



A quality education in a caring environment

Seven Hills North Public School NEWSLETTER

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Term 2—Week 4



DATES FOR DIARY

TERM 2

MAY

- 14 Walk Safely to School Day
- 21 Winter PSSA starts
- 25 Stage 3 The Rocks Excursion
- 27 Stage 2 and 3 Incursion
- 28 PSSA Assembly @ 2pm

JUNE

- 4 PSSA
- 4 K-2 Fun Run
- 8 Stage 1 Excursion
- 9 Regional Cross Country
- 10 Stage 2 Excursion
- 11 PSSA
- 14 **PUBLIC HOLIDAY**
- 18 PSSA
- 18 Assembly 2pm
- 21 Longneck Lagoon Leaders Excursion
- 23 Athletics Carnival
- 25 PSSA
- Last Day of Term 2**

TERM 3

JULY

- 12 Staff Development Day
- 13 Students Return

From the Principal's Desk

Mother's Day Picnic

Last Friday we held a wonderful Mother's Day Picnic to celebrate all the special mum's, grandmother's, aunties, carer's and others who play this important role in our school community. It was lovely to have so many of our families join us at school for an afternoon of fun and fundraising. After a week of wet weather, the sun finally came out just in time and together we raised \$553.40 for the Breast Cancer Foundation. A huge 'thank you' to Mr Daniel, our school Chaplain, who coordinated this event. We appreciate all the hard work that went into organising the afternoon tea and raffle. Thank you to our P&C for their donation of raffle prizes for this event.



Zone Cross Country

We are very proud of all those students from Years 2-6 who represented our school at the Zone Cross Country held at Alwyn Reserve, Glenwood. Ms Dundas, Mrs Aktas and I accompanied our students, who tried their best and proudly supported their peers. Our school received praise and compliments on the exceptional behaviour of our students. Our school placed fourth out of twenty-one schools based on percentages, a huge effort for our small school! A special 'congratulations' to Taine, who finished fourth in the 10 Years Boys race. Taine will now go on to represent the combined Seven Hills/Wentworthville Zone team at the Sydney West Area Carnival on 9 June. Good luck Taine!



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Mother's Day Stall

On behalf of our school community, I would like to thank the dedicated volunteers of our P&C for their coordination of a wonderful Mother's Day Stall. Students were able to purchase gifts for their mothers, grandmothers and special carers. A huge 'thank you' for all the hard work these mum's have done to make this opportunity possible for our students and to our wider community for your generosity in donating such lovely gifts! We were also very lucky to have beautiful raffle gifts donated by Mrs Buchanan. All the students in our school were entered into a Mother's Day raffle, with the Teng family being the lucky winners of the gorgeous hamper.



K-6 Assembly

Our K-6 assemblies returned last week for the first time in over a year! We were also pleased to be able to invite parents back to watch our assembly and share in the success of those students receiving awards. Students from 5/6 Morganite presented an engaging item on topics they have been learning in class. A huge congratulations to all our students for their exceptional behaviour as an audience, but particularly to those students in Kindergarten for whom this was their first whole-school assembly. We look forward to our next assembly to be held in Week 6 (Friday 28 May). A reminder that parents who attend the assembly are required to complete the Service NSW COVID QR code sign in and sign the school sign-in sheet, located at the office, where they acknowledge that they will comply with the COVID-19 requirements for visitors, contractors and service providers each time they visit.



Gold and Silver Award winners



Principal Medallion winners

Celebrating Student Success

Seven Hills North SMILES are presented to students when they are displaying one or more of the expected behaviours on our school matrix. Congratulations to the following award winners:



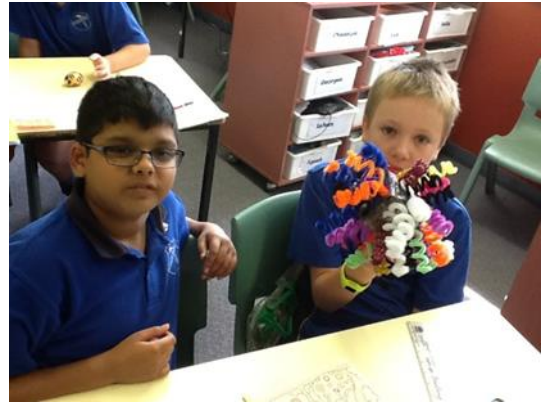
Week 2 – Aurora and Ben

Week 3 – Elly and Mairead

Kind regards,
Renai Diamond
Principal



Class of the Week: 5/6 Morganite!!



A busy, busy year we have had! Too much going on to try and squeeze into one newsletter. From STEM, to egg drops, from assisting Kindy to sitting for NAPLAN. What an amazing class to be a part of. Here are a few Morganite Snapshots!



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**I'm on a mission to shave the world from blood cancer, and I need
YOUR HELP!**

I'm sacrificing my locks to help Aussie families facing blood cancer.

Will you step up and sponsor me as I take on World's Greatest Shave?

Your donation will provide families facing blood cancer with the special care they need to make it through every scary, uncertain moment that follows a diagnosis.

It will also help brilliant research scientists continue their search for better ways to diagnose and treat blood cancer more effectively.

Every day another 47 Australians are diagnosed with a blood cancer.

I'm on a mission to change that.

Will you help by sponsoring me? Please follow the below link (copy and paste into url)

[https://secure.leukaemiafoundation.org.au/registant/FundraisingPage.aspx?
RegistrationID=817063#&panel1-2](https://secure.leukaemiafoundation.org.au/registant/FundraisingPage.aspx?RegistrationID=817063#&panel1-2)



Because my hair is so long, thick and healthy not only will I be shaving it off to raise money for blood cancer but I will also be donating it to make a wig (or hopefully two) for someone who has lost their hair through cancer treatment.

Thank you for your help Taine x

Shave the date 21 May 2021.

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CHESS!!

Learn to be a chess champion! Coaching for students at Seven Hills North Public School is held on **Mondays from 8.00AM - 8.50AM**.

Learning and playing chess helps children develop their logical thinking and problem solving skills, improves their concentration and focus, while also being a great source of enjoyment. Activities include group lessons on a demonstration chess board or interactive whiteboard, puzzle solving and fun practice games.

Students earn merit awards by making checkmates, or by displaying skills and positive qualities, which all good chess players strive to develop.

If your child is interested in taking part, you can now enrol online:

<https://sydneyacademyofchess.com.au/payment> and

Enter one of the code: **T8CQ9400VJ**

We also welcome new students for one free trial lesson, please e-mail

enrolment@sydneyacademyofchess.com.au to register.

For all enquiries call us on 97451170

Why Chess?

- Create Brighter Thinkers
- Improve Student Focus
- Achieve Academic Success

Combines learning with fun!



Educational Benefits:

- Improves concentration and focus
- Develops logical thinking and problem solving skills
- Enhances memory
- Encourages creative and lateral thinking
- Promotes discipline
- Accelerates emotional development
- Expands visualisation and spatial awareness
- Demonstrates actions and consequences
- Rewards correct decision making
- Increases self-confidence
- Provides opportunities to make new friends from diverse backgrounds

Seven Hills North Public School Chess Classes, 2021 Mondays 8:00AM - 8:50AM in the Library

Term 1	Cost: \$112.50	1st Feb - 29th Mar
Term 2	Cost: \$100	26th Apr - 21st Jun*
Term 3	Cost: \$112.50	19th Jul - 13th Sep
Term 4	Cost: \$125	11th Oct - 13th Dec

*No chess on 14th June (Public Holiday)

To enrol please pay online with your credit card at [www.sydneyacademyofchess.com.au/payment](https://sydneyacademyofchess.com.au/payment)

Enter the code T8CQ9400VJ and fill in the electronic form, with your child's details.

*Fees are due on the first day of term. A late fee of \$10 will be applied if payment is not received within 4 weeks of the start of the term. No refunds or credits for missed lessons during the term and trial lessons must be paid for. For pro-rata fees (ie. starting part way during the term) please contact Sydney Academy of Chess on 9745 1170.

OPTIONAL EXTRAS (prices include delivery)		
To enhance your child's learning experience these items are available for purchase online at the time of enrolment		
Workbook 1 – Cost: \$31 [For Beginner/Rookie Players]	Workbook 2 – Cost: \$31 [For Intermediate Players]	Workbook 1 & 2 – Cost: \$46 [SPECIAL OFFER]
Exploration in Chess Beauty – Cost: \$42 [For Advanced Players]	Chess Set & Roll-up Board – Cost: \$34 [Recommended for All Ages]	Chess Clock – Cost: \$77 [Recommended for All Ages]

Pay for four terms in advance and receive a free chess set or workbook 2 valued at up to \$34. Offer expires 31st March, 2021.



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OUR EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT HAS MOVED

The Children's Hospital at Westmead's Emergency Department has moved to the Westmead Health Precinct's newest building.

When travelling down Hawkesbury Road, turn left when you see the Children's Emergency sign. It is also just a 250m walk up Hawkesbury Road from our main entry. You can also access the Emergency Department from inside the Hospital.

Parking is available underneath the building, as well as a 15 minute drop-off and pick-up zone, located outside the front doors.



Walking route from our current Hospital to the new building



Nutrition Snippet

BUILD A LUNCH BOX.



Try our [interactive lunch box builder!](https://healthy lunchbox.com.au)

It's a fun online tool that will help you and your kids plan and pack a healthy lunch box with the foods they like.

For this and more visit:
healthy lunchbox.com.au

