



# ABERDEEN PUBLIC SCHOOL

## NEWSLETTER

30<sup>th</sup> June 2020, Week 10 Term 2

Website <http://aberdeen-p.schools.nsw.gov.au>

### FORTHCOMING DATES

#### July

Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Beanies for Brain Cancer (gold coin donation)
Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Fairy Tale Ball K -2 <b>Last day of Term 2</b>
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup>	<b>Students return for Term 3</b>

Well, what can you say about this semester? At the very least, it has been one that has challenged us all. Teachers, students, support staff and parents have had to negotiate a very different learning environment than we are used to. Our whole school community needs to give itself a pat on the back for championing this new experience with resilience, perseverance and integrity.

Thank you to Amie and our hard working P&C for their efforts to re-establish the school canteen this term. The variety in menu options has the students and staff excited. Amie is doing a wonderful job keeping up with the orders.

On our return to Term 3, we will be continuing to focus on displaying respectful behaviour as a part of Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL). The way that we speak can significantly impact upon our relationships with others.

**BUS TRAVEL:** A reminder to students that on your return to school, appropriate behaviour when travelling via the bus is important. Please use your best 'bus manners' during each trip.



Any child with cold or flu symptoms (cough, sore/scratchy throat, runny nose or shortness of breath), even if they have had a negative test to COVID-19, needs to remain at home. If they come to school with any of these symptoms you will be called and asked to collect them.

We realise that having to keep your child at home may be inconvenient, however it is the current advice from DoE and is in place to protect our students, staff and community.



**BRONZE BAR** Ciannah S.

### EXCELLENCE AWARDS

<b>K/1 RED</b>	Lochlan J. – consistent improvement in writing simple sentences.
<b>2 BLUE</b>	Kenzie H. - always demonstrating excellent citizenship.
<b>3/4 BLACK</b>	Bridie S. – diligently responding to and applying feedback to improve her writing.
<b>5/6 GREEN</b>	Emily M. – displaying an impressive work ethic during all learning activities.

### MERIT AWARDS

<b>K PURPLE</b>	Kierah C.
<b>K/1 RED</b>	Louis L.
<b>1/2 LIME</b>	Leyon W.
<b>1/2 YELLOW</b>	Trae K.
<b>2 BLUE</b>	Nixon U.
<b>3/4 BLACK</b>	Sam M.
<b>3/4 ORANGE</b>	Eliza S.
<b>5/6 GREEN</b>	Jack D.
<b>5/6 MAGENTA</b>	Mitchell G.



### PBL AWARDS

<b>K PURPLE</b>	Beau M.	Personal Best
<b>K/1 RED</b>	Noah H.	Personal Best
<b>1/2 LIME</b>	Boston H.	Responsibility
<b>1/2 YELLOW</b>	Lawson A.	Personal Best
<b>2 BLUE</b>	Sonny D.	Respect
<b>3/4 BLACK</b>	Dean M.	Respect
<b>3/4 ORANGE</b>	Thomas R.	Personal Best
<b>5/6 GREEN</b>	Gabriella P.	Responsibility
<b>5/6 MAGENTA</b>	Chloe W.	Respect



### BEANIES FOR BRAIN CANCER

Raise awareness for this awful disease by wearing your favourite beanie on **Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> July (Week 10)**. Your beanie can be crazy, colourful or only plain. If you want to wear a beanie and support brain cancer research, bring in a **gold coin donation**. This gold coin donation will be sent to the Mark Hughes Foundation to raise money for Brain Cancer.



### CANTEEN NEWS

The canteen is open on Monday and Friday for lunch orders and every day for recess.

**Does your child have a birthday coming up?  
The canteen can help!**

If you would like to order cupcakes for your child's birthday and have them delivered to the classroom, please contact Amie on 0474 898 118. Please allow at least 48 hours notice.

### LABELS

Please ensure your child's clothing is labelled with their name. If you have been given uniform items from another family, please make sure you re-label the items with your child's name so we can ensure belongings are returned. This advice extends to drink bottles, lunch boxes, library bags and any other items that are regularly removed from school bags.

### 2021 KINDERGARTEN ENROLMENT

If you or someone you know has a child starting kindergarten in 2021, please contact the school to request an enrolment form. We look forward to meeting you and your child.

**Don't forget** to turn on notifications on your phone to receive **instant alerts** from us via the **Skool Loop App**.



Simple free download: In Google Play or App Store search "Skool Loop" & choose our school once installed



### ABERDEEN PUBLIC SCHOOL 2021 KINDERGARTEN ENROLMENTS



Kindergarten enrolments are now being taken by Aberdeen Public School for 2021. If your child will be five by 31<sup>st</sup> July 2021 and you wish to enrol at Aberdeen Public School, please return the slip below or contact the office on 6543 7271.

#### Kindergarten Enrolment 2021:

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents' Names: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone No: \_\_\_\_\_

Siblings already at APS: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Pre-school (if attending one): \_\_\_\_\_







## SCHOOL HOLIDAY ART WORKSHOP



Upper Hunter Youth Council Presents

## CREATURE CREATION WORKSHOPS

What fantastical creature will you create with recycled materials?

Work with prominent Hunter Region artist Ken O'Regan to construct creatures from mythology, literature and science fiction from recycled materials. Completed artworks will be exhibited at the Council Administration building the following week.

Ken O'Regan has created many successful workshops for children which combine art education with waste reduction and recycling messages.

### \$15 per workshop

For ages 10-17. Numbers are limited to 15 people a day. Lunch included. BYO water bottle. A bus will pick up from Merriwa Youth Centre on Tuesday at 8am and return at 4pm and Murrumbidgee Youth Centre on Wednesday at 8am and return at 4pm.

Scone Youth Centre: 105 Susan St, Scone  
www.upperhunter.nsw.gov.au  
facebook.com/sconejuvencentre

Tuesday, 14 July or  
Wednesday, 15 July 2020  
9am - 3pm @ Scone Youth Centre

### BOOK NOW - LIMITED SPOTS!

Download a booking form from [www.upperhunter.nsw.gov.au](http://www.upperhunter.nsw.gov.au) or pick one up from your nearest Upper Hunter Shire Council office, library or youth centre during business hours.

Return your completed form in person or via email by Wednesday, 8 July 2020.

[youthevents@upperhunter.nsw.gov.au](mailto:youthevents@upperhunter.nsw.gov.au)

Got a question?

Call Andrew Murray on 0428 071 208 or email [amurray@upperhunter.nsw.gov.au](mailto:amurray@upperhunter.nsw.gov.au) or ask us on facebook.com/sconejuvencentre. Workshop confirmation and details will be emailed to all fully booked students.

Registration from 9am. Viewing of works from 3pm.



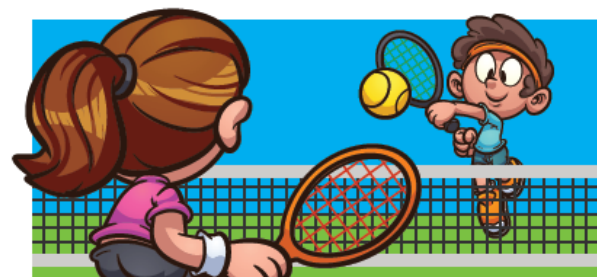
## Want to play Rugby League?

### Join the Aberdeen Tigers

Price \$100 includes shorts, socks & polo shirt (Active kids vouchers accepted)

ONLINE REGISTRATIONS ARE OPEN

Head to [www.playrugbyleague.com](http://www.playrugbyleague.com) to register



## After School TENNIS COACHING

with Chris Herden - Tennis Australia Club Professional

For ages 4-16. During school term at Aberdeen Tennis Courts. School holiday camps also available.

### Perceptual Motor Program (4-5 yrs)

An introduction to basic tennis techniques to develop and improve perceptual motor skills in a fun, play based way.

### Tennis Australia ANZ Hot Shots (5-11yrs)

Hot Shot red, orange and green balls offer players a progressive pathway through stroke production, court positioning and tactics. Teaching the framework of key skills "first" allows more intricate skills to fall into place. Match play available.

### Leader System

The Leader System program covers a wide range of basic personal development disciplines from sportsmanship, self-esteem and decision making to nutrition.

All levels of high school programs and competition squads also available

Call Chris on 0400 331 553 for details and bookings



### July School holiday tennis camps Scone Tennis Club

A fantastic tennis camp experience for kids aged 4-14 yrs of all standards. Try tennis for the first time, or improve your game while having heaps of holiday fun with school buddies and new friends.



Tennis Australia's ANZ Hot Shots Development Program. Children will be put into groups depending on their age and tennis ability using the ANZ Hot Shots grading system Blue 3-4 yrs, Red 5-8 yrs, Orange 8-10 yrs, Green 9+, Yellow-12 yrs up.

- Camp consists of a mixture of cross training using other sports for tennis related activities (cricket, soccer, t-ball) helping children to further develop their hand-eye co-ordination. Tennis is still the main focus and includes stroke development, drills, point and game play.
- Dates:** Camp 1 - July 8,9,10 Camp 2 - July 13,14,15
- Time:** 9-12noon
- Cost:** \$60 per week, \$20 per day. Prizes and competitions.
- Limited numbers-bookings essential.
- Conducted by Chris Herden - Tennis Australia Club Professional. 25 years international Australian coaching and playing experience.



Enquiries and bookings: 0400 331 553

# Respect Responsibility Personal Best



# PBL Core Expectations

