



PEATS RIDGE PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Week 7 Term 1

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DIARY DATES

TERM 1

Every Monday: Newsletter
Every Tuesday: Scripture
Every Friday: Sport

Friday 10th March

Footsteps program
Zone Swimming Carnival

Tuesday 14th March

Evacuation Practice

Monday 20th March

P&C AGM

Wednesday 22nd March

Excursion to Aladdin

Tuesday 28th March

Parent/Teacher interviews

Tuesday 4th April

Small Schools Cross
Country at Central
Mangrove PS

Monday 3rd April

Parent/Teacher interviews

Wednesday 5th April

Combined Scripture Easter
Service

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Students and Families,

Despite all the rain, last week was a lot of fun with students involved in a wide variety of activities.

On Monday, I invited groups of students into my office for a special Maths lesson on length and measured everyone against the new growth chart on my door. We have some huge clodhoppers and I wonder who will have the biggest growth spurt this year?



Congratulations to our swimmers: Thomas, Brendan, Harry, George, Wyatt, Briony, Angel-Katlyn, Isabelle, Violet, Brooke, Jayda and Abbey who gave their personal best at the Small Schools Swimming Carnival last Tuesday and represented the school with pride. Three lucky swimmers were even selected to compete at Zone this Friday. Go Brooke, Jayda and Abbey!!

On Wednesday, everyone joined in the NRL Blitz with Grant and Laurie and earned lots of Roosters goodies to take home.



Photographer: Thomas

“Excellence
is not being
the best; it is
doing your
best.”

PBL VALUE OF THE WEEK

‘Allow others to complete their work’

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE cont.

On Thursday, it was our seniors' turn to attend a debating workshop at Narara PS. Thomas, Harry, Isabelle, Bianca, Brooke, Jayda and Angel worked with students from all over the coast and learned tips and strategies to make strong arguments and rebuttals.

On Friday, everyone got their groove on at our Footsteps privilege reward disco and the hall shook to the Macarena, conga lines, dance-offs, games, shuffling and doing the nae-nae.



Photographers: George, Josh & Harry



Finally yesterday, I met some lovely locals at Mangrove Mountain's Clean Up Australia Day including an ex-PRPS teacher, Claire. Thank you to Savannah and Shakia for helping me with directions and Jayda, your poster looked great!



Ms Austin

Relieving Principal

OFFICE NEWS

We are still missing a large number of our students 'General Permission Note 2017'. This is information we must have at the beginning of each school year. Please complete this note and return to school ASAP. If you need another copy, it is available to print off on the school website.

Numbers have now been put in for the Year 5 & 6 Myuna Bay Camp. If your child did not return their permission slip and \$50 deposit, it is presumed that they will not be attending. If this is not the case, please contact myself or Ms Austin urgently. For those who have paid, I have drawn up a payment plan for you to follow which will have the excursion paid in full by the due date. Please contact me in the office for a copy.

Thank you

Kate Wilson

School Admin Manager



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