

Newsletter

Adaminaby Public School

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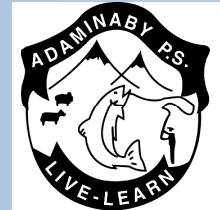
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Term 1 Week 10

Tuesday 2nd April 2012

Swimming

Last week was our final swimming session. So students will not be going to the pool in Cooma this week and school will finish at the normal time. Next term we will be having basketball for After School Sports, and at this stage this will run on a Tuesday afternoon. There will be more information regarding this, early next term.

Bringing notes and money to school

Everyone is doing a great job of handing money and notes into our letterbox in the office. Thank you for helping us with this system.

Wood auction

I would like to express both my personal, and the school's appreciation, of the effort that people in our school community puts into the wood auction at the Easter Fair. It highlights the fantastic effort that the P&C puts in to fundraising for the benefit of all of our students. Thank you for your help.



Last weeks menu consisted of savoury muffins served with a tomato and bocconcini salad and sweet potato wedges with hummus for dipping!! Students may take home copies of any of the recipes. Our little chefs were a delight in the kitchen - chopping, peeling, mixing, grating..... The garden group was very busy as well. They prepared for a new compost heap and covered our tomatoes to protect them from any early frosts.



Afternoon Routine

We are working on students having a more organised routine in the afternoons. This will hopefully result in calmer children and teachers, and will assist in the delivery of any last minute messages and handing out of notes etc. The ultimate goal is to also make things less hectic so that the process is safer for our students when organising their bags and all trying to get out of the door. Students have been practising leaving the classroom in small groups, rather than all at once, then sitting down on the lunch area seats while they wait for all students and teachers to all be gathered outside. Teachers then direct students to 4 different lines, depending on how they are travelling home. We have a bus line, a walkers line, a bike riders line and a car pick up line. Once students are lined up their lines are able to proceed to their departure gate. Please assist by waiting to take your children home once they have lined up and walked to their gate. I do appreciate that there are times that you may need to get away from school in a hurry and if you do need to collect your child earlier just let the teacher know that you are leaving.

Playgroup News

The Early Intervention Ladies will be at the Playgroup on Wednesday 10th April, to talk to parents.

Monday Munchies

Munchies are 30 cents for one item and 50 cents for two.

Next up on the roster are:

8 th April	Stephens and Maguire
6 th May	McMahon and Hart

Assembly

Our next assembly will be **12th April**.

Young Leaders

Our Year 6 leaders travelled to Sydney for the National Young Leaders day. Here are a couple of reports about the speakers.

Brett Lee was a detective in the police force, after that he became an undercover cop that works on the internet to find out what everyone is doing and making sure they don't hurt each other. He said that his mistakes help him to never make the same mistakes again. His message was that we need to make good decisions and you will be respected, and that everyone makes their own choices so we need to make good ones. – Robert

Nathan Hindmarsh used to play football for the eels. The message that he said was not to stop doing what you want to do in life just because things get tough or in the way. Like when he broke his leg but he still made sure that he was seen by the coach and he worked really hard to be back on the team. He said 'when you get knocked down you have to get back up'. Nathan Hindmarsh is a good leader because he has used his influence in a positive way on a lot of people. He told us to follow our dreams and when bad luck happens we shouldn't give up. – Chloe



Breaking News!!!!

Our relay swim team came 8th in the state swimming today at Homebush....wow. Congratulations Chloe, Musa, Jacob and Bailey.



Upcoming Events

Day	Date	Event
Thursday	11 th April	Kitchen/Garden day
Friday	12 th April	Assembly Last day of term
Wednesday	1 st May	First day of term 2 for all students
Thursday	9 th May	Rivers Athletics Carnival
Tuesday- Thursday	14 th – 16 th May	Naplan Tests for year 3

Note to be handed in
