

# Newling News



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Term 4 Week 7

17th November 2014

## Student of the Week



### Cooper

Cooper is a polite, hard working student. This has allowed him to form friendships with his peers. He is held in high regard by all teachers and students at Newling.

Cooper realises that making mistakes is part of the learning process. He acknowledges errors and quickly learns from them to improve his schoolwork.

Cooper is always happy and always there to help others.

Cooper uses all 5 keys to success everyday at school.

## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

### Celebrations of 40yrs of Education at Newling

Our dedicated P and C did a fabulous job organising 40th Celebrations for our school.

The Reunion Gathering on Friday was a relaxing and enjoyable event.

The 40th Celebrations Open Day on Saturday saw a number of past staff and students return to Newling photo display in hall as well as chance to look through the school with fond memories of their days at Newling. The '40th birthday cake' was enjoyed by all present.

Many of our current students were at school on Saturday, in uniform, to act as tour guides. Each will be rewarded today for their great work with a visit to the Star Room.

Patricia Funnell and Tracey Foster are congratulated and we acknowledge their determined effort to make the celebrations a success.

We thank our master chefs Steve and Tony for cooking the BBQ on Saturday as well as Leah, Marilyn, Natalie, Helen and Janice who were all on hand to help out on the open day. Without the great support of parents, friends and students the day would not have been possible.

### Swim School

Only two weeks until swim school starts!

Numbers need to be confirmed next week so notes are needed back ASAP. Full payment must be received before lessons commence.

### Remembrance Day

The 5/6 students conducted an excellent assembly in the school hall to commemorate Remembrance Day. Congratulations to the students for the wonderful work in hosting the assembly.

### Arriving at School

Only students who catch buses are to be at school before 9:00am.

It is not in the best interest of the students who do not catch buses to be at school for long periods of time before school starts.

Please assist us in making school as safe and mornings as practical as possible by not dropping off or allowing children who walk to arrive at school prior to 9:00am.

Your assistance is much appreciated.

### Art Success

Many of our students entered the recent art competition as part of the Reclaim the Night event and we had a large number of winners, with Newling also taking out the overall prize for schools in Armidale.

Congratulations to the winners: Joshua Turner, Anita Weatherall-Eather, Luke Foley, Judith Jerrard, Janarah Thompson and Anneika McKenzie-Waters.

The students were presented with certificates and prizes on Friday night in the Armidale Mall. We hope to have their

artwork back soon and on display in the foyer for all to enjoy.

Some of our budding artist from Newling, Will Marr, Bailey Brady and Kye Davidson have been selected and will be attending a two day art camp this week to develop their skills under the guidance of professional artists. We wish them well.

### Pete the Sheep

The K/1 class and the Platinum and Gold level 1/2 students are looking forward to going to the Capital Theatre in Tamworth tomorrow for a live performance of Pete the Sheep. The K/1 class have been looking at this wonderful story in class and the theatre will bring the story to life for them.

### Uniform

It is great that most students are remembering to bring a hat to school each day. It is compulsory for all students to wear a hat in the playground for their own health and well-being.

Make putting on and wearing a hat part of the morning routine to get ready for school will help your child to remember each day to keep them 'sun safe'.

We have nearly every student wearing correct uniform daily and most are wearing the correct shoes. Especially in the warmer weather leather shoes offer the most comfort and protection, with the black leather joggers being a popular and sensible choice.

### Star Awards

"You're a Star Award" certificates were presented to a successful students who have been using the You Can Do It keys to success and demonstrating persistence, resilience, organisation, getting along and confidence.

Congratulations to our recipients: Eli, Latahlia, Judith, Christain, Nathan, Hailey and Braydon.

Murray Cox  
Principal

## P and C Notices

*Thank you to all who attended 40th Anniversary Reunion and open day, especially those who helped out on the open day.*

*Donations of non-perishable items for the Christmas Hamper Raffle are welcomed at any time. Please drop them in to the school office.*

*Our next meeting will be focussing on organising the school Fete. Please come along and show your support of our school and students.*

P and C Meeting: Wednesday 26th November at 2pm.

# Important Dates

## November

Tuesday 18th— K/1 Pete the Sheep theatre excursion

Tuesday 18th—Clontarf Mentoring

Friday 21st—T20 Blast Day for 3/4

Thursday 27th— Yrs 4-6 Thalgarrah visit

Friday 28th—Gathering hosted by 5/6 (Last Gather for 2014)

## December

Monday 1st—Swim schools begin

Tuesday 16th—Presentation Day, Fete and Gala Evening  
10:30—11.30am



### KINDERGARTEN/YEAR 1 CLASS

Could K-1 students please bring in a clean old sock to the classroom to make a puppet.



If you have any scraps of material they would be most welcome. Please leave at the office and Mrs McClenaghan will collect them.



## Week 7

### SRC Trivia competition question:

Who is our Principal?



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**ONLY SOME  
BUGS NEED  
ANTIBIOTICS**



Join the fight against  
antibiotic resistance at  
[nps.org.au/schools-join-the-fight](http://nps.org.au/schools-join-the-fight)

**ANTIBIOTIC  
AWARENESS  
WEEK**

17-23 November 2014

As part of Antibiotic Awareness Week NPS MedicineWise invites you to play this educational and engaging video in your classroom, 'Preserve the Miracle' starring Dr John D'Arcy. This short 2:40 video will help your students learn more about the history of antibiotics, antibiotic resistance today and the importance of taking antibiotics correctly.

Q: How can I present 'Preserve the Miracle' to my students during Antibiotic Awareness Week?

Fresh Hope Armidale is holding a seminar on effective parenting on Tuesday 25th November 2014 @ 7:30pm in the hall.

The effective parenting seminar will equip parents, give insightful ideas, help build a strong foundation and provide tips on how to deal with the challenges that children face today!

Topics covered in this seminar are:

- The challenges of being a parent
- Parenting styles
- What is Identity
- Stages of Identity
- Influences that shape our children
- Challenges young people face
- What parents can do to build strong foundation.

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# Bush to Beach Program

Newling students were visited by two lifesavers to teach our students about beach safety. They performed rescues and learnt about marine animals and other dangers at the beach.



## Newling Summer Uniform



### **Girls**

Pinnafore with Green polo or skorts with green polo

Green or white socks, black shoes.

### **Boys**

Grey shorts and green polo.

Grey socks and black shoes.



**\*\*\*New sports shirt and joggers are for Fridays and sport days only.\*\*\***

# NEWLING PUBLIC SCHOOL 40TH ANNIVERSARY

