Repton Public School Newsletter - Term 4 Week 4

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NOVEMBER

- 7th Music-Count us in
- 11th Remembrance Day

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- 12th Chess St Augustine's
- 13th P&C Meeting 5.30 pm
- 18-29th Swimming Scheme
- 21st Public Speaking finals
- 22nd BHS Small school Transition for Yr 6 29th BHS All schools
 - Transition for Yr 6

DECEMBER

- 2nd BHS parent info evening
- 5th Ebor Excursion
- 14th Saturday Bunnings BBQ
- 16th Presentation Day 1:30pm
- 17th Year 6 Farewell dinner/ Disco
- 18th Big Banana Fun day Last Day Term for students
- 19th Staff Development Day

JANUARY 2020

- 29TH Students Return Term 1
- 31st Kindergarten Students start

Thought of the Day

Biodiversity is the key, so we can all live with GLEE!

Principal's Message

<u>Public Speaking:</u> All students K-6 will be presenting their speeches about Our Diverse World next week. Please help your child to prepare for this by listening to their delivery, checking timing and presentation skills. 3 finalists will be selected per stage to be delivered on the 21st of November.

<u>Gardening:</u> Our students have been tending to the school garden with great pride and care this term. Mrs Lemmes has been helping students identify plants, harvest seeds and grow new seedlings. These life skills are so important in becoming a sustainable community and we are happy to share some of the produce with you through our produce table with many of the goods grown by our students.

<u>Ebor Excursion</u>: Looking at our current theme on Diversity, we have decided to take our K-6 students on a trip to see our environmental differences between Repton/Mylestom, through Dorrigo, out past Dundurrabin and on to Ebor falls.

Hot Weather: Thanks to those who have been chasing up hats and applying suncream daily. The weather is changing constantly, and we need to ensure our students are safe in the sun.

Have a good week,

Mrs Kristy Glyde, Principal <u>Return and Earn-</u> 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!



Thank you all for participating in the fire poster competition. We managed to raise \$141.10 The winners were selected by The Book Warehouse, Coffs Harbour and they kindly donated a first and second prize.

The winners artwork are in the picture. Winners were Marlee & Esme.



Class Awards 4/5/6



Kai & Laurin

Student Leader Awards



Eli, Hugh & Laurin Blake, Vivi & Evie

2/3/4



Marley & Felix

Win Bin



Brax, Vivi & Kai

K/1



Brax, Kiri & Edward

Classiest Class Award



4/5/6

Kitchen



4/5/6 participated in an Asian inspired cooking class preparing tempura vegetables with rice paper rolls and nori rolls with a focus on precision plating.

Garden



2/3/4 had a very busy session in the garden. There was watering, collecting worm juice, composting and weeding to do. We also harvested and tasted three types of beans – purple, yellow and green.

STEM



K/1 learnt how to program their Bluebot using the touchpad and iPad. It was great to see the students working with a partner to solve challenges. Fantastic first Tablet Robotics lesson, K/1!

This Week in Classes



K/1 have painted beautiful landscapes of our local area as a part of our Geography unit.

2/3/4

Hands on maths activities provide fantastic opportunities for students to explore and expand their understanding of many mathematical concepts. 2/3/4 used geoboards with a partner so they could discuss their findings in mathematical language. 4/5/6



Congratulations to our 4/5/6 students for their enthusiasm, participation and wonderful behaviour throughout our week-long Sydney excursion. We're all so proud of you! Well done!!



Term 4 2019

Date	Special	Lunch	Recess
		10.30 - 12.00	1.00 - 2.00
Fri 8 Nov		Jo Fitzgerald/HELP NEEDED	Jo Fitzgerald
Fri 15 Nov		Cassie Huxley/HELP NEEDED	Cassie Huxley
Fri 22 Nov	Swim School	No Canteen	No Canteen
Fri 29 Nov	Swim School	No Canteen	No Canteen
Fri 6 Dec		Toni Swain/HELP NEEDED	Vanessa Garrett
Fri 13 Dec		Norbette Nolan/HELP NEEDED	Norbette Nolan

Lunch duties include setting up snacks, service and washing.

Recess duties include service, cleaning and preparing ice cups and fruit sticks for following week.

All canteen lunch orders will be made off site unless you would like to do all preparations – please advise Vanessa if you are doing this. You are welcome to bring in homemade items but please try and keep the sugar level down to ensure we meet "Healthy Canteen" guidelines. You can also more than welcome to run a "Special" that can be pre-ordered. If you'd like to know more about the guidelines please call Vanessa Garrett on 0411 399 032.

HELP IS NEEDED – PLEASE CALL - JO FITZGERALD 0408 823 299



PRODUCE TABLE EVERY TUESDAY

Students sell produce they have grown at school on a Produce table every Tuesday. We would like to add to this with surplus produce from outside the school that you may be willing to bring in. SALE THIS WEEK - Succulents \$2.00 / Hippy astrums \$2.00 bulb / Turmeric \$1.00 / Silver beet \$1.00



Bellingen High School Year 7 2020 Orientation Days

Friday 22 November 2019 - Small Schools (9:00am - 3:09pm) Friday 29 November 2019 - All Schools (9:00am - 3:09pm) Monday 2 December 2019 - Parent Information Evening (5:30pm -7:00pm)

The small schools orientation day is for students from Orama, Raleigh, Repton and St Mary's. All students will attend the All Schools Day. A range of activities are planned to assist with the transition of students from primary school. A letter detailing these events will be sent to all schools in Week 1 of Term 4. Should you require any further information, please contact Bellingen High School on 6655 1315 or email <u>bellingen-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au</u>.