# **Spring Terrace Newsletter**

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## Term 1 Week 2 2018

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# WHAT'S ON!!

# Term 1 2017

- **♣ Spring Into School** Next Tues 6<sup>th</sup> Feb
- OSSA Swimming Carnival Mon 5<sup>th</sup> Feb
- ♣ School Progress Meeting Thurs 8<sup>th</sup> Feb
- **78 Story Treehouse yrs 2-6 Tues 20th Feb**
- P&C Meeting Thur 22<sup>nd</sup> Feb
- May Cup Atheltics Carnival- Wed 28th Feb

## **School Progress/management meeting**

This Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> February from 3:30pm to 4:30 pm we will hold a school management meeting. The aim of this meeting is to give parents and the community an opportunity to be more involved in decision making about the running and future of Spring Terrace School.

#### **Suggestion Box**

In conjunction with our school management meetings parents and community members are invited to make suggestions about things they would like to see improved, implemented or removed from the curriculum or activities at Spring Terrace School.

Suggestions can be put in the school mailbox or the in the silver box on the office bench.

## 78 Story Treehouse-Orange Civic Theatre

On Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> February the student in years 2 to 6 will see a play based on the novel 78 Story Treehouse.

Students will come to school as normal and be taken to the theatre by the Spring Terrace School bus. An apple city tours bus will collect the students at the end or the performance and return them to school. Mr Scott and Miss Paige will be

traveling on the bus and attending the play with the students.

The cost of the play will be \$12 per students. Apple city are not charging for transport to the theatre and the school will cover the cost of the return trip.

## **OSSA Swimming Carnival**

Congratulations to Sammy, Zakk, Riley, Chelsea and Aiden who all took part in the OSSA Swimming Carnival yesterday. They did a fantastic job of representing Spring Terrace School through their excellent behaviour and determined effort when swimming.

#### **School Bus**

The bus seems to have been working well for those catching it last week. Apple City have been very flexible and willing to work with the school and families. If you have any questions or concerns including your child/children catching the bus from their regular stop or another stop please contact Ryan or Julie at Apple City tours or Mr Scott.

#### **Classroom Helpers**

Any parents, grandparents or community members who would like to help out in the classroom or the kitchen/garden program are more than welcome. If you'd like to do this, please see either Mrs Colquhoun or Mr Scott to arrange a suitable time.



Welcome back to last years students and a BIG WELCOME to any new students.

We will have a separate 'Spring Into School' newsletter shortly from Mrs Pulling with the latest news!





# **Important**: Health/Medical Conditions

If your child has an ongoing health condition or a new condition, please come into the office to discuss matters and fill out the necessary forms. Children with health conditions may need for e.g. 'An Asthma Action Plan 'even if their asthma is only seasonal!

<u>Change of Contact details</u>: If you have changed any contact numbers, your address or doctor please see Mr Edwards in the office with your updated information.

# **May Cup Athletics**

The May Cup Athletics Carnival between Spring Terrace and Spring Hill will take place on Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> February at Spring Hill School. On this day the school bus will drop off and pick at from Spring Hill School. If students aren't catching the bus they will need to be dropped off at Spring Hill by (:30 and collected from Spring Hill at around 2:30 pm.

The may cup is a friendly competition which gives all students the opportunity to participate in event. Students chosen from this carnival will participate in the OSSA Carnival later in the term (date to be set).

Parents and welcome to come along and cheer on the competitors.

## **Sport**

On Friday the students began practicing of the May Cup Athletics Carnival, we will continue practice athletics for sport until Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> February. After the May Cup those students chosen to compete in the OSSA carnival will be given opportunities to practice for their events. We are currently organising some training sessions with an athletics coach.

For the second half of the term Alison Seib will be providing tennis lessons to all students K-6. Part of the cost of the sporting activities that we for the students is covered by a federal government program, Sporting Schools. We ask that parents contribute \$10 per child per term to assist with covering these activities. Students will also participate in gymnastics and swimming lessons later in the year.

Homework for both classes will start next week. This will give teachers a time to assess students' ability to ensure that they are given homework that is appropriate to them.

Parents are asked to let either Mrs Colquhoun or Mr Scott if they don't want their child/children to be given homework.

### Homework