



SAWTELL PUBLIC SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

"A member of the Bongil Bongil Learning Community"

9 May 2018 — TERM 2 WEEK 2

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Dear parents and carers,

The school will be unpacking the 2018-2020 School Plan during 2 parent workshops today. During both sessions the new school plan will be discussed in detail as well as the level of support the Director of Educational Leadership, Mrs Jenny Murray, and the Coffs Harbour Education office team will be providing to ensure our school achieves the school vision statement and the improvement measures outlined in the plan. For those who are unable to attend you will find the new school plan on the school's website.

More staffing news

A new permanent teacher has been appointed to Sawtell PS. Ms Courtney Hine will commence at Sawtell PS on Tuesday 12 June, Week 7 (Monday being a public holiday). Ms Hine will be working in classrooms supporting ESL students and teaching students across K-6 as part of the RFF program. Ms Hine has a magnitude of skills across a broad range of curriculum areas including dance, choir, language and PE.

2019 Kinder enrolments

Sawtell PS is now taking Kindergarten enrolments for 2019. Please contact the office to arrange an interview with Mr Hepi.

Athletics Carnival

Please amend your Term 2 Calendar to include the athletics carnival. The school athletics carnival will be held on Tuesday 26th June, Week 9. The carnival

will include track events, Long jump only and some novelty activities. Weeks leading up to the carnival the other field events including, High jump, Shotput and Discus will be held during lunch and/or the afternoon sessions. A timetable outlining when 'prior to carnival' events will be held will be published in next week's newsletter.

Mother's Day BBQ Breakfast

We hope you can join us between 7:30am – 8:45am **this FRIDAY** for BBQ bacon and egg sandwiches (coin donation to help cover costs). The school choir will perform from 8:30am and the OCD Coffee Van will be available for anybody wishing to purchase a tea/coffee.

To all our mums – have a Happy Mother's Day!

Michael Hepi -Principal

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Tonight – 6pm Unpacking the new school plan (staffroom)
- 10 May – Toormina District Cross Country (Sawtell Reserve)
- 11 May – Mother's Day bbq breakfast
- 15–18 May – NAPLAN (Yr3-5) Tuesday – Language conventions and Reading; Wednesday – Writing; Thursday – Numeracy; Friday – catch up for those students absent
- 14 May – P&C meeting 7pm (staffroom)
- 14-15 May – Department of Education financial auditing

- 28 May – Year 1-2 Eisteddfod 10:00am followed by Year 3-6 choir Life House Church Orlando St, Coffs Harbour. \$5 or \$3 concession
- 29 May – Year 3-4 Eisteddfod 12:00pm followed by Year 5-6 choir Life House Church Orlando St, Coffs Harbour. \$5 or \$3 concession

ASSEMBLY:

This week's assembly item will be presented by 4A.

UNIFORM SHOP

Uniform Shop is open every Wednesday at 8:30am.

BOOKCLUB

Bookclub orders are due in no later than this Friday 11 May

STUDENT OF THE MONTH

March

KBW - Liam O'Hare
 KS - Lara North
 1M - William Naylor
 1R - Harrison Price
 1/2CF - Serene Boggs
 2AW - Kendra Dungay
 2/3G - Myla Blaikie
 3A - Zann McCarthy
 3/4K - Beau Pavitt
 4A - Skye Murphy
 4/5CE - Navy Nuon
 5H - Myndee Morris
 5/6B Melissa Sandry
 5/6N - Byron Harris Simpson
 ILP
 Rory Hopkinson

April

Rylea Holdsworth
 Mac Jarvis
 Imarni Davies
 Millie Hone
 Bonnie Riggs
 Clancy Tune
 Sophie Lawson
 Portia Arif
 Mia Saggus
 Chloe Partridge
 Ava Glover
 Zac Moore
 Savannah Gregory
 Zamara Parkhill
 ILP
 Ella Wood
 Myla Blaikie

Citizenship Award for April

KBW - Emily Johnson

P&C NEWS

Save the Date! – Sawtell Chilli Festival - Saturday 7 July 2018. More details to come! P&C will have a stall, we would love your input. Come to the next P&C meeting at 7pm on Monday 14 May to contribute to the discussion.

P&C Meeting – The next P&C meeting will be on Monday 14 May 2018 at 7pm in the staff room. P&C meetings will be held on the second Monday of each month (with the exception of school holidays).

\$100 Voucher for sport, fitness and active recreation activities – Did you know the NSW Government is helping kids get active with the new Active Kids program? Parents, guardians and carers can apply for a voucher valued up to \$100 per calendar year for each student enrolled in school. To apply online go to:

<https://www.service.nsw.gov.au/transaction/apply-active-kids-voucher>

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