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**LIVE – LEARN – CARE****Principal's Message**

It has been a very busy week at Seaham this week. Stage two had a fabulous time at the Great Aussie Bush Camp earlier in the week and by all accounts were extremely well behaved and brave during the activities. Thank you to Mrs Bowman, Mrs Imber, Ms Atchison and Mrs Stulz for giving up their own family time and supporting our students.

On Wednesday, we had our athletics carnival. Congratulations to all who tried their best and thank you to Mr Bennett for his organisation. A special mention to Mick Meehan, who collected our 8 shade covers, transported them to the ground, set them up and returned them. Thank you also to the many other parents who assisted on the day.

Today we had a fantastic 'Harmony Day' feast provided by the P&C canteen committee.

The Easter hats looked fantastic and the P&C provided some fantastic prizes. Thank you. I would like to wish all of our staff and families a very happy and safe Easter.

To all of those families that are travelling please do so safely and enjoy your time away.

**Dates For Diaries 2018**Wednesday 4 April  
Zone Touch FootballTuesday 3 April  
P&C MeetingFriday 6 April  
Cross CountryTuesday 10 April  
Paul Kelly CupWednesday 11 April  
School PhotosFriday 13 April  
PSSA Rugby League Gala Day  
Last Day Term 1Tuesday 1 May  
Students return - Term 2Friday 8 June 2018  
Balance Swimming - Stage 1Friday 27 July 2018  
Balance Swimming - Stage 2Mon 13 & Tues 14 August  
Teen Talk Years 5&6Friday 31 August  
Balance Swimming - Stage 3October 22-24  
Point Wolstoncroft Years 5&6Wednesday 5 December  
Presentation NightTuesday 11 December  
Year 6 Farewell**Balance Swimming Scheme: \$85**

Stage 1 - commences Friday 8 June 2018

Stage 2 - commences Friday 27 July 2018

Stage 3 - commences Friday 31 August 2018

Permission notes will be going home early next term.

Payments can be made anytime either by cash or cheque or via the online parent payment (POP) on the Seaham School website.

**PARENTS ONLINE PAYMENT (POP)**

Remember that Parent Online Payments (POP) is an option for families to make payments to the school. This is a secure payment page hosted by Westpac whereby you can pay using a Visa/Mastercard credit or debit card. The payment is accessed from the front page of the schools website by selecting **\$Make a Payment**.

Due to enrolled children's life threatening Anaphylactic Allergic reactions to all nuts and peanut products, we would like to encourage families not to send these products to school with their children. These include peanut butter, nutella, sesame seeds, loose nuts, muesli, nut or chocolate bars or any products containing any type of nuts. We appreciate your support in this matter.

**P&C UPDATE :**

**Just a reminder that the next meeting will be held on Tuesday April 3 at 3:15pm in the school Library. All Welcome !!**

**MEET OUR NEW P&C COMMITTEE::**

President : Mrs Nat Meehan  
 Vice President : Mark Lilley  
 Secretary : Mrs Liz Bacon  
 Treasurer : Mrs Julie-Anne Grono  
 Correspondence : Mrs Allison Imber

**SCHOOL PHOTOS:**

Wednesday April 11 is school photo day. Order envelopes will be sent home with students on Tuesday April 3, 2018. Family envelopes are available at the office.

Please read attached flyer from MSP Photography for ordering and payment information.

**CROSS COUNTRY:**

All students who turn 8 years and over this year will be walking to Seaham Park on Friday April 6, 2018 to participate in the Annual School Cross Country Championships. An information note has been sent home today and is also attached to the newsletter.

**UNIFORM ORDERS::**

Parents paying on POP for school uniforms are requested to send a copy of your receipt to Kim Penfold (Uniform Co-ordinator) via text message so orders can be completed.

**Winter school uniform::** Order form is attached to newsletter and is due back by April 3, 2018

Kim Penfold (Uniform Co-ordinator)  
 0431 307 035

**VOLUNTEERS/VISITORS TO THE SCHOOL:** Please be aware that all visitors during the school day **must** sign in the visitor's book located in the office foyer and pick up and wear a blue visitor badge. This assists us with our school emergency and evacuation procedures and in identifying people on school grounds at all times. This is a mandatory Departmental Policy. All volunteer parents must complete an Appendix 5 declaration which is available in the school office.

**Canteen news::****Reusable lunch order bags for sale::**

Available for purchase from the school office.

Colours available :: green or blue. \$10.50

**Canteen News**

Please find attached to this newsletter, the Canteen Roster for Term 1.

If your allotted day does not suit, please contact Alison Taylor on 4996 4540. Volunteers are needed on Thursdays from Term 2 or the canteen will be closed each Thursday. Please contact Peta Salter on 0403 276 880 or Alison Taylor on 4996 4540.

**Canteen Roster 2018**

Friday 30 March  
 GOOD FRIDAY  
 CLOSED

Monday 2 April  
 EASTER MONDAY  
 CLOSED

Tuesday 3 April  
 Peta Salter

Wednesday 4 April  
 Chrissy Olive

Thursday 5 April  
 Leanne Sullivan

Friday 6 April  
 Kate Davies  
 Celia

Monday 9 April  
 Jess Strachan

Tuesday 10 April  
 Mel Armer

Wednesday 11 April  
 Chrissy Olive

Thursday 12 April  
 RED DAY  
 Jess Strachan  
 Chrissy Olive

Friday 13 April  
 Kate Davies  
 Celia

**Office will be closed Tuesday mornings from 8.30am-9.00am:** Our school office will be closed on Tuesday mornings from 8:30am-9:00am. All emergencies can be directed to the teacher on playground duty.



# Parliament 2018







# Great Aussie Bush Camp





## Canteen Roster - Term One 2018

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday <sup>29</sup>
29 January	30 January	31 January	1 February	2 February
5 February	6 February	7 February	8 February	9 February
12 February	13 February	14 February	15 February	16 February
19 February	20 February	21 February	22 February	23 February
26 February	27 February	28 February	1 March	2 March
5 March	6 March	7 March	8 March	9 March
12 March	13 March	14 March	15 March	16 March
19 March	20 March	21 March	22 March	23 March
26 March	27 March	28 March	29 March Harmony Day E / Hat Parade Chrissy, Ali, Rachel & Peta	30 March Good Friday <b>CLOSED</b>
2 April Easter Monday <b>CLOSED</b>	3 April Peta Salter	4 April Chrissy Olive	5 April Leanne Sullivan	6 April Kate Davies Celia
9 April Jess Strachan	10 April Mel Armer	11 April Chrissy Olive	12 April Red Day Jess Strachan Chrissy Olive	13 April Kate Davies Celia













**CAN YOU HELP ?????????????? WE NEED MORE VOLUNTEERS**  
 If you can help in the canteen please ring Peta on 0403 276 880  
 or Alison on 49 964540

**Mon, Wed, Friday @9.00am Tue, Thur @1.55pm**


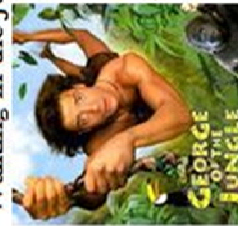







**Please call Peta on 0403 276 880 or Alison on 4996 4540 for more details.**

# Medowie & Raymond Terrace Vacation Care 16<sup>th</sup> – 27<sup>th</sup> April 2018

## Week 1

Monday 16 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup>	Friday 20 <sup>th</sup>
<b><u>Bienvenue</u></b>  Patty Case Birds Pretty Pinwheels  Clever Collages Egg-streme Bugs  Salt Water Painting Piped Pals	<b><u>Clowning Around</u></b>  Dancing Clown Popping Popcorn Puffy Cotton Candy  Circus Tent Ball of Fun Riding Acrobats  <b><u>Incursion:</u></b> Circus-In-Education 10am Medowie 1pm Raymond Terrace	<b><u>Day Dreaming</u></b>  Stained Glass Feathers Dream Catchers  Poster Decorations Bracelet Making Springy Flowers Pressed Nature Ornaments 	<b><u>Excursion:</u></b>  HUNTER REGION BOTANIC <b>GARDENS</b> Making Instruments Nature Activities Music Workshop Play in Boomerang Park  Sage Sizzle	<b><u>Super Kids</u></b> Hero Print Mask Yourself Super Peggy Sponge Away Catapult Challenge Stress Balls  <b>Dress Up:</b> As your favourite Hero

## Week 2

Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Tuesday 24 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday 25 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup>	Friday 27 <sup>th</sup>
<b><u>Into the Jungle</u></b>  Carton Critters Steel Yourself Chameleons Animal Fun Popcorn Boxes Walking in the Jungle  <b>Movie:</b> George of the Jungle	<b><u>Lest We Forget</u></b>  Anzac Hat Army Planes  Anzac Hat Peg Soldiers Cooking: Anzac Slice Poppy Wreath <b>Parent afternoon</b> Tea: 4pm-5pm	<b><u>Public Holiday</u></b>  <b><u>Parent Notes:</u></b> If weather is hot we may participate in water play so please send towel and change of clothes (plastic bag for wet items) each day.	<b><u>Disco Party Day</u></b>  Face Painting Tattoos Mini Disco Balls <b>Games:</b> Musical Freeze and Find the Afro <b>Dress Up: in your</b> Grooviest costume Microphones Glow Jars Groovy Guitars <b>Craft Workshop:</b> Kaleidoscopes	<b><u>Excursion: Maitland Reading Cinemas</u></b>  <b>READING CINEMAS</b> HAVE YOU SEEN THESE GNOME'S?  <b>GNOMES</b> PLAY AT WALKA WATER WORKS 



# School Uniform Pre Order Form

## Due back by April 3, 2018.

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**Payment not required to place order**

	Price	Size 4	Size 6	Size 8	Size 10	Size 12	Size 14	Size 16	Total \$
Unisex Blue Polo	\$25								
Unisex Sports Polo	\$25								
Unisex Long Sleeve Polo	\$25								
Microfibre Jacket	\$37								
Microfibre Trackpants	\$25								
Microfibre Sports Shorts	\$14								
Dry & Cosy Jacket (Rain proof)	\$45								
School Jumper	\$22								
School Hats (S,M,L)	\$13	S	M	L					

Cash/Cheque  
enclosed

\$

Kim Penfold can be contacted on 0431 307 035 for all enquiries about the Dry and Cosy Jacket or general uniform information.

Please place uniform orders in large uniform box inside the school office door. Cheques made out to Seaham Public School P & C. Payments can be made by P.O.P

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**Principal: Craig Partridge** Assistant Principals: Lisa Stewart - James Eagelton - Deb Bowman (Rel)

## **CROSS COUNTRY FRIDAY APRIL 6, 2018**

Our annual school cross country will take place Friday, **April 6, at 9.30am at Seaham Park.**

Students who turn 8 years and over in 2018 will walk to and from the park for this event.

Please ensure that your child comes to school dressed in their sports uniform and running shoes (no spikes please). They will also need hat, water bottle and sunscreen. The first race will be the 8/9 years boys and girls.

**Parent Helpers:** If you would like to help with Cross Country, please complete the attached slip and return to the school with your child no later than Thursday, April 5, 2018.

Thank you.

**Mrs Millburn, Ms Atchison and Mr Bennett**

## **SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY**

I, \_\_\_\_\_ would like to volunteer to help at

**(Name of Parent)**

Seaham Public School's Cross Country on Friday April 6, 2018.

I understand that I will need to be at Seaham Park by 9.30am.

\_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_  
**(Student Name)**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**(Signature of Parent)**







# say cheese

## School Photo Day is

11 April 2018

*Have your child's school memories captured forever*

Please take time to read the relevant information on the MSP Photography payment envelopes and remember these helpful points:



- Don't seal envelopes inside each other. You can pay for all children in one envelope however each child needs to have their own envelope on photo day
- Family envelopes are available at the school office upon *request*
- Please enclose correct money as no change is given. Cash and money orders only (sorry no credit card accepted)

**For any enquiries, please feel free to contact us**

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