



# LUE PUBLIC SCHOOL

## Newsletter

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### From the Principal's Desk...

Welcome to the final newsletter for Term 1. Thank you to all our staff for ensuring the school ran smoothly last week while I was on leave. I continue to be on leave this week but am in daily contact with school.

This term has been a very busy one with so many achievements and successes for our students. The term 1 assembly on Friday this week will have special mentions for many students.

Last week, students had lots of fun and gave their very best effort at the Cassilis Cross Country event. So many ribbons were awarded, and we are very proud of them all.

Our door is always open if you have any questions regarding your child's learning at school. Please contact me at school if you have any queries.

Caron McDonald (Principal)  
*Empowering students through excellence in education to **DREAM** of a bright future, **BELIEVE** in themselves and others, and **ACHIEVE** their full potential.*

Day	Event
MON 8th	Term 1 spelling post test K-6 and Library Van at school
TUE 9th	K-2 Mudgee Library excursion
WED 10th	Senior class sport
THUR 11th	Junior class sport
FRI 12th	50c Friday Popcorn and Term 1 Assembly at 1:30. All families welcome.



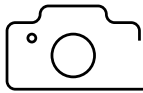
## Attendance

Our end of term individual student attendance letters will go out this week so you can see how your child is tracking in relation to school and network targets. Thank you so much for supporting us by ensuring your child is at school every day.



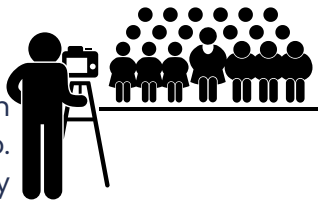
## Junior Class Library Visit

Tomorrow, students in the junior class will be travelling to Mudgee Library for a special story session. Thank you to everyone who has returned permissions slips. I'm sure they will have a fabulous time!



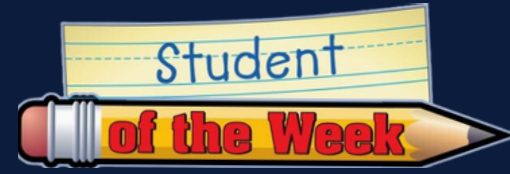
## School Photographs

Just a reminder to send in school photograph forms for those families who are yet to do so. School photographs will be taken on the first day back of term 2.



## Term 1 Assembly

On Friday at 1:30pm, families and community members are invited to join us to celebrate the achievements of the term at our Term 1 assembly. Some students will be presented with certificates but all students have achieved in one way or another so it is important that we recognise them all.



## KASEY

Kasey is working hard to try and complete his work to the best of his ability. Keep trying Kasey, we know you can do it!



## CHELSEA

Chelsea continues to amaze us with what she is learning in class and she loves to share what she knows.



## P&C News

The hundred club is almost full. If you would like a number, please send in your money and let us know which number you would like. A draw of all names on the chart will be made at the Term 1 assembly on Friday.

**First prize = \$150**  
**Second prize = \$75**  
**Third prize = \$25**

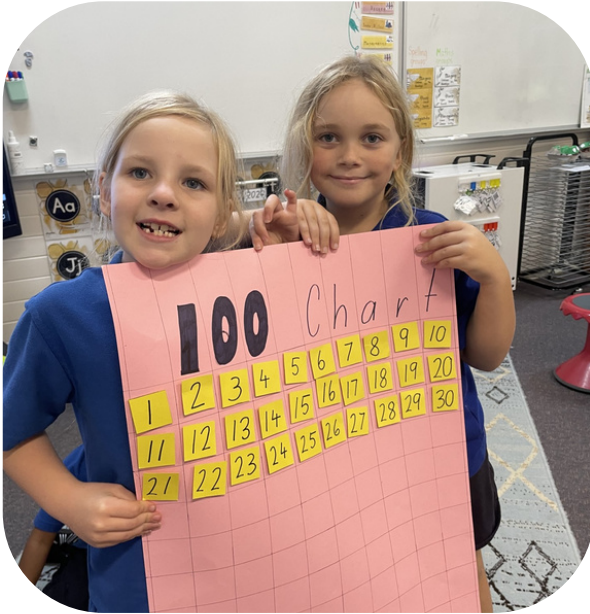
Remaining funds to go to Lue P&C.

Let's fill the chart and help the P&C raise funds which helps EVERY student at school!



Congratulations to Elliegh, Peyton, Eden and Ellaria who has been awarded a bronze badge for receiving 5 merit awards this term. All Bronze Badge holders will be rewarded with a special morning tea on Friday!

# FROM THE JUNIOR CLASSROOM



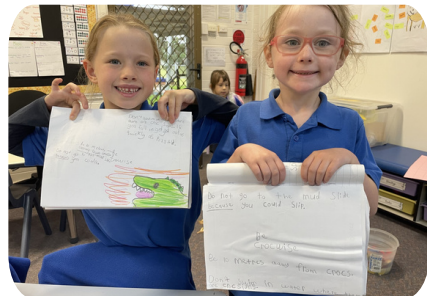
In the Junior class this week, students will be working really hard to complete their final assessments. In writing they are completing an informative text about quokkas. They will be drawing their own illustrations and constructing simple and compound sentences in their writing. Looking forward to seeing how they turn out!

In maths students are focusing on their learning sprint for the week, where they are ordering large quantities of numbers in ascending and descending order. They will also complete their assessments where they will show their learning of area, length, volume, and mass.

The Juniors have completed their History and PDH units including their assessments, this week they will be completing their science unit on living things and the corresponding assessment.



On Tuesday, the class will be going to the Mudgee town library where they will get a tour, a story read to them, and participate in a scavenger hunt that has been developed using their recent studies of verbs, nouns, adjectives and prepositions. Good luck to all students!

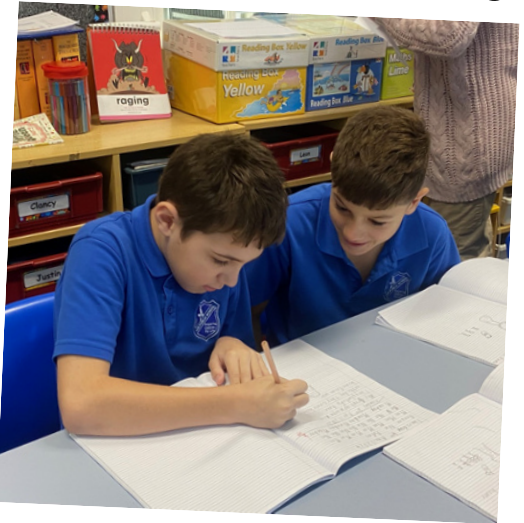


School returns Tuesday the 30th of April for term 2.

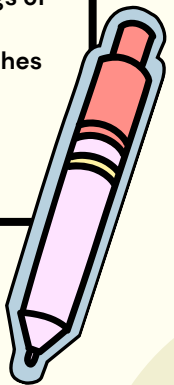
# From the Senior Classroom



While I am away again this week on leave (I have family visiting from the UK), Mrs Poole, Miss Johnson and Ms Ryan will be teaching the senior class. They have all the work pre planned and I will check in often to see how things are going. It's really important that students learn to manage with different teachers at times as this is something they have to face later on at high school. We keep routines the same to maintain consistency. I ask all students to ensure they give the same level of respect they give me to every adult at school, no matter who they are so I expect the very best from my class in terms of behaviour and their learning whilst I am away. It was lovely to see them when I popped in last week and to know that they were doing a really good job of being safe, respectful and responsible. I will be looking forward to catching up with them all at some point when I pop in again for a visit with my family.



This week in English, students will continue to analyse the text 'Memorial' by Gary Crew and Shaun Tan. The text offers an insight into the thoughts and feelings of ANZAC soldiers and their families – so very important as ANZAC Day approaches this month.







In Mathematics, students will continue to learn about fractions: fractions of numbers, fractions of collections and fractions of shapes. Fractions are everywhere and it is important that students are able to instantly recognise some simple fractions.

Our afternoon focus is on History. Students are currently studying a unit called Australian Celebrations and Commemorations. They have been discussing the historical features and diversity of their community as represented by symbols and emblems of significance and the different celebrations and commemorations held in Australia. Add in sport and it's sure to be a busy one yet again!



# DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
11	8/4	K-2 Mudgee Library 9/4 	10/4	11/4	Term 1 Assembly 12/4 Last day of Term 1  
	15/4	16/4	17/4	18/4	19/4
	<h1>HOLIDAYS</h1>				
	22/4	23/4	24/4	25/4	26/4
1	Staff Development Day 29/4 	Students first day of Term 2 30/4  	1/5	2/5	3/5 50c Friday 
2	6/5	7/5	Mother's Day 8/5  Mother's Day event at school	Bathurst Science Excursion 9/5 	10/5 50c Friday  Zone Cross Country 
3	13/5  Library Van at school	14/5	15/5	16/5	17/5 50c Friday 
4	20/5	21/5	22/5	23/5	24/5 50c Friday 
5	27/5	28/5	29/5	30/5	31/5 50c Friday 
6	3/6	4/6	5/6	6/6	7/6 50c Friday 
7	10/6  Kings Birthday Public Holiday	11/6	12/6	13/6	14/6 50c Friday 