



Repton Public School

Newsletter – Term 1 Week 4

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Principal's Message

Literacy Groups: Our expectations are high this term as we build our knowledge on what each student needs to achieve to become more successful in reading and writing. We are building vocabulary, grammar and comprehension skills with explicit lessons in sentence structures. Well done to all of our students for maintaining a high level of standards for their learning.

Prac Teachers: We farewell Mr Sandstrom and Ms Sandy on Friday. We wish them all the best in their journey to becoming teachers and hope to see them succeed in their university degrees. Thanks for your contribution to our school!

Kitchen/Garden: We anticipated our Kitchen garden program to begin on Friday, however, we have a large number of students attending District Swimming as well as teachers out. We will get outdoors for some learning but may begin rotations next week instead.

Music Tuition: We have had some music tutors contact us with some availability for private tuition. Bridget Bolliger has flute, voice and piano lessons available. Josh McGovern has Guitar, bass and drums. This is at an individual cost for lessons but can be held at school. Contact us for more information.

Swimming: Good luck to those students who qualified to participate at District Swimming at Macksville pool on Friday. We support you.

P&C: The P&C committee has been filled! We are very excited to work together this year and build our home school partnership. We look forward to supporting each other to achieve the best educational environment for all students at Repton Public. Thanks parents and friends for volunteering your time to help us achieve this goal.

Thanks
Mrs Kristy Glyde,
Principal

REPTON 2021

FEBRUARY

- 19th District Swimming Carnival
- 24th Meet the Teachers
- 25th MNC Swimming
NRL Gala Day

MARCH

- 3rd NC Swimming
- 12th District Soccer trials
- 22nd Harmony Day
Down Syndrome Day
(to be confirmed)
- 26th School Cross Country
- 30th Leadership Day Yr6

APRIL

- 1st Last Day Term 1
- 2nd Good Friday
- 19th Staff Development Day
- 20th Students return for Term 2

Thought of the Week

A key to success is
being organised.

K/1



There is so much to learn at the start of school in Kindergarten. Students are learning the school routines and expectations along with important literacy and numeracy foundations. These students are improving fine motor skills while learning the letter m.

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What a fabulous start to our Literacy Rotations with students planning writing through visualising whilst drawing book covers with watercolours. They immersed their thoughts in what they could see, hear, smell, feel and taste in the jungle. The writing was rich and imaginative and the artwork, beautiful. Well done!

5/6



All students passed the rigorous 259 steps of catching mastery during our first cricket skills session. What a lot of fun it was! We managed to find a window of sunshine to demonstrate our skills and are looking forward to next week. Well done, 5/6!

Student of the Week



Win Bin Awards – Jose, Molly & Astrid



Classiest Class – K/1



K/1 Sunny, Sofia & Indi



2/3/4 Jarrah Maple & Ava

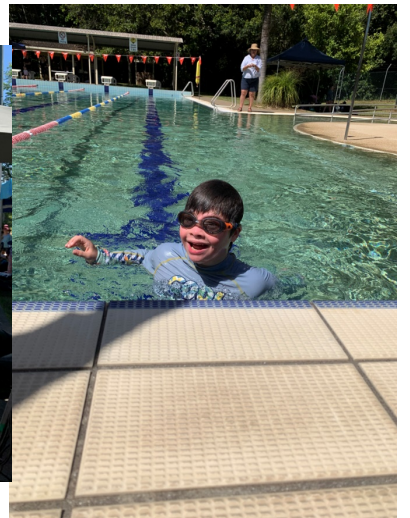


5/6 Lachlan, Larissa & Cameron



Marley, Indica, Tobias, Sylvie,
Lilah & Chloe

Swimming Carnival Success



Creative Art

The study of the creative arts enables young people to engage with and enjoy exploring expressive forms, ideas, and values.



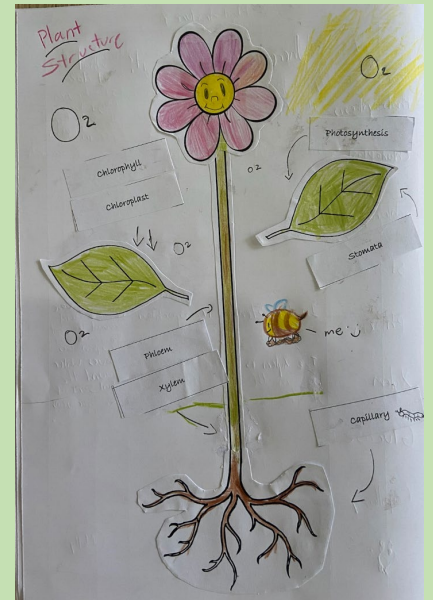
K/1

Students were happy to share their first self portrait at school.



2/3/4

Step 1 of a three-step art project taught by Mr Sandstrom. Students investigated how to make secondary colours from the three primary colours. Next week we will showcase the finished product!



5/6

have been learning about plant structure and growth with Miss Sandy

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!

Mindfulness: This year we are introducing explicit teaching of mindfulness behaviours. Our students and staff will be engaging in weekly lessons that build healthy minds to support learning and wellbeing.



Repton Public School students are:

- RESPECTFUL
- RESPONSIBLE
- RESILIENT



Gumbaynggir Lessons

Dylan Maycock has returned to Repton PS with engaging lessons for our students K-6. Each Wednesday we get some lessons in local Gumbaynggir language. Thanks for this opportunity.



STEM:

This week, students were able to build a set of lungs to see how they can inhale oxygen and exhale carbon dioxide using the autonomic nervous system.



SCHOOL UNIFORMS

School Shirts have arrived, we now have all sizes

Maroon skirts – Limited Numbers and Sizes.

Please see Beverley at the office if you wish to purchase any of these.

Canteen will be operating again this Friday!

Hello to new parents and students.

How to Order:

The best way to order is by writing on a brown paper lunch bag with the money inside. (see picture). You can fold the bag up so the money stays secure. The bags are put into the crates Friday morning. That way all the information I need is written there, and any change can go back into the bag with the food (wrapped separately of course). Ice cups/frozen milks need to be collected from the canteen, so do lasagne's and pizzas. Home made slices, cakes, muffins are available at lunch and recess too. (Any donations welcome).

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Sammy Lawrence

1 x Pie \$3.00

1 x Choc milk \$1.50

1 x Ice cup 50c

Total \$5.00

LUNCH

Pizza's \$3.50

Hawaiian: Ham & pineapple & cheese

Sunshine: Pineapple & cheese

Greenie: Spinach/greens from garden & feta & cheese

Margarita: Tomato, herbs & cheese



Nachos - \$3.50 GF

Meat or bean with sour cream & cheese

Beef Lasagne - \$3.50

Ham & Egg Roll with BBQ sauce \$3.00

**Chicken Burger - \$3.50
with garden lettuce & mayo**



Meat Pie - \$3.00

Sausage Roll - \$3.00 (sauce 20c)

Toasted or Fresh Sandwiches **no extra charge for toasted**

1 Topping: \$2.00

2 Toppings: \$2.50

3 Toppings: \$3.00

Toppings: Ham, Cheese, Tomato, Vegemite, Pineapple, Tuna Mayo, Gherkin, Beetroot.

SNACKS & DRINKS

Chocolate/Strawberry Milk Carton - \$1.50

Apple/Apple & Blackcurrant Juice Carton - \$1.50

Ice Cup (Frozen Juice) - 50c Berri Quelch Stick (Frozen juice)- 50c

Frozen Chocolate/Strawberry Milk - \$1.00

Custard Cup - 50c with fruit - 70c

Popcorn - 50c Plain Corn Chips - 50c

Fresh Fruit - ranges from 20c to 50c

Homemade biscuits, cakes and slices range from 50c to \$1.00



COVID guidelines to be followed for all who attend. Sign in will be required.



Come to our “Meet the Teachers” Afternoon Tea



Repton Public School staff would like to welcome our new and returning families to the 2021 school year. Our students have settled in nicely and the teachers have too! We would like to welcome you to come along to school on Wednesday 24th February between 4.30pm—5.30pm for afternoon tea.

If you would like a specific interview of 5-10 minutes with your child's teacher please contact the office on 66554201 to schedule a time between 3.30-4.30pm.



Meet the Teacher's Afternoon Tea Wednesday 24th February 4.30pm-5.30pm

Please RSVP by Monday 22nd February for catering purposes

- Yes, we will be attending the Morning Tea with people
- No, sorry I am unable to attend

Name: Childs Class



Get involved in the School Banking program.

REPTON PUBLIC SCHOOL is excited to offer the Commonwealth Bank School Banking program to all students.

School Banking is a fun, interactive and engaging way to help teach your child about money. Children who deposit money into their Youthsaver account through School Banking earn Dollarmites tokens, which they can save up and redeem for exciting rewards.

The rewards available during 2021 are:

- Terry Denton's Activity Book
- Mini Soccer Ball (size 2)
- Treetop Stationery Set
- Treetop Handball
- Tomato Seed Kit
- Emoji Wallet
- Snakes & Ladders Game
- Scented Stackable Highlighters
- Icicle Slapband Ruler
- Snowy Origami Set
- Water Skimming Bounce Ball
- Polar Pencils & Pencil Toppers
- Scratch Art Cards

School Banking is also a great fundraiser for our school. Our school receives a Regular Savers Contribution of \$5 for every 10 deposits processed per student as well as an Annual Contribution which is based on the number of students who made at least one School Banking deposit in the prior year. For more information about contribution payments, visit commbank.com.au/sbinfo.

Getting involved in School Banking is easy!

All you need to get involved in the School Banking program is a Commonwealth Bank Youthsaver account. You can open an account for your child in one of two ways:

1. Online

Visit commbank.com.au/schoolbanking and click on the link to open a Youthsaver account.

2. In branch

Visit a Commonwealth Bank branch with identification for yourself and your child, like a driver's licence and birth certificate.

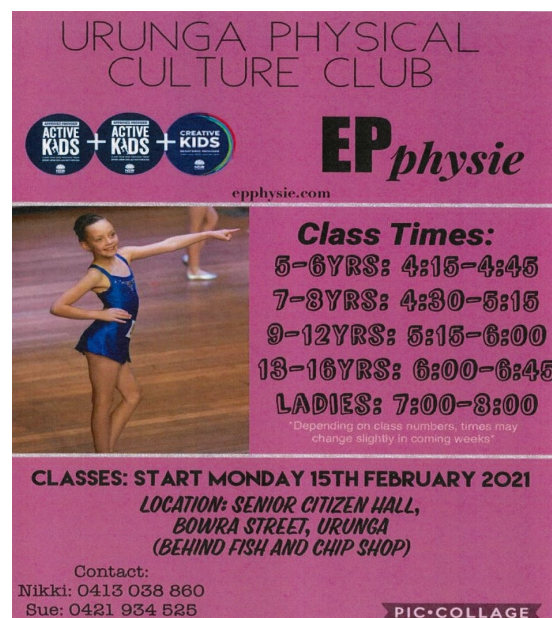
If your child has an existing Commonwealth Bank Youthsaver account they can start banking straight away. They just need to bring their deposit in every week on School Banking day using their Dollarmites deposit wallet.

School Banking day is <day>. Each week you need to <insert process for handing in book>.

If you would like to know more about School Banking, please ask for a 2021 School Banking program parent guide from the school office or visit www.commbank.com.au/schoolbanking



Bellingin Netball
New players welcome
Come and try netball!
Registration & Clinics Saturday
13th, 20th & 27th March
Jrs 5-8yrs, intermediate 8-12yr,
high school/ladies
bellinginnetball@gmail.com
Bellingin Netball Club Facebook page PIC-COLLAGES



URUNGA PHYSICAL CULTURE CLUB
EPphysie
epphysie.com
Class Times:
5-6YRS: 4:15-4:45
7-8YRS: 4:30-5:15
9-12YRS: 5:15-6:00
13-16YRS: 6:00-6:45
LADIES: 7:00-8:00
Depending on class numbers, times may change slightly in coming weeks
CLASSES: START MONDAY 15TH FEBRUARY 2021
LOCATION: SENIOR CITIZEN HALL,
BOWRA STREET, URUNGA
(BEHIND FISH AND CHIP SHOP)
Contact:
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