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Respectful
Responsible
Learners

LIVE – LEARN – CARE

Principal's Message

Welcome to week 6 at Seaham Public School, another busy week with loads happening in and out of the school. We had a lot of success yesterday with our basketball teams performing well at the PSSA gala day and our debating team winning their round against Dungog Public School. The Knights Knockout has been postponed from today to Friday June 22 due to the condition of the ground.

Movie Night - June 22 is also the date for the P&C movie night. This year we will be screening two movies, one for the infants in the library and one for primary in the hall. Both sessions will screen at the same time. Watch upcoming newsletters for details on times and snack options.

PBL news - This week's community PBL winner is Harrison Roberts for his help and assistance with our PSSA basketball teams. Harrison has a lot of knowledge of the game and helps teachers with refereeing and organising equipment. I look forward to presenting Harrison with his award at the Raymond Terrace Marketplace from 6:30pm tonight. Next week teachers will start handing out D certificates and some more E certificates for those students who have reached that milestone.

Remember student passports are broken into 3 stages. When students receive all three certificates E, D and I they receive their PBL badge. Early next term Mr Eagleton and Mrs Dybell will be attending training to assist us to implement PBL into classroom settings. This looks a little different to non classroom settings as teachers can adjust and focus on areas that suits their classroom and its needs.

Work Experience - Tomorrow we say farewell to Harrison Turner and Lachlan Freer, our work experience students from Dungog High School. It has been a pleasure having them in our school. Mrs Imber and Ms Atchison have enjoyed the extra support and we wish both boys all the best for the future.



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

Dates For Diaries 2018

Friday 8 June
Balance Swimming - Stage 1

Monday 11 June
QUEENS BIRTHDAY HOLIDAY

Thursday 21 June
Stage 1 - Excursion
Hunter Valley Zoo

Friday 22 June
Parliament
P&C movie night

Friday 29 June
School Assembly 2:15pm

Thursday 5 July
Public Speaking Finals

Friday 6 July
Jump Rope for Heart - Jump Off
Last Day Term 2

School Resumes
Students return - Tuesday 24 July

Friday 27 July
Balance Swimming - Stage 2

Mon 13 & Tues 14 August
Teen Talk Years 5&6

Friday 31 August
Balance Swimming - Stage 3

October 22-24
Point Wolstoncroft Years 5&6

Wednesday 5 December
Presentation Night

Tuesday 11 December
Year 6 Farewell

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.

FRIDAY MORNINGS

8:30AM TO 8:50AM

HOT MILO AND HAM & CHEESE TOASTIES
HOT MILO \$1, HAM & CHEESE TOASTIES 50c

ALSO:: SEE THE MENU BELOW FOR NEW ITEMS AVAILABLE
ON OUR CANTEEN MENU FROM FRIDAY 1 JUNE !!!

CANTEEN NEWS :: REMINDER !!

Due to lack of volunteers the canteen will now be
CLOSED all day MONDAY.

It will also be **CLOSED** for the **2nd break on Wednesdays.**

We desperately need more volunteers to avoid further closures in the coming weeks. If you could spare a few hours a month it would be greatly appreciated:

Tues/Thurs: 1:25—1:55pm	1 volunteer
Wednesdays: 9am —12:30pm	2 volunteers
Fridays: 9am —1:55pm	2 volunteers

Please contact the school office ASAP if you are able to help out.
Or contact Kelly Laver on 0447 027 159 or
Peta Salter on 0403 276 880.

Thankyou
Canteen Committee

Canteen Roster 2018

Friday 8 June
Kate & Celia

Monday 11 June
Queens Birthday - CLOSED

Tuesday 12 June
Leanne Sullivan

Wednesday 13 June
Chrissy Olive

Thursday 14 June
Annette Harding
Jade Roberts

Friday 15 June
Kelly Laver
Sam Mella

Monday 18 June
CLOSED

Tuesday 19 June
VOLUNTEER NEEDED

Wednesday 20 June
VOLUNTEER NEEDED

Thursday 21 June
Mel Armer

Friday 22 June
Kate Davies
Sam Mella

Good for Kids good for life

EDIBLE GARDENS

Vegetable and herb gardens are a fantastic way to get the kids interested in vegetables. And even better, they help you to save money on the groceries. Here are some tips to get you started:

- Choose a sunny spot in your garden close to a water source
- To save time purchase a raised garden bed from your local hardware store or to save money simply build your own with treated pine.
- Do a little bit of research as to what vegetables are in season to get the best results
- To save money on fertilisers you can make your own compost from vegetable scraps in the kitchen
- Get the kids involved and have fun!



Health
Hunter New England
Local Health District

PHONE 4924 6499

NEW ITEMS ON THE CANTEEN MENU

Macaroni Cheese \$3.00

Beef Lasagne \$3.00

Fried Rice \$3.50

(with ham, pork & vegies)

Reusable Lunch Order Bags:

There are reusable lunch order bags available for purchase from the school office for \$10.50. Colours available are green and blue.

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.

**CLASSROOM AWARD
WINNERS
1 JUNE 2018**

KLS

Halle Penglaze, Maggie Lilley,
Zavier Fox & Ellen George

1/2D

Billie Drew, Charlotte Bacon,
Vincent Lenton, Sofia Vella,
Milly Bridge & Tarniah Butler

1/2M

Alex Cutajar, Lila Foot,
Thomas Gretton, Blaze Drew,
Alice Moir & Emma Davies

2/3I

Andrew Stapleton, Miah
Laver, Annabella Macrow,
Caleb Buckland & Lacie Pratt

3/4A

Jack Moroney, Ella Johnson,
Will Letham & Aleisha
Charlton

4B

Lunetta Cutajar, Jack Gretton,
Caitlyn Bird, Shelby Meehan &
Hamish Witcomb

5/6B

Daniel Young, Asha Collins,
Taytum Hanson & Tyler Laver

5/6E

Sophie Letham, Harrison
Roberts, Allana Johnson, Luke
Young & Ben Moroney

**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.

MOVIE NIGHT

WHEN: Friday June 22, 2018

TIME: 6PM SHARP

COST: \$10 – ONE CHILD, \$15 FAMILY

Come and join in our P&C MOVIE NIGHT

Years 3—5 in the school hall

Years K—2 in the Library

- Students to wear warm clothing.
- The hall and Library will be a **KIDS ONLY ZONE**, so remember to bring a blanket, pillow, beanbag or sleeping bag to sit on.

TICKET PRICE INCLUDES:

Popper/Water & Popcorn

- Bring along a few extra coins as we will be selling treats at the break!
- Parents/Carers who wish to stay will be set up in a classroom. Hot chocolate, Tea/Coffee and sweets will be available for purchase.

**REMEMBER YOUR TICKET FOR THE
LUCKY DOOR PRIZE**

PEER SUPPORT

Week 1 : We are commencing our Peer Support lessons next week. The whole school participates in Peer Support for thirty (30) minutes each week. Peer leaders facilitate a small group of students who work together through a number of structured activities. We are working on a module called **Promoting Harmony** helping us define individual and community values, build relationships and improve decision making skills. The module runs for 8 sessions. Our first session enables the children to get to know everyone in their group, agreeing on how they will work together and interact cooperatively with others. They will also begin to think about what is a value and something they value in themselves. We recommend you talk to your children about Peer Support every week, as it will help to reinforce the concepts learned in each session.

James Eagleton

Peer Support Co-ordinator

Debating News

Last Thursday I travelled with several debaters to Karuah Public School to verse their team in the next round of the debating competition in our area. Seaham was the affirmative team for this debate. Allana Johnson spoke confidently and convincingly as first speaker on the topic **"That Australia should block all online games and websites"**, followed by an excellent speech by Bridie Gillon and many convincing rebuttals by Clare Moir. Isis Sullivan also did a great job as team adviser. We won the debate ! Congratulations !!

Yesterday, our second team hosted a debate against Dungog Public School on the topic, **"That kids caught cyberbullying should be banned from all computers and devices until they turn 18 years of age"**. Again Seaham was the affirmative team. Jacinta Brooker was a fantastic first speaker, followed by Travis Charlton, who also gave a great delivery of his key points and our third speaker, Lilly Imber rebutted and summed up well. Jasmine Montgomery was our team adviser with lots of good ideas to help the team. We also won this debate ! Keep up the great work !!

Allison Imber, Debating Co-ordinator

Regional Cross Country

On the day of my Regional Cross Country I ran 2 km. My mum and Dad came to watch. Also my nana and nunu came all the way from Sydney to watch me race. I have been training with my mums trainer. When it was the day of Regional, I was nervous but excited. As soon as I got there I saw heaps of people and kids, but first we had to pick a spot for my family to watch me race. We had to sign in with the supervising teachers. When we got to the little table they gave me a singlet to wear and a little shoe tracker. So before the race you put it on your running shoes so that when you cross the finish line it told the officials the exact time of my run. I came 8th for my age group against other 8 and 9 year olds. It was a fun day.

By Lilly Vella

On 1st June, Charlie Burey, Lilly Vella and Ryan Edwards and myself went to Cessnock Horse track to compete in the Regional Cross Country race. Myself and Lilly made the reserves for the state team. Everyone had a lot of fun.

By Ash Wade

Boys Soccer

On Monday our boys soccer team went to Wallalong Park oval and played in the PSSA soccer competition against Irrawang Public School. Irrawang was a good team. Unfortunately we lost 5 goals to 1. Zac Tomkins scored our only goal. The boys enjoyed a good game.

Thank you Mr Bennett.

By Jake Bird and Alex Drew



Girls Soccer

On Monday 3rd June our girls soccer team played at Wallalong Park oval against Irrawang Public School. Our girls proudly won, scoring 4 goals to 1. Allana scored all four goals - 2 in the first half and 2 in the second half.

Well done Allana !We had a great day!

Thank you Mrs Bowman.

By Isabella Broad, Clare Harding & Annaliese Caukwell.

Girls Basketball

On Wednesday 6 June the girls basketball team played at Maitland Basketball Federation Centre. We played three games. Unfortunately we lost all three games. We played Tanilba Bay, Woodbury and Cessnock Public Schools. The first game was Tanilba Bay 32 to 16. Our second game we lost 16 to 9 and our third game we lost 24 to 15. We may have lost but we still had a great time. Thanks to

Mrs Milburn for being our Basketball Coach. Without her we wouldn't have made it this far.

Thank you Mrs Milburn.

By Jorja Daskalovski & Lyla Hayward



Boys Basketball

On Wednesday 6 June, the boys basketball team went to a gala day at Maitland Basketball courts.

We were going to have three games but Glen William forfeited. We won our first game 12 - 8.

Unfortunately we lost our second game but the boys put up a good challenge. Thank you to the parents who transported the team and to Mr Partridge for being our coach.

By Ben Moroney and Harrison Roberts

The Travel Expo for 2/3I, 3/4A and 4B was an enormous success today !! We were very impressed with our travel experts and the level of engagement of all students. We would like to thank parents for the amazing variety of food and the effort that obviously was put in at home. Again thank you, we hope to make this a biannual event.
Mrs Bowman, Ms Atchison and Mrs Imber



Travel Expo



Canteen Roster - Term Two 2018

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday29
	1 May	2 May	3 May	4 May
7 May	8 May	9 May	10 May	11 May
14 May	15 May	16 May	17 May	18 May
21 May	22 May	23 May	24 May	25 May
28 May	29 May	30 May	31 May	1 June
4 June	5 June	6 June	7 June	8 June Kate & Celia
11 June CLOSED Queens Birthday	12 June Leanne Sullivan	13 June Chrissy Olive	14 June Annette Harding Jade Roberts	15 June Kelly Laver Sam Mella
18 June CLOSED	19 June	20 June	21 June Mel Armer	22 June Kate Sam Mella
25 June CLOSED	26 June Lucy O'Brien	27 June Chrissy Olive	28 June Peta Salter	29 June Kate & Celia
2 July CLOSED	3 July Mel Armer	4 July	5 July Peta Salter Annette Harding RED DAY	6 July Kate & Celia

CAN YOU HELP ?????????????? WE NEED MORE VOLUNTEERS

Please find attached to this newsletter, the Canteen Roster for Term 2.

If your allotted day does not suit, please contact

Kelly Laver on 0447 027 159 or Peta Salter on 0403 276 880.

Volunteers are still needed as our canteen is now CLOSED on Mondays and

Mon, Wed, Friday @ 9.00am Tue & Thur @1.35pm

**If you need to change your date please ring other volunteers for a swap
and then let Kelly or Peta know.**



Harrison Roberts

For his help and assistance with our PSSA basketball teams.

RAYMOND TERRACE COMMUNITY MEMBERS ARE

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EVERYONE, EVERYWHERE, EVERY TIME



MARKETPLACE LOVE THIS PLACE
FOR SUPPORTING PBL WITHIN OUR COMMUNITY



We value:

Safety

Trust and honesty

Acting responsibly

Respect

In Raymond Terrace we are proud citizens that treat each other with respect, take ownership of our daily choices and strive for a safe community.

Raymond Terrace Community PBL Student Nomination

Student's name _____

School _____

Reason for nomination _____



THOMPSON'S

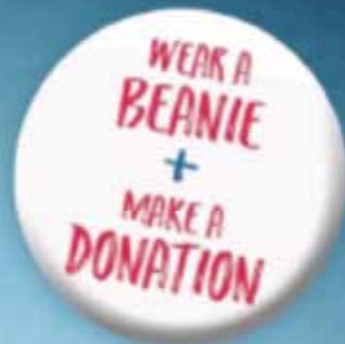
"Let your taste buds decide."

For: SEAHAM PUBLIC SCHOOL

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Let's Fundraise!

Join us to raise awareness & raise funds for Brain Cancer... and we'll raise our hats to you!



MARK HUGHES
FOUNDATION

**Kids
Entertainment!**
Stay tuned for what's
coming!
All for gold coin
donations

RAFFLE

Hundreds of dollars
worth of prizes! Stay
tuned for prizes list.
Tickets \$20 or 3 for \$55

EVENT DETAILS:

**Saturday 16th June,
9.30am ~ 12.30pm
Bowthorne Park**

To support the MHF
Please wear your
beanie to the fields,
even during your
game!

Please give your gold
coin donation to your
coach

The whole family is
encouraged to get
involved!

Take team photos and
add to social media to
help spread the
awareness!
#mhfbearie



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16th June