# STOKERS SIDING

## Public School Newsletter



Term 4 - Weeks 7 & 8

Wednesday 30th November 2016

## **Upcoming Events**

THURS	1 Dec	Staff PL-Positive Behviour for Learning (PBL)
FRI	2 Dec	NAIDOC Day at SSPS 9.30 - 11.30am
FRI	9 Dec	P&C Fun Day 10am - 2pm
MON	12 Dec	STEM Day Burringbar PS
TUES	13 Dec	Presentation Evening SS & Dunbible Hall 6pm



The students in K - 2 have been learning to tell the time using a human clock!



WHAT'S THE TIME, MR HOLLIS?

Dear Parents and Community members,

#### NAIDOC DAY CELEBRATIONS

This Friday we will be celebrating NAIDOC day here at school from 9.30 -11.30am. During the morning session our students will have the opportunity to enjoy singing, dancing and craft activities. A big thank you to Sue and Doug Ansey, Briar, Lani and Jamaka for coming along and sharing their culture with us. The information note and pizza order went home to families last week.

## MURWILLUMBAH/WOLLUMBIN ORIENTATION DAYS

Good luck to our Year 6 students participating in the Orientation days at our local high schools, today, tomorrow and next week. We hope they enjoy this exciting time and look forward to hearing all about it.

#### **P&C FUN DAY**

Our wonderful P&C are hosting a Fun Day for our students on Friday 9 December from 10am – 2pm. A note went home last week outlining the details for the meal deal lunch and cost for the day. Please return orders and payment at your earliest convenience.

#### PRESENTATION EVENING

Our school presentation evening will be held on Tuesday 13 December at the Stokers Siding Dunbible Hall at 6pm. As it is a formal ceremony, we would like the children to come along in their school uniform. We look forward to sharing this evening with you, in acknowledging and celebrating your child/rens success.

#### WHERE THE WILD THINGS ARE PLAY

As you are aware the children have been working hard rehearsing and preparing for our school play "Where the Wild Things Are". The play will be performed on the same evening as our presentation evening, Tuesday 13 December. Following presentation evening all the children and staff will make their way back to school to prepare for the performance. Whilst the children are preparing they will be provided with a bite to eat and a drink. Parents will also have the opportunity to have something to eat and drink whilst mingling at the hall, as the P&C are providing a delicious range of food

for the amazing price of \$6 per plate. Please come along a support your child and our P&C and celebrate the end of another school year. Spread the word!

#### POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR FOR LEARNING

This Thursday the staff are spending the afternoon /evening working on the next stage of our Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL) journey. The professional learning will be led by our PBL Coach Lynn Parker. Following the professional learning we will be ready for launch in 2017.

Have a great week! Regards, Cherie King



#### **BLUE SLIP WINNERS FOR THE FORTNIGHT**



### **MERIT AWARDS AWARDS**

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#### Week 7



Congratulations to our **MERIT AWARD WINNERS** 

Caitlyn Noble	Nanda McColl
Lani Ansey	Airlii White

Week 8



Congratulations to our **MERIT AWARD WINNERS** 

Cohen Tierney	Briar Ansey
Rohan Singh-Goesel	Starling McKay
Jermaine Bogoevski Summer King	Lena Maiden Sianna Noble



**Special Congratulations to our** STUDENT OF THE WEEK Caitlyn Noble



**Special Congratulations to our** STUDENT OF THE WEEK Cohen Tierney

#### **SCHOOL LIBRARY NEWS**

AS WE ARE NEARING THE END OF THE YEAR WE WILL NO LONGER BE LOANING OUT BOOKS IN 2016.

PLEASE RETURN ANY OUTSTANDING BOOKS SO THAT WE ARE READY FOR BORROWING AT THE START OF 2017.

KIND REGARDS, ROD HOLLIS



#### **SATURN**

Cruising through Saturn's rocky, dusty rings.

Car sized asteroids floating around in space, I see colourful gases dancing around like ballerinas.

The dust is like a sand storm.

The eerie darkness gives me goose bumps down my spine.

They tickle my hairs.

The silence is scary, it makes me remember.

By Jude