

Newsletter 2018

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Tuesday 4th December 2018

Still Crossing Fingers!!

Dates to Note:

<u>Mon 10th Dec</u>

Visit to Hillside P.S Pantomime

<u>Tues 11th Dec</u>

Presentation Evening 7pm

• Wed 12th Dec

Yr 6 Farewell/Disco

• <u>Fri 14th Dec</u>

Carols at Bendigo Bank 9:15 to 11 am

<u>Tues 18th Dec</u>

Putt-Putt

• Wed 19th Dec

Last day of school for students



<u>2019 Term 1</u>

• Wed 30th Jan 2019

Year 1 - Yr 6 Students return

• Thurs 31st Jan

Kindergarten students commence Pedestrian Crossing: Still in consultation with RMS! Have you done your bit???

Hillside Pantomime: We have been invited by Hillside PS to attend a dress rehearsal of their bi-annual pantomime performance. This will be on Monday 10th December. We are asking for parent assistance with travel to and from Hillside for this event. Please return your permission notes as soon as possible so we can organise transport.

Presentation Evening: Please remember Presentation Evening this Tuesday coming, 11th December commencing at 7:00pm. It is a night for all of our students and families where we recognise the many achievements at this beautiful school. The night usually concludes at around 9:00pm.

Our students will be performing a play for you on this night. Thank you for your assistance with costumes.

Yr 6 Farewell and End of year Disco: This will be held on the afternoon after presentation night, Wednesday 12th December. It is a night for the whole school to farewell Yr 6 and to celebrate the end of another year together. Our P&C provides a lovely dinner for all students before we dance the night away in the senior classroom. The night is run by our P&C and supervised by teaching staff. Dinner commencing at 5:30, Disco at 6:30. The night concludes at 7:30. Teachers will be supervising on the night.

Bendigo Bank Carols: Our annual performance at Galston shops will be on Friday 14th December commencing 9:30. We ask that parents drop off their children at 9:15 at Galston Shops. We will meet at the grassy area near the Local collective and Bendigo Bank. We hope parents will stay to watch. Children will be performing until 10:30, after which we have a treat provided by Bendigo Bank– Hot chips and a popper. Children then will then travel back with parents to school (approximately 11:00am). Anyone needing assistance with this please let us know.

Please remember, as mentioned at last week's assembly and the notes that have already been sent home, that we are required to have an Appendix 5 Declaration and 100 point identification and also to sight your drivers' licence and registration details of the car you are driving before assisting us with travel. Thank you to those who have already done this.

PUTT-PUTT: As an end of year fun activity, we have organised a day at our local Putt-Putt. A lovely walk to and from the venue, along with 2 rounds of mini-golf all washed down with a nice ice-cream treat....all for just \$10 per child. This event will be held on Tuesday 18th December for all students.

P&C AGM: The Annual General Meeting was very effective and next year's roles and positions have been filled. President –Torie Cannon, Vic President –Jaclyn Merlino, Secretary—Richelle Geelan, Treasurer—Allison Watkins, Publicity/Promotions—Dane Maurer, Canteen—Kathleen Hall, Fundraising—Deidre Grofski. Looking forward to another great year and support from our wonderful P & C. Thank you for all your hardwork this year.

P&C Dinner: A wonderful chance to catch up in a leisurely fashion. Thank you to the P & C for organising this year's dinner. A nice opportunity to get to know and converse with parents and not talk about school!

Our School Day:

The morning bell rings at **9:00am**, giving students time to prepare and assemble for a **9:05** start in the classroom.

Recess commences at **11:05am** and concludes at **11:30am**.

Lunch is from **1:05pm** to **1:55pm**.The school day concludes at **3:05pm**.



Don't forget our P&C

Presentation Raffle

Please consider visiting your local businesses to support our school

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welcome



P&C Meeting (Date to be advised for 2019)

in the school library.

We would love you to join us to help keep this school the amazing place it is and to ensure your children gain the benefits that previous years have been able to experience through the many efforts of P&C participation and guidance.

Why not come along to be a voice to be heard. Share your thoughts. Maybe offer some assistance in some small way. We would really enjoy your company.

Presentation Night Tuesday 11th December, 2018 7pm Senior Classroom All Welcome



Anything is possible when you have the right people there to support you

-Misty Copeland

An important reminder to parents that if you have <u>any concerns</u> at all regarding your child, their work or an issue with another child in the school, we ask that you please speak to the <u>class</u> <u>teacher</u> to clarify the situation. Sometimes things are <u>not quite as they seem</u>.

Do remember that in a small school, teachers are extremely busy, covering anything from 3 to 4 duties a day as well as preparation and marking. It may be, therefore, better to make an appointment to ensure satisfaction all round.

> Ann Mills Principal Middle Dural PS