

The Sir Henry Parkes Memorial

PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



LEARNING SAFETY RESPECT

Term 4 Week 7 2018



Toastmasters Lecturettes

This Thursday, November 29 will be the school final for the Toastmaster Lecturettes. Some Year 6 students have prepared a three minute speech on a topic that they are studying in class. The students will present their speeches and receive feedback on their public speaking skills. The final will start at 10am in Bruxner Hall. Parents are most welcome to come and watch.

Rosie the Dog Updates

Rosie has her newsletter on line just doing some final tweaks.

She also has a face book page .

Her book, 'Rosie Knows', is published and selling on Amazon e-book or paperback.

The next book 'Rosie Knows More', is due out soon and her third manuscript is almost complete...

Phew!!

Check out her website:

<http://www.whatrosieknows.com> Rosie-knows-book

Scripture Christmas Party

Thursday December 13 in Bruxner Hall starting at 1:50pm.

All classes join together.

We will be singing some carols and John and Sarah Cooper will be doing a puppet show.

One of the scripture teachers will give a brief talk on Christmas and the birth of Jesus.

The Minister/Pastor from each church has been invited to come and give a 2 minute introduction about themselves and their church activities over the Christmas Season.

We will have party food and poppers for each child.

Presentation Day

Next Thursday December 6 is our annual Presentation Day in the MPU starting at 10:15am.

We will be walking down to the Tenterfield High School MPU on Tuesday morning to practise for Thursday.

If your child is receiving an award an invitation will be coming home for parents to attend.

Have a fantastic week ahead!

Miss Anna Starcevic

Principal

2018 School Evaluation

Yesterday morning our teachers participated in an early morning 2018 school evaluation session. We are reflecting on what we are doing well in our school, discussing evidence of impact and planning our next steps for 2019.

It was lovely to also enjoy breakfast together as a staff at this busy time of the school year.





Tenterfield Library is holding Summer Reading Club!

Start : 10th December 2018

Finish : 25th January 2019

Registration kicks off on the 10th
of December so see staff to find
out how to join in.

Contact the library on:
02 6736 6060.

Opening hours:
Monday-Friday: 10am-5pm
Saturday: 9am-12pm

The library will be closed for
Christmas break from close of
business Friday 21st December
2018 and re-opens Wednesday
2nd January 2019

Presentation Day Raffle

1st, 2nd and 3rd Prize - \$2.00/ ticket

The 3 quilts for this raffle have been hand made
and donated to the school by Mrs Jan Oberman
and Mrs Pam Hair.

They are on show down at Tenterfield
Homemakers.

Any families requiring tickets to sell, can pick some
up from the school's office or if you would like to
purchase some tickets they can be purchased
from Yancy, Lisa and the staff from Tenterfield
Homemakers.

Tickets will also be on sale at Presentation Day on
Thursday December 6 at the Tenterfield High
School MPU from 10:15am.

The raffle will be drawn at the completion of the
ceremony.



THIS WEEKS POSTIVE BEHAVIOUR FOR LEARNING LESSON (PBL)



LEARNING SAFETY RESPECT

PBL Term 4 Week 7

This weeks PBL focus was about showing respect for our school. The lesson entailed a range of interactive exercises that explored out of bounds and in bounds areas around our school. The main focus was geared around our new shared garden that is currently under construction. By the end of the lesson students were able to effectively communicate in bounds and out of bounds areas in our school. Students also discussed places in our school that are in bounds at certain times of the day and when accompanied by an adult.

As it gets closer to the holidays it is important that students can recognise safe and unsafe places to play and go.

We hope all students are still regularly displaying our school values of Safety, Learning and Respect. It is important that they continue to try their hardest right up till the end of term.

Regards PBL Team

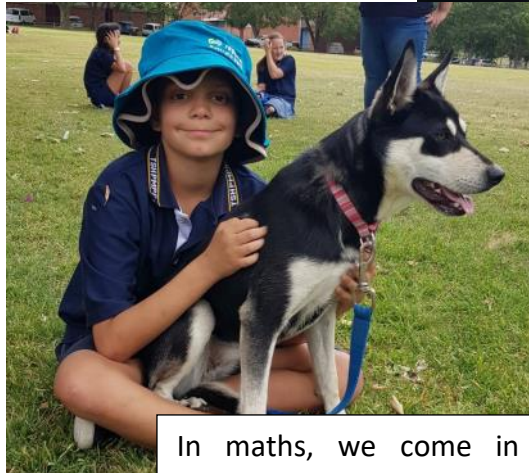
A Day in the Life of a Quokka



We start the day with circle time and share one piece of information about ourselves or something we have done, this varies depending on the topic. This time of the day often ends in laughter and puts a smile on our face for the rest of the day.



In the English session, we have been getting creative by designing and writing different types of texts, including videos, newspaper articles and imaginative texts. We spend the first hour of the day participating in reading groups and activities. After reading groups, Miss Ryan reads us a chapter from our class novel while we eat crunch. After crunch, we create different pieces of writing. It takes us one week to write a text from planning to publishing. These texts are then published around the classroom for our peers to read.



In maths, we come in from recess and complete 15 minutes of independent activities focusing on whole numbers. We then start our modelled maths lesson. After this we split into five and complete Daily 5. This involves working with the teacher, an independent task, working with technology, problem solving as a group and a hands-on activity. All the activities are based on the modelled lesson that was taught.



Each afternoon we read silently for 15 minutes. On Mondays we do PDH, on Tuesday science, on Wednesday creative arts, on Thursday we have Mrs T when we do history or geography and scripture, and on Friday we have sport. During sport we have been focussing on the skills catching and striking. During our afternoons we usually complete research tasks, hands on activities, projects and create posters.


**A LITTLE
PROGRESS
EACH DAY
ADDS UP TO
BIG RESULTS**



PUBLIC SCHOOL



TERM 4 School Planner and Community Information

| Week/ Month | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
|---------------------|-------------------------------|--|--|--|--------------------|
| Week 7 November | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 Last scripture lesson Year 6 Lecturette Final | 30 |
| Week 8 December | 3 | 4 Presentation Day rehearsal | 5 Year 6 THS Orientation 9:15am-1:45pm | 6 Presentation Day 11am | 7 |
| Week 9 December | 10 | 11 | 12 K-2 Christmas Concert Year 6 Farewell | 13 Final K-6 Assembly Scripture Christmas Party | 14 Yr 6 Fun Day |
| | Swim scheme |  | | | |
| Week 10 December | 17 Rewards Day at the pool | 18 Semester 2 reports go home | 19 Last Day of Term 4 for staff and students | | 21 |

PRESENTATION DAY

Tenterfield High School MPU

@ Tenterfield Veterinary Clinic

8 Clarence St, Tenterfield Ph (02) 6736 2233



Santa Photos at Christmas time are not just for humans. Don't miss your chance to get a photo of your pet with Santa or pull the whole family together (two and four legged children) for that special Christmas, family photo.

Santa will be appearing at Tenterfield Veterinary Clinic
Saturday December 15th 2018
10am to 2pm

All photos taken during a family photo shoot can be purchased on Disc for \$20

Join the team at Tenterfield Veterinary Clinic
for

Open Day activities including:

*BBQ *Clinic Tours *Equine Dental Demonstrations
*Bull Testing Demonstrations

blankets.



75-79 Wood St Tenterfield NSW 2372 • 02 67361401 • sirhparkes-p.admin@det.nsw.edu.au • www.sirhparkes-schools.nsw.edu.au

The Sir Henry Parkes Memorial

PUBLIC SCHOOL



LEARNING SAFETY RESPECT

Canteen Roster for Term 4

| Month | Wednesday 28 | Thursday 29 | Friday 30 |
|----------|-----------------------------|-------------|--------------------------------------|
| November | Vicky Hill Nicole Arnold | | Rachel Brown |
| | Monday 3 | Tuesday 4 | Wednesday 5 |
| November | | | Candice Potter Help needed please |

Canteen Donations for this week

| | |
|--------------|------------------|
| Tomato Sauce | Roberta Koch |
| Mayonnaise | Kelly Pitkin |
| Block Cheese | Vanessa Rolph |
| Beetroot | Nicole Arnold |
| Lettuce | Jennifer Donadel |
| Tomatoes | Candice Potter |
| Margarine | Jayne Collier |

Homebake for next week

| | |
|-------------|----------------|
| Monday 3 | Kelly Pitkin |
| Wednesday 5 | Kris McCowen |
| Friday 7 | Candice Potter |

WEDNESDAY'S MEAL DEAL

‘Good Tucker’

Chicken Burger– A fresh roll with lettuce, cheese, mayo and a crumbed chicken patty, a popper and a choc coated icy pole \$6:00

OTHER CHOICES (not included in meal deal)

Ham & Cheese sandwich (fresh) - \$3.00

Sausage Roll - \$3.00