

Singleton Heights Public School Newsletter

Term 1

Week 10

4 April 2019



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Principal's Report

PBL Rewards Day

Next Tuesday, our school will be celebrating the positive behaviour of many of our students, by holding our PBL Rewards Day, during the middle session of the day. Students in each grade or stage will have a choice of fun activities to participate in, as a reward for their excellent behaviour throughout the term. Thank you to all the students for being particularly Respectful and Responsible this term, and striving for Excellence.



Sports rep results

Congratulations to our up and coming sports stars, who have been out and about this week, participating in various Zone representative teams, in an attempt to gain selection in the Hunter region teams. Well done to Alexi L, Kealah B, Maronay S, Kai B and Kaiden B for gaining selection in the Hunter region Touch Footy team. We would like to wish Maronay S all the best as she travels to Sydney to compete at the State Swimming Carnival next Thursday.

Alroy House visit

Next Tuesday afternoon, our Student Representative Council, as well as our School captains and prefects, will be visiting Alroy House to donate an Easter Basket, on behalf of our school community. The students will be interacting with the residents during the afternoon, and usually there are few a games out for them to occupy themselves with the students. This is a great community connection that the school continues as a tradition each year.



Scripture assembly

The school Easter Scripture Assembly will be held next Tuesday morning, at 9:30am, in the school hall, for all students who currently attend scripture lessons.

Pizza Day

I will be hosting several students who have received a Mari badge this year, with a special Pizza lunch next Wednesday, from 12:45pm. These select students have received their special invitation and I look forward to enjoying this celebration with them next week.



Cross Country

Our Year 3 to Year 6 Cross Country will be held next Thursday, at Alroy Oval. Stage 3 (Year 5 and 6) will be running the 3km course (for 11 and 12 year olds) from 9:30am, and the Stage 2 cohort (Year 3 and 4) will be running the 2km course from about 10:45am. Students will be escorted to the oval with their class teachers. Please ensure they are well equipped with a water bottle and are protected with sunscreen in the morning. Notes will be sent home later this week.

Our Vision: POSITIVE RELATIONSHIPS, HIGH EXPECTATIONS, AUTHENTIC LEARNING

Easter Hat Parade

What a big day we've got coming up next Friday. All students from Kindergarten to Year 6 will be participating in our annual Easter Hat Parade, from 11:35am, in the school COLA. Year 6 students will be parading with their Kindergarten buddies. Students may wear out of uniform clothes on the day. Parents and students can make or buy:

- a decorative Easter hat
- rabbit ears and/or tail
- an Easter Poster
- an Easter basket etc.

The Primary dance group will also be performing on the day, in preparation for their Singleton Learning Community KAOS performance.



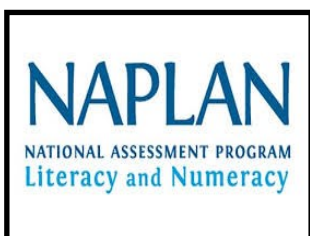
Anzac Day March in holidays

Our School will be marching for the Singleton town ANZAC Parade on Thursday, 25th April. The parade route has been changed this year and we will only be marching along Elizabeth St. The meeting place will be at the double gates at Singleton Public School, near the church in Elizabeth St. Several Staff members will be there with signage to direct our students. Students will be expected to wear their full school uniform.

KAOS Concert

The Singleton Learning Community is proud to present a showcase of talent from our local public school students, in the form of the biennial KAOS concert this year. The evening concert will be held at Singleton High School, commencing at 6pm on Wednesday, 8th May. Concert doors for the audience will open at 5:40pm with a cost of \$2 per person or \$5 per family. Our school will have the primary dance group perform, as well as our combined infants and primary choirs.

There will be a full day rehearsal for all schools on Monday, 6th May from 9:30am until 2:30pm at Singleton High School. Your child will be receiving a separate note, if they are performing at the concert on the night.



NAPLAN Term 2

Year 3 and Year 5 students will be participating in the NAPLAN assessment during Week 3 of Term 2, from Tue 14th May until Thu 16th May. The **Writing and Language Conventions** assessment will take place on the Tuesday, **Reading** on the Wednesday and **Numeracy** on the Thursday. The school has the opportunity to provide students with time on Friday, if they missed any of the assessments on other days. Further information will be provided to relevant families early next term, including the option of withdrawing your child from the assessment

Going to the shops in the morning

The school has been notified that quite a few children are arriving at school on the bus and going across to the shops to purchase items, when they are supposed to come straight into the school grounds. There is a duty of care from the school for these children, so if you could remind your child to NOT go to the shops in the morning before school, that would be greatly appreciated.



CANTEEN ROSTER - TERM 1 Week 11

MON 8/4	TUE 9/4	WED 10/4	THU 11/4	FRI 12/4
Jenny / Vacancy	Jenny / Vacancy	Jenny / Vacancy	Jenny / Vacancy	Jenny / Vacancy

Band News

How quickly the term seems to have gone! Our wonderful school band played beautifully at the school captains' and councillors' induction earlier in the term. Our next performance will be in Week 1 of Term 2 for our school's Anzac assembly on Thursday, May 2. **We will be having an extra practice before school that day.**

Another event we are planning, in conjunction with Singleton Town Band, is the Burdekin Bandfest, which had to be cancelled last year due to bad weather. At this stage, we are hoping to have the bandfest in Burdekin Park on Sunday afternoon, May 19. More details to come!

Any band students who have turned 10 years old are eligible to join the Intermediate Town Band, which rehearses on Monday nights from 6:30pm – 7:20pm. Please see Mrs Winsor if you would like more information.

Finally, a reminder that Mr Ward will be away on the last Friday of Term 1 due to the school's Easter Hat Parade. There will be no band rehearsal or lessons that day.

Thank you,
Mrs Tara Winsor

PBL Assembly Awards K-2



Class	Student
KA	Bentlley H
KL	Emily H
KM	Matthew L
KS	Nissi B
1C	Rhyanne J
1D	Ava G
1K	Violet G
1/2W	Ayla F

Mari had fun in 3C



Dates to Remember Calendar

8/4	9/4 *PBL Rewards Day *Scripture services *Elizabeth Gates visit	10/4	11/4 *Cross Country 3-6 *Infants Assembly	12/4 Easter Hat Parade
15/4 School Holidays	16/4 School Holidays	17/4 School Holidays	18/4 School Holidays	19/4 Good Friday School Holidays
22/4 Easter Monday School Holidays	23/4 School Holidays	24/4 School Holidays	25/4 Anzac Day School Holidays	26/4 School Holidays
29/4 Staff development day	30/4 Students return	1/5 Year 6 High School Day	2/5 ANZAC assembly 12:30pm	6/5



Easter Hat Parade

K- 6
Friday 12th April
At 11:35am
In the COLA
We hope to see you there!

EASTER EGG RAFFLE

1. Return raffle tickets to the front office
2. Extra books are available at the front office



3. Easter eggs & basket donations can be left in the container located at the office foyer

Thank you!



SINGLETON HIGH SCHOOL
FOSTERING THE TALENTS OF OUR
STUDENTS FOR A BETTER FUTURE

KAOS

Kids Active on Stage



Singleton Learning Community
is proud to present a showcase
of talent from our students.



When:

Wednesday 8th May at 6pm

Where:

Singleton High School MPC

Cost:

\$2 per person \$5 per family.



All money raised will be
donated to

Where there's a Will
foundation.



All welcome.

Easter Theme Day

Wednesday 10th April 2019

Available @ recess and lunch

(until sold out)

Easter Decorated Cupcakes	\$ 1.20
Easter Decorated Biscuits	\$ 1.00
Hash Brown	\$ 1.00
Garlic Bread	\$ 1.00
Fruit Shapes	\$ 1.00
Fairy Bread Shapes	\$ 0.50
Bunny Stuck In a Hole Mousse	\$ 1.00
Ducks on a Jelly Pond	\$ 1.00
Milk - Chocolate or Pink	\$ 2.20
Juice - OJ, ABC, Apple	\$ 2.20
Chill J	\$ 2.20
Juice Bomb	\$ 2.20

Kindergarten: Please write order on a lunch bag with money inside
to help us serve the younger students

Thank You



Entertainment Books



Save money and help us raise money at
the same time.

Books are \$65 - \$13 per book goes to our
school.

To order contact the office or alternately
order online
using the link below

[https://](https://www.entertainmentbook.com.au/orderbooks/354h04)

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APRIL SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

CLOTHES SWAP DROP OFF DAY

Tuesday 16 April | 9am-12pm
Limited to 5 items of clothing
per child for sizes 0 - 14

CWA MOTHER'S DAY CRAFT
Tuesday 16 April | 1.30-3pm
All ages

EASTER STORY TIME AT ROSE POINT PARK

Wednesday 17 April | 10-11am
All ages - outdoor event
We also have an egg hunt!

**CLOTHES SWAP
PICK YOUR CLOTHES DAY**
Wednesday 17 April | 2 -4pm
Limited to 5 items of clothing
per child for sizes 0 - 14

ROBOTS, CIRCUIT & CODING
Thursday 18 April | 10am-12pm
Ages 6 - 14

Bookings essential

UP-CYCLE T-SHIRT CRAFT
Friday 26 April | 10am-12pm
Ages 7 to 14

Bookings essential

VR AFTERNOON
Friday 26 April | 3-5pm
Ages 7 to 14

Bookings essential

HALF DAY | 9am-1pm
FULL DAY | 9am-3pm

PACKAGE DISCOUNT
3 HALF DAYS \$100
SAVE \$17
3 FULL DAYS \$140
SAVE \$25

HOLIDAY TENNIS FOR KIDS

GREAT WAY TO KEEP KIDS ACTIVE IN THE HOLIDAYS
ALL AGES AND ABILITIES WELCOME TO ENJOY
FRIENDLY, SUPPORTIVE ENVIRONMENT

CONTACT US OR COME INTO THE OFFICE
TO MAKE YOUR BOOKINGS

Find us on Hunter Tennis Academy

hello@huntertennisacademy.com
02 6572 3889

Howe Park Tennis Club,
Boundary St,
Singleton

AGES 3-15
APRIL 16th-18th
HALF DAY \$39
FULL DAY \$55
ALL ABILITIES

GIVING BLOOD FEELS GOOD

Every donation can save three lives.

Mobile Blood Service visiting: Singleton

Singleton Square, 1 Gowrie Street

Whole Blood and Plasma

Monday 15 April	9.30am – 3.00pm
Tuesday 16 April	1.00pm – 6.30pm
Wednesday 17 April	1.00pm – 6.30pm
Thursday 18 April	1.00pm – 6.30pm

Drink up! Have 3 or 4 glasses of water or juice in the hours before you donate
Eat! Have a good sized breakfast or lunch
Please bring photo I.D. with you

To make an appointment call **13 14 95**
or visit donateblood.com.au

**Australian Red Cross
BLOOD SERVICE**



Mobile phones

If students bring Mobile Phones to school, they need to be handed in to the office in the morning for collection at the end of the school day.

21 RYAN AVENUE, SINGLETON

MAJESTIC CINEMAS

SCHOOL HOLIDAY FUN!

ALL YOU NEED IS THIS VOUCHER!

\$9.90*

ALL TICKETS

Bring this coupon to Majestic Cinemas Singleton for a \$9.90 movie ticket

Valid Until: 1st May, 2019

*Conditions: coupon must be surrendered to ticket offer. Not valid with any other offer. Coupon valid for up to 4 tickets per use.

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