



Bulletin

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGES

Congratulations to our SRC who ran a very successful mufti day last week to acknowledge our wonderful RFS and volunteers who worked so courageously during the recent bushfires. The funds raised, over \$500 will be passed on to Batlow Central School whose community was directly impacted by the fires.



As you would be aware, a note was sent home on Monday to notify our school community that in line with the NSW Department of Education directives, Sturt P.S. has cancelled or postponed a number of events until further notice. These include excursions, Athletics Carnival, Debating Workshop, all WW & Riverina PSSA events, Breakfast Club, Whole School Assemblies, Easter Raffle and Hat Parade. These measures are precautionary and designed to reduce exposure via non-essential gatherings.

3 Way Conferences are an extremely important event on the calendar as they set up students' learning goals for the year. Given our unique circumstances this year, they will be undertaken in an alternative way in the form of a conference between the student and the classroom teacher. Parents will contribute to the process "at a distance". Please watch for "conference" details.

A separate note has been sent home regarding payments already made for cancelled or postponed events.

I'd like to congratulate both staff and students for keeping a focus on quality learning in such challenging times.

Three actions you can take to help manage the spread

1. **Wash your hands** regularly and thoroughly.



2. **Sneeze into your elbow** or a tissue, disposing of the tissue straight away and then washing your hands.



3. **Stay home if you are unwell** and in schools, send home staff or students who show signs of being unwell through the day.



Parents are reminded that students **must not** be sent to school if they are unwell. They must stay at home **until there are no obvious symptoms**.

Kerry Barker
Principal

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OUTSTANDING STUDENT



Amelia H

of

Platypus

for

Enthusiasm and dedication to completing all class activities.



Here are some ideas for how to apply highlight concepts into your home life:

As well as applying the Highlights lessons within the delivery of the Positive Living Skills program, here are some suggestions for how the concepts within this Unit could be applied at home:

Asking your children to share the highlights of their school day will embed and expand on positive experiences.

Sharing highlights amongst family members over a meal is a powerful way for families to positively connect and enhance a shared positive outlook.

When children have nothing to do, encourage them to create their own Highlight games ie: think of new ways to teach people about highlights, to encourage their friends to share highlights.

Encourage your children to think of people in their lives they could make a positive comment to and thereby giving the other person a highlight moment.

Encourage your family to share one thing you each love, appreciate, value or respect about each other or appreciate about your family, friends, teacher etc.

Encourage your children to share with you something they like or are proud of about themselves.

AWARDS - TERM 1 WEEK 8

CLASS	HOW 2 Learn	Merit
Kangaroo	Mohammed I Andira K	Eli F Bentley P
Koala	Dakota C Amreen K	William C Magnus L
Kookaburra	Noah M Isaac S	Sophie T Ethan B
Emu	Cooper Anning Samson H	Anna B Laraib S
Goanna	Sienna M Georgie S	Anna-Rose D Alexander B
Platypus	Grace O Paige L	Henry D Cooper M
Wombat	Claire C Isla H	Cecilia C Ace N
Acacia	Hunter S Amelia W	Tyler L Ella-Rose G
Banksia	Zali M Jeremy C	Ariyah S Millie M
Hakea	Zeik P Nubaid J	Jackson N Paige L
Waratah	Kalex B Josh D	Shayla L Max R
Clarence	Jeremiah C Lachlan G	Lachlan M Thane S
Darling	Cooper M Charlie B	Holly O Charli M
Lachlan	Lucy A Zara E	Kaleb H Rhys T
Murrumbidgee	Ambrose M Amahlia G	Izabella W Neve A
Snowy	Cruz K Tyler D	Hannah R Sarita M

REMINDERS

WEEK 8

Friday 20 March Year 7, 2021 Expression of Interest DUE

WEEK 11

Thursday 9 April Last Day of Term

TERM 2 WEEK 1

Monday 27 April Staff Return

Tuesday 28 April Students Return

CANTEEN SPECIALS

WEEK 9 \$5 Meal Deal

Teriyaki chicken sushi with milk and Sipahh straw.

WEEK 10 \$5 Meal Deal

Pesto and Pumpkin fresh scroll, popcorn and a random drink.

NOTES SENT HOME

- Year 7, 2021 Expression of Interest
- Chicken Pox Alert
- Important Message
- Funds paid for cancelled or postponed events