

Springwood Public School Newsletter The Place To Be!

Term 2 - Week 1

WHAT'S ON AT SPS...

TERM 2 WEEK 1

Tue 26 April Wed 27 April

Mon 2 May

TERM 2 WEEK 1 Thur 5 May

TERM 2 WEEK 3

Mon 9 May Tue 10 May Wed 11 May Fri 13 May

TERM 2 WEEK 4

Friday 20th May

TERM 2 WEEK 4

Friday 27th May

Staff Return for Term 2 Students Return for Term 2

School Cross Country

Mother's Day Stall P&C

Year 6 Camp Day 1 Year 6 Camp Day 2 Year 6 Camp Day 3 **Zone Cross Country**

BILLY CART DERBY

School Disco (Year 6 Fundraiser)

Term Dates 2022:

Term 2 – 27 April to 1 July

Term 3 - 19 July to 23 September

Term 4 - 10 October to 16 December

term break and ready for Term 2!

A big thank you and well done to our school student leadership team (captains and vice captains) who ran an excellent ANZAC Day service today. Thank you leaders!

Our students managed to navigate the fences/gates/scaffolding this morning and safely arrived in their classrooms for a full day of learning. A reminder that the three entry points to school are still the same but students just need to navigate around the school safely, there is plenty of safety fencing to help guide them. The De Chair Rd and Bush parking gates are all locked from 9.30am. The only entry and exit to the school is from the Burns Rd crossing gate during school hours 9.30am to 3.25pm. The Burns Rd staff car park is currently closed due to the roof works, all staff are parking in the bush car park so please be careful and patient with all the extra vehicles in the morning and afternoon.

We have already had to move a few events around due to weather, roofing works around the school and Industrial action planned for next Wednesday, 4th of May.

Firstly, our school cross country carnival has been postponed to Monday 2nd of May.

Our Mother's Day stall will be held on Thursday 5th of May. Thank you to our P&C volunteers for providing this service to our students.

Our Billy Cart Derby had already been postponed to Friday 20th of May so lock that into your diaries! The P&C will once again be providing a sausage sizzle on the day so look out for that order form soon!

We farewelled Miss Birney at the end of last term as she moved to Queensland to be near her family. We are currently in the process of advertising and interviewing for a new teacher. The new teacher will begin as soon as possible.

We have also postponed our working bee due to weather and roof works. We will notify you of the new date as soon as we can.

Sporting News

Brooke Lyne represented Blue Mountains PSSA

at the Sydney West Touch Football Championships at Jamison Synthetic Fields on 6th April.

Brooke's team won 3 of their 4 pool matches and progressed to the semi-finals, finishing



the Championships in 4th place. Brooke excelled in both attack and defence, impressing Sydney West selectors with her skill and courage. She was subsequently chosen in the Preliminary Sydney West team.

While Brooke wasn't successful in making the final squad, her achievements on the day were outstanding as Brooke is a Year 3 student competing against mainly Year 5 and Year 6 girls.

Congratulations on your amazing achievements Brooke. We look forward to following your touch football progress in the years to come.

John Hugo Blue Mountains PSSA Girls Touch Football Manager Thank you to the many families that have already paid their school fees for 2022. The fee structure for this year has now been set. We rely on this income to support the programs in the school that we would otherwise not be able to afford to run. These funds give the students the best possible resources to supplement their education.

Voluntary Contribution Fee is:

\$50 for the 1st child, **\$30** for the 2nd child up to a total of **\$80 per family** (2 or more children).

The Resource Fee is a mandatory payment as the school must pay for these additional supplies for the students. The fee for each stage, which is called a *Resource Fee is set at \$50 per child*. This has not changed in over five years.

This includes textbooks, exercise books, a resource pack for use in the classroom, subscriptions to different classroom teaching programs as well as other incidentals as required by students e.g., craft materials, etc.

Term 2 Statements of Account will be emailed out shortly – please note that no invoice will be issued.

We all look forward to another busy and fulfilling term. There are some new Covid guidelines which we will send out separate to this newsletter and there will be another round of RATs distributed as soon as we take delivery from the Department.

Take care, stay safe. Mr Mehmet