



# The Risk Public School

## NEWSLETTER

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Term 2 Week 2

### DISTRICT CROSS COUNTRY AT THE RISK PUBLIC SCHOOL WHAT A GREAT DAY!

The Risk PS held the annual District Cross Country Trials last Friday with great success. The school and the track were well prepared and everything went smoothly to give everyone an enjoyable experience here at our wonderful school.

Many thanks go to the many, many helpers that made the day possible - David Grieve for the paddocks, our staff who prepared the course and grounds, our P&C and parents who provided another world-class menu for us all to enjoy, the students who behaved very well and all the visitors to our school who passed on many compliments and enjoyed the pleasant atmosphere and weather!



**TOP LEFT** - Students walk the track prior to starting.

**BELOW RIGHT** - Eager competitors get ready to start.

And the determined Risk students pushing for a place at zone level.



## Student Awards

### INFANTS CLASS

GEORGIA D.



Writing a detailed recall of the Cross Country, using expressive writing.

### STAGE 2

TOM B.



A great effort to complete the 2km cross country on his own!

### STAGE 3

HAYDEN P.



A helpful person with younger students in the playground.

TOGETHER WE LEARN

**NEXT P&C MEETING**  
**NEXT MONDAY 9th MAY**  
**7pm at The School**

### P&C LAMINGTON DRIVE ORDERS BACK TO SCHOOL BY THIS FRIDAY, MAY 6

The P&C will conduct a lamington drive in next week. The lamingtons will be prepared and ready on THURSDAY 12th May. If you would like to help, contact Kerri Moss.

**Please get your orders in this week!**

**FRIDAY LUNCHES THIS WEEK**  
**STUDENT PARLIAMENT**  
**SALAD WRAPS - \$3 per person**

### CROSS COUNTRY RESULTS

Congratulations to all TRPS students who ran as hard as they could on Friday. All the training paid off and we have 4 competitors who qualified to go to the Zone trial at Corndale on May 27. The following students received their permission notes last Friday these need to be signed and brought back to school as soon as possible -

- ♦ 2nd Xavier Cook 10yrs boys
- ♦ 5th Felicity Duley 10yrs Girls
- ♦ 2nd Clayton Guiney 11yrs Boys
- ♦ 1st Maggie Moss 11yrs Girls

### A BIG THANK YOU

*From The Risk P & C*

Thank You to all the helpers on the track and in the canteen area. The donations of home baked cooking was outstanding once again for the District Cross Country. With the support of our parents, community members and visiting schools the day was a success once again and we raised \$1000 for our school.



### NAPLAN FOR YEAR 3 AND YEAR 5 STUDENTS

Students in years 3 & 5 will participate in the NAPLAN Tests in week 3. Families are reminded that all students in these age groups should be in attendance to participate on 10/11/12 May.

### MOBILE LIBRARY

The Richmond Valley/Kyogle Mobile Library visits our school every 2 weeks on a Friday. It will visit again on 13th May.

### EVERY WEEK - MONDAY RECESS

Each Monday, the Student Parliament provides toasted sandwiches and flavoured milk for purchase at recess. Toasties are 50c each and milk is 50c per cup.

### PRIMARY CLASS THEMES THIS FORTNIGHT

**English** - We resume Literacy groups today with two books being studied in four small groups. This is spread over four days per week with the help of Ms Sawford, Ms Bendall and Mr Mac. The spelling sound this week is 'u' and all the letter combinations that make the sound 'u'. The class will also look at revising NAPLAN test skills in the four tests - maths, reading, spelling/language and writing.

**Maths** - Students are looking at whole number concepts such as counting by 10/100 off the decade, multiples and factors.

**Geography** - We are finishing off a unit on Manmade and natural features in Australia for Geography this week.

**Personal Development** - Students will begin a unit on resilience this week.

### YEAR 7 NOTES RETURNED

Parents of students in year 6 are requested to return the Year 7 Expressions of Interest for High School this week please.

**BOOKCLUB RETURN BY - 13th MAY**

### EVENTS & DATES TO REMEMBER - TERM 2, 2016 (10 weeks)

<b>NAPLAN TESTS FOR YR 3 AND YR 5 STUDENTS</b>	<b>10/11/12 MAY</b>
<b>MOBILE LIBRARY &amp; PIES/S. ROLLS LUNCH</b>	<b>FRIDAY 13 MAY</b>
<b>STUDENT PARLIAMENT LUNCH</b>	<b>FRIDAY 20 MAY</b>
<b>MOBILE LIBRARY &amp; PIES/S. ROLLS LUNCH</b>	<b>FRIDAY 27 MAY</b>
<b>ZONE CROSS COUNTRY- CORNDALE PS</b>	<b>FRIDAY 27 MAY</b>
<b>K-6 EXCURSION TO LISMORE: 52 STOREY TREE-HOUSE - THEATRE PRODUCTION AT NORPA</b>	<b>TUESDAY 31 MAY</b>

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