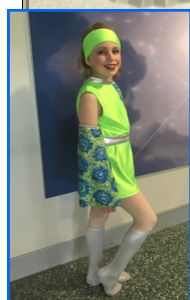


# Springboard

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Term 4 - Week 8

Thursday 1 December 2016



Izzy B from Year 5 has recently had an exhausting schedule of dance at the School Spectacular in Sydney. In one of their performances they beat the Guinness World Record for most on stage. You can watch the this School Spectacular on Channel 7, this Saturday 3 December.

*Well done!*

## Dates to Remember

Friday 2 December	Red Ball Tennis Parent session and last Kinder <i>Stepping Stones</i> transition day 1.30-3pm
Monday 5 December	<b>Out of Uniform Day</b> Last day for Breakfast Club
Tuesday 6 December	Presentation Day 9.15am & P&C Christmas Hamper Raffle draw
Wednesday 7 December	Year 6 Farwell 6.15—8.15pm (Neat casual dress)
Thursday 8 December	Student Reports go home
Friday 9 December	Last days for PSSA & Red Ball Tennis
Monday 12 December	PBL Gold Morning Tea with the Principal 10.40am.
Tuesday 13 December	Women's Cricket 'Big Bash' Primary only 9.30am -1pm
Thursday 15 December	Springdale's Got Talent at 11.30am NO ASSEMBLY
Friday 16 December	Annual Pool Party at Albury Swim Centre <b>LAST DAY OF TERM</b>

### From the Principal

The year is almost at an end and as this is the last newsletter for the year and we would like to wrap up with a few recaps.

Our biggest events this year have been the School concert (*Sleepless in Springdale*), opening of the Breakfast Club and the Premiers office visit.

Major excursions offered were Matilda, Canberra and Wymah all of which students loved and enjoyed the experiences. Educational visits included, Science, Environmental and Religious performances. Students participated in Paul Kelly Cup, NRL Mortimer Shield, Gymnastics, Lions Club Public Speaking, Durakar events and Intensive Swimming, to name a few. It's been a good year for our students representing in PSSA Sport, Swimming, Cross Country, Athletics, Soccer, Touch and Dance. The PBL Behaviour Program is still giving great results in the classrooms and playground. Recipients of Gold awards have had a morning tea with the Principal and the next one is on Monday 12 December. All Platinum recipients have earned themselves free entry to the Pool Party on the last day of term.

With the ever-changing way education is being delivered, our team of dedicated teaching and support staff are always working towards keeping Springdale Heights PS up-to-date offering our highest possible level of education. Our staff have attended many training days to network, learn and improve their teaching skills and student outcomes. Much of this can only work with parental support and it is pleasing to see many of our families working with us towards giving the best opportunities for your children.

Our office staff have again been outstanding with their dedication to the school and our General Assistant and Cleaners have been united with their commitment to keeping the school looking clean and tidy. Many visitors and new families have often commented on the very pleasant presentation of our school.

Alison has been wonderful again this year in the school canteen with her dedication to supplying your children a menu of great food choices. Our P & C committee have worked tirelessly on many fundraisers throughout the year and have been able to offer support in needed areas of our school. They have had stalls, raffles, BBQ's, Meal Deals to name a few and the big event of the year was the Christmas in July which was very successful. We would like to thank our present and past committee from this year and remind parents that if you think you can spare some time to help—please speak to any of the ladies on the P & C.



**Monday 5 December**  
is OUT OF UNIFORM DAY.

So that all children can have their uniforms clean and ready for the Annual Presentation day — all children are asked to come to school in casual clothes on Monday 5 December.



In my red box I have my whole family. They like to jump out and play games with me. *Ollie B*

In my red box I have 102 vampires. My vampires are red and they jump out of the box. *Noah P*

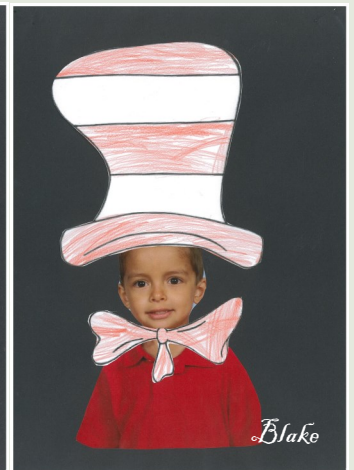
In my red box I have a rainbow ghost and she is nice and happy and she likes playing Pokemon. *Maddi C*

In my red box I have a Thing 3 and Thing 4 They are going to mess up my house and be naughty. *Kelsey S*



The Cat in the Hat keeps Thing 1 and Thing 2 in his big, red, wooden box.

If Kindergarten had a big, red, wooden box what would we want to keep in there?



In my red box I have a giant Devastator with a sword. The Devastator is nice to me. *Jack T*

In my red box I have Jack and he is juggling 3 balls in the sky. *Jack H*

In my red box I have 100 baby turtles that can juggle little balls. *Blake M*

**By Kindergarten**



In my red box I have a turtle that is juggling and he is blue.

*Jordan W*



In my red box I have a skylander called King. King is strong.

*Brock H*

- NO Slushies available at the canteen next week - 7, 8 & 9 December.

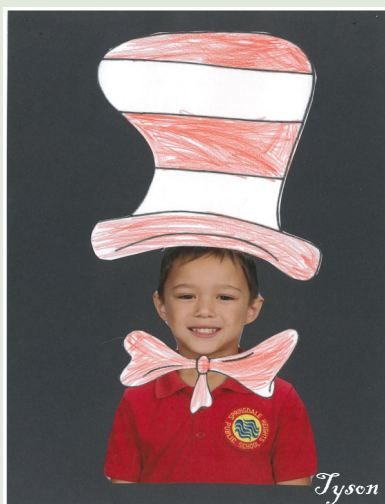




In my red box I have 3 balls and some burning fire that can jump out. *Ben G*

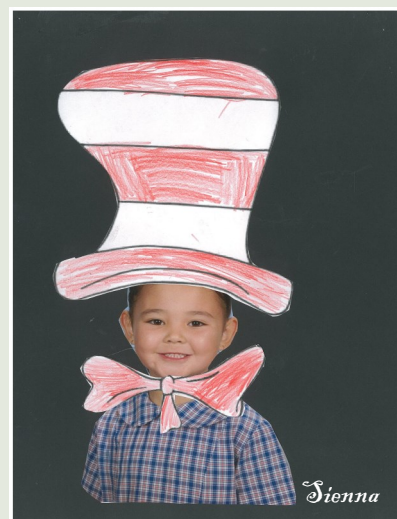
In my red box I have a new house that is blue. *Zeek B*

In my red box I have a short rainbow and I have lots of candy. It is purple and orange and it is yummy. *Sophia B*



In my red box I have 6 dogs and the 6 dogs are juggling 3 little dogs. *Tyson C*

In my red box I have a tree with apples on it. I have Thing 1 and Thing 2 in my red box and they are very naughty. *Sienna C*



In my red box I have a big tree that is green and brown. It has little leaves and big flowers. *Pixie H*

In my red box I have a rainbow elephant cat that has 2 big tails. *Rhys T-L*

In my red box I would keep my sister Isabelle and we would play games together. *Ruby W*

- The last canteen day for this year is Thursday 15 December.

# Congratulations....

## PBL Platinum Awards

**1/2**  
Mikayla W  
Charli C  
Allira T-L  
Rachel W

**3/4 D**  
Ciara S-W  
Keana B-W  
Ryan C

**5/6W**  
Royce S  
Jasmine S  
Mitchell S  
Justin M



Allira Charli



Mikayla Rachel



Charlotte Jayden



Ciara Ryan



Keana Jasmine



Royce Mitchell



We would like to congratulate our Platinum achievers for the year. These students have earned their FREE entry into the Pool Party.

Well done!



## PBL Silver Awards

**Year 2**  
Ashton B

**Year 5/6 C**  
Jai H-W  
Leyton S

## PBL Gold Awards

**Kinder**  
Sophia B  
Ollie B  
Maddi C  
Jack H  
Pixie H  
Jack T  
Rhys T-L

**K-1**  
Ella K  
Ryan McG  
Isabelle T  
Allysann M

**Year 1/2**  
Dean K  
Travis R

**Year 2**  
Tylah T-McM  
Maddex T  
Sam B  
Max T

**3/4 D**  
Connor W  
Ethan H  
Freya S  
Kane W  
Parker T  
Jack S  
Lizzy McC  
Will K  
Mhalykai F—H  
Marlee G-W  
Charlize K

**3/4 S**  
Mally K  
Molly M  
Rylan M  
Noah R  
Violet H  
Logan C  
Joshua S  
Rory W  
Joseph W  
Hudsynn J  
Mason T  
Pheobe G

**5/6C**  
Sean W

**5/6W**  
Zoe W  
Marissa I  
Kianah J  
Hayley M  
Cody W

## Class Awards

**Kinder**  
Brock H  
Ben G  
Zeek B  
Ruby W

**5/6 W**  
Zali C  
Jasmine S  
Marissa I  
Justin M  
James M  
Bill McW

**K/1**  
Allysann M  
Zac C  
Saria E-B  
Charlotte C

**1/2**  
Rachel W  
Jack T  
Abe M  
Travis R

**Year 2**  
Ashton B  
Maddex T  
Sam B  
Blair P

**3/4 D**  
Jack S  
Lizzy Mc-C  
Marlee G-W  
Charlize K  
Mhalykai F-H

**3/4 S**  
Mazzy H  
Noah R  
Hudsynn J  
Addyson E  
Blair D

**5/6 C**  
Shelby T  
Ethan W  
Arwen G  
Leyton S

**Library**  
**Kinder**  
Ollie B

**K-1**  
Saria E-B

**Year 1/2**  
Rachel W

**Year 2**  
Eli P

**3/4 D**  
Talyn C

**3/4 S**  
Pheobe G

**5/6C**  
Brianna I

**5/6W**  
James M

*Special congratulations to Sienna, Allira, Ziggy, Charlotte M, Addyson, Tiana and Rachael C on their excellent Library borrowing for Semester 2.*

## Sports Awards

**Kinder**  
Pixie H  
Jack T  
Rhys T-L  
Jordan W

**K/1**  
Saria E-B  
Michael F  
Ryan McG  
Zac C  
Angus C

**1/2**  
Jack T  
Dean K  
Leon C  
Mikayla W

**Year 2**  
Tylah T-McM  
Ellie W  
Ziggy H  
Patrick H

**Combined School sport & PSSA**

Molly M  
Ciara S-W  
Jack S  
Logan C  
Mhalykai F-H  
Maddy K  
Daria B  
Mackenzie F  
Brianna I  
Zali C  
Bill McW  
Marissa I

## Please Note !!!

### P & C Christmas Raffle

Please send in all tickets, money and hamper donations for the raffle to be drawn at the Presentation Day, Tuesday 6 December.

### Year 6 Leavers

We would like to wish our out-going Year 6 students all the best with their future years in High School and we hope you enjoy the path you choose to take in life.

### Last Day of Term

**Friday 16** December is the last day of school for this year.

### Student Banking

This week was the last week for student banking. It will resume again next year. We will be advised of the start date early Term 1, 2017.

## When you come back!!!

### Start Date for 2017

Years 1-6 start back on Monday 30 January 2017. 9am to 3pm.

### Kindergarten Start Date

**Best Start testing days** are Monday 30 January and Tuesday 31 January, 2017.

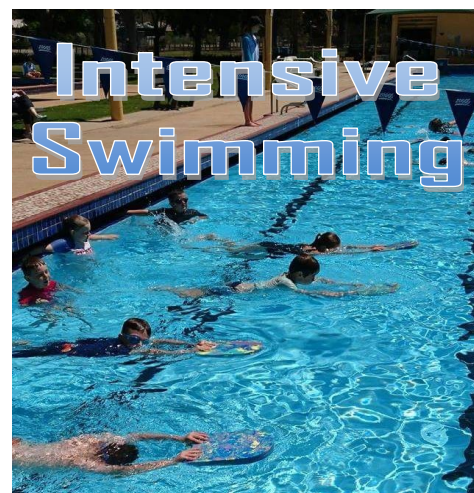
All new Kinder students will **start on** Wednesday 1 February, 2017. 9am—3pm.

### Book Packs Sales

The P & C ladies will be selling the book packs in the hall again. Parent volunteers will assist with the sale of book packs in the morning from 8.30 am to 9.30 am and again in the afternoon from 2.45 pm to 3.30 pm. Monday 30 January Tuesday 31 January & Wednesday 1 February.

### Hats & Hot Weather in Term 1

Please remember to pack plenty of water and wear your school hat each day.



Students in Years 2, 3 & 4 have been attending the Intensive Swimming lessons. Staff have been very pleased with their progress and behaviour at this program.