

 2019 - Year One Term Three Newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers,

We hope you have had a lovely, relaxing break with your families and are ready and raring to go for a fabulous, action packed Term Three!

Here is some information to start the term.

**\*WELCOME**

Please extend a warm welcome to Mrs. Raper who has taken over 1JS on Mon-Wed while Miss Jeffries is enjoying a family holiday in Europe! Mrs. Scott will be on class Thur-Fri.

\***HOMEWORK**

This term, homework will again be sent home on a Monday and is to be returned to school on the Friday of the following week. This means your child will receive a new homework sheet every second Monday, and have 2 weeks to complete the tasks.

**\*GYMNASTICS**

Gymnastics will be every Thursday for 8 weeks commencing Week One. Please ensure your child has the correct sports uniform for this day.

**\*LIFE EDUCATION – HEALTHY HAROLD**

Healthy Harold will be visiting Narrabeen Lakes during the first 2 weeks of Term Three. Year One students will discover the benefits of healthy eating, physical activity, and how our body reacts in different situations

**\*OPEN DAY – BOOK WEEK PARADE**

This year’s Open Day and Book Week Parade will be held on Tuesday August 20th. Classrooms will be open from 9:20-10am, with the parade beginning at 10:10am around the basketball court.

**\*INCURSION – BEE POLLINATORS**

As a follow on from our Science unit on ‘Mini-Beasts’ from Term One, students will participate in an interactive approach to mini-beasts and their habitats. (Week 5 – Friday August 23rd)

**\*ENGLISH**

In writing this term the children will be learning to write using descriptive language and will begin to incorporate this into narratives and story writing.

**\*PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT**

This term, students will be involved in Child Protection lessons as well as continuing lessons from the Second Step program. Parent “tip sheets” will be included on the school newsletter.

**\*N-FACTOR**

Don’t forget that N-Factor is back on this year. Classes will be working hard to provide a wonderful day of entertainment. The performances will be held in Week Nine - Thursday September 19th. Further information regarding costumes and ticketing etc. will be provided in the upcoming weeks

**\*GOOGLE CALENDAR**

Please refer to the SchoolZine App for how to access the school’s community calendar which provides an updated list of ‘What’s on’ around Narrabeen Lakes PS.

**\*ABSENT NOTES**

Please remember to send an absent note in with your child on the day he/she returns to school or via the SchoolZine App.

**\*PARENT HELPERS**

Maths and literacy groups will continue this term if you would like to help please see your child’s teacher.

Please remember to contact us whenever you would like to chat about your child’s progress.

Warm regards from the Year One teachers and Mr. Zappia (Acting Principal).