



# PALINYEWAH PUBLIC SCHOOL

# NEWSLETTER

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Term 1 Week 3

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## ***This Week***

### ***Term 1 Week 3***

**Monday 16<sup>th</sup> Feb**

Intensive Swimming Wentworth

**Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> Feb**

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**Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> Feb**

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**Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> Feb**

**Friday 20<sup>th</sup> Feb**

Small Schools Swimming  
Carnival - Wentworth

### ***Term 1 Week 4***

**Monday 23<sup>th</sup> Feb**

P&C Meeting 2pm

**Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> Feb**

Toy Library

**Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> Feb**

Science day Pomona

**Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> Feb**

**Friday 27<sup>th</sup> Feb**

## Focus Value

*Play safely / Work safely*

### Intensive Swimming

We have had a very successful intensive swimming program with the students all showing a great improvement. Luckily the weather warmed up for us this week after the chilly start last week. Thank you to Richelle Hinks, Katie Robinson, Donna Worrell, Leanne Seaman, Rachel Strachan, Julie Bishop and Tammy Martin for assisting with travelling in and helping at the pool. Also thank you to Mr Mercer and Mrs Farley who drove the mini bus for us. Of course, as usual, the Keatch Family were a wonderful help in teaching our children and helping any way they could.

The more capable swimmers finished the week playing an exhausting game of water polo (Mrs Farley is still recovering!)



## **Small School's Swimming Carnival – tomorrow!!!**

Details for the Swimming Carnival are as follows:

Date: Friday 20<sup>th</sup> February 2008

Venue: Wentworth Swimming Pool

Time: 9:45am for a 10am start

Entrance Fee: \$1 for child swimming

Lunch: There will be pies, pasties and steamed dim sims, drinks and ice-creams available on the day from the canteen.

Own transport to Wentworth

### **Science Day Excursion**

Next Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> February the whole school will be heading to Pomona Public School to take part in a Science workshop day. We will be going by bus driven by Graham Wall and car if needed. We will be leaving Palinyewah as soon as the school bus arrives so it is important that **all** students are at school by 8:20 that day. The Catterall family will be meeting us there.

Peter Eastwell who runs Science Time Education will run the day starting with a one hour science show which will be followed by hands on practical activities.

### **School Lunches**

Thank you to the families who have been writing their lunch orders onto brown paper bags – it is helping ease the lunch-time rush.

A reminder that due to OHS reasons we will not be able to heat up Two Minute Noodles.

### **Toy Library Date Change**

Please note that there is a change of day for Toy Library next week. It is now on Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> February.

## **P & C News**

The next P & C meeting is Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> February at 2pm in the Library/Technology room.

## **Future Dates**

### **Term 1**

Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> March to 6<sup>th</sup> March Mrs Wall at Regional Principals Meeting Dubbo

Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> March Murray-Darling Sport Trials  
Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> March Toy Library "Great Shave"

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March Murray Darling Swimming Carnival Dareton Pool

Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> April Last Day of Term

### **Term 2**

Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> April Staff Dev Day  
Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> April Students Start

Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> May Year 3/5 NAPLAN Test  
Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> May Year 3/5 NAPLAN Test  
Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> May Year 3/5 NAPLAN Test

Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> June Murray-Darling / Barrier Cross Country at Palinyewah

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> July Last Day of Term