

# SINGLETON HEIGHTS PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Term 3

Week 10

23rd September 2022



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## Relieving Principal's Report - Ms Rose

### Mari Pizza Lunch

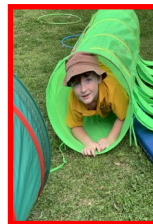
Congratulations to our Mari badge winners for this term, who celebrated with a pizza lunch on Wednesday with Mrs Cummings (who came for a visit) and myself. I was so impressed by the joy and excitement that these students had, in having this special lunch, to acknowledge the exemplary behaviour that they continue to show in their classroom and across the school. Well done!

As a part of the pizza lunch, each term, one of these students is drawn randomly to participate in the Principal for a day initiative. This term, Tray C was selected, and accepted the responsibility of being the Principal for the day in early Term 4 with Mrs Cummings. Well done to those students who celebrated their second pizza lunch, with a bronze Mari Badge.



### K-2 Character Strengths Carnival

It was so wonderful welcoming parents and families back into school to see their child/children participate in our K-2 Strengths Carnival on Tuesday. The purpose of this carnival was for our students to have fun, try their best and focus on our visible wellbeing strengths of leadership, teamwork, humour, love of learning, fairness, zest, hope, perseverance, bravery, creativity, kindness and honesty through their involvement in the variety of activities offered around the school. It was fantastic weather, allowing families to enjoy time together over a picnic lunch in our break. Thank you to our staff who organised and assisted on the day and those parents and families that came along to watch.



Our Vision: POSITIVE RELATIONSHIPS, HIGH EXPECTATIONS, AUTHENTIC LEARNING

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### Year 3 and 4 Excursion to Taronga Zoo

Our Year 3 and 4 teachers and students along with Mrs Rees and Mrs Winsor headed off to Sydney on Tuesday for their excursion visiting Taronga Zoo. The students and teachers had a great time, enjoying seeing all the animals and learning about them, as well as the wonderful views.



### PBL Rewards Day

Our Term 3 PBL Bingo game and our rewards day was held on Wednesday, 21st September. Our PBL Bingo game was held in the morning session and the winning class was 2A. Congratulations to them! During the middle session, students who were eligible to participate, chose, or were involved in a rotation of fun activities, to reward them for their great behaviour throughout the term.





### **School Fete**

Our annual School Fete is fast approaching and our P&C are still busily organising what should be a wonderful day. The Fete will be held on Friday, 28th October from 11am, inside the school grounds. There will be a variety of food options, fun rides, activities and novelties, face painting and lots of other interesting stalls. This is a great family day out, so remember to lock in the date and get ready to have some fun. Notes went out on Wednesday, regarding donations needed for the different stalls. Remember that if you would like to be involved in the organisation of the fete, please contact Alison Dagg our Community Liaison Officer on 6573 1363.

### **Save the Dates**

**Year 6 Farewell** – Year 6 and Year 5 students attending – Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> December (5.00pm -8.00pm)

**Presentation Day** - Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> December

### **Children's University**

A reminder to our students who are participating in our Children's University program to keep participating in extra-curricular activities including over the holidays. Next term they need to visit either Mrs Caelli or Mrs Mungoven to have their extra-curricular activities that students participated in, entered into their passports. A reminder that the last day for recording hours in student's passports is Friday 14<sup>th</sup> October. If student's don't reach a minimum of 30 hours they won't be graduating this year.

### **Waraya Young Mob Homework Centre**

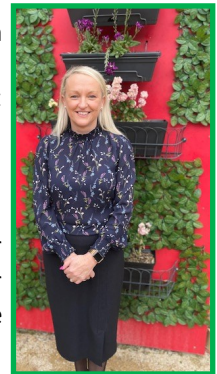
The Waraya Young Mob Homework Centre will start up again in Week 2 of Term 4. We hope to see you all return again for some more fun and learning.

### **Term 4 return dates**

Students and staff will return to school on Monday, 10<sup>th</sup> October. Please ensure your child will have a broad-brimmed or bucket hat and a water bottle to bring to school every day. The weather will certainly ramp up, in terms of heat, so these are two important factors in ensuring they stay safe at school.

### **Happy Holidays**

I would like to wish you all a safe and exciting holiday break. Provide your children with plenty of rest, have a break from the lunch box packing and uniform washing and enjoy some down time with your children. Keep them active and safe, in preparation for the final term of the year. Thank you for your on-going support this year. It has been a privilege leading the school in Mr Graham's absence and we look forward to Mrs Cummings becoming our Relieving Principal next term.



# Jellybean Guessing Competition Winner Aurora in KS - 737



Uniform shop is open on  
Wednesday morning from  
8:45-9:30am

**flexischools**  
[www.flexischools.com.au](http://www.flexischools.com.au)

Orders can be also be placed via the  
Flexischools app.

The uniform shop is run by volunteers and orders  
will be filled and delivered to your child's class once  
a week.

**Singleton Show**

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PO Box 124, Singleton NSW 2380  
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**148th Show**  
**23-24**  
**Sept 2022**



## A safe and friendly community for children with a disability

Rainbow Club welcomes children with a disability for individualised swimming lessons to learn to swim, be safe in the water, interact, feel included, play and have fun.



**COMING SOON**  
To a pool near you!

### Swim the Rainbow

- Our unique Swim the Rainbow program has been specially designed to teach children with a disability
- The swimming goals are aligned to the seven colours of the Rainbow to help build confidence
- Individualised swim lessons are delivered by qualified and dedicated swim teachers

### Register your interest

- Vacancies arise at short notice, so we recommend you register and be ready to start swimming with a Club that understands and supports children with a disability (regardless of the type of disability)
- There is an expectation that a parent or guardian will remain close by during lessons to assist if required

### About Rainbow Club

- We provide a membership for the duration of a school term (9 weekly half hour lessons)
- Our social calendar has something for everyone
- Club Committees are run by volunteers

**We can't wait to see you at Rainbow Club soon!**

Rainbow Club is a network of social swimming clubs for children with a disability

**Join us!** Sign-up online at [myrainbowclub.org.au/register/](http://myrainbowclub.org.au/register/)

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# Band News

Our school's band and violin students provided some excellent entertainment to a large number of students and parents last Friday. Well done to all involved! Another performance is scheduled for this Friday at lunch time.

Please remember to have your instrument hire fees in by the end of the term if possible.

BandLink notes and money should have been returned, but Mrs Di Hall from the Arts Unit has indicated she is also willing to take more nominations for BandLink until Friday Week 1 next term. Please let Mrs Winsor know if you are planning to attend this great workshop.

**Please note, BandLink will not affect students' participation in fete activities. The band will play at 11 am to open the fete and then be free to enjoy the rest of the day.**

We have a very busy time ahead in Term 4 with performances scheduled for the school fete (after BandLink), the Singleton Town Band concert, Presentation Day and our school Christmas concert. It has been decided that band rehearsals will be held during the afternoon session on Fridays starting next term. So many students have been unable to attend our morning rehearsals due to transport issues (or sleeping in!), so this will really help our band prepare for the events we have planned for Term 4.

Don't forget, students aged 10 or over are eligible to play in either the Intermediate Town Band (6:30 pm on Mondays) or the new String Ensemble (4:30 pm Mondays); both are held at the Singleton Town Band hall in Bowman Street. Contact Mrs Winsor if you need more information.



# DATES TO REMEMBER



26/9 School Holidays	27/9 School Holidays	28/9 School Holidays <i><u>NAIDIC Family Day 10am -3pm</u></i>	29/9 School Holidays <i>Last day to claim BIG Childcare - see below voucher</i>	30/9 School Holidays
3/10 School Holidays Public Holiday	4/10 School Holidays	5/10 School Holidays	6/10 School Holidays	7/10 School Holidays
10/10 Term 4 - Students and Staff return	11/10	12/10	13/10	14/10
17/10	18/10 P&C Meeting 6pm	19/10	20/10	21/10

# \$500



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## HOW TO CLAIM \$500

1. Scan QR Code  
Or visit Service NSW [www.service.nsw.gov.au/basc-voucher](http://www.service.nsw.gov.au/basc-voucher)

2. Click Apply Now Online

- Claim your voucher before **September 30**
- Redeem with Big Childcare and enjoy **FREE** care until **June 30 2023!**

Singleton Heights Public School

## PLAYGROUP

Join us on Thursday mornings 9:15-11am

Play and grow together





**GET UP!**  
**STAND UP!**  
**SHOW UP!**

WHITE AUSTRALIA HAS A DARK HISTORY!  
NO PRIDE IN GENOCIDE OUR KIDS!  
STOP STEALING OUR LANDS!  
BLAK LIVES MATTER! JUSTICE!  
HEALTH CARE! LAND RIGHTS!  
STOP THE LIST! STOP THE MARCH!

**NAIDOC WEEK**

**SINGLETON NAIDOC FAMILY FUN DAY 2022**

Wednesday 28 September  
10am-3pm  
Singleton Showground

Welcome Ceremony  
Flag Raising Ceremony  
Free BBQ  
Cultural Activities  
Koori oke, Jumping Castles  
30 Plus Services + Community Stalls  
Elders Tent

GET UP! STAND UP! SHOW UP!  
MACH Energy  
SINGLETON COUNCIL

**MAJESTIC CINEMAS**

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Singleton  
Ph: 652715252

UNDERDOG TO TOP DOG  
PAWS OF FURY  
THE LEGEND OF HARK

JOHNSON  
FEY-HART  
THE LEAGUE OF SUPERPETS

THE RAILWAY CHILDREN - RETURN

**Majestic Movie Club**

**\$10.50 pp**

**DISCOUNT TICKET VOUCHER**

Join the Majestic Movie Club and take advantage of **DISCOUNTED** tickets and **candybar** everyday. For more information head to our website.

VALID UNTIL: 3rd October 2022

\*T&C's: Voucher not available with any other offer. Must be surrendered, or shown via phone at the box office to receive offer. Not valid for special events. Valid for up to 4 tickets per use.

**P&C Fete is back!**

Friday 28th October

**BBQ** 11am-2pm

**CHOCOLATE WHEEL**

**RIDES** **NOVELTIES**

**LOLLIES**

**Games** **FUN**

You're Invited!

**Australian Red Cross Lifeblood®**

**Give life. Give blood in Singleton.**

Gowrie St Mall  
12 to 14 October

Wednesday 12 October 1 - 6.30 pm  
Thursday 13 October 1 - 6.30 pm  
Friday 14 October 9.30 am - 3 pm

**give blood**