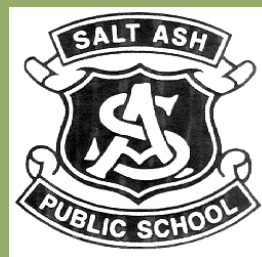


# Salt Ash Public School Newsletter

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Term Two – Week 4

Tuesday 17th May, 2016

## Water Contamination Update

Attached to the newsletter is a copy of a report provided by Dept. Defence on recent soil testing of our school vegie gardens and sand pit.

For us this means our current risk management plan keeps everyone safe. It also means we should now be able to dispose of this soil, relocate our garden beds, import new soil and get back to growing.

Additional to these results, the Dept. of Education through its Asset Management Unit has engaged independent consultants to carry out testing of the school grounds. These test will be carried out on samples from our vegie gardens and sand pit and also on soil samples from our playground.

If you have any questions about the process please call in to school to discuss.

## P&C Disco

I'm not sure how much dancing there was but the kids had a great time last Thursday night at the disco. The P&C also made valuable funds to support our students learning.

Our P&C volunteers do a fabulous job supporting the school and the kids in general. Raffles, hot cross bun and pie drives, Mother's Day stall, canteen, uniform shop and the list goes on are all provided by hard working volunteers who care about the school and the kids. Thank you to you all.

## School Times

Our school operates from 8:25am until 2:40pm each day and supervision is provided on site during this time. Staff are not on duty before 8:25am and supervision cannot be guaranteed before this time.

Students will be supervised at the end of the school day until collected by their parents or their bus.

## Lost Property

We have a lot of unlabelled clothing in lost property. This happens a lot during the change of

seasons. The best way to ensure your child brings their clothing home is to clearly label it. When found we will return labelled clothing to students but we can't if it does not have a name on it.

## Award Recipients

Congratulations go to the following students for receiving their Bronze, Silver, gold and platinum award:

### Bronze:

Cain Broadfoot, Chloe Bowden, Joshua Wolinski, Ocea Liston-Smith, Hayley Parnell.

### Silver:

Jordi Eggmolesse, Alexander Marshall, Joshua Wolinski.

### Gold:

Jack Catford-Jones, Stella Logan, Jamison Marshall, Mia Pine, Sophie Wyatt, Zachary Zucca, Kobi House, Lewis Brown, Maddison Mitchell, Sophie Robinson, Joanne Booth.

### Platinum:

Tara Kenny, Addison Towers.

## Upcoming Dates

### P&C Meeting

Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> May 5:00pm

### 100% Attendance Sausage Sizzle

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> May

**Netball Knockout**

Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> May

**K-2 History Excursion to Newcastle Museum**

Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> June 9 am to 2 pm

**Soccer Knockout**

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> June

**Athletics Carnival**

Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> June

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