

May

Wed. 31st - Year 3 Assembly

June

Thur. 8th - Healthy Harold visit

Frid. 9th - Healthy Harold visit

Wed. 21st - Athletics Carnival

Notes Sent Home

Year 7 enrolment form for 2018

1/2 NEWS FLASH

Term 2 has been an exciting and busy term. This term we have been working hard in class and focussing on Responsibility lessons. Students have been working well in Numeracy, Literacy and reading groups.

Students have started writing some great narratives. Year 1 and Year 2 have been eager to participate in Athletic skills such as Shot putt, Discus and Long jump, computer activities, a science experiment involving crystals and water filtration. They loved making robots out of recycled materials, fitness activities and singing in the hall.

Year 1 and Year 2 are very creative and performed well at their assembly taking responsibility for their actions.

Every day is a wonderful day with 1/2!!!!!!!

Regards Miss Potter



Paterson Public School

Athletics Carnival

Wednesday
21st June

at the
Paterson
Showground



PATERSON PUBLIC SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY TEAM



Congratulations to all the students who represented Paterson Public School at the Zone Cross Country Carnival On Tuesday. Kiara Merchant placed first in the 11 year old girls and will be representing Maitland Zone at the regional carnival along with Drew Saxby who placed fifth in the 8/9 year old boys and Sophie Merchant who placed fourth in the 8/9 year old girls. All students represented the school with pride.

New Finance System for NSW Public School's

Paterson Public School will transition to the new NSW public schools' finance system and a new bank account on **24th July 2017**.

To ensure a smooth transition, there will be a period that no payments will be accepted.

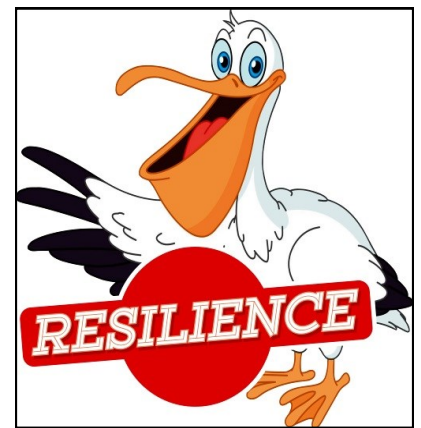
These times are:

Cash and cheque payments: Between **29th June 2017** and **24th July 2017**, we will not be able to accept payments by cash or cheque as we prepare to close our current bank account and transition to the new one. Please ensure that you have made any outstanding cash or cheque payments before **29th June, 2017**. From **25th July 2017**, cash and cheque payments will be accepted as before.

Our POP (parent online payments) system will go offline and not accept payments from the 19th July to the 24th July, 2017. From the **25th July** parent online payment will be accepted.

Thank you for your patience and understanding as we transition to our new finance system. If you have any questions, please contact the school office on 4938 5114.

Term 2 Assembly Awards Week 4



PBL News

Week 5 will see classes focus on
I help others and ask for support when needed.

Term 2 Week 2	PBL AWARD	CLASS AWARD	PRINCIPAL'S AWARD
Kindergarten	Colby Gehrig for taking responsibility for his own actions.	Xavier Wood for good listening in class.	Halle Cridland for being a responsible class helper and a good listener.
Years 1/2	Darcy Fitzgerald for taking more responsibility with his learning and behaviour.	Tahlia Ford for improvement with her reading and Literacy work.	Beau Stevens for improvement in all areas. For being reliable in Fitness.
Year 3	Jai Verdich for taking ownership of his equipment.	Joel Roddenby for telling a interesting Science story.	Addison Cowled for trying hard in NAPLAN.
Year 4	Connor Ford	Angus Gordon	Jackson Morschel
Years 5/6	Emily Tindall for always being reliable.	Noah Lee for asking questions to seek clarification.	Chelsy Huntriss for working hard to improve her understanding in all areas.

Captain's Award

Holly Kidd for always using her manners at the canteen.

SHOOSH FOR KIDS WEEK

15-21 May 2017

If your comment is negative, then **SHOOSH!**

Reward good play by both teams with applause; if you can't then **SHOOSH!**

If your comment is directed at a referee or match official, then **SHOOSH!**

If your comment is directed at a player, then **SHOOSH!**

Show respect to players and game officials. **Remember it's their game.**



Shoosh for Kids Week is proudly supported by:



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Office of Sport

School Fees

School fees are now due: Cost: \$25 per child and capped at \$50 per family.

Only pay for the first 2 children.

You can either pay online, cash or cheque.

Please pay by 28th June, 2017.

Entertainment Books

Entertainment books have been sent home. If you do not wish to purchase your book or are purchasing a digital copy please return the book to school asap.

Cost per book is \$65.00.



The perfect gift for Mum this Mother's Day

AUSTRALIAN HERITAGE FESTIVAL

THE RAIL MOTOR SOCIETY OPEN DAY

COME AND SHARE SOME OF OUR HISTORY
AND TAKE A STEP BACK IN TIME

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SHUTTLE RIDES PATERSON TO WALLAROBBA AT 9.55am - 11.15am - 1pm take a guided tour through the depot & museum (please arrive 10min prior)

SATURDAY - 20TH MAY 2017
- \$2 PER PERSON

Leaving from The Rail Motor Society Depot – Webbers Creek Road, Paterson 2421

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL ON 0413672408 OR 49 32 6967 – Trish Short

"The Australian Heritage Festival is supported through funding from the Australian Government's National Trusts Partnership Program"

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