

Springboard

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Term 1 - Week 2

Thursday 8 February, 2018

WELCOME
to our
new
Families



NEW ARRIVALS

We would like to welcome Juz, Wendy, Mathew, Sienna, Ryan, Emily, Kye, Chanelle, Crystal, Phoebe, Mackenzie, Ruby, James, Dylan, Celeste and their families to our school. We trust you have settled well into the school and the wider school community.



School Swimming Carnival

Thursday 15 February

Lavington Swim Centre

Year's 1&2 10am to 12.30pm

Year's 3-6 10am to 2.30pm

*All permission notes are to be returned to the class teachers by
Wednesday 14 February.*

***There is NO COST to families as the school has subsidised the cost
of the bus and pool entry for this event.***

Kindergarten students will stay at school and
participate in 'Water Play Adventure' under the
COLA from 11.30am.

House Colours are

Red - Redbacks
Yellow - Yellowbellies
Blue - Bluetongues

Breakfast Club

Starts Monday 12 February

Monday and Tuesday

8.30—8.55am

In the school hall



Our School Breakfast Club is run
every Monday & Tuesday (non canteen days)
and provides students with a free, nutritious
breakfast in a relaxed social setting!

Toast, cereal, fruit, yoghurt and more...

*Thankyou to Foodshare
for your support!*

Student Representative Council

Semester 1, 2018

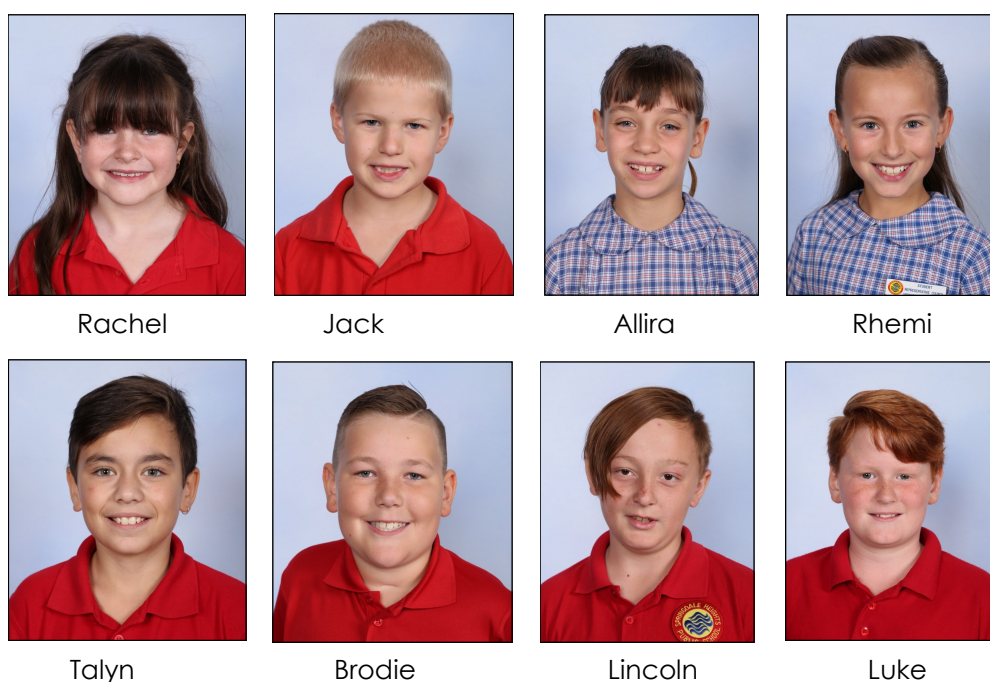


Together We learn

A special Induction Assembly was held today to induct our new Student Representative Council into their new roles as leaders of our school.



Student Councillors



Sports House Captains

Bluetongues Captains

Redbacks Captains

Yellowbellies Captains



Class & PBL Value Awards

Kinder	3/4 D	Library Awards
Koa P	Damian C	
Bryan T	Jazz B	1/2BV
Chelsea B	Eve C	Sienna C
Olivia W	Sienna H	Ollie B
Teegan H	Phoebe E	
Te Aorangi Moana		1/2PB
Di Norch Jnr	5/6 H	Blake M
	Ciara S-W	Maddi C
1/2 BV	Violet H	
Ryan F	Kye S	3/4C
Chanelle O'S	Wendy H	Charlotte C
Ruby C	Kane W	Sam B
Mathew H	Rylan M	
Ben G	Luke N	3/4D
Lachie S		Lillie K
Poppy L	5/6 W	Caleb B
	Juz T	
1/2 PB	Pheobe G	5/6H
Angus B	Celeste D	Brodie T
Crystal E	Zack S	Daria B
Blake M	Joseph W	
Faith D	Shianne K	5/6W
Ryan M	Hudsonn J	Zack S
Maddi C		Darcy B
3/4 C		
Travis R		
Jason S		
Phoenix J		
Savina C		
Sam B		



In The Classrooms

We would like to welcome everyone to the new school year and hope you all enjoyed the holiday break.

We have many new families that we would like to welcome and we hope you are settling in well to our school and community. Our new students are already making new friends and enjoying school. Congratulations to our Kindergarten students who started last week. It's great to hear you have settled in well and are enjoying being at 'Big School'. *Well Done!*

2018 Classes

Teachers and their support staff (SLSO's) for this year are;

- * Kinder Mrs Wells & Mrs Purss-Semple & SLSO is Mrs Crisp
- * 1/2BV Mrs Brown & Miss Vogel & SLSO is Mrs Spinelli
- * 1/2PB Mrs Paterson & Mrs Boughton & SLSO is Mrs Clark
- * 3/4D Mrs Davidson
- * 3/4C Mrs Carroll
- * 5/6H Miss Heinjus & Mrs Hillary
- * 5/6W Miss Wilson
- * SLSO's Mrs Howard, Mrs Ratcliffe and Mr Stevens move between Year's 3-6.
- * Library Mrs Kay

Library Days are:

Monday

5/6W, 3/4D, 1/2BV & Kinder

Tuesday

3/4C, 5/6H & 1/2PB

Classroom Award System



PBL Value Awards

Students working towards reaching the Positive Behaviour Levels of Bronze, Silver, Gold and Platinum now have the opportunity to receive a 'Positive Behaviour in the classroom' award.

POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR FOR LEARNING (PBL) is the basis for Student Welfare and Discipline throughout the school. To assist in the development of self-discipline, resilience and emotional intelligence in our school community.

These extra awards are given to students who demonstrate the PBL values of:

- ⇒ Be Safe
- ⇒ Be Responsible
- ⇒ Be a Learner

Some examples of this exceptional behaviour may include:

- * Caring for others
- * Quiet achiever
- * Being responsible
- * Dependable and reliable
- * Displaying maturity
- * Being considerate
- * Being trustworthy

New PBL Handbooks
are available at
the office

A FEW REMINDERS.....

BOOK PACK SALES

Most students now have their book packs which is very pleasing. For those still requiring their packs, please finalise your purchase asap by eftpos (via phone) POP or at the office.

SCHOOL HATS & JACKETS

School hats are available from the office for \$15 each. Sizes small, medium and large. School jackets are available for \$65 at the school office. Sizes 6-youth are in stock now.

LATE ARRIVALS

All students who arrive late to school must come to the office to sign in and take a red card to the class teacher. Early leavers also need to come to the office to sign out.

UPDATE FAMILY DETAILS

If you have changed address, phone numbers, family situations, emergency contacts, etc... please let the office know. This can be updated using our Skoolbag app or in person at the office.

MEDICAL DETAILS

If your child has any new medical conditions or allergies... please let us know. If your child has

Asthma, please provide us with a copy of their current Asthma plan. *All medications need to be brought in, in their original chemist issued container.*

SCHOOL COUNSELLOR SERVICE

Psychologist Joy Stephens is servicing our school and students each Monday. If you require the services of Joy, you can ask at the office for a Referral Form. The Mindfulness Room will still operate as per previous years. Speak to the class teacher about using this room.

PARENT HELPERS

Any parent wishing to help in the classrooms must sign a declaration form at the school office before being allowed to work with children. This form is kept on our file only—it is not a police check. You are also asked to sign in and out each time at the school office. You will require a Working With Children Check.

BIRTHDAY CAKES

Some class teachers allow birthday cakes to be brought in. We ask that you bring in patty cakes only and always ask your class teacher first in case someone in the class has an allergy to some ingredients.

NEWSLETTERS

Our newsletter goes out each fortnight of each term.

MEDIA PERMISSION

Pictures placed in our school newsletter, school web site etc.. must have permission to publish on enrolment. Those families that have chosen the 'NO MEDIA' option for their child will be left out of group shots or have the face blurred out in the photo, for your child's privacy.

DROPPING OFF AND PICKING UP CHILDREN—Staff Carpark **not** to be used

ONLY staff, disabled parking and delivery vans are permitted to use the staff carpark. There is an abundance of parking around the school also in the council park grounds. For the safety of all children, we ask that all families abide by this rule and keep our students safe.

LABEL EVERYTHING!!!!

Please label everything that your child brings to school. Drink bottles, lunch boxes, containers, clothing etc... Our lost property is often filled with un-labelled items. Replacement of these items must be a huge cost to families that can be avoided if you label everything. Ask your child

to check the lost property regularly.

NOTES HOME

All classes send notes home on a regular basis so please ask your child daily if they have a note for you and if they say no... check their bag anyway, there just might be one in there that they forgot about.

RED READER BAGS

Available from the office for \$10.

STUDENT BANKING

Student banking started this week for all students. Wednesday is banking day for all classes so please hand in your books early to the class teacher to avoid missing the bank pick-up time.

We have Hume Bank kits at the office if you wish to start *Student Banking* for your child.

SKOOLBAG, FACEBOOK & WEBSITE

Don't forget to join us on Skoolbag, Facebook and check out our website. These are a great way of communication, to stay in touch with what is happening and reminders of what's on. Ask at the office if you don't know how to add the App's to your phone.

DATES	What's On.....
Monday 12 February	Breakfast club starts 8.30am to 8.55am
Tuesday 13 February	Breakfast club 8.30am to 8.55am NRL Well being Assembly Yr's 3-6 @ 2—2.40pm
Thursday 15 February	School Swimming Carnival @ <i>Lavington Swim Centre</i> Yr's 1&2 10am—12.30pm Yr's 3-6 10am—2.30pm Kinders 'Water Play Adventure' at school 11.30am
Thursday 22 February	Buddy Assembly 2.30pm (<i>introducing our Kinder students with their buddies for 2018</i>)
Tuesday 27 February	P & C AGM Meeting at 5pm in the staffroom
Thursday 8 March	Year 5/6W Assembly at 2.30pm
Monday 12 March	Out of Uniform Day (<i>this is to have clean and tidy uniforms ready for school photos tomorrow</i>)
Tuesday 13 March	School Photos

P & C News.....

P & C AGM

Tuesday 27 February at 5pm is the next P & C meeting. This is the annual AGM. All positions are available and all welcome.



Come in and be a part of our fabulous P & C team! We have vacancies on the P & C, as members have moved on with their children starting high school.

Come along and see if there is something you can do to help and make a difference. Jobs are as little or as much as you can spare time for. We look forward to seeing YOU!

CANTEEN HELPERS

The canteen will operate again this year each Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.



Any parent or friend wishing to volunteer in the canteen are asked to speak to Alison on 0423 902 760 or let us know at the school office. Children under the age of 10 years are **NOT ALLOWED** in the canteen. Many hands make light work—so please help if you can.