



Repton Public School

Newsletter – Term 1 Week 5

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Principal's Message

Numeracy Sessions: This term we have focused on developing our structured numeracy sessions to support all students to make individual progress in mathematics. Our teachers are using professional learning time to build their knowledge in teaching concepts and implementing effective programs. Students are receiving individual support and extension activities to support them when needed.

Writing: Our teachers had a collaborative planning session on Monday to use consistent teacher judgement on student writing samples. We were able to share a piece of writing from each student and use the literacy progressions to find point of need teaching for our students. It is such a worthwhile process and our students love to hear the feedback from all the teachers. We can't wait to see their growth over the year.

Sport: Our sports leader Billie has had a busy week trying to find room for some new sports equipment thanks to our sporting school grant funding. He also took some requests for new pogo sticks and cricket gear which has been great while we have a cricket program running. Thanks Billie.

Environmental update: Our new potato garden will be supported by our environmental leaders Digby and Alisha. We have applied for a grant to support us achieve this goal thanks to Woolworths.

Swimming results: Well done to all competitors at district on Friday. Our senior girls and boys relay teams didn't swim but were successful in moving to the next round. We also had great individual results from Rachel, Sonny, and Marley. They swim tomorrow with the support from us all at Repton Public.

Thanks
Mrs Kristy Glyde,
Principal

REPTON 2021

FEBRUARY

24th Meet the Teachers 4:30pm
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

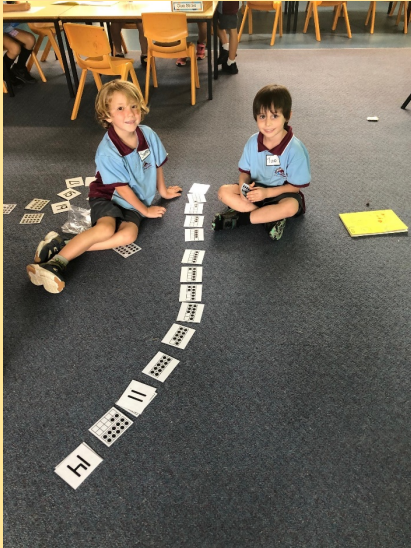
APRIL

1st Last Day Term 1
2nd Good Friday
19th Staff Development Day
20th Students return for Term 2
30th Leadership Day Yr6

Thought of the Week

Every student is known,
valued and cared for in
our school.

K/1



K1 were busy doing maths rotations learning to order numbers to 20, then 30 and even some to 100! We try to make sure we can count forwards and backwards accurately using numbers and objects.

2/3/4



2/3/4 are utilising a switch on program every morning. This program enables our students to get up with bean bags, cross their midlines and develop focus for their upcoming tasks. The students are really enjoying the routine and will also be learning to juggle!!!

5/6



We are so lucky to have the expert guidance of our local sports coaches. Students have been developing cricket, swimming, tennis and league tag skills during a very active two weeks. Good luck to all students in 5/6 who are representing Repton PS over the coming days in these sports!

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!

Repton Public School students are:

- RESPECTFUL
- RESPONSIBLE
- RESILIENT



BOOK COVERING

We have books ready to be covered at the office. If you are able to help, please call in and collect from Beverley or we can send some home with your child.

STEM:

This week, students built a blob man and skeleton man to see the effects of having a strong skeletal system. The big kids loved playing with playdough too!



Writer of the Week



**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.

CANTEEN will be operating again this Friday!



**Volunteers are desperately needed for canteen duty any Friday, lunch
and/or recess.**

Please, please, please, get in touch with Toni 0412630457

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

 Nutrition Snippet

The simplest way

... to cook with kids.

Providing lots of opportunities for kids to be involved in the kitchen is a great way to raise healthy eaters, teach them life skills and boost their development.



Young kids can:

- Wash fruit and vegies
- Tear foods like lettuce or bread
- Use scissors to trim vegies
- Add premeasured ingredients
- Stir and sprinkle

Older kids can:




- Use measuring cups, spoons and scales
- Use equipment like salad spinners, and blenders under supervision
- Prep easy to chop foods with kid's knives
- Be in charge of preparing simple recipes

healthylunchbox.com.au

Nutrition Snippet

MEAT-FREE MONDAY.

Get your family having more veg by making Monday 'Meat-free'.




Try these meat-free meals:

- [Mushroom, spinach and lentil lasagne](#)
- [Green frittata](#)
- [Eggplant tagine](#)

Any leftovers can be used in the lunch box the next day!

healthylunchbox.com.au

 Cancer Council
Healthy Lunch Box

NRL Training



Bellingen Netball

New players welcome



Come and try netball!
Registration & Clinics Saturday
13th, 20th & 27th March
Jrs 5-8yrs, intermediate 8-12yr,
high school/ladies

bellingennetball@gmail.com

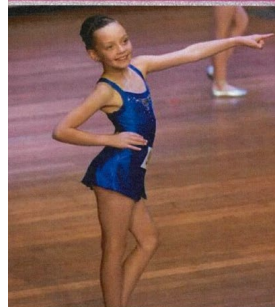
Bellingen Netball Club Facebook page PIC•COLLAGE

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:

Nikki: 0413 038 860

Sue: 0421 934 525

PIC•COLLAGE

MUSIC

LESSONS WITH MAC

BEGINNER & INTERMEDIATE GUITAR, BASS AND DRUMS

AVAILABLE WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY FROM 3-7PM

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Bellingin Football Club is open for registrations for the 2021 season. All years Kindy to Year 12, Opens/all-age, and over 35s.

Teams fill up fast and training will begin in early March.

If you are intending to register now is the time!

Register at <https://www.playfootball.com/register>

For more info see Bellingin Football Club on Facebook (@bellinginfc) or webpage bellinginfc.com.au

Active kids vouchers accepted (enter as a voucher code on the sign up payment page).

Stay healthy



Clean your hands with soap and water, or hand sanitiser



Cover your mouth and nose when you sneeze or cough



Tell someone if you're feeling sick

How do you feel?



Sick



Worried



Happy



Sad

Want to talk to someone?

Kids Helpline 1800 55 1800
kidshelpline.com.au



Please use hand sanitiser

education.nsw.gov.au

