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School Newsletter

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UPCOMING EVENTS

06/11/19	QHS Transition Day – Year 6
07/11/19	QHS Transition Day - Year 6
08/11/19	Assemblies
12/11/19	Library Book Fair begins
12/11/19	P&C Meeting- 7pm
12/11/19	2 nd Uniform Stall- 8:45am
12/11/19	Kinder Orientation- 9:30am
13/11/19	Parent Helper Afternoon Tea
14/11/19	2 nd Hand Uniform Stall 8:45am
14/11/19	Parent Afternoon for Book Fair
14/11/19	Kinder Orientation- 9:30am
19/11/19	QHS Aboriginal Education Transition
19/11/19	Kinder Orientation- 12:30pm
21/11/19	Kinder Orientation- 12:30pm
22/11/19	Values Pins Assemblies
27/11/19	Last Scripture Lessons for 2019
29/11/19	Last Day for Colour Run Donations
29/11/19	Year 6 Leadership Speeches
03/12/19	KHS Transition Day – Year 6
03/12/19	QHS Aboriginal Education Transition
05/12/19	Colour Run
06/12/19	Assemblies
10/12/19	Presentation Day 12-2:00pm at Bicentennial Hall Queanbeyan
11/12/19	Year 6 Farewell
17/12/19	Reports Home
18/12/19	Year 6 Activity Day
19/12/19	Last Day for Students

Classes 2020

Planning for 2020 has begun. To assist we need to know if there is any relevant information pertaining to your child's class placement for next year. If so I ask that you put in writing any special request you may have and attention it to me.

This information informs our decisions but does not determine our decisions.

Additionally, if you know that your child is leaving us at the end of 2019 we would like to know as early as possible. 1 or 2 students can make a difference in our allocation of teachers for the school.

Behaviour Expectations



Queanbeyan West Public School enjoys a strong partnership with the school community. As a school, we support and reinforce the values you teach your children, in order for them to be safe, respectful and responsible citizens.

School rules are clearly defined and keeping within such boundaries enables teachers to teach and students to learn in a safe and happy environment.

P and C Meeting

The next P and C meeting will be Tuesday 12 November in the school library. The meeting will commence at 7:00pm and conclude by 8:30pm. All welcome to attend.

P and C Fundraiser

Today we are sending home a note and order form for a special fundraiser by the P and C called 'Crazy

Camel- keepsakes featuring your child's artworks. Students have the option to put their artworks on calendars, diaries, pillowcases, tea towels or tote bags.



Artworks will be completed by students as part of their class art activities as they need to be done on special paper. **Closing dates for orders and payments will be Thursday 21 November.**

Payments can be made on line, by EFTPOS or cash at the front office.

Ms Carlyn Bladen
Relieving Principal



2nd Hand School Uniform Day
Tuesday 12 November 2019
Thursday 14 November 2019

8.45am – 9.15am

(for Kinder Orientation mornings)

To be held near the Junior playground area.

Donations greatly appreciated.

Please leave at the front office.

Thank you



Parent Helper Afternoon Tea

Wednesday 13th November 2019



We are hosting an afternoon tea to thank the wonderful people from our school community who volunteer their time to help enrich the education of our students. Helping at school can be things like: assisting in the classroom, serving at the canteen, attending P&C meetings and functions, transporting students to excursions or extra-curricular activities, helping in the Library, covering books, changing home readers, assisting with school banking, assisting with book club, to name a few. If you are one of these people, we would like to invite you to join us for afternoon tea on Wednesday, 13th November at 1:30pm in the front C.O.L.A.

Please call the office on 6297 2020 if you intend to come, by Friday 8th November, for catering purposes.

POSITION VACANT



Canteen Volunteers Needed
on Wednesday's but especially on **FRIDAY'S**. If you could spare two and a half hours it would be very much appreciated.

Changes to Canteen Menu

Calippo's and Vanilla Cups will not be available from Term 4.

Items available from the frozen line include:

Juicy Tubes 60c

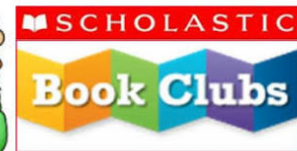
Frozen Juice Cup \$1.00

Streets Paddle Pops \$1.80

Slushy \$2.00

Sweet Chilli Crackers replaced with plain.

An amended menu will be uploaded onto the Queanbeyan West website.



Volunteer Scholastic Book Club Coordinator

Please email the school if interested in this position.

Duties include:

- Coordinate Book Club Orders
- At least two a term
- Liaise with office personnel & Scholastic
- Put out flyers, complete order, sort and distribute

This position needs someone with strong interpersonal skills to work alongside school personnel and community members and ensure they understand the need of a high level of confidentiality.

Kinder Enrolments 2020

We are now accepting Kinder enrolments for 2020. Enrolment application forms are available and can be obtained from the school front office.

Junior Assembly Awards



Friday 8 November 2019
Commences 12.15pm in the
Hall.

KM: Emilia R- fabulous behaviour on the museum excursion.
Amber G- fabulous behaviour on the museum excursion.
Hendrix P- showing interest and asking good questions at the museum.
KN: Olivia S- great talk about the past.
Eleanor L- great effort with her spelling.
Summer R- great effort with her spelling.
KR: Cooper H- improved effort in Maths.
Eric L- trying hard to use neat handwriting.
Eli C- great effort in learning new letter sounds.
K/1K: Liam C- using manners, helping others and doing his best.
Stefani A- terrific participation in daily number talks.
Billee C- excellent organisation of bookwork and beautiful handwriting.
1B: Dilan T- for his "I can do it" attitude!
Kaitlyn D- for an outstanding attitude to learning!
Alicia W- for using her excellent thinking skills to solve problems.
1C: Ciaran D- settling back into school so well.
Zahra S- being a helpful member of 1C.
Christine G- trying hard in reading groups.
1W: Imogen B- for completing a reading wheel.
Mason M- for working well in reading groups.
Austin A- for terrific work in reading.
2H: Adelaide W- having a go at solving difficult maths problems.
Ryan D- trying hard to complete all learning tasks.
Luke C- improved effort in his writing.
2T: Bryson G- for his improved application in all subject areas.
Jessica C- improving her fluency and accuracy in reading.
Angus M- being a kind and courteous class member.
2W: Riya S- for creative writing.
Parker S- for fantastic mental strategies to work out 2 digit addition problems.
Logan A- for excellent improvement in his reading.



Senior Assembly Awards



Friday 8 November 2019
Commences 9:30am in the Hall

3/4D: Junior W- consistent effort with tasks and demonstrating a determination to improve.
Belle D- demonstrating patience and persistence leading to successful learning.
Janelle M- consistently on task, making a concerted effort in all areas.
3/4F: Danny A- being an independent and responsible learner.
Billy K- trying hard with all learning tasks.
Ambrose H- always approaching his learning with enthusiasm and trying his best.
3/4P: Bryah A- her valuable contributions to all class discussions.
Eva S- consistently setting a good example for her peers.
Katya E- demonstrating a great attitude in her first few weeks at Queanbeyan West, well done!
3/4T: Mason B- welcome to 3/4T and QWPS
Mahalia P- working hard to learn her times table facts.
Emily N- demonstrating resilience and perseverance in the classroom.
5/6E: Claire S- for making a smooth and positive transition into 5/6E. Welcome!
Vin K- for critically analysing your product in Inquiry.
Jasmine S- for being a kind, caring and proactive member of 5/6S.
5/6R: Tristan C- for showing determination and focus throughout Mathematics lessons.
Bineth G- for sharing his understanding and knowledge with his peers during Maths.
Alexia H- for demonstrating perseverance and determination during all learning tasks.
5/6S: Jon S- for his dedication towards his Inquiry project.
Ryan F- for always giving his best on all tasks.
Altas L- for having a positive outlook on everything you do.
5/6W: Ethan C- making our classroom a happy and safe place to learn.
Kanishk M- applying himself in all learning areas.
Culeigh S- completing all set literacy tasks.
Cooper W- great reading in literacy groups.
SLD: Aleksandar S - for being in charge of his learning.
SLS: Anthony L - for always showing the school values.
Cooper P- for demonstrating resilience.

SCHOOL STREAM



Instructions for installing & deleting the School Stream App

From your mobile device go to the **App Store** search for **School Stream**

1. Tap the **FREE** button to the right of the School Stream listing
2. Tap the **INSTALL** button
3. Enter your Apple ID and password & tap **OK**
4. Wait for the install icon to change to **OPEN**
5. Tap the **OPEN** button
6. You will be prompted to accept push notifications, you will need to select **OK**
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The School Run4Fun Colour Explosion will be held on **5 December 2019** starting at **10:00am**.

We do ask that you bring a spare change of clothes to school, most importantly a plain white shirt as the students will be covered in powder from head to toe

