Spring Terrace Newsletter

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Term 3 Week 6

What's on at STPS Year 5 check-in assessment

Wed 26^{th-} Thurs 27th August

Message from the Principal

Year 3 and 5 Literacy and Numeracy Check-in

Students in Year 5 will complete the Literacy and Numeracy Check-In next Wednesday and Thursday the 26th and 27th August. It would be preferable that all these students are at school so that they can all complete the assessment at the same time but if their absence is unavoidable, students will be given the opportunity to complete it when they return to school.

Drink Bottles

Please ensure that your child brings a drink bottle to school each day. We currently have a small number of students who are forgetting most days and we are running of water bottles and plastic cups.

2021 Enrolments

This term we will, as much as possible, finalise our enrolments for 2021. If you have children starting Kindergarten in 2021 please contact Mrs Chapman or myself to get the process underway. If you know of anybody who might be interested in their child starting Kindergarten in 2021, please invite them to contact the school to discuss this.

Coles-Little Tree House Books

On Thursday lunch time students will be able to bring in books to swap. Any donations of these books to be used as classroom readers would be much appreciated.

Mr Peter Scott Principal

News from the Classrooms

K/1 Classroom

Students are continuing on with literacy rotations and developing independent work habits that will assist them to become more resilient learners.

1/2 Classroom

Students are participating in reading and spelling assessments this week to monitor the growth they have made over the past year. Students will also be participating in their literacy rotations and revising Mathematics concepts with a strong focus on multiplication.

3-6 Classroom

The Primary class are reading 'Rowan and the Bukshah' by Australian author Emily Rodda, They will be looking at how authors build suspense when writing. In mathematics we will be doing revision of the work covered so far this term and setting goals for the remainder of the term.

STPS News

Life Education Van – Happy Healthy Harold

The children one again this year, enjoyed Harold's teachings on healthy living and positive habits. Although, it was not an excursion, it was great for the children to participate in this extra-curricular activity.

P&C News

Garden meeting this Sunday 30th August @ 10.00am

- Discussion outline as follows: Jobs for working bee, material needed, ordering products, donations/budget, advertising and COVID.
- Please provide a thumbs up on the FB post if you are able to attend so that we can maintain COVID restrictions.



Tuesday 25th August, 2020

Once again this is such a valuable asset to our school and community please lend a hand.



The next P&C meeting will be held on either Thursday the 3rd or 10th of September at 2pm, more details to come.

Please reach out if you have anything you wish to discuss and have a great week!

Thank you.

Bec - PSC President

Community News

Orange Museum

While most of the Museum's public programs are temporarily suspended, we've moved our weekly Mondays at the Museum program online.

We're releasing downloadable hands-on activities each week inspired by our latest exhibitions. Our newest activities explore computer coding and gaming, inspired by our newest exhibition *Code Breakers: Women in Games*, but you can also explore previous activities focusing on plants and animals inspired by exhibitions from earlier this year.

These activities suit children of a range of ages and make use of materials readily available in the classroom and at home.

Download our online learning resources at <u>www.orange.nsw.gov.au/museum/learn</u>.

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