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The Newsletter of Ariah Park Central School Week 8A Term 4 Mondav. 27th November 2017



Year 6 Christmas Wreaths

## PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

This week we have all of Stage 5 on a week block of work experience. We are very thankful to the many businesses that have hosted our students. We are fortunate enough to have students in a range of fields including, health, retail, agriculture, welding fabrication and computing. We wish them all well and are excited to hear about the students' experiences.

This Thursday we are hosting a STEM Challenge against students from Temora West Public School. Without giving too much away, I can tell you that students will be involved in creating, constructing and testing their own designs. We look forward to this and cannot wait to see what is created. We also have our whole school Transition Day on Friday. Every student will transition up to the class they will be in for 2018. This is a particularly exciting day for our new Kindergarten students and our Year 6 into Year 7 students. Parent meetings will be held throughout the day with Kindergarten Parent meeting being held at 2.00pm and the Year 6 into 7 Meeting at 3:45pm for a 4:00pm start.

We also have Intensive Swimming for selected students in Kindergarten to Year 6 this week, as well as a visit from our Police Youth Liaison Officer.

As the year nears an end, we will celebrate and acknowledge the success of our students. We will be hosting our Presentation Night on the Wednesday evening of Week 10, being the 13<sup>th</sup> December. The Presentation Night is scheduled to commence at 7.00pm and we look forward to seeing you all at the Memorial Hall.

Miss Horne – Head Teacher

## CANTEEN ROSTER

Friday, 1/12/17 – R Heath, L Maxwell Monday, 4/12/17 – S Furphy, L Prentice

## P & C REWS

Our next P&C Meeting will be held on Tuesday, 12<sup>th</sup> December at 8.00pm in the school Library. We look forward to seeing you there.

### CARTEEN NEWS

## The NSW Healthy School Canteen Strategy

Printed later in this newsletter is an information page concerning the government's requirements with regard to the NSW Healthy School Canteen Strategy. Please take the time to read through this information.

**Canteen Committee** 

## **SCHOOL DIARY**

## Please note that <u>new</u> items are in bold This Week (Week 8A)

Stage 5 Work Experience – all week

Monday, 27/11/17

Intensive Swimming commences K-6

Wednesday, 29/11/17

Police Liaison Visit

Thursday, 30/11/17

**STEM Challenge Day** 

Friday, 1/12/17

Kinder 2018 Orientation Day

Kinder 2018 Parent Meeting – 2.00pm

Year 6 into 7 Transition Day

BookClub Issue 8 LOOP Orders Close

#### Next Week (Week 9B)

**Intensive Swimming continues K-6** 

Monday, 4/12/17-Wednesday, 6/12/17

**Secondary Excursion** 

Tuesday, 5/12/17

**Electives Full Day** 

**Thursday, 7/12/17** 

**Primary Disco/Afternoon Tea/** 

Graduation

Friday, 8/12/17

Whole School Assembly - 11.59am

### WHOLE SCHOOL NEWS

#### **Dog Vaccination**

As part of the Barking Dogs School Sheepdog Training, we will be undertaking a Vaccination Program for the dogs, administered by Mr John Davey. If your dog hasn't been vaccinated, and you would like it to be, please complete the slip which has been handed out separately to students and return it with the \$30 to the office by **tomorrow** and bring along your dogs on Wednesday. Payment can be made either via cash or

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## SECONDARY NEWS

Secondary Excursion Payment Schedule				
Due By	Details	Amount		
Initial \$50	Only need to pay	\$50		
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expression	pay the initial			
of interest	deposit			
3/11/17	Instalment 1	\$50		
6/11/17	Instalment 2	\$50		
13/11/17	Instalment 3	\$50		
20/11/17	Instalment 4	\$50		
27/11/17	Instalment 5	\$100		
27/11/17	Full payment due	_		
TOTAL		\$350		

#### Year 8

Year 8 completed their Assessment Task. The task was to add an ingredient to a basic muffin recipe, make the recipe and present the muffin for evaluation.

**Mrs McIntyre** 



#### Year 9 - Food Technology

Stephanie, Lachlan and Jack, as part of their Food Technology Assessment Task, had to recreate a Signature Dish on their chosen Chef. All three students chose Jamie Oliver.

(see collage)

**Mrs McIntyre** 

### PRIMARY NEWS

#### **Primary Disco – CORRECTION**

Last week's newsletter stated the Primary Disco would be held on 'Thursday, 14<sup>th</sup> December (Week 9)'....

**Please note:** That the Disco is on **next Thursday**, 7<sup>th</sup> December (in Week 9).

**Also,** between 3.30pm and 4.00pm (when the disco starts), students will share their afternoon tea.

Each class group has been asked to bring a plate of food to share.

**Kindergarten:** Cakes/Biscuits

1/2: Fruit3/4: Lollies5/6: Chips

The Disco will finish at 5.30pm.

**Mrs Jenkins** 

#### **Year 6 Graduation**

Following the school disco on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> December there will be a graduation for the Year 6 students. More information regarding this is in the note, which is going home today.

**Mrs Jenkins** 

#### **Deputy Premier's Visit**

The Deputy Premier of NSW, Minister for Regional NSW, Minister for Skills and Minister for Small Business, Mr John Barilaro, will be visiting Ariah Park tomorrow, Tuesday, 28<sup>th</sup> November at the Recreation Grounds at 1.30pm.

Primary students will be walking down to the grounds to meet him. Mr Barilaro will be formally announcing the successful application for a grant of \$100,000 to upgrade the amenities at the Ariah Park Recreation Grounds.

Mrs Jenkins and Ms Horne will be accompanying the students.

#### **Primary School Captains**

The current Year 5 students have the opportunity to nominate themselves to be elected for the two positions for Primary School Captain for Students who interested are in nominating are currently writing their speeches and will present them on Friday 1st December 2017 (Week 8) to the teachers. We wish all students the very best of luck.

**Miss Pollard** 

#### Year 6 - Art/Craft Class

Students have been learning about Textiles and created Christmas Wreaths using scraps of Christmas materials attached to a wire hanger. They have also been making Christmas decorations. (see collage)

**Mrs McIntyre** 

## SPORT NEWS

Last week we were fortunate enough to have some students participate in an afternoon sport session of Milo Cricket. All students had a great time and showed some impressive skills. This week Year 5 and 6 will be given a chance to participate in the Milo Cricket session during Friday Sport.

Last week also saw the start of our sport at the pool. Just a reminder to any students who haven't returned permission to swim notes to get them in so as you can join us at the pool on Friday.

We also had the grand final match for the Secondary Lawn Bowls Championship. We had Keisha McLean and Brady Edis play off for top spot. Keisha was fortunate enough to take the win and claim the title this year. We also had the semi final in the

Primary Lawn Bowls Championship with Riley Judd making his way into the finals in which he will play against Taylor Heath and Charlie McCormack. We look forward to getting results in our Primary Tennis Championship and Lawn Bowls Championship this week.

**Miss Horne** 

# PREVIOUS ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### Parent Online Payments (POP)

It is now possible for parents to make online payments to the school for amounts owing for students, via a secure payment page hosted by Westpac. Payments can be made using either a Visa or MasterCard credit or debit card, and can be made via computer, tablet or mobile phone. The payment page is accessed from the front page of the school's website (<a href="http://www.ariahpark-c.schools.nsw.edu.au/">http://www.ariahpark-c.schools.nsw.edu.au/</a>) by selecting:

#### \$ Make a payment.

Items that can be paid include voluntary school contributions, subject contributions, excursions, sales to students and creative and practical arts activities (these include band, drama and dance). There is also a category called 'Other' this is to cover items not covered in the previous headings. 'Other' can be used to make a complete payment of a school invoice.

When you access the \$ Make a payment you must enter:

- the students name, and
- class and reference number OR
- the students name, and
- date of birth.

These details are entered each time you make a payment as student information is not held within the payment system. There is also the option to enter the Student Registration Number and Invoice number HOWEVER, these are not used at our school, so please leave this blank.

This is a secure payment system hosted by Westpac to ensure that your credit/debit card details are captured in a secure manner, these details are not passed back to the school.

You have the ability to check and change any details of the payment before the payment is processed. Receipts can be emailed and/or printed.

Details of the payments are passed daily to the school where they will be receipted against your child's account. As a receipt has been issued from the payment page a further receipt will not be issued by the school.

For any enquiries regarding the school's Parent Online Payment (POP) process please contact the School Administration Office. **Please note:** 

School uniform payments and P&C membership fees should be paid direct to the P&C.

The P&C payment details are:

**BSB** – 032 738 **Account Number:** 120021 Please ensure you leave your initial and surname as a reference when making a payment to the P&C.

Melissa Bell Relieving School Administration Manager

#### **BookClub LOOP Orders**

The closing date for BookClub Issue 8 is Friday, 1<sup>st</sup> December. Please ensure you have placed your orders before this date. Thank you.

Mrs Jennings Librarian

## Scholastic Book Club – LOOP Registration

Scholastic Book Club have an online ordering system called LOOP (Linked Online Ordering and Payment) platform. APCS has now registered for this system and you will be able to order online from Issue 8. You can access LOOP either via the web address or via a downloadable App. Which are available in both Android and iPhone formats. (Please see the information sheet below.)

When registering you will need to type your child's name, then select our school and their year group. There is also a gift button you can select, so if you are ordering for a special occasion your child will not be handed the books.

Mrs Jennings – Librarian

# **Book Club LOOP**

LOOP is the Scholastic Book Club Linked Online Ordering & Payment platform.

It's easy to order and pay online for your child's Book Club order using your credit card. If your school is not yet in the **LOOP**, speak with your school's Book Club Organiser.

## Head to scholastic.com.au/LOOP

or





## Follow these **easy** steps!

- Simply grab your child's Book Club catalogue and either SIGN-IN or REGISTER your account.
- Add your child's first name and last initial (so the school knows who the book is for), then select your SCHOOL and your CHILD'S CLASS.

  Note: You can order for multiple children at once if they attend the same school.

Looking for **MORE** product information? Additional content such as videos and downloads are available for select titles. Select your issue and enter the item number to view information on titles and some great resources, such as videos and reviews.



- 3 Click on ORDER and enter the item number from the Book Club catalogue.
- All orders are linked directly to the school for submission to Scholastic. Books will still be delivered to your child's classroom if you order by the close date.

That's it! There's no need to return paper order forms or payment receipt details to your school.





#### The NSW Healthy School Canteen Strategy

The NSW Healthy School Canteen Strategy aims to support student health by providing access to healthy foods and drinks to make the healthy choice, the easy choice. The Strategy addresses school canteens across NSW to support healthy growth and development of children.

Healthy eating is important as it provides students with the essential energy and nutrients they need to learn, play and grow. Children need to eat healthier foods and drinks to meet their recommended requirements. Healthy habits for life are set up in childhood – overweight children are more likely to go on to become overweight or obese adults with an increased risk of serious chronic health problems.

All schools in NSW are supported by the NSW Healthy School Canteen Strategy. All NSW public schools are required to transition to the Strategy by the end of 2019.

#### THE AUSTRALIAN GUIDE TO HEALTHY EATING



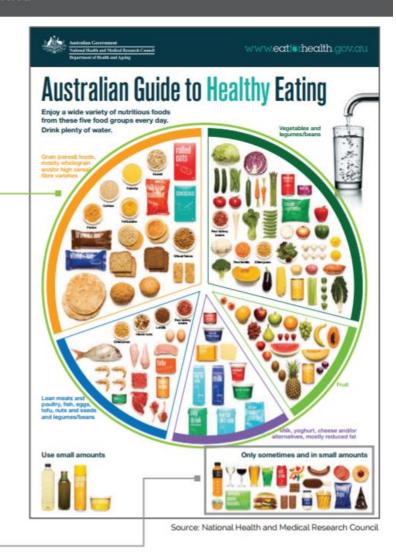
Foods to eat every day
 Fill at least ¾ of your menu with a range of these healthy foods and drinks from the five food groups or meals made from them.



- Foods to eat only sometimes and in small amounts. Mostly foods high in saturated fat, sugars and/or salt and often with little nutritional value. They are not needed as part of a healthy diet.
- Provide only the healthiest choices in school canteens

   those with a Health Star

   Rating of 3.5 stars and above<sup>^</sup> - and limit them to no more than <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of the menu.



## YEAR 6 ART/CRAFT



## YEAR 9 FOOD TECHNOLOGY



#### **Ariah Park Community News**

To be included in the Ariah Park Community News, your ads/notices need to be received by 11am Friday (weekend sport excepted). All notices may be emailed to ariahpark-c.admin@det.nsw.edu.au (preferred method), hand written or faxed



## Ariah Park Swimming Club

PO Box 20, ARIAH PARK NSW 2665

School Newsletter Update - No.6

27th Nov 2017

Well done to all the new members that attended their first race night last Thursday night and congratulations on those swimmers who had promotions (3)

# This week's events for Club Night:

Please email your events to Toni by Wednesday

#### the.mccormacks@bigpond.com

It's important we get them to Toni on time as this can delay the race night start time.

# Club Carnival - Saturday 9th December !!!

Thanks to those families that are attending the carnival on the 9<sup>th</sup> of December. For those families who can't attend, there are still things that you can help with. This is a major fundraiser for the club so it's important everyone supports it.

Donations of fruit or \$10 would be appreciated.

Could you please have your carnival entries to Debbie by this Sunday (3<sup>rd</sup> of Dec) for those attending.

Week 3	
Event No.	Stroke
1.	100m Freestyle
2.	200m Freestyle
3.	12m Freestyle
4.	25m Freestyle
5.	50m Freestyle
5.	100m Freestyle
7.	12m Butterfly
8.	25m Butterfly
).	50m Butterfly
10.	100m Butterfly
11.	12m Freestyle
12.	25m Freestyle
13.	Relays mixed age
	teams



Just a Reminder: The little pool is out of bounds on race nights as per the discussion we had at the meeting last week (minutes to follow shortly!!)



We are having a Take-Away Dinner this Thursday evening after race night. You need to PRE-ORDER to Erin O'Hare if you would like to take home some Spaghetti Bolognese.

There will be a single serve for \$6.00 and a family size for \$20.00

Happy Swimming @



#### **Secondary Excursion Instalment Payment**

Enclosed please find the following payment for the Secondary Excursion:

#### <u>OR</u>

Enclosed (please ✓)	Due by	Details	Amount
	Initial \$50.00 as an expression of	Only need to pay this if you	\$50
	interest	didn't pay the initial deposit.	
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Place return nayments by the due dates				
Pa	rent/Guardian	Date		
	Date of payment:			
	My receipt number is:			
	have made an online (POP) payment.			

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