

PARKHURST STATE SCHOOL

Parents and Citizens' Association PRINCIPAL'S REPORT – 09/05/2023

| PREP | YEAR 1 | YEAR 2 | YEAR 3 | YEAR 4 | YEAR 5 | YEAR 6 | TOTAL |
|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------|
| 57 | 55 | 61 | 57 | 72 | 70 | 62 | 434 |

Staffing Update

We are pleased to announce that Mrs Rhiannon McPherson has returned to Parkhurst State School this term. She will be taking over as the new teacher for 2/3M while Silvie Moravek is on leave for the remainder of 2023. In other staffing news the department is extending the contracts of both Mr Daniel Evans and Ms Rachel Sampson until Week 4 of Term 3.

Semester One Reporting

At the end of each semester, a written report is provided to each student. Reports are completed using the approved One School template. Judgements are presented in line with the P-12 Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting Framework. As a school we aim to keep our reporting processes **clear and transparent** for parents and the community, so that parents understand:

- the learning expectations for the student
- the student's achievement against expected standards
- how well the student is engaging with the expected learning
- how the learner may be able to improve

Reports will be emailed out to parents/ carers on Thursday, 22nd June 2023. Hard copies of the report can be requested through the office.

Facilities and Infrastructure

The latest schedule has the completion date set for June 6th, 2023. The tuckshop is now functional and awaiting final inspections, while the administration building has been carpeted and is ready for the installation of fixtures and finishes. We expect the furniture to arrive in about two weeks. As Paynters prepares to remove their site offices, we're excited to welcome landscaping contractors to site. Paynters will be conducting a thorough hand-over with the school, including defect checks.

In addition to these updates, we're pleased to announce that construction of the staff carpark has begun. This carpark will provide space for 16 cars and will be accessible via an electric security gate. We anticipate that the carpark will be completed by mid-July 2023, providing a convenient and secure parking solution for our staff.

2024 School Planning

Our 2024 workforce planning will begin this week, and we'll be submitting the Notice of Intentions for 2024 Advice to our staff. This form will allow our leadership team identify which staff members will be staying, transferring, or taking leave, so that we can work with our Regional HR to fill any vacant positions. We're committed to creating a strong and capable team for the next year ahead, and we're looking forward to working with our staff to make it happen.

ARD Visit

Peter Tanzer, Assistant Regional Director for Parkhurst State School, will be visiting on Thursday, May 12th. During his visit, we'll be focussing on traction of evidence relating to our school improvement agenda. Out top priority is to ensure that the work we've invested in is making the biggest and best difference to student learning. We'll be reviewing our targets and initiatives to determine if we're on track or if any adjustments need to be made.

As we move into Term 2, this will be the final term for the ARD role in schools. The department is moving to a new model of supervision and capability development for principals. The recruitment and selection processes for these new positions are currently underway, and we're looking forward to seeing how these changes will positively impact our school in the future.

Upcoming Events and Activities

| VEEK | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | WEEKEND |
|------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| | April 17 th | April 18 th | April 19 th | April 20 th | April 21st | April 22 nd /23 rd |
| 1. | | | | | | |
| 2. | April 24 th Anzac Day Parade | April 25 th ANZAC DAY HOLIDAY ANZAC Parade | April 26 th | April 27 th | April 28 th Friday Sport Season 1 Ends | April 29 th /30 th |
| 3. | May 1# LABOUR DAY HOLIDAY | May 2 nd | May 3 rd | May 4 th | May 5 th | May 6 th /7 th |
| 4. | May 8th | May 9 th RD Cross Country P & C Meeting | May 10 th Tuckshop Meal Deal #1 | May 11 th Mothers' Day Stall | May 12 th Rugby League Gala Day | May 13 th /14 th MOTHERS' DAY (14 th |
| 5. | May 15 th Arts' Council | May 16 th | May 17 th Volunteers' Morning Tea | May 18 th PAWS Shop Pancake Breakfast | May 19th Walk to School Day P & C Day Presentation Friday Sport Season 2 Starts | May 20th /21st |
| 6. | May 22 rd P & C Pancake Day | May 23 rd | May 24th National Simultaneous Storytime School Scavenger Hunt | May 25 th Greatest Morning Tea | May 26 th | May 27 th /28 th |
| 7. | May 29 th Toy Donation Day | May 30 th | May 31 ₽ | June 1 st | June 2 nd Reports Due to Admin | June 3 rd /4 th |
| 8. | June 5 th | June 6 th Pizza & Popper Day | June 7 th | June 8 th | June 9 th | June 10 th /11 th |
| 9. | June 12 th Reading Data Due Breakfast for Cleaners & Greg | June 13 th P&C Meeting? | June 14 th Readers' Cup Sports Day Under 8's Day | June 15 th ROCKHAMPTON SHOW HOLIDAY | June 16 th | June 17th/18th |
| 10. | June 19th Teddy Bear Picnic Day Free Dress Day (Capricorn Animal Aid Donation Day) | June 20 th | June 21# Tuckshop Meal Deal #2 | June 22 nd PAWS Shop | June 23 rd Assembly of Excellence No Friday Sport Loastie Breakfast | June 24 th /25 th |

Financial Statement

The most current **Budget Overview Report** and **Financial Snapshot Report** are attached.