



# Kelly's Plains Public School News-

Term 4  
Week 5  
9/11/2017

SHARING LEARNING CARING



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Community of Schools

## What is happening at our school?

### Lower Division Excursion

Next **Monday 13 November**, Lower Division will be attending a Thunderbolt Alliance excursion to Thalgarrah Environmental Education Centre. We are the first school group in our region to take part in a unit of work titled 'Storybooks and STEM' which we are very excited about! I thank Matt Mackenzie from Thalgarrah for giving our K-2 group this learning opportunity. **Please remember that the bus will be leaving Kelly's Plains at 9:00am.**

### Trivia Night

Our P&C Trivia Night will take place on **Tuesday 21 November** at the Grand Hotel. We need people to donate prizes and ask anyone you know with a business if they would like to help support our P&C. As this is one of our major fundraisers it would be great to have some wonderful prizes or donations for our raffle. Thankyou to our families who have already left some donations. Thankyou to Lisa Johnson and our parent volunteers who are assisting with planning the night.

### The Lion King Production

Our Lion King play will be taking place in the last week of this term. Mr Hunt from Martin's Gully Public School has kindly allowed our students, staff and families to have access to the school hall for the entire week. We sincerely thank Mr Hunt for his generosity! Our students have begun to be fitted for costumes and our stage props, music and set will be a focus for the next few weeks. If you know anyone who could record the night performance, please let us know. The dates have been finalised and are as follows;

**Matinee performance for Martin's Gully K-2 students: Tuesday 12 December at 12:00pm – 1:30pm**

**Night performance for Kelly's Plains families: Wednesday 13 December, 6:00pm – 7:30pm**

### Clearing Sale Catering

Our school P&C has been asked to cater for a 500 person clearing sale in **Saturday 2 December**. This will be a profitable fundraiser for our school. We require as many parents as possible to assist on the day and also with making cakes and slices for the event. Please see attached information sheet and return the completed slip to school as soon as possible. Thankyou in advance!

### Gardening/Working Bee

On **Friday 24 November** there will be an afternoon working bee at school. We will finish on the morning of **Saturday 25 November**. The vegetable gardens, garden bed preparation and mulching will be the focus.

### Presentation Day

Our 2017 Presentation Day will take place on **Thursday 7 December** commencing at 9:30am in the school COLA. Please join us afterwards for morning tea.

### Semester 2 Reports

Staff have been busy writing school reports. These reports will be sent home on Friday 8 December. As parent interviews have already taken place this year, there will be no set interviews. Please see either Mr Watson or myself if you would like to discuss your child's progress or report.

### NSW State Relay Championships

Congratulations to Caleb Bettison and Dad, Adam, on their fantastic performances at the NSW State Relay Championships in Sydney.

### STEM Camp

Cambell and Tom attended a 2 day Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics camp at Thalgarrah. The boys came back to school with lots of exciting stories to tell about the innovative learning experiences they took part in, especially the explosion caused by nitrogen, hot water and plastic balls!

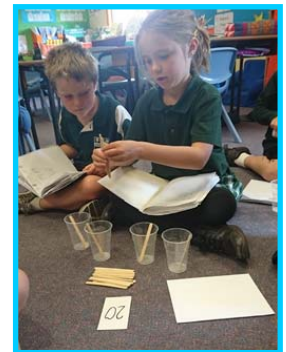
Mrs Lauren Cotter



# Photo Time!



## Multiplication Fun!



## Marshmallow Fun!



## CWA Visit

### Awards

Finn, Hannah, Thomas, Ava, Lily C,  
Tom R, Bronte



Birthday Celebration  
Tahlia and Isabella

### Assembly Dates

- Friday 17 November at 2:50pm
- Friday 1 December at 2:50pm

### P&C Meetings for Term 4



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Dear Parents and Carers

On Saturday 2 December our school community will be catering for a clearing sale on Dangarsleigh Rd with approximately 500 people in attendance.

This is a major fundraiser for our school and we need all of our families to assist with food preparation and also with selling food and drinks on the day.

We require lots of baked sweets such as cakes, slices and muffins and ask that our families contribute these items on the day prior to the clearing sale.

Please note that a roster for volunteers will be put together over the coming days. Shifts of 1 or 2 hourly intervals will be organised.

We appreciate your support and assistance in advance as this is an enormous team effort required by all of our community.

Please complete the slip below and return to the school by Friday 17 November.

Kind regards,

Lauren Cotter

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Family Name: \_\_\_\_\_

I am able to contribute baked goods (home baked or shop bought)

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

I can donate multi-pack cans of soft drink or multi-packs of bottled water

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

I can be rostered on to work a shift during the day

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_