

LUE PUBLIC SCHOOL

Newsletter



Monday 16th May *** Week Four *** Term Two *** 2016

Principal's Note

Welcome to the newsletter for week 4.

What a great job our four NAPLAN students did last week. Sarah Stewart, Yagan Sloane, Rhys Robinson and Khy Docherty approached the tests with maturity and a real enthusiasm to do their best. I am extremely proud of their efforts.



This coming Thursday we will be holding our own Lue Cross Country as in previous years. The event will take place at 10am at the recreation ground in Lue and will be followed by presentation of participation certificates, distance medals and an overall trophy back at school straight after the event. We hope to see many of you there to support our students.

At the P&C meeting last week, we discussed the possibility of a school canteen on Tuesday each week. Rather than having a variety of canteen snacks, there will be one hot 'home cooked' nutritious meal for students at a cost of \$4. Meals such as a pasta bake, potato bake, baked potato with fillings, hearty soup etc have been suggested. The canteen will start from next week and details of the meal for the week will be in the newsletter each Monday.

Another suggestion was for a breakfast club. From week 5 (next week), breakfast will be available between 8:30 and 9am (no cost to students) on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. There will be one option each day and these will range from cereals, scrambled egg/toast, porridge, pikelets etc. Students who start the day with a nutritious breakfast increase their attention span and learning capacity. Fitness will take place immediately after breakfast club and the traditional fruit option will take place during the Literacy lesson around 10am.

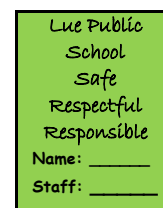
Well done to all the students who handed in their homework on Friday. Merit certificates and Lue dollars will be given to students today.

Caron McDonald
(Principal)

Catch me being good

Our draw from the 'catch me being good' slips was made this morning. Congratulations to **Yagan Sloane, Lola Stewart and Zac Stewart**.

Each student will receive a merit certificate and an ice block at lunch. Keep up the great work boys and girls!



Busy Bee

The Busy Bee in the Junior Class this week is **Oskar Sander**. Oskar always amazes us with his unusual insights into the work we do in class. Well done, Oskar!



Zone Cross Country

On Friday, seven senior students have been invited to participate at zone level in cross country. Letters with full details about the event will go home today and we wish **Zac Stewart, Jackson Griffin, Rhys Robinson, Khy Docherty, Matthew Robinson, Harrison Panschow and Matthew Elkins** the very best of luck in their respective races.



Term 3 Excursion to Sydney

An expression of interest note went home last week for our major excursion this year. Please send in your return slips together with a deposit of \$25 as soon as possible to secure a place for your child.

P&C News

There are still new & second hand winter jumpers & school bags available to purchase. Please see attached info re Winter Jackets for school. Please contact Deb if interested.

School uniform

I have been so pleased to see so many of our students in full school uniform each day. It really makes a difference to the overall sense of belonging at school.

To reward those students who make the effort each day we are holding a raffle draw. Each day a student attends in full uniform (royal blue polo tshirt/jumper/fleece, navy pants/shorts, blue checked school dress, royal blue school bucket hat) they will be given a raffle ticket. The tickets will go into a draw and once a month a draw will be made. The students with the winning ticket will receive a Lue PS school bag, worth \$35, kindly donated by our P&C. For those students who have already purchased a school bag and don't want a second one they will be presented with a stationary pack to the same value.

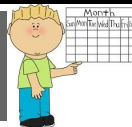
The P&C have donated 3 school bags for the raffle so students have a great opportunity to win one!



Ellie Statham

Ellie has been trying really hard with her work in class. Well done, Ellie!

Important Dates



May/June 2016

	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
Wk 4	16 May	17 May Mrs McDonald @ rural and remote conference in Bathurst	18 May Mrs McDonald @ rural and remote conference in Bathurst	19 May Lue Cross Country at recreation ground followed by ribbon presentation at school	20 May Zone Cross Country at Rylstone (selected students)	21 May	22 May
Wk 5	23 May	24 May	25 May Resilience performance at Rylstone PS 'It's a mad world'	26 May	27 May	28 May	29 May
Wk 5	30 May	31 May	1 June	2 June	3 June Mrs McDonald @ principal meeting in Mudgee	4 June	5 June
Wk 6	6 June	7 June Excursion to CSU dental health facility	8 June	9 June	10 June	11 June	12 June