

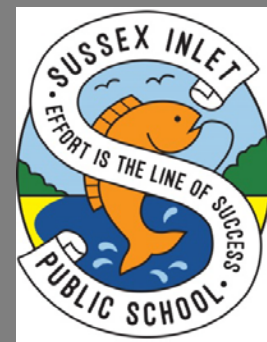
Sussex Inlet Public School Newsletter

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Term 2 Week 10 - 26.06.17

Thank You Parents and Carers!

I wanted to take the time to send a special thank you to the wonderful parents we have at Sussex Inlet Public School! Whether it is supporting us through our P & C, volunteering, attending school wide events, or just walking your child in every morning with a smile, SIPS parents fill our school with positive support! When families are involved student achievement improves, communication increases, teacher morale improves, and family to school connections multiply! As I reflect on the end of the term, I am amazed what we have accomplished together! I know none of it would have been possible without our fabulous parents and carers - so **THANK YOU! THANK YOU! THANK YOU!** I look forward to term 3, when we celebrate our school in Education Week and continue to work as a team, benefiting each student. Have a safe and relaxing break.



Janelle Radke - Principal

Dates to Remember

Mon-Fri	June 26-30	NAIDOC Week
Thurs	June 29	11.30am Assembly - Athletics Carnival Presentations 1.00pm Girl's Soccer Knockout
Fri	June 30	Mufti Day Last day of school
Mon	July 17	Staff Development Day Pupil Free Day 7.00pm P & C Meeting
Tue	July 18	Students return
Frid	July 21	11.30am Assembly
Frid	July 28	Senior AFL Gala Day Rugby League - Paul Kelly Cup

Starfish Awards

Presented Wednesday 21st June, 2017

Faith Nevin x 2, Cooper Moroney, Laini Glover, Corey Price, Vanshika Daruvuri, Liam Murphy, Kasey Ward, Bridie Glover, Melodie Buchanan, Layla McNamara, Kaylee Austin, Jayme Firmstone, Elizabeth Caldwell, Jasmine Harbrow, Jake McLaughlin, Tahlia Zacccone, Nate Thompson, Samantha Leaver, Cameran Brownlee, Hope Pavitt, Miley Lord, Shelby Johnson, Lucas Sargood, Charleigh Jurd, Jack Tekis, Will Shinn, Kai Bowman, Miia Flannery, Rory Kennedy & Matthew Sloan.

Mufti Day Friday

This Friday we will be wearing casual clothes to school in order to raise money (a gold coin donation) for the Breast Cancer Research foundation. Students are being asked to try to add something pink to their outfit. This could be pink socks, pink nail polish, pink hat, pink hair, pink ribbons, a pink shirt, or a completely pink outfit. Let's see how much pink we can see at school on Friday and how much money we can raise for this cause.

Home Reading

Just a reminder that the home reading program for Term 2 has now finished, recording forms and school home readers need to be returned to class teachers ASAP to be in the running for one of Term 2's prizes.

Silverbream



Back Row: Jack Tekis, Layla McNamara, Jayme Firmstone, Faith Nevin, Kaylee Austen, Will Shinn and Thai Hurt

Front Row: Koby Ravasz, Darcy Murray, Lucas Quinn, Layla McDonald, Sanvika Daruvuri and Mahlee Petersen-Flinn.

Absent: Charleigh Jurd

Athletics Carnival Report 2017

Sussex Inlet Public School Athletics Carnival was held on Monday 19th June 2017. We were very lucky to have a dry and sunny day for the carnival. Students were excited and enthusiastic when they arrived at the venue in anticipation of the great day to be had by all!

Thank you to all of the parent helpers who helped out on the day as Timekeepers and parents, grandparents, relatives and carer's who came to support our school and their children.

A huge thank you to Mrs Myra Walker who again went above and beyond to make sure the Thomson Street Canteen was up and running in its usual spectacular form producing delicious, delectable, devourable, delights for all who attended. Thank you to all parents and volunteers who helped in the canteen throughout the day. We can't keep this service up if we don't have your help. A huge thank you to those parents.

A big thank you also to the Thomson St Committee who once again allowed us to use the brilliant facilities and marked the fields on no doubt the best complex in the South Shoalhaven Region. The track was prepared beautifully for the day and it looked fantastic.

These fantastic days held at our school, for the students and the wider school community are made possible by the wonderful staff, support staff and office personnel who work relentlessly to provide these opportunities.

Thank you to all staff!

We had many great results and some very close, exciting finishes. It was so pleasing to see such excellent participation from all the students as they strived to get as many house points as possible. Well done students on your excellent behaviour on the day.

The triumphant House, Age Champions, Track results and District Team is included with this newsletter.

As advised via note home on Thursday 22nd June, a special assembly to present all Athletic Carnival Awards will be held on Thursday 29th June @ 11:30 a.m. This decision was made due to the Senior Soccer and Netball Gala Day held last Friday, 23rd June.

District Athletics notes will be forwarded home as soon. Thanks everyone for your support.!

Anne Elliott

Act for Peace Cupcake Stall

Last week's Cupcake Stall raised \$384 for Act for Peace. I'm still buzzing with excitement over this superb result! Our kids physically ate through \$266 worth of cupcakes on Thursday (we ought to be so proud as we only have 233 pupils). \$118 was raised by selling the remainder at the canteen, teacher's tea room, and via Facebook. I was sold out by Friday lunch.

Thank you to the families who baked and to my helpers on the day - Sue Safi, Sharee Mackenzie & Gary Leaver. Thank you to those who ate & the parents/carers for supplying their pocket money. Students, we were impressed with your good manners and orderly behaviour. It was also wonderful to witness the older students helping the younger ones.

I raised a total of \$3,472.20, well beyond my expectations. The Ration Challenge Community has raised over \$3 million! This is enough to feed 10,685 refugees for a whole year. Well done all of us for making a difference and being advocates for the vulnerable and marginalised of our world.

Look out for my article in this week's Sussex Inletter about my Ration Challenge journey. With many thanks.

Ana Leaver

Lost Property

Lost property will be put out on Thursday, so please

check if your child has lost any items of clothing.

Premier's Debating Challenge

On Wednesday the 21st June, the Sussex Inlet Public School debating teams participated in Round 3 and 4 of the Premier's Debating Challenge against Bateman's Bay and each other. It was evident throughout these debates that the students have used the feedback provided in the first two rounds to improve their debating skills and confidence.

The first debate to take place was Sussex Inlet A Team vs Batemans Bay Public 2. The topic for the debate was, "that we should ban parents from smacking their kids". Sussex Inlet A Team was the affirmative and delivered a variety of great arguments. They can be congratulated on taking out the win. The second debate for the day was Sussex Inlet B Team vs Batemans Bay Public 1. The topic for the debate was "that parents should make kids in Years 5 and 6 do 30 minutes of chores each day". Sussex Inlet B Team was the negative and demonstrated excellent debating skills. They can also be congratulated on a win.

For the final round of debates, Sussex Inlet A team versed Sussex Inlet B team. The topic for the debate was "that we should ban fast food chains like KFC and McDonalds". Sussex Inlet A team was the affirmative and Sussex Inlet B team was the negative. Both teams provided strong arguments and presented excellent rebuttals. It was a close debate but in the end, the win went to Sussex Inlet B Team.

Thank you to our adjudicator, timekeepers and chairperson for helping the day to run smoothly. A huge thank you to the Year 5 and 6 debating students for all of your hard work and enthusiasm throughout Semester 1. You have worked extremely well and can be congratulated on your excellent results in the Premier's Debating Challenge.

1500 Metre Time Trial

The 1500 metre event for 10 years, 11 years and 12 years will be incorporated into the South Coast Regional Athletics Championships, for 2017. Our school will conduct the time trial at 2.00pm, Tuesday 27th for interested students.

The top ten students from all schools in the South Coast will be invited to compete.

Times must be under the qualifying times of Boys – 6 minutes 15 seconds, Girls – 6 minutes 45 seconds.

Sussex Inlet Girl's Soccer Team

Sussex Inlet Girl's Soccer team are into round 4 of the knockout. We play Narooma this Thursday at 1.00pm. Come down to Thomson Street and cheer the girls on!

Boy's 7 a side Rugby League

Congratulations to the boys who represented Sussex

Inlet in the regional finals. We won our first three games and lost to the eventual champions Gerrigong. Thank you to Matt Firmstone and Matt Bettington for coaching.

P & C News

Uniform Shop

The uniform shops operating days are Monday and Tuesdays 8.40am - 9.30am.

Alternatively, you may order via the office

P&C Meeting

Our monthly P&C Meeting will be held Monday 17th July at 7.00pm.

These meetings are held every 3rd Monday of the month (school term). Please always feel welcome to come along to these meetings, as it's a great place to express your thoughts and ideas for our school.

We hope everyone has a wonderful break and we will see you next term.

Mel Sloan - Publicity Officer

Canteen News

Closed Mondays & Tuesdays

Week 10

Wednesday	28/6	B. Tekis
Thursday	29/6	A. Murray
Friday	30/6	H. Goodwin

Term 3 - Week 1

Wednesday	19/7	S. Johanning
Thursday	20/7	M. Penrose
Friday	21/7	S. Carpenter

Volunteers are required from 10.00am until approximately 1.30pm. **If you are unable to attend**, please call Chris Parth on 4441 2921.

Go4Fun

Register today for term 3

Join us in term 3 at:
Berkeley
Gwynneville
Nowra

A fitter, happier healthier kids program

NSW Health
Illawarra Shoalhaven
Local Health District

Call 1800 780 900 or visit www.go4fun.com.au