



Blyth Primary School Newsletter 2018

Small School – Unlimited Opportunities



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News from the Principal

Term One Week 4

Diary Dates

Hello Everyone!

It was really great to see so many families enjoying our recent Acquaintance Night BBQ, and listening to class teachers discussing their routines, and learning expectations for the year. The relationship between home and school is vital in assisting our students to achieve their best and this was a fabulous night for parents to get to know the class teacher, other staff and information about learning that can be supported also at home.

At the moment our attendance rate is hovering around 96% which is above the level of attendance set for schools, but more importantly this demonstrates that our students are committed to coming to school each day to have an opportunity at achieving their best with their learning. Thank you to families for ensuring that students attend whenever possible.

AGM And Governing Council

Thank you to everyone that was able to come to our AGM on Tuesday night. I know how busy small communities are with the many committees and voluntary jobs that need doing so appreciated very much those that were able to attend.

A huge Thankyou to our parents who were able to commit to being on our Governing Council for 2018, and also to those who have taken on the various roles needed within Governing Council.

Thank you to Bec Jamieson who was Governing Council Chair person last year, and to all of the members from 2017 also, for your work.

This year our Governing Council consists of-

Scott Welke– Chairperson

Bec Jamieson– Vice-Chairperson

Kylie Williams -Secretary

Paula Jones– Treasurer

Kate Harvey– Staff Rep

Katherine White– OSHC Rep

Nicole Haitana– Parent Club Rep

Sarah Richards– Hall Committee Rep

Phillip Bigg

Sarina King

Derek Hayes

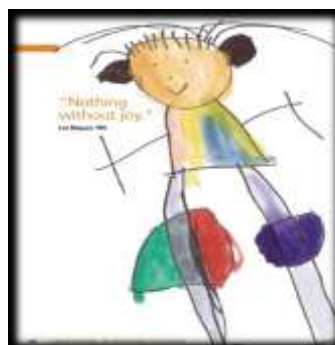
Andrew Reljich

Cherie Stirling

Best wishes & Have a safe fortnight everyone,

Lynne-Maree Hastings

Principal Blyth Primary School



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| 28/02/18 | STAR Breakfast |
| 02/03/18 | Week 5 Progress report home |
| 07/03/18 | STAR Breakfast |
| 09/03/18 | Assembly: Hosts Edo & Caitlin |
| 12/03/18 | Adelaide Cup |
| 13/03/18 | Pupil Free |
| 14/03/18 | STAR Breakfast |
| 19/03/18 | Kyttons orders due 2.30pm Parent Club in OSHC room 7pm Gov Council |
| 21/03/18 | STAR Breakfast Harmony Day |
| 22/03/18 | YEL-Clare PS |
| 23/03/18 | Assembly: Hosts Jack Henderson & Charlie |
| 28/03/18 | STAR Breakfast Kyttons orders collected pm Religious Ed-Easter (To be confirmed) |
| 30/03/18 | Good Friday |
| 02/04/18 | Easter Monday |
| 03/04/18 | Interviews |
| 04/04/18 | STAR Breakfast Interviews |
| 06/04/18 | Assembly: Hosts Tyler & Jayde |
| 11/04/18 | STAR Breakfast |
| 12/04/18 | 2.30pm Community Assembly |
| 13/04/18 | Casual Day 2.30pm Dismissal |
| 30/04/18 | Term 2 begins |



We have been making cubbies, learning how to write letters and numbers, painting, and have done lots of talking about the power of YET!

This means when we can say 'I cant do it... we must add YET at the end! This helps us be brave and try new things.

Mrs Spurling and the R/1 class

Parent Club Update

Parent Club is running a Kytons Bakery Fundraiser drive in time for Easter. Please find the order form attached to this newsletter.



Next Meeting - The next Parent Club meeting will be held on Monday 19th March at 2.30pm in the OSHC room. We will be electing our officers at this meeting so if you wish to nominate or become involved, please come along.

M & S Fee

Payments for any school invoice can be paid direct into the school bank account.

BSB: 105 030 ACCOUNT: 140363740

If you would like to apply for school card you can collect the forms from the front office or you can now apply online at sa.gov.au.

If you would like to organise a payment plan please contact Julia in the office.

Harmony Day

21st March 2018

Wear something Orange

Gold coin donation

Money raised will go towards

Royal Flying Doctors



OSHC is available every school day from 3.45-6pm at Blyth Primary School. If you would like an enrolment form or further information please contact Deb or the front office.

Pastoral Care with Emily - Term 1 Week 4

Hello everyone,

There's no denying certain relationships are more challenging than others, but through each, we have an opportunity to grow and help others do the same. Every relationship teaches us something about loving, trusting, forgiving, setting boundaries, taking care of ourselves, and taking care of each other.

We have been busy working on our relationships at school by spreading the love around. Children made cards or decorating hearts to give to someone special. Even our RATS breakfast team sheared the love with love heart toad in the hole.

Some ideas to help you show gratitude to other people are; Share a specific example of something they did for you and how it made a difference in your life. Do something little but thoughtful for them, like clean up after dinner! Give a long hug, or make them smile. Tell them you're there if they have anything they want to talk about. Let them know they have your full attention.

This week the children are learning how to make button bracelets.

Have a fantastic couple of weeks,

Cheerio, Emily



BREAKING NEWS

RATS Team will now be known as

STAR

Students Teaching Ambassadors
of Responsibility



Acquaintance Night

20/02/18

