



Pilliga Public School Newsletter

The little school that's BIG on learning

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Term 2!

School is a busy place and Term 2 is showcasing this by setting a cracking pace. Already we have had an excursion (more on this next newsletter) and this Friday is our Cross Country with Gwabegar. The day will be hosted by Gwabegar and will begin at 9:30am. I will be away this week, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday as I attend a Leadership Development course which is part of a Department grant offered to small school principals and executive staff of larger schools. I was selected and the journey starts this week in Sydney.

Next week (Week 3) is NAPLAN, we will have 3 students sitting this year, two in year 5 and one student in year 3. This will start Tuesday 10th, with Language Conventions and the Writing tests. Wednesday 11th, will be the Reading test and Thursday 12th, is the Numeracy test. We wish Jordan, Kira and Samuel all the best!

In Week 4 we will have our annual Book Fair. The dress up day and book buying will be Tuesday 17th, May. Start getting costume ready now!

Week 5 is our Eisteddfod performance as well as the visit to the Life Education Van at Burren Junction School.

Busy, busy, busy!

ANZAC Day

Thank you to all the students and parents that turned out and paid their respects at the ANZAC Day service in Pilliga. As you are all aware, I could not be there but the reports I heard were great. A special thanks to our School Captain, Esther Knowles for your reading of the poem.

School Photos

School Photos are available but please see Mrs Wilkins in the office to make any final payments owing. Mrs Wilkins will be in the office on Tuesday and Thursday this week.

Coming Up

6th May– Cross Country @ Gwabegar

10, 11, 12th May– NAPLAN

17th May - Book Fair

20th May - Zone Cross Country