



# Newsletter

## Dates for your Diary

November	
26-30	Swim School ( <i>not Wed</i> )
3&4 Dec	Swim School ( <i>not Wed</i> )
Wednesday 28	Information Evening & Disco—Year 7 2019 Dungog HS 5.30-7pm
December	
Tuesday 4	Year 6 Orientation day at Dungog High School
Thursday 6	Mufti Day
Friday 7	School Extravaganza Dungog High School <b>Note Due 26/11</b>
Tuesday 11	Swimming Carnival Kurri Kurri Swimming <b>\$13 due 4/12</b>
Thursday 13	Presentation Day 9:30am
Friday 14	School reports home
Monday 17	Class Parties <b>\$5pp due 3/12</b>
January 2019	
Wednesday 30	Year 1-6 First Day 2019
Wednesday 30	Kindy 2019 Best Start
Thursday 31	Kindy 2019 Best Start
February 2019	
Friday 1	Kindy 2019 First Day
Canteen Helpers	
Monday 26/11	Tanya & Jillian
November 29/11	Karen & Jillian
P&C Dates for your diary	
Tuesday 27/11	P & C Meeting @ 7pm
Sunday 9/12	Volunteer Appreciation Night—Vacy Store

## A message from the Principal

Congratulations to all of the Year Five students who were nominated to run as a candidate for the position of School Captain or Sports Captain for 2019. You all spoke extremely well and we are very proud of each and every one of you. I will be counting the votes shortly and an announcement will be made to the candidates and their families on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> December at 3pm. Until then, the results will not be shared with the school community.

By all reports, our swimming school is progressing nicely with all of our students showing their manners and best behaviour at the pool. Thank you to Mrs Greaves for organising this important program for our students again this year. As you are aware, it is one that is of extreme importance so it is good to see so many people involved.

Tonight is our Year Six Graduation Dinner and there are a lot of excited students ready for their big night. Due to the high number of students in Year Six, we are holding this important event at Tocal Agricultural College this year. Lots of hard work has gone into planning this event so thank you, especially Mrs Babic, for all of your hard work and dedication to all involved.

Mr Prior will be on leave for the next few weeks as he is attending a wedding in Chile. During his absence Mrs Belinda Smith will be implementing his program with the 3/4/5 students. Safe travels, Mr Prior.

Kind regards,  
Karen Fonti  
Relieving Principal

AWARD WINNERS Term 4 Week 5					
	Kindy	1/2G	2/3G	3/4/5P	5/6F
Be Responsible					
Be Respectful		Montana Harry	Madeline		Ursula
Be Safe			James	Harry	Flynn
Student of the Week		Abigail	Mia	Rohan	Jackson

### Swim School 2018

Swim school is off to a great start. The children have all been graded and they are now working on skills appropriate to their level of proficiency. We have classes that cater for a variety of abilities, starting with learn to swim, and ending with squad type activities involving practise of all the different strokes, and diving.

Thanks to everyone for your organisation and for ensuring that your children have all the essentials needed for their lessons. We are attempting to leave right on the bell each morning, so an extra big thanks to all for being at school on time.

A note will come home next Monday regarding our hot chip/treat day and all orders will be due back at school by Friday. Looking forward to another fabulous week of swimming.



### PBL Award Winners

#### Term 4 Week 5

**Gold**

Jesse, Harry, Thomas, India,



### 1/2 Class News

No homework will be taking place during swim school however, I will continue to change home readers. During this time we would appreciate it if you could assist your child with the learning of their lines for our class play. A script came home with the children last Friday. A note will come home soon regarding costumes. We will be making masks at school so any item needed will be fairly simple. We are very excited about performing for you at our extravaganza night. Hope to see you there.

Mrs Greaves