



ABERDEEN PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



14th May 2019, Week 3 Term 2

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FORTHCOMING DATES

May

14th – 16th NAPLAN Years 3 and 5
Wednesday 15th P & C Meeting 6pm in Library
Friday 17th 2020 Year 5 Opportunity Class
applications close
Deadly Australians Incursion
Thursday 23rd Hot Dog Meal Deal

THANK YOU!

I hope all our beautiful mums and significant females had a wonderful Mother's Day on Sunday. Thank you to those who came along to the Mother's Day Breakfast on Thursday and supported the Mother's Day Stall. I'm sure you were all thrilled with your gift, picked with loving care especially for you by your child.

Both staff and P&C members were pleased with, and grateful for the large turn out, making this year's breakfast one of the most well attended school events in some time. Much gratitude to our tireless P&C committee and their team of volunteers, including those who baked muffins, ensuring a great morning was had by all. A huge thank you also to those volunteers who purchased, wrapped and sold gifts at the stall.

APS OUT AND ABOUT IN THE COMMUNITY

The past week has been one of the busiest this year, with students enjoying a range of excursions. On Tuesday K-2 students experienced a bygone era with a visit to the Jack Johnston Memorial Day in Scone. Students were treated to sheep shearing, dog trials, horse shoeing, butter churning and much, much more.



Click go the shears at the Jack Johnston Memorial Day.

On Wednesday Stage 2 and 3 got to practise their hockey skills with an Australian Hockeyroo at a gala day in Scone. Approximately two-thirds of the students returned their notes to attend and were rewarded not only with a fun

learning experience but their own hockey stick, ball and hat to take home. The event was free, including travel, so it is disappointing that more students did not take the opportunity to try something new.



Hands up for hockey!

Then on Thursday, our Boys and Girls' Soccer Teams did APS proud; showing perseverance, sportsmanship and integrity as they competed in a PSSA Knockout. It looks like everyone enjoyed the day and although neither team finished on top for the day, both are 'winners' for representing our school. Check out these great team photos! Thanks Mr Ramage for managing and coaching our teams.



Soccer is the winner! Well done to our teams.



PBL CORNER

CORE EXPECTATION: PERSONAL BEST



You did it!
Congratulations

PRINCIPAL'S AWARDS

K RED	Chase A. - improved focus during Maths groups.
K/1 PURPLE	Payton R. - enthusiastically practising the class item.
1/2 LIME	Cruz P. - persevering to develop his knowledge of halves and quarters.
1/2 YELLOW	Nixon U. - working to improve his mathematics skills by asking for help and trying his best.
3/4 BLACK	Matisse M. - her outstanding commitment and dedication to detail in all learning areas.
3/4 ORANGE	Ruby T. - demonstrating a sound understanding of grammar, spelling and punctuation during English tasks.
5/6 GREEN	Harry D. - displaying creativity in writing.
5/6 MAGENTA	Jordon H.- an excellent approach to learning new skills when working with 3D printing.

MERIT AWARDS

K RED	Leyon W.-B.
K/1 PURPLE	Clancy C.
1/2 LIME	Kash L.
1/2 YELLOW	Noah McG.
3/4 BLACK	Cohen A.
3/4 ORANGE	Lilli W.
5/6 GREEN	Ryley D.
5/6 MAGENTA	Connor S.

PBL AWARDS

K RED	Sarah R.	Responsibility
K/1 PURPLE	Olivia R.	Personal Best
1/2 LIME	Bailey B.	Responsibility
1/2 YELLOW	Bridie S.	Responsibility
3/4 BLACK	Joseph V.	Responsibility
3/4 ORANGE	Byron W.-B.	Responsibility
5/6 GREEN	Hayden R.	Respect
5/6 MAGENTA	Gabriella P.	Respect

PBL @ ASSEMBLY

These students won the class PBL prize draw – Out of Uniform Day Pass.

K RED	Boston H.
K/1 PURPLE	Ciennah S.
1/2 LIME	Heidi W.-B.
1/2 YELLOW	Rubi B.
3/4 BLACK	Lilikah C.
3/4 ORANGE	Molly W.
5/6 GREEN	Shania T.
5/6 MAGENTA	Charlotte W.



Walk Safely to School Day
Friday 17 May 2019

Please return the Walk Safely to School note to school as soon as possible so we can ensure adequate supervision is provided at the the three key meeting places. Each group will commence walking at 8.40am. A staff member will be present from 8.30am at each of the three starting locations. If you did not receive a note, please contact the office to arrange for another to be sent home.



PERSONAL LEARNING PATHWAY MEETING

Over the next 3 weeks, parents will be invited to a meeting with their child and their child's teacher to develop the child's Personal Learning Pathway (PLP) plan. A PLP is a requirement for all students who identify as Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander.



What have our classes been up to this week?

K/1 PURPLE – Miss Lenton

It's great to see so many parents accessing Seesaw and 'liking' the pictures. We will start using the app to share more student work from this week on (once we get used to doing it independently). We have our assembly item this Friday and we would love you all to be there. The Deadly Australians show is also on this Friday after recess.

YOU'VE GOT THE CUTEST LITTLE BABY FACE... so can you please send in a copy of a baby photo of your child before Thursday this week for our history lesson.



1/2 YELLOW – Miss Clendinning

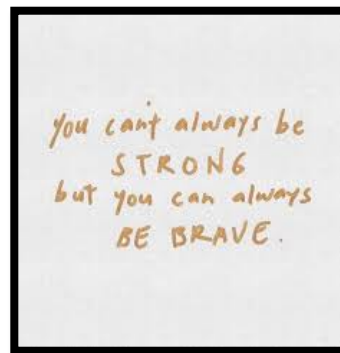
Thank you to the parents who have connected to our class on Seesaw. At the risk of sounding like a broken record, I highly encourage all parents to get connected. You will see snippets of your child's whole class learning, some individual work samples, as well as copies of notes that go home before they go missing in school bags, and reminders for due dates and other important information. You will also be able to message me on the App if you have a question regarding homework or another issue.

Homework commenced last week. Our library day has remained the same this term (Tuesday), so please check with your child if they have library books that need to be read and then returned.



Thank you to everyone that has made their second payment for the Stage 2 excursion – if you haven't already, please do so ASAP to keep your place.

We have been learning about bravery in library lessons and what bravery looks, feels and sounds like. We are exploring how too little bravery creates shyness and too much bravery can make us reckless. It's all about balance and



everyone's idea of bravery may look a little different.

NAPLAN tests are underway this week so please keep in mind that students need healthy snacks in their lunch boxes and early nights so they are well rested and fuelled up for a busy week.



Skylah and Emelia did not enjoy the molasses during the taste test at the Jack Johnson Memorial Day excursion.

Two seconds after this snapshot you could see them disposing of their tasting sticks with haste!

3/4 Black – Mrs McTaggart

Joke of the week: What did the left eye say to the right eye?
Between us, something smells!

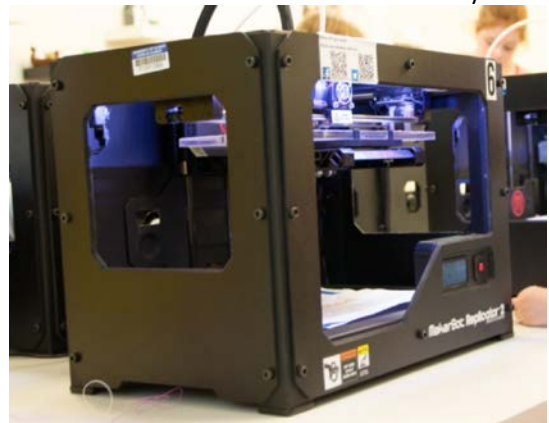


I hope everyone had a lovely Mother's Day celebrating the important ladies in their lives.

3/4 Black really enjoyed the Hockey Clinic last Wednesday and students started to show some real skill by the end of the day.

5/6 Magenta – Mrs Pennell

We have been busily learning about 3D printing during technology sessions. We are enjoying using the Tinkercad website to create designs to 'print' on the Bilby printer we have borrowed from the Stemshare Community.



3D printing – bringing ideas to life.

A reminder to parents that the Canberra excursion will be upon us in no time. Permission notes, medical notes, itinerary and equipment lists will be sent home this week, along with your individual payment updates.

P&C NEWS

Thank You

Thank you to all the parents that came along to our Mother's Day breakfast last week. We hope that all those special mums, nans, aunts and special ladies had a wonderful day on Sunday.

Thank you to all the parents and staff that helped us out, we couldn't do it without you.

As a few we can achieve some things but as a team we can achieve many things!

Mother's Day Raffle

Congratulations to all our winners. We raised \$925.60 which goes towards the Term 2 Rewards Day for the whole school to enjoy.

1st - Tanya Hines
2nd - Steph Lewis
3rd - Tammy Neely
4th - Burtons
5th - Barry Mohr
6th - W. Manuka
7th - Kareen Johnston

Canteen

New menu is effective from today. There will be slight changes over the next 2 terms to the menu as we continue to comply with all the new rules and regulations for school canteens.

Our canteen is open every Wednesday for snack items only i.e. ice-blocks, chips, drinks, etc.

Canteen Roster

Friday 17/5

Michelle Phillips
Amie Riley

Monday 20/5

Kareen Johnston
Brogan King

-Meal Deal Day-

Our Term 2 meal deal day is being held next **Thursday 23rd May**. Our forms have gone home with today's newsletter, each child should receive one. Please return the order form to the office by next Monday. The drink is a new item we are adding to our canteen menu.

Thanks to Bec & Carly for organising this for our students. If anyone else can help out please let us know.

NEXT P&C MEETING

Our monthly meeting is on this Wednesday 15th at 6pm in the library. The P&C does many wonderful things throughout the year to better our children's school experiences and It would be good to see some new faces come along to find out how they can get involved, all community members are welcome.



APS have registered for the Woolworths Earn & Learn program again which will run from 1st May to 25th June. Stickers are received for every \$10 you spend at Woolworths stores during the promotion. These stickers can be put into the box allocated to our school at both Scone and Muswellbrook Woolworths stores or can be sent into school.

Thank you for your support.

**Earn & Learn
is back**



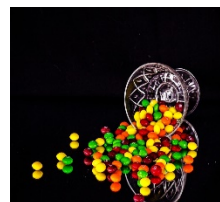
Going Mauve for Marnie

This Friday Chloe in Year 6, along with members of her family, will be dying their hair mauve to raise funds to support the Cancer Council "Do It for Cancer" campaign.



In 2017, Chloe lost her grandmother, Marnie to cancer. Mauve was Marnie's favourite colour so this is a personal tribute to Chloe's grandmother. Chloe's aunt will be apply the colour to Chloe's hair during recess so everyone can watch. At the end of recess, Chloe is hoping to reveal her mauve locks for all to see.

Starting tomorrow, Chloe will be holding two 'Lolly Jar' guessing competitions costing 50 cents a guess per jar. Also for sale this week are hair scrunchies for \$3.00.



To sponsor Chloe, please go to the website: doitforcancer.com.au and search for Chloe Cox.



SUPPORT FOR FAMILIES AND YOUNG PEOPLE

If you are experiencing difficulties with relationships, family and friends, or have school/career questions book a free consultation with an Upper Hunter Shire Youth Services Counsellor.

All services are free and confidential. Assistance with accessing specialist services is provided.

SPEAK TO US NOW. Call Mary on 0439 090 891 or email youthservices@upperhunter.nsw.gov.au

Visit the Council website to find out more
email: youthservices@upperhunter.nsw.gov.au
Find your nearest youth centre on Facebook



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Bedwetting

For a fact sheet on all the causes of bedwetting and an outline of the treatment options available to cure the condition please see the Bedwetting Institute® website or text: DRY to 0417 280 373 to have the fact sheet sent direct to your phone.

www.bedwettinginstitute.com.au

SCONE FILMS

7.30pm Friday 17th April. Scone Films will be screening the inspiring drama, *On The Basis Of Sex*, rated M. US Supreme Court Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg, has had an extraordinary life. Now a revered icon and role model, she is a revolutionary civil rights crusader and a brilliant original thinker. As a struggling attorney and new mother, Ginsburg faced adversity and numerous obstacles in her fight for equal rights. She took on a ground breaking case that the law discriminates on the basis of gender.

Ruth Bader Ginsburg, was later appointed Associate Justice of the U.S. Supreme Court in 1993. She is the second female justice of four to be confirmed to the court, a position she holds to this day. See where her story began in this stirring, heartfelt drama.

On The Basis Of Sex will screen at, at the pop-up cinema at the corner of Oxford Road and Cooper Street, Scone. Tickets are \$12. To be sure of a ticket, purchase in advance from our website or at Hunt a Book, Scone. Running time is 2 hours. Everyone is welcome. Doors open 7pm. Tea & Coffee available. For insurance, Under 18s must be accompanied by a parent or adult guardian. Buy tickets www.sconefilms.org.au/film-info Like us and share www.facebook.com/sconefilms

GUNDY TENNIS CLUB MARKET DAY &



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BOOT

SALE



Sunday 23rd June 2019

At the Gundy Recreation Grounds – Camp Street Gundy NSW

9am – 1pm

Only \$20 per site – RSVP Friday 7th June

Markets stalls and car boot sites welcome

Email Tracy to book a site – gundytennisclub@hotmail.com

Tracy 0410 496 696 or Rachel 0409 075 188

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/gundytennisclub/>

Please help us support our local environment by recycling, reusing and taking your waste home with you.

Gundy Tennis & Social Club is part of Gundy Crown Reserves Trust



Nutrition Snippet

The simplest way

... to make veggies easy to eat.

Eating 5 serves of vegetables and 2 serves of fruit each day doesn't need to be a chore. It's easy to reach these targets if you **spread your fruit and veg out throughout the day.**



Breakfast: Start your veggie intake in the morning with avocado or baked beans or tomato on toast

Morning tea: try some [zucchini slice](#) or wholegrain crackers and hummus.

Lunch: Include some salad with lunch. Try our tasty [salad recipes](#).

Afternoon tea: have your favorite piece of fruit.

Dinner: Try our delicious veggie filled [recipes](#).

Dessert: Berries and yoghurt or [healthy apple crumble](#).

healthylunchbox.com.au

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Open Monday and Friday Recess and Lunch
Open Wednesday 1.00pm for snacks only

ABERDEEN PUBLIC SCHOOL CANTENEN MENU 2019

Starting 17th May 2019

Snacks

Air popped popcorn	\$0.50
Plain Pikelets (3)	\$1.00
Pikelets with honey and banana (3)	\$1.00
Muffin (Banana or Blueberry)	\$2.00
Chips	\$1.50
Piece of seasonal fruit	\$0.50
(Red and Green Apple, Banana, Watermelon, Orange,)	
Anzac Biscuit	\$1.00
Jatz (4) with cheese	\$2.00
Natural Jelly Cups (Lime or Strawberry)	\$1.00
Fruit Salad Cup (Seasonal layered fruit and yoghurt cup)	\$1.50
Frozen Pineapple Ring	\$0.30
Frozen Watermelon Wedge	\$0.30
Frozen Orange Wedge	\$0.20
Custard Squeeze (Vanilla)	\$1.20
Yoghurt Squeeze (Blueberry, Strawberry, Vanilla or Fruit Salad)	\$1.20

Sandwiches/Wraps/Salad

Gluten Free Bread/Wraps Available. Toasted at no charge.

Garden Salad	\$3.00
Chicken/Ham	\$2.50
Chicken/Ham & Cheese	\$2.50
Chicken/Ham, Cheese & Tomato	\$2.50
Chicken/Ham, Cheese & Salad	\$4.00
(Lettuce, beetroot, tomato, cucumber, carrot, red onion and mayo).	
Vegemite/Strawberry Jam/Honey	\$1.50
Scrolls	\$1.50
Cheese and Vegemite	
Cheese	
Ham and Cheese	

Limited hot food is available to purchase at lunch time so we encourage you to place a lunch order. Please write lunch orders on a paper lunch bag including your child's name and class. All orders are to be placed into the yellow box in front of the canteen before 9am.



Hot Food

Chicken Crackles	3 pack	\$2.00
	6 pack	\$4.00
	10 pack	\$6.00
Spinach & Feta Triangle		\$1.00
Mini Vegetable Spring Rolls (2)		\$0.50
Lean Beef Pie Large		\$3.50
Lean Sausage Roll		\$2.50
Flame Grilled Chicken Burger (lettuce, cheese and mayo)		\$4.00
Enrico Beef Bolognese		\$4.00
Enrico Lasagna		\$4.00
Quiche Works (egg, bacon, tomato, onion, mushroom, cheese)		\$4.00
Quiche (bacon, cheese, egg)		\$4.00
Homemade Pizzas on a whole white muffins		\$3.50
(Hawaiian – ham, cheese, pineapple, tomato paste)		
(Vegetarian – tomato, onion, pineapple, baby spinach, feta, mushroom)		
Chicken and gravy roll		\$4.00
Fish Fingers (2)		\$1.00
Corn Cob		\$0.50
Garlic Bread		\$1.50
BBQ Sauce Sachet		\$0.30
Tomato Sauce Sachet		\$0.30
Sweet Chilli Sauce		\$0.30

Drinks / Ice Blocks

Water 600ml	\$1.00
Flavoured Milk 250ml (Strawberry or Chocolate)	\$2.50
Fresh Smoothies (Strawberry, Blueberry, Mango, Banana)	\$4.00
Warm Milo	\$1.00
Popper (Orange or Apple)	\$1.50
Chill J (Blackcurrant, Raspberry, Watermelon, Orange & Passion, Grape)	\$2.50
Berri Quelch Stick	
Mini Calippo	\$0.50
Ice Mony	\$1.20
Bulla Frozen Yoghurt	\$1.00
	\$2.20