



Snowtown Primary News

Week 1, Term 2.

3rd May 2017

TRUST RESPECT HONESTY KINDNESS LISTENING

DIARY DATES AND REMINDERS

9th - 11th May
NAPLAN

15th May
School Photos

19th May
Walk to School Day

23rd May
Governing Council Meeting

Supervision of children in the yard is available from 8.30am to 3.15pm on school days. Parents are asked not to send children to school, or drop them off at school, before 8.30am. Prior to that time the school is unsupervised and children are at risk.

ASSEMBLIES

Assemblies are held at **2.40 pm** in the Common room on Fridays. Weeks 3, 5, 7 & 9. **ALL WELCOME**

HATS

Students are required to wear broad brimmed hats outside all year round.

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Principal News

Welcome back to term 2.



I hope that everyone had an enjoyable and restful break. One of the highlights of the holidays was the 3/4 Class Beauty and the Beast fundraiser night at the Blyth Cinema. Thank you to all of the families who prepared nibbles for the evening and to Nigel and Nicole for donating drinks. We are extremely appreciative of all of the community support and the 3/4 class will use the funds to attend Matilda the Musical later in the term. We have a number of special events planned for the term so please take the time to look through the Term 2 planner.



Bus



DECD Transport Services withdrew funding support for the school bus at the end of the term. We are currently using the Snowtown Community Bus to transport students to and from school. The Governing Council Chairperson, Bernie Altmann has been successful at applying for a small grant to go towards the purchase of a new, smaller bus but we are well short of funding the full cost of operating the bus for the remainder of the year. We will be attempting to source additional funding as bus transportation is an essential service.

Walk to School



This year we will once again participate in the National Walk Safely to School Day on **Friday, 19th May**. We will meet at the **Fed Shed at 8.30am** and walk

to school together. We are hoping to have lots of families and community members join in the walk. The school bus will run early that morning and bus students will be dropped off at the Fed Shed so they can participate in the walk also. We will have fruit platters at the school for a light snack after the walk.

Remember - No wheels! No bikes! No scooters!

Walk Safely to School Day promotes the vitally important message: Active Kids are Healthy Kids. The event asks parents, carers and their children to build regular walking to and from school into their daily routine, because children need a minimum of 60 minutes of exercise per day. It also encourages parents to drive less and walk more, aiming to decrease dangerous vehicle congestion around schools and reduce carbon emissions from idling cars.



Photos

School photos will be on Monday, 15th May (Week 3). Please ensure your child is wearing school uniform that day.



ANZAC



Our SLT did an amazing job hosting the ANZAC ceremony this year. Thank you to Ali, Cindy and Daina for helping the SLT prepare for the service. The new ANZAC memorial area which lists all of the World War One soldiers from the Snowtown area was an ideal location for our ceremony. This year student learning was focused on prisoners of war and local soldiers who enlisted. I was able to share the story of Private Oliver Grandsen who served in World War One, was a German prisoner of war and returned to the area and lived locally. Whenever you walk past our memorial or any other memorial it is an opportunity to remember and respect those who enlisted and realise that every name has a story and their story is significant. Our local RSL once again supported the service and this year donated prizes to students from the Year 5/6/7 class who submitted their research. Congratulations to Cooper Altmann – 1st prize, Cohen Biddell – 2nd prize and Brodie Rice – 3rd prize. Thank you to Mike Stone, Monica Stone, Lloyd Carter and Robert Brand from the RSL for attending the service. The choir sounded amazing this year and performed confidently. Thank you to Hannah and Cindy for your choir support. The morning tea was prepared by the 3/4 class and we all enjoyed eating the scones and ANZAC biscuits.





Year 3/4 Class Beauty and the Beast Movie Fundraiser



On the 25th April the Year 3/4 class held a fundraiser at the Blyth Cinema. We watched Beauty and the Beast and sold all of our tickets for the night. Before the movie started we got a free drink and ate some fantastic food that was made by the parents. The food was delicious! We were also allowed to buy some lollies and popcorn from the snack bar.

Just before the movie began we had to say some thankys to the people who had helped make the night possible. It was really good to have such great support for the local community.



"We thought the movie was incredible and it was an awesome night! We raised more than enough money to go and see Matilda the Musical in Adelaide later in the term. We would all like to watch the Beauty and the Beast movie again!"

By Ocea, Brooke, Noah and Nick

"I thought it was a very good movie. There was lots of singing in it and it was awesome!" – Riley

"There were lots of people at the cinema. It was excellent that the Snowtown IGA donated all of the drinks for the night!" – **Austin**

"I thought the movie was the best movie I had ever seen!" - **Saffy**



Welcome Back!!

Eating a rainbow of fruits and vegetables is another way to help the whole family build strong, clever and happy bodies ready for Term 2.

Many children don't eat enough fruit and vegetables which help growing bodies grow strong, clever and build a resilient immunity shield. Children can be reluctant to taste new foods, creating stress for their parents. The idea of eating a rainbow uses the appeal of fruit and vegetable colours to encourage children to try new foods.

Here are some ideas to encourage your child to try a greater range of foods:

- Be a role model. Children like to copy what you do. The more familiar they become with foods they see you eating, the more comfortable they will become with trying them.
- Use other children as role models – offer new foods you know their friends like.
- Offer all foods in a calm neutral way. Children love getting reactions and may refuse food to see what reaction they get. Staying calm and relaxed at mealtimes helps them to stay calm and relaxed and more willing to take on new challenges.

Colour of the week: **ORANGE**

- Orange keeps eyes, skin and the immunity system healthy
- Orange fruits and vegetables are very rich in carotenoids, as well as vitamin C, flavonoids and terpenes. Carotenoids and flavonoids may reduce the risk of cancer and heart disease.
- Examples of some orange fruits are; apricots, cumquats, loquats, mandarins, mangos, orange nectarines, oranges, papaya, pawpaw, peach, peacherine, persimmons, rockmelon, tangerines, tangelo
- Examples of some orange vegetables are: Carrots, orange capsicum, orange lentils, pumpkin, sweet potato (kumara)

Orange Recipe: Carrot and sultana salad

The salad could be packed for recess or lunch as a salad, topping for crackers or celery or a sandwich filling (add cheese or cream cheese to protect the bread from going soggy)

Ingredients:

2 carrots
sultanas
lemon for dressing

Equipment:

grater
vegetable peeler
serving bowl

Method:

- 1 Grate carrots
- 2 Mix in bowl with sultanas and lemon juice.



Daina McCormack Pastoral Care Worker

I'm here Monday and Tuesday



Opening Celebration of Snowtown School Community Library Extensions



Come and view the exciting changes!

All community members are invited to attend a celebration of the extensions at the Snowtown School Community Library on **Wednesday 31st May 2017 at 7.00pm.**

- Special guest speaker Wakefield Regional Council CEO Jason Kuchel.
- Light supper and a chance to view the alterations.

We look forward to seeing you on the 31st May.

Greg King (Teacher/Librarian), Carley Darling (CLA) and Trish Boschetti (Principal)

Wanted - Small Glass Jars



The Year 3/4 class would appreciate any donations of small glass jars (jam size or smaller) with the labels removed for an activity next week. If you have any clean jars that you no longer need please drop them into the Year 3/4 class or into the front office by

SCHOOL MATERIAL AND SERVICES FEES ARE NOW OVERDUE

If you haven't yet paid your school fees please come and see Katrina or Trish at the front office about payment options.

Available Payment Options

- * EFTPOS
- * Direct Credit
- * Cash
- * Cheque
- * Instalment application



7TH JUNE 2017

YOU ARE INVITED TO -

Australia's Biggest Morning Tea and Partnership Open Day

There will be two tours of the school on this day. Times to be advised.



TIQBIZ is now called Flexibuzz

You may have seen the name "**FlexiBuzz**" and noticed a change in logo when you visit your Tiqbiz app or desktop site. This is the result of the recent purchase of Tiqbiz by InLoop Pty Ltd, an Australian tech company with leading brands including Flexischools.

We will be continuing to use the app to communicate with you and FlexiBuzz will retain all of the features that were available with Tiqbiz.

To ensure you have the most up-to-date version of the app we would recommend running the app update as soon as possible.

If you are using the desktop site, you will now go to web.flexibuzz.com.



Term 2 Planner 2017

WK	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
1	MAY 1	2	3 Baby Bounce Newsletter	4	5
2	8	9 NAPLAN	10	11	12
3	15 School Photos	16	17 Baby Bounce Newsletter	18	19 Walk To School Day 5/6/7 Class Assembly
4	22	23 YEL Forum Governing Council Meeting	24 National Simultaneous Story Time	25 Whole School Dream Big Excursion to Adelaide	26
5	29 Reconciliation Week	30	31 Library Opening Celebration Baby Bounce	JUNE 1	2 Makers Empire Showcase R/1/2 Class Assembly
6	5	6	7 Australia's Biggest Morning Tea & Partnership Open Day Baby Bounce Newsletter	8	9
7	12 QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY	13	14 Baby Bounce	15	16 3/4 Class Assembly
8	19 Yoga	20 Governing Council Meeting	21 3/4 Class Matilda Excursion	22	23
9	26 Yoga	27	28 Baby Bounce Newsletter	29	30 Action Teams Assembly
10	JULY 3 Yoga	4	5	6	7 Assembly 1.50pm Early Dismissal 2.10pm



FOOTBALL JUNIOR TRAINING ROSTER 2017

All Junior trainings will be held on Thursdays 3-4pm.

Please notify your coach prior to 5pm Thursdays if you are unable to train and if you are unavailable on Saturday.

Team	Coach	Contact Details
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Trainings	Games
30/03/17 @ Snowtown	
06/04/17 @ Blyth	
13/04/17 @ Blyth	EASTER
20/04/17 @ Snowtown	Saturday 22 April BSR @ Spalding
27/04/17 @ Snowtown	Saturday 29 April North Clare @ Snowtown
4/05/17 @ Blyth	Saturday 6 May RSMU @ Ilwaco
11/05/17 @ Blyth	Saturday 13 May MielMan @ Blyth
18/05/17 @ Blyth	Saturday 20 May BBS @ Blyth
25/05/17 @ Snowtown	Saturday 27 May South Clare @ Clare
01/06/17 @ Snowtown	Saturday 3 June Southern Saints @ Eudunda
08/06/17 @ Blyth	JUNE LONG WEEKEND
15/06/17 @ Snowtown	Saturday 17 June BSR @ Snowtown
22/06/17 @ Snowtown	Saturday 24 June North Clare @ Clare
29/06/17 @ Snowtown	Saturday 1 July RSMU @ Snowtown
06/07/17 @ Blyth	Zone Football
13/07/17 @ Blyth	Saturday 15 July Mtn/Man @ Manocca
20/07/17 @ Snowtown	Saturday 22 July BSH @ Biarra
27/07/17 @ Blyth	Saturday 29 July South Clare @ Blyth
03/08/17 @ Snowtown	Saturday 5 August SPLIT ROUND - NO GAME
10/08/17 @ Blyth	Saturday 12 August Southern Saints @ Blyth
17/08/17 @ Blyth	Saturday 19 August BSR @ Belrieworth
24/08/17 @ Snowtown	Saturday 26 August North Clare @ Snowtown
31/08/17 @ Snowtown	Saturday 2 September RSMU @ Ilwaco

Weekly team selections available Thursday 9pm at www.blyth-snowtown-cats.com.au



msp
photography
Capturing School Moments

say cheese

School Photo Day is
15 May 2017

Have your child's school memories captured forever

Please take time to read the relevant information on the MSP Photography payment envelopes and remember these helpful points:

- Don't seal envelopes inside each other. You can pay for all children in one envelope however each child needs to have their own envelope on photo day
- Family envelopes are available at the school office upon request
- Please enclose correct money as no change is given. Cash, cheques and money orders only (sorry no credit card accepted)



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