

# Newling News



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Term 3 Week 2

25th July 2016

## Student of the Week



### Seth

Seth is a valued student in 4/5/6. Seth works consistently to do his best and his improved application is commendable. Seth deserves to be proud of his continued progress particularly in Mathematics.

Congratulations Seth.

## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

**Education Week and Book Week 2016** will be celebrated at Newling in Week 6 of this term from August 22-26. More information about this important week will feature in future newsletters.

**The Australian Mathematics Competition** for Years 5 and 6 will be held on Wednesday morning supervised by Mrs Knuckey from 9:45 -10:45 am.

### **Armidale Zone Athletics Carnival 2016**

This carnival will be held at Armidale High School on Tuesday 2nd August.

Students who have met the qualifying requirements at the school carnival are invited to attend.

A permission note and further details will be sent out this week.

### **Sports News**

This Thursday July 28, Mr Smith and the PSSA boys and girls soccer team will be travelling to Walcha. We wish them all the best. Thank you to Ron Jackson for driving our school bus. Permission notes should be signed and returned to the office thank you.

### **Music Tuition**

Guitar and Drums Guitar and Drum lessons will continue again this term for all continuing and new students. Lessons will take place between 10:30 and 11:30 each Thursday. A commitment of at least one term must be made for all new students. The cost for Music tuition under the guidance of Ms Lissa-Kaethe Rummery (Guitar) and Mr David Van Tongeren (Drums) is \$50 per term for 10 lessons. Instruments and music books are provided, as well as the expert tuition. Please contact Mrs Creighton to reserve one of the limited places.

Musica Viva- As part of our creative arts program all students will have an opportunity to see and hear excellence in music in the school hall at 2pm on Thursday 28 July. Musica Viva is celebrating 35 years as Australia's leader in presenting live music to children.

### **Gathering**

We invite all parents and friends to attend Gathering hosted by Year 1/2 on Friday July 29 at 2pm. This is a wonderful opportunity for everyone to enjoy and celebrate student success.

### **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:

Raymond, Rhonda, Stan, Chace, Amina, Marrenyingka and Amy.

### **P and C Association**

The P and C meeting has been postponed. The new date will be advertised in a future newsletter.

### **Keeping Fit**

Last Friday students from years 3-6 travelled to the Armidale Gymnasium Centre . This program was begun last year and all students continue to practise and learn new skills in gym. Years K-2 will also be involved later this term. Many students are really enjoying skipping games at school. Later this year Newling will be part of the JUMP ROPE FOR HEART program. What fun! It's great to see our students munching away during Crunch and Sip each day, well done.

Elizabeth Creighton  
Relieving Principal

## Important Dates

### **JULY**

AHS Parent Information night—26th

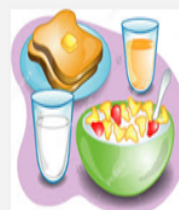
3-6 Gymnastics 12-1pm—29th

Gathering hosted by 1/2—29th

### **AUGUST**

Nexus Music Day— 12th

**NO BREAKFAST CLUB  
THIS WEDNESDAY**



**Happy Birthday to:**

Logan 25th

Eric 28th

Amina 28th

Rhonda 28th



# Martin's Gully Public School Primary Spelling Bee

YOU'RE INVITED TO OUR SPELLING BEE

WEEK 4

**WHY:** To select 4 students from Martin's Gully Public School to participate in the Regional Finals to be held at Newling Public School on Wednesday 14 September



## What is a Spelling Bee?

*The Premier's Spelling Bee was introduced in 2004 as an interesting and educational way for primary school students to engage in spelling.*

**The competition comprises two divisions :**  
*Junior for Years 3&4 and Senior for Years 5&6.*

*Each school can enter a maximum of two students per division*

For further details contact: Kate McKay

## What's happening in 3/4N?

Last week 3/4N discussed the importance of bike safety. We read a *Mountain Bike* text in class and viewed part of the world famous *Tour de France* bicycle races.

On Tuesday morning the students are excited to be welcoming local guest speaker and bike enthusiast, Mr Gary Eastment, into their classroom. Mr Eastment will talk to us about his favourite hobby and experiences as a bike rider in amateur competitions. We look forward to an interesting question and answer session.

Ms Norman and Mrs Knuckey



Book Fair is returning to school in August.

The Fair will be open from Monday 22nd August to Friday 26th August in the Library Extension Room.

Opening Hours: 9—9:30am      11:30—12 noon      1:15—2pm

The Book Fair Colouring Competition will be available to all students during Library lunch time sessions.

Mrs Jo Clyde-Smith

## Quote of the week

Perfection is not attainable, but if we chase perfection we can catch excellence.



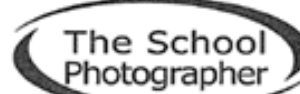
**AIA Vitality**  
**MINIROOS**  
**FOR GIRLS**

**REGISTER NOW**

AIA Vitality MiniRoos Kick-Off for Girls is an introductory football program for girls aged 5-11 starting October 2016. Visit the website to find a location nearest you.

**NORTHERN NSW FOOTBALL**

[www.northernnswfootball.com.au/miniroosforgirls](http://www.northernnswfootball.com.au/miniroosforgirls)



Dear Parents

To make payment for school photos after photography day you can choose one of the following options -

1. Go to our website [www.theschoolphotographer.com.au](http://www.theschoolphotographer.com.au) and select the "Click here for Online Payments" button and follow the on screen instructions.

OR

2. Call our office on 9674 9824 and we will take your credit card payment over the phone.  
(Note – there is a processing fee of \$5 for phone payments)

Kind regards

The School Photographer

## ABSENTEE NOTE

(To be returned to Classroom Teacher first day back after absence)

STUDENT'S NAME..... Class ..... Date of Absence/s .....

Reason for Absence

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Signature of Parent/Caregiver..... Date.....

