



NEWSLETTER

Telegraph Point Public School

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Term 2, Week 9

28th June, 2018

CALENDAR

Week	Date	Event	Time
9	Thursday 28 th June	Student Reports go home	
	Friday 29 th June	Athletics Carnival	
10	Monday 2 nd – Thursday 5 th of July	Parent Teacher Interviews	
	Thursday 5 th July	Multicultural Speaking Finals Hastings PS Boys Touch Football	
	Friday 6 th July	Special Assembly 5/6 & 1/2 Tennis Last Day Term 2	2pm

HUNTER PERFORMING ARTS VISIT



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From the Principal's Desk ...

'The ultimate is not to win, but to reach within the depths of your capabilities and to compete against yourself to the greatest extent possible. When you do that, you have dignity. You have the pride. You can walk about with character and pride no matter in what place you happen to finish'. – Betty Mills

Athletics Carnival

Tomorrow, *Friday 29th June* we will be holding our school Athletics Carnival. The carnival will start by 9.30am on our school playground. Students are asked to wear their sporting house colours:

Mariah – RED	Oxley – GREEN
Wilson – YELLOW	Hastings - BLUE

There will be a BBQ running on the day:

Sausage sandwiches will be on sale for \$2

Drinks will be on sale for \$2

Sweet biscuits/cakes with popping candy will also be for sale for \$2.

The P&C would like to put a call out to any Year 6 parents who are will to assist with a donation of cakes/slices or help cook the BBQ at the athletics carnival.

Hunter performing Arts School – Performance

Students from the Hunter School of Performing Arts visited our school yesterday and performed a wide variety of songs and music. From The Jackson 5 to Ed Sheeran, from Simon and Garfunkel to Jerry Lee Lewis. Our students enjoyed dancing and interacting with the Hunter School of Performing Arts.

Hunter School of the Performing Arts is a public, co-educational, selective primary and secondary school which offers a comprehensive curriculum with a performing arts specialty, located at Broadmeadow.

Lower North Coast Dance Festival

The Senior Dance Group was invited to perform at last Thursday's finale at the Glasshouse for the Lower North Coast Dance Festival. Our students lit up the stage during their dance to Wakka Wakka (This Time for Africa) by Shikira.

I would like to thank Karen White and Kirsten Hendriks for all the effort and time that they spent choreographing, preparing the students, designing and making the props to ensure the success of the performances. Additionally, thank you to Tegan Corthals for all her assistance on the night.

Kindergarten Enrolments

We are now taking Kindergarten enrolments for the 2019 educational year. If you are intending on enrolling your child next year please contact the school office.

Charity Drive – Help our Aussie Farmers

Many farmers and farming families in Tamworth, Gunnedah, Dubbo, the Upper Hunter and other areas of NSW are doing it pretty tough right now because of increasing drought conditions. A lot of these farming families are currently going without daily necessities such as toiletries in order to redirect that money into hand feeding their livestock. Because of this we have decided to work together with the Rural Chaplin, Kempsey Stock & Land and Aussie Helpers to collect and distribute donations to farmers that are doing it tough by participating in the 'Doing it for our Farmers Toiletry Drive'.

On Friday the 6th of July, we encourage students to participate in an out of uniform day and come to school dressed as a farmer with a donation of new and unopened toiletries that will be sent to our farmers in the Upper Hunter areas. If you would like to support our farming families before Friday the 6th of July, the donations will be greatly accepted at the office.



Reports

Children will receive their school reports this week for this first semester of the educational year. If you wish to have an interview, please contact the school office to make an appointment with your child's teacher. Please see parent/teacher timetable included with this newsletter.

P&C Meeting

The next P&C meeting is scheduled to be held on Monday 2nd July at 6pm in the school library. We have a busy semester ahead and I would love to have input and involvement from as many families and community members as possible.

Special Assembly

This week's assembly will be a special assembly hosted by 5/6 and 1/2 starting at 2.00pm

New portable PA system

Thank you to the P&C for purchasing a new portable PA system for the school. This purchase will certainly come in handy for the school athletics carnival tomorrow.

Rewards Day – Wednesday 4th July

Next Wednesday, students who have consistently displayed positive behaviour in the playground will be rewarded with a movie and chips during the last part of the day.

Visitors to the school

It is a requirement that all parents, caregivers and community members who are visiting the school during school hours are asked to sign in at the front office.

Library

Library days and times are as follows:

Kindergarten – Mondays at 12.30pm

1/2 – Fridays at 11.30am

2/3 – Tuesdays at 2.00pm

4/5 -Tuesdays at 12.30pm

5/6 – Fridays

School ENews

We are looking forward to another great year. As always, we expect each term to be very busy, full of wonderful opportunities for our students. I encourage all families to read the newsletter each week as this is our primary means of communicating with you and informing you of school events. If you have not previously registered for School Enews, please do so as soon as possible. It is an easy process and will allow you to receive the newsletter and notes via email or app. Details on how to register are included in this newsletter.

Hard Copies of Newsletter

Please be aware that from this week onwards, we will not be printing hard copies of newsletters, unless specifically requested to do so. Newsletters can be found on the website at <http://www.telegrappt-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/>, or by subscribing to the enews app (instructions on how to do this can be found later in this bulletin of the newsletter. If you do wish to receive a hard copy please call the school office on 6585 0224 and speak to Carmel or Kathryn.

Financial Assistance

Please remember that if you require financial assistance to help pay for any school activity this year, to come and see me. We have a number of ways in which to help and please rest assured, all details are kept totally confidential. We would like to see all students involved in our planned activities and if finance is a problem please make contact.

I am looking forward to meeting with you and discussing the educational needs of your children and working together to provide a quality education for all students at Telegraph Point Public School.

Duncan Adams,

Principal

Parent Teacher Interviews

All parents are invited to Parent/Teacher Interviews to speak to class teachers about their child's progress during our Week 10 interview period.

Dates and times for each teacher are listed below. Please contact the Admin office to arrange a suitable time.

Teacher	Class	Date	Time
Mrs Corthals	2/3	Monday 2 nd July	7am – 5.00pm
Mr Chalmers	5/6	Monday 2 nd July	8am – 4.00pm
Mrs White	Kinder	Wednesday 4 th July	8am – 3.15pm
Miss Hendriks	4/5	Wednesday 4 th July	8am – 4.00pm
Mr Jacobs	1/2	Tuesday 3 rd July	8am – 4.00pm
Mrs Fewster	Kinder	Tuesday 3 rd July	8am – 4.00pm

P&C News

The **Athletics Carnival** is this Friday 29th June. Please come and support the school, it is a fantastic day which is always enjoyed by the children. We are always looking for volunteers to help out on the day. Year 6 will also be fundraising on the day of the Athletics Carnival by holding a BBQ lunch that will be available to children and parents.

The next **P&C meeting** will be held on Monday 2nd July at 6pm in the school library. We will be discussing an upcoming Trivia Night fundraiser (a parent's only night!) Please come along and share any ideas you might have to make this night a success!

BREAKFAST CLUB

Breakfast Club Monday mornings. This is complete free, kids can get toast and milo. Thanks to the parents for filling in while Michelle is away 😊

CODING CLUB - Wednesday afternoons. Thanks David the kids really enjoy it!

UNIFORM SHOP - Open Wednesdays, 8:30-9:00 or by appointment. For all your uniform needs, please contact Sarah Hiscock on 0409 442 378.

CANTEEN - Open every Thursday.

Volunteers are always needed so if you can assist with canteen please contact Tracy Wilcox on 0414 855 601.



School Holiday Tennis Camps

Cost \$30 per day 9am - 1pm

Camp 1 9th - 13 July

Camp 2 16th-20th July

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- Ph: Mark Rawlingson 0412 834 336

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JACK AND THE MAGIC BOOK

Artwork by Inala Smith Year 9

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Dates: Monday 30 July, Tuesday 31 July and Wednesday 1 August
Time: 6pm
Venue: Hastings Secondary College Westport Campus

Price: \$5 Adults, \$3 Under 16 and Pensioners
Tickets: Westport Campus Front Office

hastingssecondarycollege.schools.nsw.edu.au

Port Macquarie Campus - Owen Street, Port Macquarie 2444. Tel: 6553 1864. Email: hsc-portmac.school@det.nsw.edu.au
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Date / Venue	Early Bird Code	Cost after discount	Registration Link
Wednesday 11th July Coffs Harbour	WINTAH	\$35 (NB: half day camp)	



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\$5/CHILD/DAY,
\$12/FAMILY/DAY

FREE FAMILY
LUNCH ON THE
20TH AT 12PM

30 Bain Street
Wauchope

For more
information call
Oscar on
0412193354
or e-mail him at
wauchope@hotmail.com

18TH-20TH JULY

9AM - 12PM
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Run by the Wauchope Presbyterian Church

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'Voice of the people'

Name: Leeara (Year 3)

What is the best thing about Telegraph Point Public School?

That you can do lots of different sports like running and high jump.

Who is your hero and why?

My hero is Cat Girl because she uses her cat lasso to save people.

What is the best thing about being a child today?

I get to do lots of new things, like art and crafts and new sports.

What do you want to be when you grow up?

I want to be a Horse Rider and compete in barrel racing.



Name: Tyrone (Year 2)

What is the best thing about Telegraph Point Public School?

Probably playing with friends, making new friends and helping other people.

Who is your hero and why?

My Mum and Dad because they always pack my lunch in the morning and they really love me.

What is the best thing about being a child today?

I think it's that you get to play with toys, you get money when you lose your teeth and Halloween because you get candy.

What do you want to be when you grow up?

I want to be a Policeman so I can get some criminals.



Name: Demi (Year 3)

What is the best thing about Telegraph Point Public School?

You get to meet new friends and learn maths.

Who is your hero and why?

My Dad is my hero because he builds me stuff like massive, massive swings.

What is the best thing about being a child today?

Going to the beach for a swim.

What do you want to be when you grow up?

A Zookeeper so that I can look after Sloths.

