



Repton Public School

Newsletter – Term 2 Week 7

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Principal's Message

Learning spaces: We are very fortunate to have such great spaces around the school for our students. Teachers have great sized classrooms with decks and various spaces in the room for students to learn in different areas. We also have our kitchen and garden areas which get used for outdoor learning times. Our playground equipment has just had a makeover and soft-fall topped up so that it is safe for our students again. The oval is also a great space for our students to enjoy some recreation between the learning sessions.

PBL: Our students continue to participate weekly in PBL lessons which focus on our expectations to show respect, responsibility and resilience. Every Wednesday, Mrs Atkins supports a class discussion in how we can best use these values in our daily lives. Please take some time to discuss the weekly goal for our school values. What would Flippy do??

Environment Day: We celebrated world environment day on Wednesday with the welcomed donation from the Bellingen Neighbourhood Centre of a Lemon Scented Tea Tree. We are always thinking of how we can support our environment in meaningful ways at Repton Public and we will continue to plan for improvement to our school and community. Our new Eco garden should help introduce some new plants and features to our playground.

School Production: Our school will be performing a whole school production next term with opportunities for our students to perform, sing, dance and entertain the community. If you have skills in sewing, dancing, singing, knitting, set painting or drama skills, please let the teachers know how you may be able to assist.

Have a great week,

Mrs Kristy Glyde,

Principal

REPTON 2019

JUNE

- 18th Repton PS Athletics Carnival – School 12pm
- 19th 9am Repton PS Athletics Carnival -Mylestom Oval
- 27th Young Australia Workshop
The Surfing Scientist- \$6

JULY

- 1st Small Schools Athletics Carnival- Urunga
- 3rd Questacon visit Park beach Plaza
- 4th Responsible Pet Program K/1
- 5th Last Day Term 2
- 22nd Staff Development Day
- 23rd Students Return Term 3
- 24th NAIDOC celebrations

AUGUST

- 7th Education on Show – at Bellingen HS 5pm
- 19-23rd Book Week

SEPTEMBER

- 8th Running Festival – Fun Run
- 9th Life Education Van
- 13th STAR Program 9-12
- 15th Regatta Fundraiser
- 20th STAR Program 9-12
- 25th School Production
- 27th School Colour Fun Run
Last Day Term 3

Thought of the Day

Meeting the needs of individual students through personalised planning in collaboration with families and students.

Kitchen



K/1 were our creative Master Chefs this week. They practised their knife skills, arranged some lovely platters and enjoyed tasting the many different fruit and vegetables together. They also had the added bonus of making a very delicious batch of tomato sauce.

Garden



It was a lovely, sunny day for gardening yesterday and students were busy harvesting turmeric, building bamboo trellises, observing the baby ducklings brought in by Kirra and Marlee and collecting worms for a wormery.

Music



2/3/4 are off to a great start with their small group musical compositions. Students performed in front of their class after a short time practising their repeated melodies and rhythms.

This Week in Classes

K/1



This week K/1 scientists are learning all about insects. Students made some very accurate observational drawings of beetles. Paying close attention to the specific body parts of a beetle including its abdomen, thorax and head.

2/3/4



Literacy rotations - We are sharing our writing with a trusted peer and providing feedback. This is a wonderful opportunity for focussed discussion and clarification of key writing goals. The students are enjoying putting into words what they are looking for in a quality text.

4/5/6



4/5/6 are continuing to work on their small group musical compositions. They're learning how different instruments sound when played together, and how each instrument is able to be heard at different stages of their piece.

Return and earn-

Don't forget if you have any cans or bottles you wish to donate, you can send them in to school fundraising. We are hoping to fill it up by the end of the term!



Kitchen skills:



Over the past few weeks, our students have been practicing their knife skills and creating amazing creations with their chopped fruits and vegies. K/1 did an amazing job, then they had a feast!

Ducky Tuesday

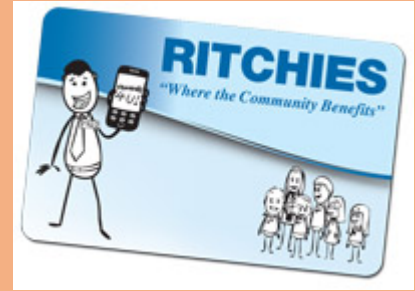
It was a 'quacky' morning yesterday with the arrival of 10 very fluffy ducks to the garden hutch. Mrs Glyde's Literacy group was first to say hello and were able to recall some very interesting facts about ducks.



ENVIRONMENT DAY

Thank you to the Bellingen Neighbourhood Centre who supplied the school with a Lemon Scented Tea Tree to plant in the school grounds. Caring for our Environment.

Ritchies Community Benefit Card Program



Ritchies' Community Benefit Card Program donates a percentage of the money spent by their customers to their nominated club, school or charity. The Ritchies' Community Benefit program can raise funds for your favourite club, school or charity at no extra cost to you!

- These Community Benefit Cards will be able to be collected from our school office.
- Every time you shop you will be asked by one of Ritchies friendly cashiers to present your Community Benefit Card!
- Your card will be scanned at the register, which will automatically allocate 0.5% of the money you spend** to Repton PS.

OzTag

Congratulations to Indica Green who was chosen to represent the 11s girls for Northern Country Knights at the Oztag City vs Country Tournament in the Central Coast over the weekend. Her team finished up in 3rd place.





Fresh Food Kids Discovery Tour



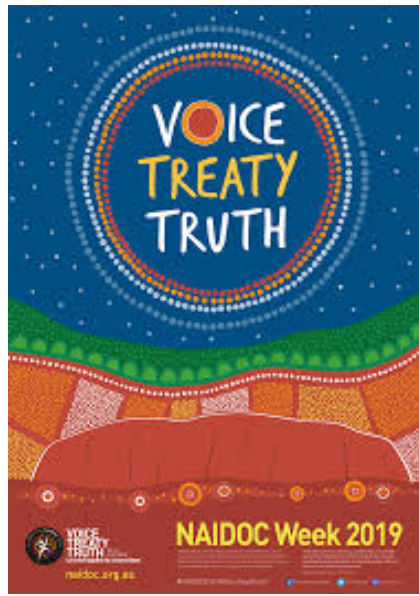
Combined Primary Schools Band Workshop



PRODUCE TABLE EVERY TUESDAY

Students sell produce they have grown at the school on a Produce table every Tuesday and would like to add to this with surplus produce from outside the school that you may be willing to bring in.

SALE THIS WEEK Kids tomato sauce for sale \$2.50 big jar / Turmeric \$1.00 / Succulents \$2.00



The playground has had a makeover



STARY NIGHTS

Last week saw the first of our school astronomy nights go ahead. The clouds cleared just in time for everyone to see Jupiter, along with four of its largest moons, far away in the night sky (640,000,000 kilometres away!) We also viewed the brightest star in the night sky, Sirius, shining brightly in the western sky along with the Jewel Box Cluster, tucked in close to the constellation Crux, better known as the Southern Cross. Stay tuned for our next viewing, hopefully when Saturn, Jupiter and the Moon are all observable.

SPORTS CARNIVAL – 19TH June 2019 at Mylestom Oval

There will be a Sausage Sizzle and Coleslaw \$2.50
OR
Butter Chicken and Rice \$3.00
(kids curry)

BOOK CLUB IS DUE BY
Wednesday 19th June
No late orders taken



6th June 2014

E1

Woolworths tour

Today we went on a tour to Woolworths and first we went to the bakery first then. Secondly we went to the deli then to the seafood section then we went to the freezer which was minus 25 degrees. Then we got to get into groups and shop like a mum we had a challenge for fruit or vegies find 5 types of vegies now our challenge was to get some vegies that atleast one of us brought this week we brought sweet corn, mini cucumbers, beans, brokoli, snow peas, and carrots then we went to the bake room and got to try a custard apple and a persimmon.

Then lastly we got some woolworths bags and went to back in the freezer then when we went out we got to choose some free fruit.

