

# Salt Ash Public School

## What's On

- 15th May School Photos
- 15-17th May NAPLAN
- 16th May Jets Decorate your Gate Day
- 22nd March Athletics Carnival

## Notes in

## circulation

- Stage 2 & 3 Camp
- Star Struck notes
- Statements of account
- Athletics Carnival

## A message from the Principal

### Mother's Day Breakfast

Thank you to all of the Mums and Nans who came to our Mother's Day Breakfast. What a lovely morning it was to spend out of the wind with a cuppa and a scone with jam and cream. Your children really appreciated you spending the morning with them. I hope they spoilt you on Mother's Day yesterday.

### PBL

Congratulations to Gabby Rooney for being the first recipient of our Community PBL award last Thursday evening at Raymond Terrace MarketPlace. Gabby was lucky enough to have Commonwealth Games Gold Medalist Natasha Scott, present her with her award. Each week, another student will be presented with this award alongside our partner primary and high schools. Parents and community members are requested to nominate SAPS students they see in the community displaying our PBL values of Positive Respectful and Safe Learners. A nomination form is attached to this newsletter. The Men's Shed are currently building us a nomination box for us however until we receive this please drop nomination forms into the office.



### Jets 'Decorate Your School Gate'

On Wednesday afternoon, students will decorate the school gate in Newcastle Jets colours, red, blue and gold in order to go in the running to have the Jets run a clinic at our school. Students are invited to wear blue, red or gold clothing or Jets merchandise (no other team, code or country please). Home-made Jets signs are also welcomed to be displayed on the fence. A whole school photo will be taken and sent in as our entry.

### NAPLAN

Just a reminder that NAPLAN is on this week for Year 3 and Year 5 students. Language Conventions and Writing will occur on Tuesday, Reading on Wednesday and Numeracy on Thursday with Friday set aside as a make-up day.



### **Visiting and volunteering procedures**

Please remember whenever visiting or volunteering at the school that you must sign in and out at the office. This includes when working in the canteen, assisting in the classroom, P&C meetings, participating in school events etc... Please also ensure that you visit the office before visiting your child in the classroom. This process supports the Department's Working With Children Policy and assists us in the unlikely event of an evacuation. Thanking you in advance for your assistance with this.

### **School photos**

Just a reminder that school photos are taking place this Tuesday. Full school uniform is required for the day including black school shoes. Students are requested to bring in their photo envelope on the day including correct money or pay online (see envelope for details). Sibling photo envelopes can be collected from the office.

### **Zone Cross Country**

A big congratulations to the 25 students who participated in Zone Cross Country last Wednesday at Lakeside. Everyone did such a great job in their races, with many pushing themselves to the limit in order to cross the finish line. SAPS students' behaviour was to be commended as always. Well done everyone.

### **Statements of Account**

Statements of Account are sent home every term and have been sent home for this term already. These statements display the total fees that are attached to the student at that point in time. The fees will stay on the account until they have been paid. The fee that is shown next to each item is the total that the event/item will cost. In the case of school camp, we have asked for a deposit only at this time, however the total figure appears on the account. This is just the way our electronic financial system works. If you feel there is an error on your account, please let the office know as soon as possible.

### **Parent/Carer Feedback Survey**

Teachers are about to begin the report writing process but before they do this we would like to collect some feedback from parents and carers regarding the semesterly school reports. If you haven't already completed the survey, please take the time to click on the link below to complete the 2 minute survey.

<https://goo.gl/forms/zkOVtQR68YCNZRhs1>

**Holly Deguara**  
**Relieving Principal**

### **Office news**

#### **Lost Property**

There are a pair of reading glasses with a blue frame that have been sitting in the office for over a month now. If you think you may have missed placed your glasses please see the office to collect them.

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# Mother's Day Breakfast



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## RAYMOND TERRACE COMMUNITY PBL WEEKLY AWARD WINNERS



**Piper Griffiths**

For always following the road safety rules when walking to and from school.



**Dean Langdon**

At a sporting event, Dean kindly offered to pay for an unknown person, who didn't have enough money for their lunch. Great work Dean!



**Amber Bradford**

For happily giving up her seat on the bus for a new Year 7 student at the beginning of Term 1.



**Leo Stevens**

For his strong public speaking & leadership skills whilst representing our school at the Raymond Terrace ANZAC service



**Emma Fowler**

For her outstanding representation of Karuah Public School at the ANZAC day dawn service



**Shanay Dawson**

For always striving to help others whether she is at school, on an excursion or in the wider community.



**Jarvis Jennings-Elmes**

For his contribution to the local environment by ensuring that recycling is taking place & nature is preserved.



**Gabby Rooney**

For always displaying positive values & leadership skills in all settings including the community and at school.



**Travis Charlton**

For delivering an inspiring speech on the meaning of Armistice at the Seaham community ANZAC service.



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# Term 2 Calendar

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Week 3</b> <b>14th-18th May</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b> NAPLAN School photos from 12pm	<b>16</b> NAPLAN Jets Decorate Your Gate	<b>17</b> NAPLAN	<b>18</b>
<b>Week 4</b> <b>21st- 25th May</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b> Athletics carnival	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>
<b>Week 5</b> <b>28th May- 1st June</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b> Yr 5 STEM day	<b>30</b> Star Struck 1st major rehearsal	<b>31</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>Week 6</b> <b>4th-8th June</b>	<b>4</b> HRHS Yr 7 Enrichment class test	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>Week 7</b> <b>11th-15th June</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b> Star Struck 1st major rehearsal	<b>14</b> Star Struck Dress Rehearsal	<b>15</b> Star Struck Performance
<b>Week 8</b> <b>18th-22nd June</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b> Pyjama Day	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>
<b>Week 9</b> <b>25th-29th June</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>
<b>Week 10</b> <b>2nd-6th July</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b> Last day of term