

Thursday Notice

Jiggi Public School

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Term 1 – Week 3

Learning for Life

Thursday, 15 February 2018



Students of the Week



Erin – for being a responsible student



Chiron– for great reading and trying hard at all his work.

Calendar

Week 3

Friday 16th February 2018 - School Swimming
Summit 1 - 2pm

Week 4

Wednesday 21st February - Excursion to the tip

Friday 23rd February 2018 - School Swimming
Summit 1 - 2pm

Week 5

Wednesday 28th Feb Zone Swimming Carnival.

Friday 2nd March 2018 - School Swimming
Summit 1 - 2pm

Dear Parents and Carers,

Swimming results

Wow! What a fantastic day we had last Friday. I want to congratulate all Jiggi Gems who attended the carnival and were the best cheer squad in history. I think we should have received more points for the enthusiasm our school displayed (while of course being gracious and humble), turns out, we didn't need them because our participation was enough to win the overall shield. I'm particularly excited because we haven't won this shield in 18 years! Well done swimmers! I'm very proud. We also had some excellent results:

Tobi- 1st 8 years 50m Freestyle and new District record (25 year old record beaten by 2.12 seconds).
2nd Junior 50m Breaststroke. 1st Junior 50m

Butterfly. 1st Junior 50m Backstroke. Junior girl champion.

Chace- 1st 8 years 50m Freestyle.

Askel- 2nd 8 years 50m Freestyle.

Joseph- 3rd 8 years 50m Freestyle.

Lilly-Eva- 2nd 10 years 50m Freestyle. 2nd Junior 50m Butterfly.

Syd- 2nd 10 years 50m Freestyle. 3rd Junior 50m Backstroke.

Digby L- 1st 11 years 50m Freestyle. 1st 11 years 50m Breaststroke. 1st 11 years 50m Backstroke. 11 year boy champion.

Johan- 3rd 12 years 50m Freestyle. 2nd Senior 50m Breaststroke. 1st Senior 50m Backstroke. Senior boy runner up.

Miley- 3rd Junior 50m Butterfly.

Brighton- 1st Junior 50m Backstroke.

Our Senior relay came 2nd with Johan, Austin, Alice and Digby L. Lilly, Darcy, Chace and Brighton were our Junior relay team and came 3rd on a disqualification from Nimbin, who stole some random swimmers from the crowd (absolute cheating!).

Congratulations everyone and good luck to Tobi, Chace, Lilly, Syd, Digby L, Johan, Brighton, Austin and Alice who will be representing our District at Zone on Wednesday 28th February at the Lismore Memorial Baths. I am the District team manger so I will be there to support our students.



After school destinations

Our school community know that one of my pet issues is student safety. While I ensure all our students are safe, I've realised that I need to balance that with developing our students into independent, responsible adults. So now, like all other schools, your child will need to know where they are going after school. If there are changes, please tell your child. Of course our young students will need assistance but older ones will need to be aware of

where they need to be. The same goes for permission notes. It's not parent's responsibility to bring in notes and lunch orders. Students will need to be aware of what needs to come in and they need to put their own notes into the office.

School swimming

School swimming starts tomorrow. All students will need their swimmers (togs), towel and goggles. We will be leaving school on the bus at 12.15pm and return at 2.45pm. If you are picking your child up from The Summit, please let your child know.

Library

All students have library on Friday and will need to bring in all library returns and their library bags each week. Diamonds will need a cotton plain pillowcase to do printing with Mrs Close.

Stage 3 activity day

All stage 3 students (years 5 and 6) will be attending an activity day at Richmond River High school on Tuesday 27th February. We will be organising a bus for this. More information will follow, once things have been finalised. This is a great opportunity for our senior students to establish and maintain friendships with other students, who will be attending their high school.

Working with children check

All parents coming into school to help at the tuckshop or in any other voluntary capacity will need to complete a working with children check. I have attached a copy for all parents. Please return along with some phot I.D.

Facebook

Thanks to our parents for working tirelessly in our tuckshop. We have a nutritious and tasty menu now. All tuckshop information will be in the newsletter the week before or on our P&C Facebook page. Please ensure you are a member of this page to receive P&C updates.

Working Bee

At our P&C meeting last night we decided it would be great to have a working bee once it cools down. If you can think of things that need fixing or some improvements around the school please keep a note of them or post them on the P&C Facebook page. We will decide on a date at our next meeting (Wednesday 14th March 5pm) and have a list of tasks we would like to achieve.

Year 6

This year I am looking at ordering Year 6 shirts for our Year 6 students. The students will be allowed to wear these on a Friday only. The shirts will have their names on the back. The cost will be \$35 and they will be navy with red writing.

I can only make one order so money needs to be sent to the school by Thursday 15th March so the order can be placed. There will be no ordering after this date as stipulated by the company.

Nadine Toniello

Opals News

This week in the Opals we did science experiments with Mrs Brito. We did robotics on Monday with Mr Foster. Also we did maths with Mrs Stroud-Watts and Mrs Toniello. Every week we do literacy contracts with Mrs Toniello.

Austin & Monte

Waste Audit

Today a lady from the council came and carried out a waste audit with the students. We examined the bins from all the rooms to see if we are putting our waste in the correct bins ie waste (red bin), recycle (yellow bin) and food scraps (in the bucket).

The school is going to complete the Waste Wise challenge which will involve being more careful with sorting our waste and using the correct bins. It will also be about encouraging the “REDUCE” part of the ‘4R’s’ by cutting down the amount of rubbish we have in our lunch boxes. The ‘challenge’ will also involve the school having special days to promote REFUSE, REDUCE, REUSE & RECYCLE, and other activities.

Tuckshop

Rostered for duty on Thursday 22nd February 2018

Bake – Kath

Serve – Gay



