



PEATS RIDGE PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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6th February 2017
Week 3 Term 1

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DIARY DATES

TERM 1

Friday 10th February
Footsteps program

Monday 20th February
Welcome BBQ at 5:30pm

Tuesday 28th February
Small Schools Swimming
Carnival

Wednesday 1st March
Rugby League visit for K-6

Friday 3rd March
Privilege session –
Footsteps disco

Friday 10th March
Zone Swimming Carnival

Tuesday 4th April
Small Schools Cross
Country at Central
Mangrove PS

Thursday 6th April
Combined Scripture Easter
Service

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents and Families,

Week in Review

The 2017 school year started very smoothly at Peats Ridge. Our kindergarten students all seem very settled and are enjoying their time in class P2. Last week, I was very impressed with the behaviour of all students at Peats Ridge. Everyone seemed to come back with a very mature approach to their schooling. Our student leaders ran their first assembly and have already commenced many of their new responsibilities. Keep up the good work, students!



Relieving Principal

It is with great pleasure that I can announce that Mrs Amanda Austin will be relieving as Principal whilst I am relieving at Rydalmere East this term. Mrs Austin is an Assistant Principal at Brooke Avenue Public School. She is a very experienced teacher and school leader who comes highly recommended by her Principal and the School Director. Mrs Austin is extremely excited at the opportunity to work with the Peats Ridge students and community and she will be visiting this Wednesday, so feel free to pop in and say hello if you are dropping off or picking up your children. Mrs Austin will commence in the role as of Monday next week, meaning this Friday will be my last day this term.

do
THE RIGHT
THING...
EVEN WHEN
no one
IS LOOKING.

PBL VALUE OF THE WEEK

'Be in the right place at the right time'

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE cont.

Footsteps - Social Emotional Learning

This Friday, we begin our Social Emotional Learning Program with Footsteps. Both classes will receive a half hour lesson between 11:30am and 12:30pm. Students do not need to bring anything extra to school to participate in this program.

Kids in the Kitchen

Kids in the Kitchen resumes tomorrow and will operate on Tuesdays and Fridays throughout the term. Our student leaders have been working on a yummy, healthy menu, so come along and see what's available.

Welcome BBQ

Like last year, there is a welcome BBQ scheduled for Monday 20 February. The BBQ is an opportunity to interact with parents, students and teachers, as well as find out plans for the 2017 school year at Peats Ridge. The BBQ will begin at 5:30pm. Last year the evening was extremely well represented, and I hope that it will be again this year.

As always, have a great week!

Mr Carters

Principal

OFFICE NEWS

This week I will be sending home family statements for each student. Please remember that the school voluntary contribution goes towards resources such as art equipment, exercise books, pencils, etc. for your children to use in the classroom.

Thank you

Kate Wilson

School Admin Manager



TOP TIPS FOR A HEALTHY LUNCH BOX

- Always include fresh fruit and vegetables. Vary the selection to keep it interesting.
- Offer a variety of whole grain breads, rolls, pita bread and flat breads.
- Use avocado as a spread instead of butter or margarine.
- Use reduced fat dairy foods. Cheese and yoghurt are ideal.
- Kids need a serve of protein at lunchtime. Ensure you include lean meat, egg, peanut butter, chickpeas or tuna.
- Add a chilled bottle of water and limit juice.

RESPECT

RESPONSIBILITY

EXCELLENCE

Mountain District Football Club

Registration Fees for 2017

DATE : Saturday 28th January and Sunday 5th February

WHERE : Mangrove Mtn Golf Club (downstairs)

TIME : 10am—2pm

OR register online www.myfootballclub.com.au

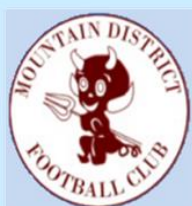
Age 5-9	\$130
Age 10- 11.....	\$140
Age 12-17.....	\$150
Student 18 and above.....	\$180
Seniors.....	\$265

(Student must produce proof of student ID, copy & email to the register.)

Family Discount

Other Family Package Available

2 Family Members.....	\$10 off
3 Family Members.....	\$20 off
4 Family Members.....	\$30 off



Bank Details

BSB – 062 544 ACC— 0090 8286 REF - Your Name

On-line cut off **18th February**. Inquiries email mdfcreg-



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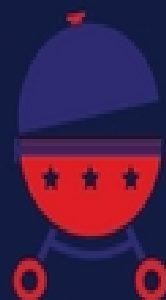
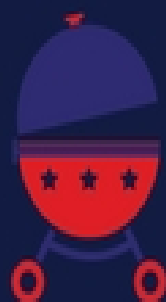
Please Join Us For the 2017 ★

Welcome

★ BBQ ★

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Peats Ridge Public School



FEBRUARY

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MONDAY

MEET THE TEACHERS &

FIND OUT WHAT'S

PLANNED IN 2017

530 pm

to

730 pm