



## POYNTER NEWS

### Coming Events

**Friday 20 July**

2019 Enrolments Kindy & PP-Yr6 close

**Friday 27 July**

House Cross Country

Yrs 3 & 4 12:20 - 1:20

Yrs 5 & 6 2:00 - 3:00

**Monday 30 July**

OPUS Concert Hall Yr 5 & 6

**Friday 3 August**

SIDS Foundation Free Dress

P&C SciTech Family Night 5-8pm

**Monday 6 August - Friday 10 August**

SCIENCE WEEK

**Tuesday 7 August**

Interschool Cross Country Davallia PS

**Wednesday 8 August**

Assembly Year 4 Room 16

**Tuesday 14 August**

French Cultural Day

**Monday 20 August - Friday 24 August**

BOOK WEEK

BOOK FAIR Monday-Thursday

**Tuesday 21 August**

Book Week Dressup 9.00am

**Wednesday 22 August**

Assembly Year 3 Room 13

**Monday 27 August**

House Field & 200metres

**Wednesday 29 August**

House 400metres

**Friday 31 August**

House Carnival

P&C Subway Lunch

**Tuesday 4 September**

P&C Meeting

**Thursday 13 September**

Carnival - Field

**Friday 14 September**

Interschool Athletics Carnival Track

**Next Farmers' Market**

Saturday 28 July

**Education Security**

9264 4632 (24 hours) or

**Police** 131 444

**Absentee SMS:**

0437 311 380(OR through App)

**PPS SmartLink APP**



Dear Parents,

Welcome back to a brand new term! Term 3 is traditionally a very busy term with all our major sporting events taking place. Mr Riley and Mr Joyce will keep all of us informed about when and where but please read the notifications that we send home. Don't forget that you can find all information and forms that go home on our SmartLink App and on our Term Planner.

The first Newsletter will come out on **Wednesday 1st August**.

Another event that is a big part of this term is preparations for our Year 3 to 6 School Production that will take place in Term 4. Auditions are currently being held during recess and lunch breaks. Please be aware that all practices and rehearsal take place during Music and at recess and lunch times. We do not use any other class time until the week of the Production. We are looking forward to our School Production for 2018.

This term we welcome back Mrs Alison Guhl into Year 4 Room 11, who returns from Parental Leave. She will be teaching in a tandem with Mrs Rickson. We also welcome Mrs Melanie Burse in to the front office. Mrs Burse replaces Mrs Dagmar Allen who is doing Mrs Gail Taylor's role as the MCS. Mrs Taylor will be away for the whole of Term 3.

This term we have made a change to the frequency of our Newsletter as we will only be publishing three newsletters a term in Weeks 3, 6 and 9. The mode of delivery will still be the same. Another form of communication that will be open this term will be 'Connect'. We have asked staff to volunteer to open their 'Connect' classrooms to parents. Further information will come out as to the classes who have volunteered and the process that will be undertaken.

At the end of last term we noticed that some of our students were playing a game that adopted some of the concepts of the game Fortnite. After a mini assembly today we have asked students not to play such games at school.

### Operational Reminders

Just a few reminders :

- All students who arrive at school before 8:30am must congregate at the front of the school until dismissed at 8:30am to go to class. If it is raining students go outside the Art Room.
- If for any reason your child needs to arrive at school before 8:00am please contact me directly if you haven't done so already.
- All children must be directly supervised by a Parent or Guardian if they remain at school after 3:00 pm, unless the child is participating in a Poynter PS organised activity.
- Students are to abide by the school rules when using playground equipment at all times, particularly when they are using the equipment after school.
- Please make sure that students are wearing the correct student uniform. If you are having issues with your child wearing the school uniform please let us know, so that we can help.

### House Cross Country (Years 3, 4, 5 & 6)

The House Cross Country events will be held on Friday 27 July 2018 on a course around the school. The approximate starting times for each year level are Year 3 at 12:20pm, Year 4 at 12:50pm, Year 5 at 2:00pm and Year 6 at 2:30pm.

**Keyla Jeffers**

**PRINCIPAL**

**Enrolments 2019 close for Kindy, PP to Yr 6 Friday 20 July**