



SUNSET STATE SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

“Co-operation and Commitment”



March 16, 2017

RUGBY LEAGUE GALA DAY

On Wednesday our Rugby League team played their first gala day of the year. They showed great courage all day in the 38 degree heat to play 6 games of rugby league. All games were very competitive with Tri varn playing outstanding all day leading the team with 12 tries. Miles and Ethan also played great football, both grabbing a handful of tries. The standout of the day was the courage that our 6 girls showed to match the boys in every part of the game. Cearra and Aaliyah showed they can be future stars with strong defence that sent chills through the other teams. Genna was our top girl try scorer with 6 tries and was unstoppable every time she got the ball. Although we only came away with 1 win and 1 draw we only lost by 1 try in 4 games. Looking forward to the next Gala day on Friday 24th March.

Results:

Sunset 28 – 32 Saints

Sunset 36 – 40 Happy Valley

Sunset 32 – 32 Barkly

Sunset 36 – 20 Healy

Sunset 24 – 28 Townview

Sunset 20 – 36 Saints

FROM THE SPORTSLOCKER

Wow what a huge week, in sport, it has been this week!

Firstly, **a huge congratulations** to Bill Woodward and Dylan Parkes in ranking at the top of their BMX divisions after travelling to Aherston for their competitions. Bill now sits at the top of the Far North Zone and Dylan won all his rounds throughout his division.

Next our two netball teams have started their rounds of competition, with a huge amount of enthusiasm. Tiggers 1 proving to be a power, winning their first game convincingly. Their second game showed much determination and team spirit that kept the high scoring event to a very respectful 3 goals down to a stronger opposing team.

Tiggers 2 are showing a huge improvement each week considering that none of these girls have played competition before. Tiffany Horwood scored the only goal for the team in Round 1 and Taryn King scoring the one goal for the team in the game last night.

A huge well done girls for your team efforts and good luck in the future games!

We will watch in anticipation for your ongoing improvement each week.

Some equal huge congratulations to the efforts of our softball team. The team had mixed fortunes winning 2 of their 4 games yesterday with more competition yet to be played next Friday. GO SUNSET!!!!

We will post next Friday's results in our final newsletter for term 1 the following week.

Finally, many thanks must be given to the dedication of our Sunset staff to ensure our students are enabled and well equipped to participate in each of these competitions safely and enthusiastically.

Mr S

YEAR TWO SCIENCE



In year two we are learning about materials and their properties. For their assessment we created an object to fit an orange and a sandwich inside. We then had to test the strength of the object to see if it could carry our orange and sandwich for a distance of five metres. We found most were successful. We then tested if it was water resistant or not when water was wiped over our object. Some of the students said that the object got soggy when Ms Hill wet the object in the inside. We then completed our investigation to see if our prediction was correct or incorrect.

**From the
Guidance
Officer ...**



Hello Sunset State

School Community

My name is Matt McGrigor (Mr Matt), and I feel privileged to be your Guidance Officer (GO) again for 2017. I am at Sunset State School every Monday, Tuesday, and Friday.

As the Guidance Officer, my role is to help support and work collaboratively with everyone within our school community to enable each student to become a successful learner. This includes working with all school staff, students, families and external agencies in the areas of curriculum, wellbeing, and behaviour. I am looking forward to the year ahead and the great things that we will achieve together.

To help support each student across the school, regular attendance is crucial. Regular attendance enables quality teaching and learning to occur for each of our students to ensure that each child is achieving. Each day counts!

CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING RESULTS OF YOUR CHILD NOT BEING AT SCHOOL ALL DAY, EVERY DAY.

He/ She is only missing just....	That equals....	Which is.....	and over 13 years of schooling that's...
10 minutes per day	50 minutes per week	Nearly 1.5 weeks per year	Nearly Half a year
20 minutes per day	1 hour 40 mins per week	Over 2.5 weeks per year	Nearly 1 year
Half an hour per day	Half a day per week	4 weeks per year	Nearly 1 and a Half years
1 hour per day	1 day per week	8 weeks per year	Over 2 and a Half years

If you wish to speak to me regarding your child, please contact me through the school on 44373444.

Until next time *Matt*

STUDENT COUNCIL IN ACTION

Sunset student leaders have banded together to develop a play program. Their plan is to assist students playing in area 2 by demonstrating new games to play and showing students how to follow rules while having fun. Student led activities are on the courts in 2nd break, Monday Wednesday and Friday.

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Mount Isa Athletics Club

2017 SIGN ON DAYS

Wednesday 19th April (4.00PM-6.00PM)

&

Saturday 22nd April (9.00am-12.00pm)

SUNSET OVAL

Birth Certificate will need to be sighted for all new members

For more information available at www.mountisaathletics.com.au

Or contact David Scott on 0429 376 668

Ages 4 years to 100+ years

Assistant Coaches & Volunteers also welcome

First Club Day will be Saturday the 29th April, 2017 commencing at 2.00pm

Happy EASTER

All students are invited to Sunset State School's
Annual Easter Bonnet Parade

Fri day 31st March 2017

2pm - 2:30pm



**WANTING TO UPSKILL
AND
GET YOUR CHILD READY
FOR NETBALL?
WE NEED YOU!!**

**CALLING OUT FOR
EXPRESSION OF
INTEREST**

**5 - 8 YEAR OLD GIRLS &
BOYS**

**Starting 2nd Term for 8-10
Weeks**

**A program of weekly activities
designed for participants to
learn
netball related fundamental
motor skills, netball skills and
game sense while participating
in
modified games with a focus on
fun and teamwork**

**PLEASE CONTACT LENORE
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