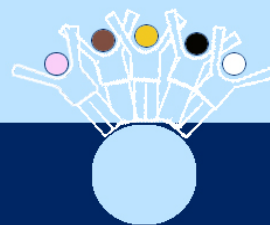


Griffith Public School

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NEWSLETTER TERM 2 WEEK 7

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Term 2 2012

Calendar

*Please note dates from week to week as there are occasionally some changes.

Week 7

Wednesday, June 6 th	P&C Meeting 7pm
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Week 8

Monday, June 11 th	Queen's Birthday-Public Holiday (no school)
Tuesday, June 12 th	Regional Cross Country
Friday, June 15 th	K-6 Assembly

Week 10 NAIDOC Week

Monday, June 25 th	NAIDOC Week Assembly
Tuesday, June 26 th	Indigenous Games
Wednesday, June 27 th	NAIDOC Week Cultural Activity Day
Thursday, June 28 th	Elders Morning Tea
Friday, June 29 th	K-6 Assembly

School Zones Flashing Lights

Roads and Maritime Services (RMS) have announced that school zone flashing lights will be installed on Murrumbidgee Avenue as soon as possible.

The project aims to alert motorists of the speed restrictions around schools to improve safety for school children.

School Photos

There is a display of SRC, Choir and School Captain photos in the school foyer. Order forms for these photos are available at the front office.

K-2 Athletics Carnival

Thank you Mrs Kitchingman and the K-2 staff for organising the fun events that were held last Thursday at the K-2 Athletics Carnival. The students had a great time competing in running and novelty events.



3-6 Athletics Carnival

Last Friday Years 3-6 had a wonderful day at the Athletics Carnival. We were blessed with beautiful weather and excellent student participation throughout the day.

Two records were broken on the day by Danae Woods and Ryley Carroll....congratulations! Age champions and the winning house will be announced at next week's K-6 assembly. The Zone team will be announced before the end of term.

Thank you to all of the fantastic parents and community members who came along on the day to support our kids and help out at track and field events. Thank you to Max Campbell, Vanessa Clarke, Wayne Henderson, Kerri Sutton, Kylie and Wade Woods and Helene Johnson. Thank you also to Brenda Trembath and Trish Enness for running the canteen. Finally thank you Ms Morante for all the effort she put into organising a successful carnival and to all the staff for their support.

Congratulations to all of our fabulous students for having a great day at our Athletics Carnival.



P&C News

Keep selling raffle tickets!

Great prizes to win!

Tickets are 50c each.

More tickets are available at the office.

The child who sells the most tickets will receive a canteen voucher.

The P&C meeting is **this Wednesday 6th June at 7pm**. See you then!

Thank you

Helen Lander, P&C President

Canteen News

Canteen Roster	
Wednesday 6 th	Linda
Thursday 7 th	Cathy
Friday 8 th	Elena
Monday 11 th	Public Holiday
Tuesday 12 th	Elena

Thank you to last week's helpers Kerri Sutton, and Trish Enness for helping at the athletics day.

Small juice	\$1.50
Large juice	\$2.20
Pluto Pups	\$3
Hot Dogs	\$3
Chicken Burgers	\$3.50
Hot chicken/cheese rolls	\$3.50

KROP 2012

Congratulations to the children in Stage 2 and 3 who have been involved in KROP. A couple of weeks ago we auditioned to be in KROP 2012. Mrs Lander and Mrs McWhirter are pleased to announce that we have been successful with our 'Money' item. Now the hard work begins!!

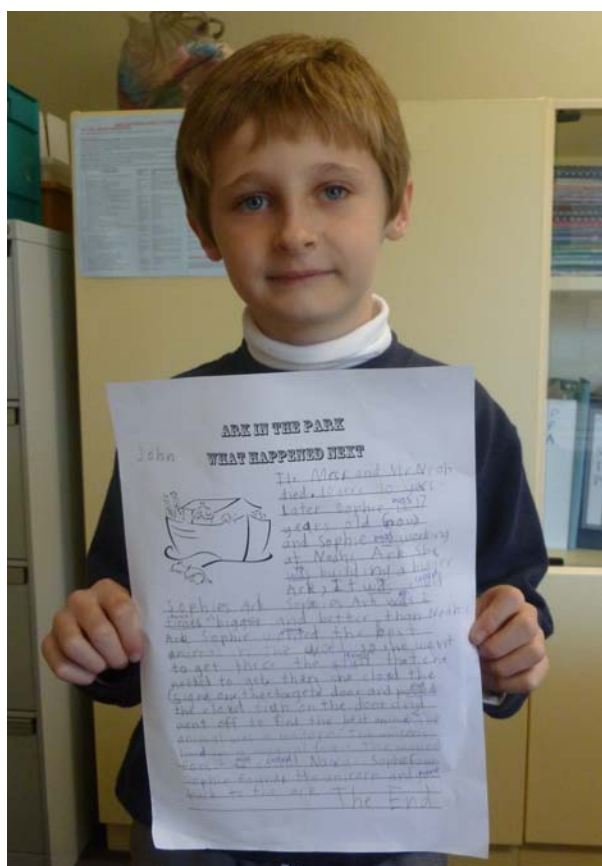
Please be aware that tickets for KROP go on sale on **12th June, 2012**. Tickets must be purchased directly through The Griffith Regional Theatre Box Office, either online (Google Griffith Regional Theatre http://www.griffith.nsw.gov.au/cp_themes/theatre/home.asp) or at the Theatre in Neville Place. Tickets sell very fast so get in early to avoid disappointment.

A detailed information sheet will be sent home with KROP performers this week. The permission note attached must be returned as soon as possible.

Well done to Tina Carberry who proudly represented Griffith PS in the Riverina team at the Netball State Championships in Sydney last week. Tina travelled with family to Sydney and played games against players from all over NSW. Tina enjoyed the experience, learning more netball skills and meeting lots of new people. Well done Tina.

Last week's newsletter incorrectly stated that we had \$**** worth of books sold at the Book Fair. It should have read \$1581 worth of books was sold at the book fair.

Students in 4B have been writing narratives based on the book 'Ark in the Park'. John Broadbent impressed Mrs Brown when he continued the end of the story by adding an interesting twist. Well done, John!



Total points collected for Griffith Public School to date: **4160**
Our target this year is 20,000 points!



Super Star Collectors (all collecting 60 stickers): Feleti Faigafa, Agnes Anonuevo, Clifton Scenic Vilage, Mele Tuitufu, Lili and Spencer Henderson-Clark, Justin Taokia, Pattison Family, Molly Kaisa and Sarah O'Keeffe
Mega Super Star Collector (90 stickers): Anastasia Vea and Samson Vaireka

Thank you so much and keep collecting.



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Do you use the internet to stay in touch with family & friends?

Do you use the internet for business?

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Are you frustrated by the sluggish speeds?

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The National Broadband Network has the capacity to help through superior technology.

The NBN is a world-class, once-in-a-generation infrastructure project that all Australians can be proud of. It is a significant advancement in the overall quality and speed of broadband.

It will also change the way you work, learn, keep healthy, keep in touch and be entertained.

Come and learn how the NBN is a significant leap in communications for Australia and can benefit you.

Thursday, 7 June, 2012

Griffith Library, Banna Avenue, Griffith

5.30pm – 6.30pm

RSVP: Tuesday, 5 June 2012

(Event will be catered for)

Contact

Anthony Stavinos or Geoff Kingswood at Cultural Partners

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CALL TO ACTION-CHILD FLIGHT

Child Flight, the only emergency helicopter service dedicated to critically ill kids in Australia, We want to hear from anyone who has used the service, anyone who knows anyone who has used the service and anyone who is interested in supporting Child Flight. We have been in operation throughout NSW and the ACT for more than 22 years and we need your help now. Please call Angela Burns on 0419 213 541 or email at aburns@telstrachildflight.org.au

Win a \$5.00 Canteen Voucher Week 7

Give your newsletter to your parent or carer to read. Ask them to sign this slip and put it in the box in the front office. If your slip is drawn out at Friday's assembly, you will win **one \$5 canteen voucher!** Two slips will be drawn out at each assembly.

Student / Family name: _____

Parent / Carer Signature: _____



Country First Credit Union's School Banking Program helps teach children about the importance of good savings habits, budgeting and setting long and/or short term financial goals.

If you would like more information regarding opening an account, please call: 69647333.

Before you consider taking any of our products or services please read our Disclosure Statements relating to our products.

Proud Sponsors of School Banking and the Uniform Subsidy Program. School banking is collected each Tuesday. Please remember to send your child's bank case in if you wish to continue banking.

New accounts may be opened by collecting a form from the school office.



Griffith Public School Fundraising Promotion

Support your local school and help raise money by having fun!

When any student at Griffith Public or a member of their family bowl at Star Bowling, \$1 of their bowling cost for each person bowling will go back to the school.

PLUS

When you book a Birthday Party with Star Bowling they will donate \$10 from that party back to the school.

(Just mention Griffith Public when paying)

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