



# Newsletter 2019

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## Rest & Recharge

### Dates to Note:

- Wed 3rd July

Parent/Teacher Interviews

- Fri 5th July

Last day of term 2



- Mon 22nd July

**Staff Development Day  
(NO STUDENTS PLEASE)**

- Tue 23rd July

**Students return K-6**

- Fri 26th July

Design Tasks due

PSSA Sport Yr 3 to 6

- Wed 31st July

Wizard of Oz @ GHS

- Fri 2nd August

Athletics Carnival

- Thurs 8th August

Book Fair 1:30pm

Assembly 2:05 pm

- Mon 12th August

Koala Incursion

- Wed 14th August

Zone Athletics –Field

- Mon 19th August

Learning to Lead Yr 5 & 6

**80's Day:** Our Yr 6 students raised close to \$60 on this fun day. Thankyou all those who participated. We did have a fun day dressing up, singing and dancing to music from the eighties; looking at books and TV shows that were popular with kids in the 80's; colouring pictures from popular 80's cartoon characters. Even the Ukulele groups got on board as Allison located an 80's song for our students to sing and strum along to. Thanks Allison.

**Parent/Teacher Interviews:** These will be held for parents of both classes this Wednesday. Mrs McLennan will be conducting interviews in the school library and mine will be in my office. Please check in at the front office so that Mrs Moss can check you off. Please ensure you have arranged an appointment if you wish to further discuss your child's progress.

**Staff Development Day:** The first day of next term is Monday 22nd July. This day is set aside as a Staff Development Day and as such students will not commence until the following day (Tuesday 23rd July). Teachers will be working together on Scope and Sequences across the school and ensuring all NESA requirements are being met.

**Wizard of Oz:** On Wednesday 31st July we will be attending Galston High's performance of "The Wizard of Oz". Please remember that on this day we are asking our parents to assist us by dropping your children at the park opposite Galston High School at 9 am, where teachers will be there to meet you. We will spend a short time in the park before crossing the road at the lights to reach Galston High. Students will be able to return to school on the community bus. Money is being collected for this now.

**Athletics Carnival:** On Friday 2nd August we have our Athletics Carnival. We hope to have parents there to cheer their children on. We ask students to meet us at Annangrove Park at 9:15 ready for a 9:30 march past. The day is expected to conclude at around 2pm. Annangrove PS will be organising this event and their P&C running the Sausage Sizzle lunches and drinks.

**Science Design Tasks:** These were handed out last week and are due for return in the first week of next term. Please remind your children to check their experiments and ensure all information is clearly presented and marked with their name. Students will be presenting these to their peers and will be able to present to our parents during Education Week (Week 3 of next term).

**Education Week:** Week 3 of next term is Education Week. We will be having an Education Week assembly on Thursday 8th August. We are having a Book Fair in the library commencing at 1:30pm where you will be able to purchase some books for your children and/or donate to our school library. The assembly will then be held in the Yrs 3-6 classroom commencing at 2:05pm.

**Koala Incursion:** On Monday 12th August a teacher from Brewongle Field



### Days to note:

Mondays = Library, Canteen

Tuesday = PE (sports uniform)

Wednesdays = Scripture

Thursdays = Assembly every 2nd week

Friday = Sports day



# Small Schools' Combined Athletics Carnival

Fri 2nd August 2019

Annangrove Park



Corner of Currie Ave and  
Annangrove Rd



**Phone:** 02 96539966

**Address:**

774 Old Northern Rd,  
Middle Dural  
NSW 2158

- OSHC - BSC/ASC - booking at the beginning of the term
  - Before School Care \$25.00 – per child/Session
  - After School Care \$27.00 – per child/Session
- OSHC - BSC/ASC - Casual
  - Before School Care \$33.00 – per child/Session
  - After School Care \$35.00 – per child/Session

Our P&C will be meeting on

**Tuesday 13th August at 7:00pm**

in the school library.

These meetings are short, fun and best of all .....

**PRODUCTIVE!!!**

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.

We have found that enormous tasks have fallen on but a few. It's time we all shared the load a little.

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.



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GEORGE LORIMER



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

Do remember that in a small school, teachers are extremely busy, covering anything from 2 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*