Term Two Calendar 2017

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	1 May	2	3	4	5 Palmer Rockarama Friday to Sunday
2	8	9 NAPLAN	10 NAPLAN	11 NAPLAN	Sat 14th Mt Pleasant Market Gate— Sun 15th Mothers Day
3	15	16 Excursion to see 'Mr Stink' Barossa Arts Centre	17	18	Partnership Student Free Day
4	22	23 Governing Council 3:30	Murraylands SLC @ MBSPS	25 Lauren @ Partnership Day	26
5	29	30	Whole School C	1 June Camp – Arbury Park	2 Outdoor School
6	5	6	7	8	9
7	Queen's Birthday Public Holiday	13	14	15	16
8	19	20 Governing Council 3:30	21	22 Lauren @ Partnership Day	23
9	26	27	28	29	30
10	3 July	4	5	6	7 KIWANIS Assembly 9:05 a.m Early dismissal 2:15 pm



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BeingResponsible

Excellence

Always Trying Respect

Newsletter Term 1 Issue 5 10/04/2017

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

Well here we are, with just four days left of term one... it feels like only yesterday I was welcoming all our new students and their families. We have had a busy term this one, but next term is going to be much, much busier! Important dates to mark on the calendar now are:

'Rockarama' Palmer Rock and Mineral Fair— Friday the 5th -Sunday 7th May

NAPLAN—Years 3, 5 and 7—Tuesday 9th May to Thursday 11th May

Live theatre performance: David Walliam's 'Mr Stink' - Barossa Arts Centre travelling by bus on Tuesday 16th May

Partnership Student Free Day - Friday 19th May

Partnership SLC—Wednesday 24th May

Arbury Park Camp - Wednesday May 31st—June 2nd.

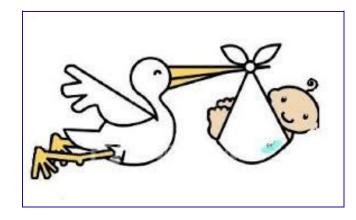
Public Holiday—Queen's Birthday—Monday 12th June

Last day of term two—Friday 7th July

Palmer Rockarama—May 5th to May 7th

The annual Palmer Rock and Mineral fair will be held from Friday the 5th of May until Sunday the 7th of May. We will be continuing our tradition of selling hot dinners on Friday and Saturday evening as our biggest annual school fundraiser. We will be selling pasta bolognaise on Friday and Roast lamb on the Saturday evening. If you have a few hours to spare on either of these days, and would be willing to help our school fundraiser, please look out for and complete the form being sent home tonight. If you are unable to physically support our fundraiser, but would like to support another way, we are also gratefully receiving monetary donations to buy remaining ingredients such as mince and charcoal for the spit etc, and these can be given to Kellie. Thank you for your support in this. As the event will be taking place at the end of week one, we will take students across to the rock and mineral fair on the Friday so that they can have a look at all the rocks and minerals for sale.

Community Notices



Farewell Katrina Duits

We would like to thank Katrina for a fantastic term and say 'goodbye' for now as she begins her maternity leave from the beginning of next term, until the end of the year. We are very glad to have Mrs Sally Davies-Cavuoto in the Junior Class from Mondays to Thursdays, and are looking forward to hearing how Katrina, Tyson and 'Baby Duits' are doing when the exciting time comes in June.

From the entire Palmer PS community, we would like to wish Katrina and Tyson all the very best as they prepare for the next, very exciting part of their lives!

Kitchen Garden progress

As you know, we have received some garden beds from Nicole and John ELix (Thanks, Nicole and John), and we are waiting for Bunnings Murray Bridge to visit and help us get all our garden beds established. We have also been lucky enough to receive an electric oven from the Betts' family—thank you also! So things are getting there slowly, but we have already begun planning what we will be planting in what season, and what delicious masterpieces we can create. We are all very excited about this program and can't wait for the fantastic learning that will be happening very soon.

Last day of term

Students have chosen to have a 'PJ and DVD day' on the last day of school. They will be able to choose from a selection of movies to watch, and may come dressed in comfortable PJ's or else casual clothes. A gold coin donation is appreciated to go to the PSC—Palmer Student Council. Students will be dismissed at 2:15 and school will resume on Monday the 1st of May—it will be here before we know it!

Finally, I would like to thank you all for you ongoing support in making Palmer Primary School the amazing school that it is. It is truly a trifecta to have dedicated and passionate staff, caring and supportive parents, and amazing, determined students who make Palmer Primary School a place of fantastic opportunities.

I hope you all have a wonderful, safe and happy holidays, and a very happy Easter!

Kind regards,

Lauren Poole

SEDAN CAMBRAI FOOTBALL NETBALL CLUB JUNIOR NETBALL 2017

Junior netball starts again this Thursday 30 March 2017 commencing at 5:30pm at Cambrai Sportsground. Tea will be provided after training. All children over the age of 5 years are welcome to attend. Children aged 7 years and above are able to play in our junior netball teams which play in the Mid Hills Netball Association competition at Woodside on Friday nights and Saturday mornings. Games start on 5 May 2017. We welcome new members who can either just come to training or play in one of our teams. Come along to training on Thursdays for more information or feel free to contact Heidi Roesler on 0439839925 or Julia Lloyd 0419802334.

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of staff to help!!!



