

RALEIGH PUBLIC SCHOOL



Nurturing Children in an Innovative and Creative Environment

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Term 2 Week 6

16th June 2015

17 Jun	First Instalment due \$40 – Sydney Trip
18 Jun	NAIDOC Day
19 Jun	Masonic Village, National Open Day
24 Jun	End of Term Assembly, 9.30am
25 Jun	KiK cooking
26 Jun	Last Day of Term 2
13 Jul	Staff Development Day
14 Jul	Students return for Term 3
15 Jul	Woolworths Earn & Learn commences
17 Jul	Small Schools Athletics, Urunga Rec. Field
20 Jul	P&C Meeting, 3.15pm
24 Jul	Tree Day
24 Jul	Sporting Schools, AFL



Dear Parents and Community Members

Last Friday, Raleigh Public hosted the Coffs Harbour and Bellinger Valley Small Schools Network meeting. The Principals from Orama, Repton, Crossmaglen and Bonville Public Schools and the Curriculum Advisor and Principal Liaison Officer met to discuss current issues. Our group was successful in applying for grant funding to support Curriculum implementation and the consistent use of assessment across our small schools. We discussed plans to implement the project during Semester 2.

Pirate Friday

Last Friday we dressed up as pirates for 'Pirate Friday' to raise awareness about Childhood Brain Tumours' and raised \$60. We also added a touch of purple to celebrate 'Better Buddies' Day. In Peer Support groups, the students were involved in a scavenger hunt around the school and some relay games. The students worked cooperatively in the activities and all enjoyed making the Buddy Bears fly in the parachute. Thank you to the leaders for assisting in the activities.



NAIDOC Activities

On Thursday, Orama and Crossmaglen Public Schools will join us at Raleigh for NAIDOC activities. Uncle Mark Flanders, Mr John McQueen and the teachers will be running activities during the day. The three schools will come together and work in groups to participate in a variety of activities throughout the day. There is no cost to our students as Raleigh will cover the expense.

Come and Join us!

Next Wednesday, the 24th June we are holding our End of Term Assembly. Our students will be showing off their beautiful voices with both our Whole School and Performance Choirs singing some of their favourite songs. Our Recorder Group will also be performing. Our school is also really excited to sing our amazing new School Song written by Mei Wei Lim for you to enjoy.

Kids in the Kitchen

Next Thursday, the whole school will be cooking our final Kids in the Kitchen lunch for the term. Last week every child in our school tried the Veggie Fritters. K-2 have decided to cook hamburgers, a meat and vegetarian version. Most students have paid for the term. If your child has not paid, please have \$4 to school by Tuesday morning the 23rd June. It would be great to see all students pay for the final Kids in the Kitchen. Recipe over the page.

"Raleigh Public School develops leadership, builds individual character and promotes social responsibility and respect for others within a safe and caring environment."

Rewards Day

On Thursday 25th June we will be having our End of Term Rewards Afternoon. After Kids in the Kitchen we will be having a relaxing afternoon watching a movie and eating popcorn. We will let you know what movie we will watch in next week's newsletter.

Sydney Excursion

The 1st instalment of \$40 is due tomorrow for the Sydney Excursion. The 2nd instalment of \$50 is due by Wednesday 22nd July. Thank you to parents who have paid.

Vegetable Fritters

3 cups of grated vegies. We used pumpkin, sweet potato, potato, zucchini, carrots, fresh corn (1 cob), shallots and ¼ cup of peas. We mixed all the vegetables with 4 eggs and 2/3 cup of Self Raising flour.

Spray frypan with oil and cook, dollop amounts until brown and cooked through. *Yummo!!!*

Woolworths Earn & Learn

We are excited to be taking part in the Woolworths Earn & Learn program. You can help our school by collecting Woolworths Earn & Learn Points. Just collect Woolworths Earn & Learn Points when you shop at Woolworths between Monday 15 July and Tuesday 8 September 2015. We will redeem these for awesome educational resources for our school. Simply pop them onto a Woolworths Earn & Learn Points Sheet and once it's completed, just bring it back to school or drop it into the Collection Box at your local Woolies. The more we collect, the more we can redeem. There are thousands of products available through the Woolworths Earn & Learn program, and we'd like to get lots of new gear! Products in the range include resources for mathematics, English, science, art & crafts, through to sports gear, library supplies and more. We are grateful for your support and look forward to a successful program. If you have any questions, please ask at school. Earn & Learn Point sheets will be handed out next term.



