

Hermidale Public School

Newsletter Term 2 Week 9

15 June 2021

Dear Parents,

SPORT



Small Schools Touch football competition

Wednesday 16th June at Narromine footy field.

Note - CHANGE TO BUS DEPARTURE TIME

Please arrive at school by 8.20am.

We will text as we leave Narromine with the time we will arrive in Hermidale.

The school bus won't be running.

Snow trip - We are super excited to be heading to the snow this Sunday.



A few reminders to ensure a smooth trip

- 1. Bus leaves Nyngan Railway Station at 7.30am so arrive by 7.15am
- 2. On Sunday, morning tea and lunch will be provided
- 3. We will bring the school drink bottles

4. Yes children are able to take devices on the bus with age appropriate games. Please charge devices prior to leaving and pack chargers. Devices can be used on the bus to and from the snow only. All devices will be handed to me for safe keeping during the week.

5. This week - WARM Jackets - please bring your child/rens warm jacket into school. We will pack them in a separate bag so we can easily access them from the bus when we arrive at Jindabyne.

- 6. Spending money must be in a snap lock bag with the child's name and amount inside . 1 bag per child please. Please don't hand me cash on Sunday morning unless it's in a labelled bag.
- If your child requires medication, please bring it on Sunday morning. Please note ONLY
 prescribed medication can be administered by the staff and medication must be in
 original packaging with your child's name on the label.
- 8. Please double check the packing list to make sure nothing has been forgotten :)
- 9. We have been advised that Mobile contact <u>may</u> be limited on the slopes and at the accommodation. If you need to speak with myself or your child, please leave a message

on my phone and I will get in touch with you. I have included the phone number for our accommodation, it is on the original note sent home. We will try to update the Hermidale PS Facebook page and send photos and videos to parents when we can!

Semester One Reports - School reports will be sent home on Thursday. I thank the teachers for the work they have done in writing these reports.

Parent/teacher interviews will occur during <u>week 1 of term 3.</u> The teachers are looking forward to meeting with you and we will have the opportunity to discuss your child's achievements, growth and learning goals. Please see the timetable below and phone the school if you need to change the time. NB - Mrs Robb is available Tuesday (morning or afternoon) and Wednesday (morning only)

Tuesday 13th July	Wednesday 14th July	Thursday 15th July
Oliver 8.30am	Mac 8.15am	Abbie 8.15am Jimmy 8.30am
Ruby 3.00pm Matilda 3.15pm	No availability	Marlie 3.00 pm

NSW Department of Education attendance matters

The Department of Education Attendance Policy states -

Parents are required to explain the absences of their children from school promptly and within seven days to the school. An explanation for absence must be provided to the school within 7 days of the first day of any period of absence.

Attendance notes - I continue to closely monitor school attendance and assign the correct code for the absence eg sick, leave, unexplained. As such, if your child is away you are required to do the following

- send a note explaining the reason for your child's absence. You can email the school at <u>hermidale-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au</u> and cc myself <u>skye.dedman@det.nsw.edu.au</u> OR send a written note OR text message to my mobile <u>0458 122 006</u>
- 2. If this note has not been received on your child's return to school, a school absence note will be sent home for you to complete.
- 3. If a child is absent from school without prior arrangement, I will contact you via phone or message if your child is absent for more than 2 consecutive days to check.

School Winter Jackets

Following the parent survey, winter school jackets will be available for parents to purchase from **Totally Workwear in Dubbo**. If you wish to order one, please phone Totally Work Wear to order Totally WorkWear phone number 6882 8011



Canteen Order must be in TODAY due to canteen staffing requirements.

The P&C meeting scheduled for this week has been postponed until next term.



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What's coming up?

Week 9 <u>Thursday 17th June</u> - Semester two reports home

> Week 10 Sunday 20th June to Friday 25th June School Excursion to snow

Winter Holidays 26th June to 11th June

Term 3 Week 1 <u>Tuesday 13 June</u> Students resume





We are on <u>Facebook !!</u>











At the recent P&C meeting it was voted to trial '**The Little Brown Bag**' catering for next term's canteen which was also voted to run once a week on a Thursday.

Order and payment can be made directly by TODAY as follows: Little Brown Bag Facebook messenger

OR <u>Amie Taylor - 0432 788 795</u> Please ask for bank details so you can transfer money.

Options for canteen will include:







Butter Chicken **\$8.00 (comes with rice and Naan)** Caesar Salad **\$8.00** Sticky Sesame Chicken **\$7.00 (comes with rice)** Spag Bol **\$7.00** Lasagne **\$7.00** Sushi **\$5.00** Ham & Cheese Pizza Slice **\$3.00** Pizza Scrolls **\$3.00**

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A small side salad or veggies can be added to the above meals for \$1

Please feel free to discuss any queries with the P&C and I hope everyone's Easter Raffle tickets are going well.















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