



# Kirkton Public School

## Newsletter

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Term 1, Week 11

Achieve With Pride

10th April 2014

**Term 1** is about to end! We've had a very busy and long term! Enjoy your children over the break and we look forward to seeing you all back for Term 2 healthy, happy and well rested.

Some highlights for Term 2 will be;

- ICAS Assessments
- Athletics Carnival
- Science Activity Day
- Soccer Competition
- GRIP Leadership Conference
- Cattle Judging
- NAPLAN

### Parent/Carer Volunteers

Thank you to all the parents/carers who volunteer at our school. Volunteers offer a huge resource and support base for our school community. We appreciate all your time and effort—Thank you!

**ALL volunteers** at our school now need to apply for a Working With Children Check through the RTA before you can volunteer. This can be found on line at [www.kids.nsw.gov.au/working-with-children/New-Working-with-Children-Check](http://www.kids.nsw.gov.au/working-with-children/New-Working-with-Children-Check) where you will receive a number. Once you have your number please take this number to the RTA and the process will be completed there. The school will need to sight your certificate once you have it then it will be recorded on a register.

### Staff Development Day Term 2

Monday 28<sup>th</sup> April is the Term 2 Staff Development Day. We will be hosting teachers from our local small schools as we 'get together' to develop our skills and understandings across a number of educational areas. Students will all begin Term 2 on Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> April.

## Calendar of Events

### April 11

- Easter celebrations
- Last day Term 1

### April 25

- ANZAC Day March

### April 29

- Term 2 commences for students

### April 30th

- Soccer Trials

### May 8th

- Girls Soccer Game

### May 9th

- Cattle Judging

### May 14th-16th

- NAPLAN for students in Yrs 3 & 5

### May 20th

- ICAS Computer Skills

### May 21st

- GRIP Leadership Conference

### June 4th

- ICAS Science

### June 13th

- Athletics Carnival

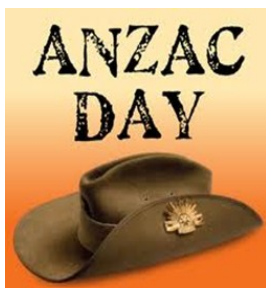
### June 17th

- ICAS Spelling

FLORA

FRIENDSHIP LEARNING OPPORTUNITY RESPECT ACHIEVEMENT

## ANZAC March



It would be extremely pleasing to have a big roll up for this very special event.

As in most years not all students can stay for the entire service but do take the time to march for the school or other organisations. This is not a problem. We will gather at Bailey Park and join the march there. Starting time is usually 10.30 a.m.

Uniforms to be worn –winter and as this is a formal occasion the girls' winter tunic would be preferred. Hats would also be a necessity. For those staying for the service drink bottles would be beneficial. The weather can be fickle – we've had some very hot days and some very cold/wet. Make adjustments where required.



# Mufti Day Tomorrow!

## Assembly Awards 4th April

The recipients of awards are:

Kinder/Year 1: Madison Bailey – Neat and careful handwriting  
Zeb Treacey – Great work at learning his sounds  
Harrison Brownlee — Good listening and trying hard  
Brody Elderton—Good application in Visual Arts

Year 1/2/3: Audrey Dennis — Delivering a well researched presentation  
Ethan Smith – Improved sentence writing  
Millie Standen – Great work in number  
Riley McKewen — Enthusiastic participation in sport

Year 4/5/6: Brock Burgess – Performing well in Maths Assessment  
Macey Howlett – Pleasing work across all KLAS  
Asha Lane – Pleasing participation in class activities  
Jago Lambert – Excellent Maths results

# HAPPY HOLIDAYS!



# THE TERM THAT WAS



Swimming Carnival



Cattle Judging



Nicole made the Tennis Regionals



Macey at Horse Sports



Declan the Masterchef!



Meet the new families disco



Keep Australia Beautiful



## Kirkton Public School P&C News

**Next meeting: Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> May @ 6.30pm**

**Easter Raffle – Drawn tomorrow.**

It's not too late to get your tickets in. Lots of prizes to be won!!!!

**Kirkton P&C Market Stall - Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> April**

Call down for a visit and check out the amazing products on offer or drop in and give a hand if you have some spare time.

### Can Recycling

Don't forget there is a bin located near the 4/5/6 room to drop your empty cans in to. Thank you.



**Mother's Day Stall - Friday 9<sup>th</sup> May**

Gifts have been purchased and will be available on Friday 9<sup>th</sup> May. Gifts will be \$2, \$3 and \$5.

### Staff development Day Catering

Monday 28<sup>th</sup> April is a staff development day (Pupil Free Day). All teachers from the local small schools will be at Kirkton P.S on this day and we have been asked to do some catering for their morning tea and lunch. If you are able to provide something on this day could you please let me know. Thank you in advance. Kristen 0407344196 carmo2228@yahoo.com.au

### Working Bee

Term 2 – Date to be advised.

**Uniform Shop open Tuesdays 2.30-3.30pm**

**Have a lovely holiday break and a**



## Upcoming Events



**April 11**

Easter Raffle

**April 13**

Sacred Tree Markets

**April 28**

Staff Development Day Catering

**May 9**

Mother's Day Stall

**May 13**

P&C Meeting

**June 10**

P&C Meeting

**June 13**

Athletics Carnival Catering

### Minutes and Agenda

P&C minutes can be found on the school website.

Agenda items can be placed in the P&C box in the office or alternatively emailed to: carmo2228@yahoo.com.au

The agenda will be emailed to members prior to each meeting.