

Appin Park News

LEARNING
FOR LIVING
I SHOW RESPECT
I AM RESPONSIBLE
I CARE

13th May, 2021

Save the Date

May

- 14 Grade 5/6 Bike Hike
- 17-19 Grade 3/4 Camp
- 21 School Cross Country
- 26 Classroom Open Morning
- 27 Library After Dark

June

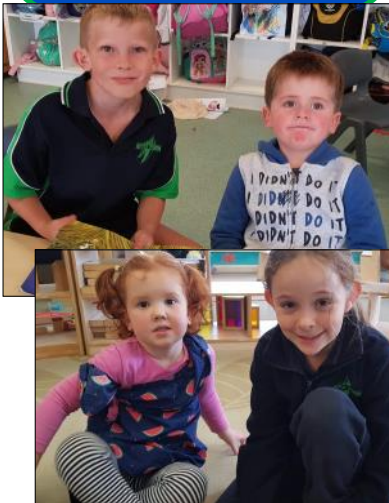
- 11 Curriculum Day
- 14 Queen's Birthday Holiday
- 25 Last Day of Term

Hello Everyone,

It has been a busy time at Appin Park this week. We have been very impressed with the attitude and effort all our grade 3 and 5 students have shown through the NAPLAN testing period. While we understand that it can be a stressful situation, our students just got on with it and did their best.

Tomorrow will see our grade 5 and 6 students head off on their bike hike as the culmination of the Bike Ed program run during PE classes. We wish them a safe ride and thank staff and parents for riding and supporting the students.

Today I had the pleasure of accompanying Mr Kerlin's grade 3/4 class on a visit to Nurture One Child Care Centre. Our students visited the kinder room, read stories and played outside in the yard with the pre-school kids. As you can see in the photos there was much laughter and many happy faces. The initiative and respect shown by our students in a new environment was great to see. It was a wonderful opportunity to get out and about in our local community.



We wish our grade 3/4 staff and students well as they head off to their camp next week. We look forward to hearing all about it when they return next Wednesday.

Education Week Events

Wednesday 26th May – Whole school Open morning 9-11. Come and visit your child's classroom and see what they have been up to this term. We will also have morning tea on the verandah for those who'd like to join us for a cuppa and chat.

Thursday 27th May – Library after Dark – more information in this newsletter.

Don't forget to get APPA sausage sizzle orders in by tomorrow in readiness for next Friday's cross country event.

Fiona Carson - Principal

Certificates of Recognition

**Dean Balfour* **

Sports News

The annual school cross country will take place on Friday 21st May between 11.30–1.30pm. This event is conducted on the bike paths behind the school and all students are expected to be involved. The Year 5/6 students will run 3km, Year 3/4, 2km and the Foundation - Year 2 will run 1km. Everybody will earn points for their sports team and to add to the atmosphere we would like to see students donning the colours of their team.

FROM THE JUNIORS



Some Grade 6 helpers were on hand when the Foundation class used the laptops!

Library After Dark

“Let’s get wild about reading”

Thursday 27th May
6-7pm
Appin Park PS
Library

A night to celebrate nonfiction books

Lucky door prizes
Hot milo

Help Wonder turn BREAD BAGS into SCHOOL PLAY EQUIPMENT

It's simple...

- 1** Collect your empty bread bags and tags
- 2** Recycle them at school in Wonder's pink Collection Bin (there is a separate box for bread tags)
- 3** We'll earn reward points to redeem new sports equipment for every 5kg bin filled!

Our school is in the draw to **WIN 1 of 5** exercise circuits made from recycled plastic we collect!

LET'S GET RECYCLING!

Tag Wonder on social #wonderrecycling to share all your recycling champion stories!

A bread bag is any plastic bag that has contained bread. It does not have to be a Wonder White bag. Flat bread bags are also included. Bags and bag ties can be dropped into the collection boxes in the office. Competition closes on 12th June.