

# Peterborough Primary School and Yunta Campus

## Newsletter

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### *From the Principal*

Welcome to Week 6!

Recently we have had play equipment (large wooden logs) stolen from the nature play area on our school grounds. If you notice anything happening around the school please report it. It is a shame that the students lose out when something like this occurs.

### **Book Week Parade**

Thank you to all of the families and friends who were able to join us last Friday for our Book Week parade and celebrations. It was a wonderful day with students dressing up in a myriad of costumes and colour. Special thanks to our guest judges; Vanessa Malycha, Karen Chambers and Ruth Whittle who had the unenviable job of choosing winners from each group. Many families also stayed after the parade and supported students with the various activities around the school before our shared morning tea.

I would also like to thank our community supporters for Book Week; Bank SA and Australia Post who donated prizes for the treasure hunt.



### **Parents and Friends meeting**

There will be a Parents and friends meeting on **Friday 31<sup>st</sup> August at 11.30am** in the School Library. This is a great opportunity to get involved and support the students and school.

### **East of the Ranges Choir**

We wish staff and students all the best as they head off to Port Pirie today for the East of the Ranges Choir. Students will join various other schools from the area and perform at the Northern Festival Centre tonight.

### **School Closure Day**

**Friday 7<sup>th</sup> September will be a school closure day.** This day has been ratified by the Governing Council.

### **Next Assembly**

This Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> August 9am Activity Room

### **Governing Council Meeting**

The next Governing Council meeting will be **Monday 10<sup>th</sup> September 9.00am** in the staffroom.

### **Date Savers**

- Friday 31<sup>st</sup> August parents and friends meeting 11.30am
- Friday 7<sup>th</sup> September School Closure Day
- Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> September Early Finish; 2.30pm/2pm Yunta
- Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> September School Concert; Town Hall

### **Uniforms**

**Reminder – Uniforms and hats are compulsory every day!**

As we are a SunSmart School students are required to wear a hat at all times when outside– The policy states NO HAT NO PLAY except when the UV levels are below 3!

### **Father's Day Stall**

There will be a Father's Day stall at recess and lunch on **Friday 31<sup>st</sup> August** in the library. This is a great opportunity for students to purchase a gift for dad for Father's Day.





### Premier's Reading Challenge

The Premier's Reading Challenge is well under way with many students completing the Challenge.

There is still a little time for students to complete the Challenge.

All Premier's Reading Challenge forms are due in by Friday 7th September.



### Assemblies

**Assemblies will be every  
2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday morning at 9.00am**  
 Week 6 - 29th August  
 Week 8 - 12th September  
 Week 10 - 26th September

### Dates To Remember - 2018

**Tues 28th August**  
**Thurs 30th August**

**Fri 7th September**  
**Mon 10th September**

**Choir Port Pirie**  
**Performance Moz's**  
**Music**  
**School Closure Day**  
**School Council Meeting**





## From the Library



### Children's Book Week "Find Your Treasure"

Book Week at Peterborough Primary School has been very busy. Teachers and students have been enjoying reading the shortlisted and winning books and many classes have been completing activities using these titles. The shortlisted and winning titles are now available for students to borrow from the Library.

The Library has been decorated to the theme of "Find Your Treasure". A big thank you to Mrs. Carter for transforming the circulation desk into a Pirate Ship and giving up her time on Sunday to help decorate the Library.

On Tuesday students took part in activities with Mrs. C Malycha from the Peterborough Community Library.

The weather was kind to us for our Book Week Dress Up Parade on Friday 24th August. The costumes for the parade were amazing and children and their families are to be congratulated for the time and effort that went into organising them. A special thank you to all the parents, grand parents and friends who came along to help us celebrate.

#### CONGRATULATIONS to this years Book Week Dress Up Parade Winners...



Learning Centre  
Reception / Year 1  
Year 2/3/4  
Year 5/6/7

Liam, Max & Nathan  
Hayden, Xavier, Hunter & Hudson  
Maddi & Chase  
Bethany & Madeline



A Special Thank you to Mrs. Tyas for being our compere and to Mayor Whittle, Mrs. Chambers from the Peterborough Rotary Club and Mrs. V Malycha from the Peterborough Lions Club for their expertise with the extremely difficult task of being judges.

After the Parade all students were put into their teams to work together to find their treasures, complete their challenges and collect their prizes.

At 11.00 am everyone met at the Activity Room with the code word they had collected letters for during the morning being their password to enter for our shared morning tea. Many thanks to the families and staff that provided the lovely spread.



A special thank you to Mrs Carter for her lovely "Find Your Treasure" Book Week Treasure chest, cakes and biscuits for the morning tea.

Mrs Carter and staff also spent many hours on the preparation of the "Treasure Hunt" activities to make this a fun leaning activity for students.

#### The Premier's Reading Challenge

Congratulations to the many students that have completed the Premier's Reading Challenge for 2018. The Challenge finishes on Friday 7th September, so there is a little time to complete the challenge if students have not done so.

