoy the break, and we'll see you soon!



25 nights reading to:

Imogen Mumford, Spencer Mumford
Raymond Modistach, Isabella Langanke
Elsie Brander
50 nights reading to:
Arden Mumford, Chelsea Farley,
Alannah Modistach

Principal's Award

Noah Brander - For always being a positive student who is becoming confident in your own learning, whilst making everyone happy around you. That is not always easy, keep going!

Assembly Awards W 6

Sorry to Arden for having the wrong name next to her award in week 6.

Arden Mumford - Demonstrating persistence and a growth mindset in mathematics.

Assembly Awards W 8

Spencer Mumford - working independently during class tasks.

Will Litchfield - Demonstrating a positive attitude towards his learning.

Alannah Modistach - Being a resourceful learner by finding other solutions to problem solving in her learning.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Tennis and Lunch in Mildura- Friday 12 April First day of Term 2 - Tuesday 30 April MD Cross Country Euston - Wednesday 1 May Grip Leadership Yr 5-6 - Wednesday 8 May





Big Vegie Crunch

All students participated in the Big Vegie Crunch along with over 13,000 other NSW students. Students tried vegetables and fruit that they had previously not eaten. They were also amazed at how many different colours fruit and vegetables came in.

Thank you to the families that contributed fruit and vegetables for the morning feast.





End of Term 1 Awards

Raymond Modistach - working hard and listening carefully to instructions. Making a great start to your school journey.

Imogen Mumford - Always being an eager contributor to share her ideas in class discussions.

Elsie Brander - Being actively involved in all areas and participating in all school activities with enthusiasm.

Spencer Mumford - Always having a positive attitude to all learning tasks and taking ownership of his own learning.

Nate Davies - Demonstrating an increasing level of confidence in new and unfamiliar situations.

Alannah Modistach - For being a flexible and creative learner who enjoys new challenges.

Will Davies - For being self-motivated and enthusiastic towards his learning. **Will Litchfield -** For working hard in all learning tasks and consistently following school rules.

Arden Mumford - For showing persistence towards all learning tasks.

Millie Farley - Displaying a positive outlook and attitude towards all aspects of her learning.

Isabella Langanke - For being an independent worker and trying her best at all times. **Noah Brander -** For always being a positive learner and helping peers out when needed.

Chelsea Farley - For being polite, courteous and kind both in the classroom and playground.

KOOKABURRA CLASSROOM



Year 5 Pen Licenses

The Year 5 students have been working very hard at demonstrating their skills with writing in pen. Last assembly, Year 5 students were awarded their pen licenses. Well done Year 5!





Science Superstars

As part of our Science unit 'Living Things', students have engaged in lessons on Biological Science. Stage 2 have looked at the classification of living things. Here, they have looked at their observable features to regroup specific animals. Stage 3 have delved into the world of adaptations. Students have researched why Australian animals look the way they do.









Reading Corner

This term in English we have been focusing on Narratives. Our novel study has been one of Andy Griffiths' books 'Just Tricking'. Students have been regularly reading to one another to develop their fluency. They have absolutely loved reading this novel.





Easter Hat Parade















In week 9, students engaged in a range of fun Easter activities. They started off with designing and making their Easter hats, then made their Easter baskets. It was a very busy classroom filled with colour, Easter eggs and decorations.

In the afternoon, students played some games out on the oval including an egg and spoon race. Then to end the day, after their Easter Egg hunt, students got to strut the runway and show off their great designs.

It was a great day! The 'Outback Bunny' even made an appearance

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TRAFFIC REMINDER

Just a reminder about the pick up/drop off zone. Please enter the school via the northern entrance and depart via the southern exit.

Please keep the gates clear at all times.





PULSE 2024







It was all lights, camera, action last week for our students as they engaged in Pulse Alive 2024. K/1 students attended workshop sessions at Dareton Public School. They learnt drumming with a cup and chopsticks and made a firefly for the firefly dance. Dance movements were learnt culminating in a performance on Thursday in front of parents. What a great time the students had!

Students in Years 3-6 made their way to Buronga Midway Centre for a two day workshop. Here, they learnt songs in which they would sing on stage and put together drama pieces in which they would act out. On the third day, students rehearsed their pieces at the Mildura Arts Centre where later that night they put on a spectacular performance(even the teachers made an appearance on stage)! The excitement and enthusiasm was also felt backstage. A huge congratulations to all students, it was a fantastic performance!











Tennis

Throughout this term, students have actively participated in tennis lessons, enjoying every moment spent on the court. They developed their fundamental skills and enhanced their tennis ability under the guidance of an experienced coach. With enthusiasm and determination, they have eagerly participated in drills, games, and friendly matches, demonstrating progress and skill development.















As the term progressed, it is evident that the tennis lessons have not only enhanced students' athletic abilities but also instilled a lifelong love for the sport.

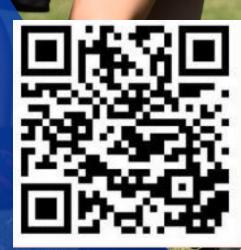


Andy Murdoch Oval, Dareton

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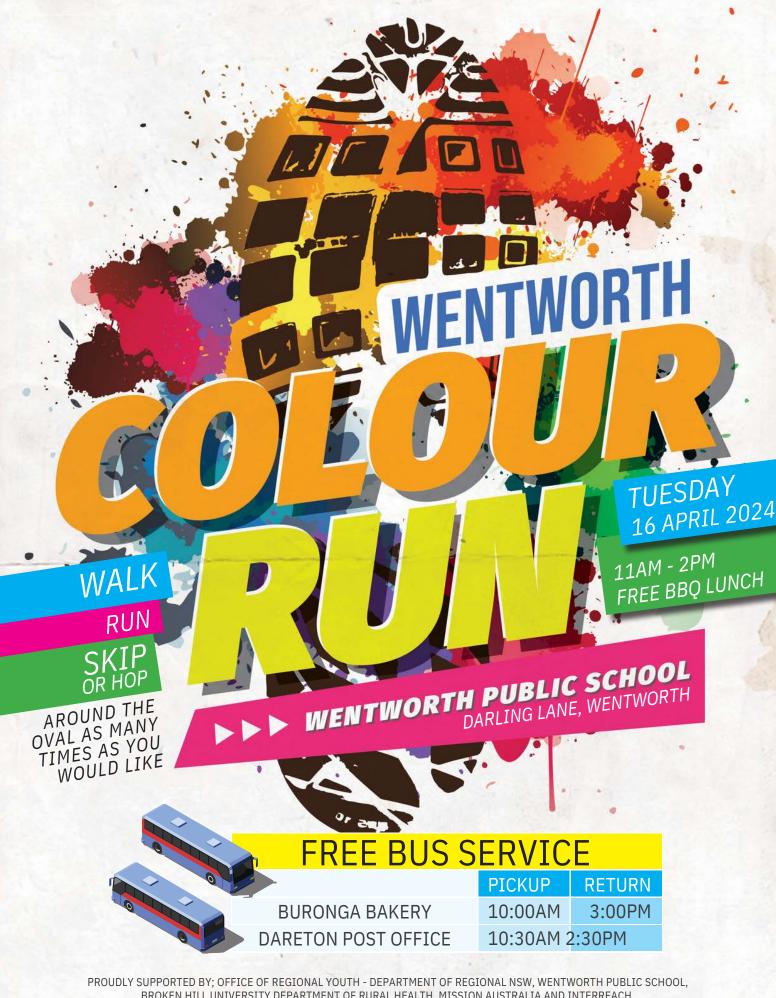












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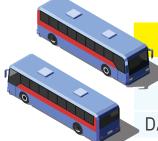
TUESDAY 23 APRIL 2024

11AM - 2PM / FREE BBQ LUNCH

11AM - 2PM / PUBLIC SCHOOL

WENTWORTH PUBLIC SCHOOL

DARLING LANE, WENTWORTH



FREE BUS SERVICE

BURONGA BAKERY
DARETON POST OFFICE

PICKUP RETURN

10:00AM 3:00PM 10:30AM 2:30PM

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