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Edi the Egret
Respectful
Responsible
Learners**LIVE – LEARN – CARE**

Principal's Message

Welcome to Term two, week six at Seaham. Winter has certainly hit hard this week with the cold snap forcing us to find our school jumpers. During these times our lost property dramatically increases. Please label your child's items. It makes it so much easier to return items if they are clearly labelled with a name. We also encourage you to stay consistent with our school uniform guidelines. Part of our PBL expectations under 'Respectful' include wearing correct uniform with pride. I know these items can be expensive so contact the office if you need some assistance. We also have some second hand items, particularly if your child is in year six. It would be disappointing if your child did not receive their PBL badge because of uniform.

Star Struck - The Star Struck performance, '**No Limits**' is reaching its climax with performances commencing next week. Our fourteen Seaham performers are very excited and have worked really hard to prepare for this great show. A huge thank you must also go to Ms Atchison and Ms Broadbent who have given up many lunchtimes to prepare them.



PBL - Today we recognised the first group of students who achieved their PBL badge. Well done to all of the students. It is a fantastic achievement to achieve your badge by reaching your PBL passport milestones. It is even a bigger achievement to achieve this after only fifteen weeks of school.

Community PBL - This week's winner is Cooper Randall. Cooper is receiving his award because he thought about younger students and had a positive impact on them when he shared some Pokemon cards with them. Cooper had no use for the cards anymore but rather than throw them away he gave them to the younger students and it made their day.



Dates For Diaries 2019

Friday 7 June Stage 1 - Balance Swimming X 5 weeks
Friday 14 June School Parliament 2pm
Friday/Saturday 14/15 June - Star Struck
Friday 14 June School Parliament 2pm
Tuesday 25 June Whole School Public Speaking Finals 9:15am
Thursday 27 June Assembly 2:15pm - 3/4A
Friday 28 June School Parliament 2pm
Wednesday/Thursday/Friday 2/3/4/5 July Stage 3 - Excursion / Canberra
Friday 5 July Last day of Term 2
Monday 22 July Term 3 - Staff return Tuesday 23 July Term 3 - Students return
Thursday 25 July NAIDOC Assembly
Tuesday 30 July Zone Athletics
Friday 2 August Zone Athletics
Education Week Monday/Tuesday/Wednesday 5/6/7 August - Book Fair
Tuesday 6 August Open Day
Thursday/Friday 8 & 9 August Stage 2 Excursion / Sydney
Monday/Tuesday 12/13 August - Teen Talk
Friday 25 October P&C School Fete

FETE - PLANT STALL

Urgently needed - plastic pots, cups & saucers or other crockery pots are needed for the plant stall at our School Fete. If you have any at home that you could spare, please leave them at the school office.

Thank you, **Nat Meehan**



Tuesday 3 December
Orientation Day
all Public High Schools

Wednesday 4 December
Presentation Night

Tuesday 10 December
Year 6 Farwell

Thursday 12 December
Surf Safe

Wednesday 18 December
Last day of term
Happy holidays

FETE - RECEIPES

Recipes wanted!

As part of our fundraising efforts for our 2019 Fete we are putting together a "**Cook Book**" that will be professionally printed and sold to those who wish to buy one. To make this possible, I need parents, grandparents, carers and kids to send me yummy but easy recipes, ie; snacks, dinners, desserts and sweets etc.

If you could email your suggestions to keltmm04@gmail.com with your family name (if you would like it printed below your recipe) that would be great. If you don't have access to email, you can hand write it and hand it in to the office and I will type it up for you.

Thankyou

Kelly Laver

Cook book co-ordinator



FETE - SPONSORS NEEDED

Seaham Public School is a small primary school in the Hunter region, with just over 200 proud students. We're an innovative learning school that is committed to delivering excellence within a rich and diverse learning environment.

In October this year we will be holding our biennial Fete. As part of our fundraising efforts for this event, we will be collating a recipe book using recipes from school and community members, which will be professionally printed and bound in A5 size format, together with photos and memories of our school and students. The recipes book will be available for pre-order or to purchase at the Fete.

We are offering local businesses the opportunity to advertise in the recipe book and to join our school community in celebrating the heart of the family- the kitchen.

It is also a great way to target customers for your business.

Compared to other advertising, a recipe book is something people look at over an extended period of time, and we are offering fabulous rates.

- Full page advertisement \$100
- Half page advertisement \$50

To reserve your space, or if you have any questions, please call Kelly Laver on 0447 027 159 or via email at keltmm04@gmail.com. Please submit expressions of interest by mid-June at your earliest convenience.

We do appreciate your support.

P&C Committee

HUNTER CROSS COUNTRY

Last Friday I travelled to Cessnock Racecourse to represent Port Stephens in the Regional Cross Country Carnival. I was placed 4th in my race which was a 2km run. In July I will be traveling to Sydney to compete in the State Cross Country Championships representing the Hunter Region. I am looking forward to it but I'm nervous at the same time because it is my first State Carnival.

By Lilly Vella



BOOKCLUB

Book Club catalogues go out this week. Orders are due in by Wednesday June 19 2019. Order online using LOOP to earn free gifts throughout the year or leave your form and payment (cash or cheque made payable to the school) at the school office.

Rachel Rapson
Bookclub Co-ordinator

UNIFORMS

There is **no longer** any size 6 shorts available.

Kim Penfold
Uniform Co-ordinator

KINDERGARTEN ENROLMENTS FOR 2020

Names are now being taken for Kindergarten in 2020. If you have a child, or know of a child, that will be enrolling in 2020, please contact the office.

PUBLIC SPEAKING

All students were asked to write a speech to present in front of their class in the coming week. Stage Finals will be completed during Week 7 where the best students from each class will compete for the limited positions for the Whole School Final on **Tuesday 25th June at 9:15am** in the Hall.

Parents, carers and relatives are more than welcome to attend the finals. As with every year, students from Kindergarten all the way through to Year 6 will speak at the finals. We are looking forward to hearing from everyone,

Deb Bowman
Public Speaking Co-ordinator

GOOD FOR KIDS

Good for Kids good for life

CREATING OPPORTUNITIES FOR INCREASING PHYSICAL ACTIVITY

Children should be getting a least **60 minutes** of moderate to vigorous activity (that makes them 'huff and puff') across the day.

Limiting the use of small screen recreation **to less than 2 hours per day** can increase the time for children to be physically active. Small screen recreation includes using the computer, small screen games or watching TV.

Some tips to decrease the amount of small screen recreation use include:

- Work out a TV viewing schedule with your child.
- Limit the use of computers during the day time, where your child could be having fun playing outside.
- Lead by example and reduce your own screen time.
- Break up long periods of small screen use as often as possible.



Source: Healthy Kids



Health
Hunter New England
Local Health District

HNE-LHD-GoodForKids@hnehealth.nsw.gov.au
<http://www.goodforkids.nsw.gov.au/>

CANTEEN SPECIALS

AVAILABLE FROM 8:30AM - FRIDAY 7 JUNE
HAM & CHEESE TOASTIE 50c
HOT MILO \$1

PIE DRIVE ORDERS

ANY FURTHER PIE DRIVE ORDERS MUST BE AT THE OFFICE BY
9AM TOMORROW MORNING (FRI 7TH).

CANTEEN NEWS

As from next week our school canteen will be **CLOSED** on Monday's.
Wednesday and Friday will be lunch order days. At this stage the canteen will be open on **Tuesdays and Thursdays at Recess break only.** Due to a reduction in volunteers it is no longer viable to open the canteen everyday. There will be further closures if we cannot cover the opening days.

Many thanks to the 10 ladies who currently offer their time to the canteen. These women make it possible for the kids to have treats and be given the option of lunch orders.

If current trends continue - the canteen will be forced to close completely.

Thanks

Canteen Committee

NEW ITEMS - CANTEEN MENU

BUTTER CHICKEN & RICE \$4 (GF)

LASAGNE \$3.50

(PASTRY FREE) SHEPHERD'S PIE WITH VEGIES \$3

CANTEEN ROSTER

Friday 7 June
Chrissy & Sophia

Monday 10 June
QUEENS BIRTHDAY HOLIDAY

Tuesday 11 June
Lucy

Wednesday 12 June
Bec Vella

Thursday 13 June
Steph Maloney

Friday 14 June
Chrissy & Sophia

Monday 17 June
CLOSED

Tuesday 18 June
Jess Botha

Wednesday 19 June
Chrissy

Thursday 20 June
Jess S

Friday 21 June
VOLUNTEER NEEDED

SCHOOL24

www.school24.net.au

Registration

Go to: www.school24.net.au

Press the **blue** registration button to create your account.

Enter your unique school ID number to help us match your account with your school.

School name registration ID: **25376963**

You will then be asked to complete your personal details. Once completed click **Create Account.**

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED
MUMS, DADS, FRIENDS, NANS & POPS
ANY TIME IS GREATLY APPRECIATED

Wed & Friday @ 9.00am - 12:35pm - LUNCH ORDERS
Tue & Thur @ 1.35 - 2:05pm - RECESS

If you are unable to attend on your rostered day, please contact another volunteer to change your day or arrange a swap. If you are unable to arrange another day or a swap, please contact Alison Taylor on 0468 742 214.

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.

Session 2 - **Strong me!** This session encourages students to identify their personal strengths as a key protective factor to address bullying and look at ways of utilising these positive attributes to support themselves and others to build resilience. Parents of participating students might like to ask what they said or thought their strengths might be and suggest some more.

ROBOTS

In Library we have been building Lego constructions with robots. We built a drill on top of a 'dashbot'. We were lucky enough to be videoed by Mr Partridge and this was put on facebook. We added lots of decorations and mini UFO's to our 'dashbot'. Blake & I came up with some awesome ideas.

Blake and Jack



COMMUNITY PBL



COOPER RANDALL

Cooper bought his old Pokemon cards to school because he was finished playing with them. Rather than throw them out he gave them to some younger students who were collecting them which made their day.

RAYMOND TERRACE COMMUNITY MEMBERS ARE

S·T·A·R·S

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

Your name



SCHÖÖL24

The preferred method of ordering and payment is via the school24 website - www.school24.net.au

Every order placed through school24 will go in a draw to win a Family Meat Pie! 😊

FRIDAY 31 MAY 2019

Order form to be returned by:

Name:

pie Drive Collection Date: **WEDNESDAY 26 JUNE 2019**

From: **SCHOOL CANTEN**