



Strive to
advance together

Upcoming Events:

- ◇ **Wednesday 23rd of July**
Toy Library
- ◇ **Friday 25th of July**
State Cross Country
- ◇ **Tuesday 29th of July**
Dareton Fire Brigade Visit
- ◇ **Wednesday 6th of August**
Pre-school
- ◇ **Friday 8th of August**
Buronga Workshop
- ◇ **Friday 15th of August**
Murray Darling Athletics
Carnival
- ◇ **Thursday 28th, 29th Aug.**
Janice away at Broken Hill
Principals Meeting
- ◇ **Monday 25th of August**
Broken Hill Athletics ?
- ◇ **8th to 12th of Sept.**
Year 6 Canberra Excursion
- ◇ **Friday 19th of September**
Quality Sports at Palinyewah

Pooncarie Public School

Term 3, Week 1

Tuesday 22nd of July, 2008

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Welcome back, I hope you all had an enjoyable break, and everyone is refreshed and looking forward to term three.

A big thank you to those parents who were able to attend the last day of term 2.

Congratulations to the students who just beat the adults in the "Aussie Stress Test". I hope you all were as impressed as I was with the knowledge our students have retained about significant sites in Australia.

As for the soccer match, I think all the puffing and cheating (on the parents behalf) demonstrated how fit and agile our students are!

Also congratulations to Katelin, who will be competing in the State Cross Country in Eastern Creek this Friday. *Good luck Katelin, enjoy yourself!*

There has been some changes to the Term 3 Calendar, so please replace your old one with the calendar attached.

Regards Mrs. Kemp



TOY LIBRARY

Toy Library will be here tomorrow (Wednesday 23rd of July) in the Pre-school building. Remember, everyone is welcome to drop in for a cuppa and a chat.

MULTIPURPOSE COURT

Finally, preparation has begun, please note that workmen will be marking the area on Wednesday this week, **please use the car park on the other side of the school.** Dingo may need some assistance to remove the fence on Sunday or Monday, as ground works are scheduled to commence on Monday. **Please contact Dingo if you are able to assist.**

PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS

I have decided that instead of sending a timetable home, that it would be easier for families to negotiate an appropriate time with me. I am available before school on Thursday and if needed I will be available this week end.

Reports will be sent home over the next couple of days.

Sport News

State Cross Country

Good luck to Katelin as she represents our region in the States Cross Country on Friday 25th of July.

AFL Talent Camp

Well done to Jake H for being selected and participating in a football

development squad in Richmond (Sydney) over the school holidays. We are looking forward to a report from Jake.

Athletics Carnival

The Small Schools Team details should arrive this week. Details will be sent home asap.

Active Sports

Active Sports will be starting next Monday and Tuesday. Thank you to everyone who has supported this program and the students will continue to appreciate your support.

News/Visits

Fire Brigade Visit

We are very lucky to be having a visit from the Dareton Fire Brigade on Tuesday 29th of July (next week) at 10:00. Families and community members are welcome to attend.

School Photos

I have not received the school photos as hoped, we will be following this up and hope to have them to you next week.

Emergency Contact Update

It is essential that we have your child's latest emergency contact information. If any of your details have changed, please complete the attached form ASAP!

Water Bottles

Due to the cost of us supplying water, we ask that student's bring their own water bottles from home. Thankyou.

P&C hot lunches

As of this term the prices of P&C hot lunches has been increased. This is due to price change at cowards cakes.

For our records
please continue to explain any of your
child's absences during the school year.

Please find attached:

- ◇ a new Term Three Calender
- ◇ Emergency Details Form
- ◇ Student Absences Proforma