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2022 - TERM 4 WEEK 6

Our students gratefully attended the Remembrance Day service at Aberdeen RSL Club on Friday. It was an honour to receive an invitation to participate in this very important community event. Many thanks to Mrs Loveridge for liaising with Mr Doug McLeod, event co-ordinator, and to our staff who supervised classes.



STAFF CHANGES AND 2023 CLASSES UPDATE

This time of year is always extremely busy as we finalise student records and begin planning for the next school year. Thank you to those families who have advised that they will not be returning to APS in 2023. We wish you and your children all the best in your move.

As planning commences for the year ahead we are working through some changes in staff. Miss Dunn and Miss Woods have been offered employment in their home town, bringing to an end two years of travelling to Aberdeen. I'm sure they will appreciate the extra time in the mornings for a sleep-in. Both teachers have enriched our school with their positive energy, student-centred approach and eagerness to engage with our school community. I wish Miss Dunn and Miss Woods all the best as they commence 2023 in their new schools, Miss Dunn at King Street Public School and Miss Woods at Singleton Public School. I know they will be a great asset to their respective schools. We are still determining the organisation of classes for next year. If you wish to discuss with Mrs Kerrigan, special circumstances for consideration with your child's placement in 2023, you will need to arrange an appointment before the end of next week (Week 7). This is an information only meeting and there is no certainty that requests can be accommodated.



INTENSIVE SWIMMING


If you returned an expression of interest note but have changed your mind, can you please notify the office as we have a waiting list, otherwise permission notes and money are due to the front office on 18th November by 9am.

School News

1 Yellow have been learning about local dreaming stories and locating them on a large map of the area. Last week students looked at Baiame Cave and the techniques used to create its paintings. Students then recreated the cave on the back wall of the hall to share with the community.



If your child will not be returning to APS in 2023 can you please advise the office ASAP.



**PLEASE
KEEP ME
HOME IF..**

I have an eye infection.

Redness, itching and / or 'crusty' drainage from the eye.

May return after evaluation by a doctor and have a note to return to school.

Please Support Ciennah and her Crazy Hair Day!

CIENNAH'S ANNUAL
CRAZY HAIR DAY AT APS
FRIDAY
NOVEMBER 18

Spike it! Colour it!, Twist it!, Tease it!, Braid it!, Slick It!

Ciennah is hosting a 'Crazy Hair' Day to support her annual gift drive for the residents of Strathern Village.

To get involved, do your hair in a crazy style and bring an item from the list to donate to this great initiative.

Donation list:
male and female deodorant, body wash

Get stylin' for chance to win a prize for the craziest hair in your class.



Reminder that Crazy Hair day is this Friday.
Ciennah has prizes for the craziest hair in each class.

Donations of male or female spray deodorant, roll-on deodorant or shower gel. Any brand of these products will be much appreciated.

Donation box is outside the office door.

Ciennah's goal is to give all residents at Strathearn House & Village a Christmas gift. Approximately 100 residents.

Each resident will receive a gift bag containing a bundle of things and each cottage box will be given a mixed box of goods with card games, puzzle books, lollies, Christmas hats/headbands plus more.

Let's celebrate!



CONGRATULATIONS to our Award Recipients

EXCELLENCE AWARDS

Ben R. - using paragraphs to organise ideas when writing.

Assembly starts at 2pm.

Please do not sign your child out early after 2.40pm unless it is pre-arranged with the office. Unplanned early leave causes significant issues with our home time routines.

PBL AWARDS

K LIME	Darcy C.	Personal Best
1 YELLOW	Oliver R.	Personal Best
2 PURPLE	Jacob W.	Personal Best
2 RED	Alyssa H.	Responsibility
3/4 BLACK	Rogue R.	Personal Best
3/4 ORANGE	Charnce W.	Personal Best
5 GREEN	Sophia H.	Personal Best
6 MAGENTA	Lacie A.	Personal Best

MERIT AWARDS

K LIME	Lilly M.
1 YELLOW	Ethan L.
2 PURPLE	Charlie M.
2 RED	Ryder R.
3/4 BLACK	Emelia J.
3/4 ORANGE	Jett P.
5 GREEN	Oliana L.
6 MAGENTA	Kyeesha W.

Important Dates

Wednesday 16th November - Year 6 Mini Fete

Friday 18th November - Crazy Hair Day

-Intensive Swimming notes and payment due

Monday 21st November - P&C Meeting

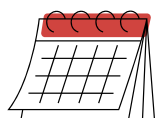
Friday 27th November - Year 6 Farewell notes and payment due

Thursday 1st December - P&C Disco

Tuesday 13th December - Presentation Day

Thursday 15th December - Year 6 Farewell

Friday 16th December - Last day of Term 4

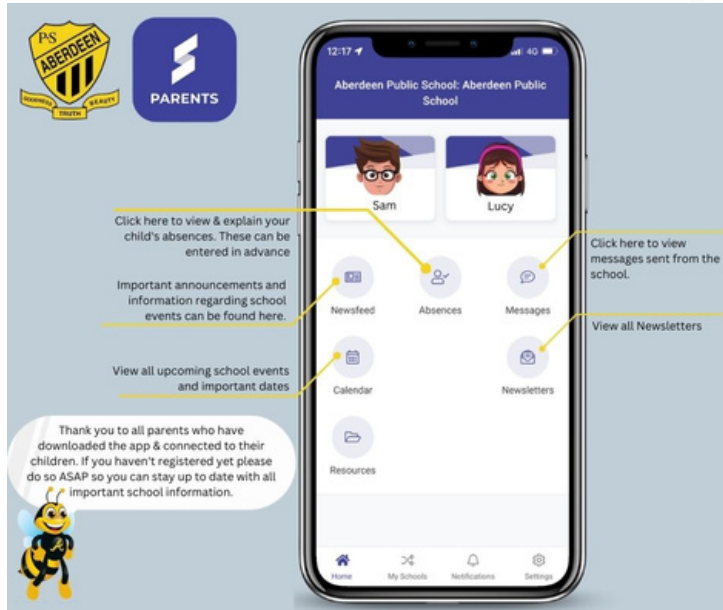


Calendar for Term 4



MONTH	WEEK	MONDAY	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
November	5	7	8	9	10	Remembrance Day 11am Busy Bees Graduation 11
November	6	14	15	Mini Fete 16	17	Intensive Swimming Money and Notes Due Crazy Hair Day 18
November	7	P & C Meeting 21	22	23	Captains Speeches 9.15am 24	25
November/ December	8	Intensive Swimming 28	Intensive Swimming SHS Orientation 29	Intensive Swimming 30	Intensive Swimming P & C Disco 1	Intensive Swimming 2
December	9	Intensive Swimming 5	Intensive Swimming 6	Intensive Swimming 7	Intensive Swimming 8	Intensive Swimming 9
December	10	12	Presentation Day 13	14	Year 6 Farewell 15	Last Day of School for Students 16

School Messages



P&C MEETING

Monday 21st November

6.00pm P&C Meeting in the school library. Everyone welcome.



📧 Contacting the School

Phone: 65 437 271

Email: aberdeen-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Seesaw: Direct message your child's class teacher.

P&C News



Monday 21st November

6.00pm P&C Meeting in the school library.
Everyone welcome.



Community Notices



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PHYSICAL CULTURE

JOIN US IN 2023

CLASSES NOW IN
MUSWELLBROOK

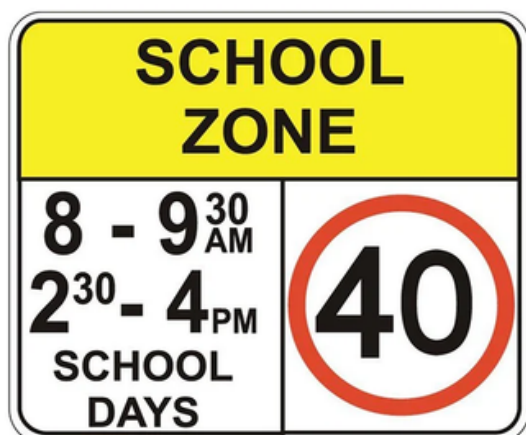


TINY TWINKLES & TWINKLE TOTS
For ages 18 months to 4 yrs.
30 minute classes focused on gross and fine motor skills, musicality, coordination and confidence building.
From \$50 per term

5 TO 12 YEARS
Dance classes for girls which includes yoga, strength, jazz, ballet, aerobics and flexibility. Suitable for all abilities.
From \$110 per term

STRETCH AND STRENGTH
Classes designed to help increase core strength, stamina and flexibility in all ages.
From \$60 per term

Email-towarrphysie@gmail.com Ph-0419 770 081



Please remember to slow down near our school to keep our children safe.

Nutrition Snippet

SILLY SEASON FUN

Get the kids to design their own festive season creation!



Have fun and get fruit and fibre into the day!

Our super easy [banana pikelet](#) recipe is perfect for the kids to get creative in the kitchen!



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Nutrition Snippet

FOOD SAFETY



As the weather warms up it is important to keep food cold, fresh and safe to eat.

Use a cooler bag and ice brick or frozen water bottle to keep the lunch box cold.

For more info and tips read our [food safety blog](#).

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