



Clergate Public School

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**Week 7 Term 2
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UPCOMING DATES FOR YOUR DIARY!

WPSA Cross Country	12 June
Years 3-6 Sydney excursion deposit due	12 June
NRMA Science & Road Safety Day	18 June
Gymnastics Excursion all students	19 June
P&C Movie Fundraiser	22 June
4/5/6 Art Excursion	24 June
Assembly K/1 class item	27 June
Crazy hair fundraiser & hot dog meal deal day	2 July
P&C Meeting	2 July

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Noelle Cornish from the Orange Credit Union attended our assembly on Friday to complete a handover of our newly purchased iPads that will support our STEM program. The iPads were funded by the Orange Credit Community Grants, where we were successful in receiving \$3000. Our school will have a full wi-fi upgrade this week and we are hoping to have the iPads up and running soon.



RUNNERS CLUB RETURN TO CLERGATE

Once again, Clergate PS will host the **Orange Runners Club on June 30**. Our P&C will hold a BBQ for the participants. Slices and donations of eggs, buns or bacon are welcomed. If you can lend a hand please let Alex McLean know. The Runners Club of Orange regularly hold Sunday runs commencing at 9am from our school. There are 3km, 5km and 10km runs to choose from. You might even wish to walk. Registrations for Runners Club are from the 1st of April each year until the 31st of March the following year. You can register any time throughout the year. It's \$20 for a child, \$30 for an adult or \$75 for a family. Here is the link: <https://www.orangerunners.com.au/> They can also be found on Facebook.

NRMA ROAD SAFETY DAY

On Tuesday 18 June our school will be holding a road safety day which is run by NRMA. Each class will participate in workshops throughout the day. **All children are asked to bring along their push bike helmet on the day to participate in one of the activities.**

Parents are most welcome to come along and are invited to attend a session. The class session times are:

3/4 – 9:15am (50 mins)
K/1 & 1/2 – 10:15am (40mins)
5/6 – 11:20am (60 mins)

P&C NEWS

The P&C pie drive orders are due back at school no later than 9.15am Thursday 27 June. Pies will be available for collection on Thursday 4 July and must be collected on this day. More order forms are available at the office if you need them.

The movie fundraiser tickets are selling fast. Please send money into the office in an envelope clearly marked with your name and how many tickets you wish to purchase and we'll send the tickets home with your child.

Catering for the Molong Players is our major fundraiser for the year and we've been advised that it will be held in August although we are still waiting for the actual date we've been allocated. Once again we'll be looking for volunteers to help with food preparation and serving on the night. We will send home a request for volunteers as soon as we know the date. Please consider volunteering your time for this awesome fundraiser.

MERIT AWARDS

K/1 Awards	
Bailey	Interest and enthusiasm shown during guided reading groups
Letty	Making wonderful progress on spelling tricky words
Chelsea	Showing skill in the area of 'length' in mathematics
1/2 Awards	
Teneeya	Looking for ways to help others in the classroom
Conner	Working hard in word study lessons
Solitaire	Always trying hard in fundamental movement skills
3/4 Awards	
Madeline H	Being on task and completing set work in the allocated time
Michael	Completing the Premier's Reading Challenge
Jack	A persistent effort to read fluently and with expression
4/5/6 Awards	
Lincoln	Creative, critical problem solving at Agritech STEM day
Olivia	Asking well thought out questions at Agritech STEM day
Lachlan G	Terrific, well thought out ideas, suggestions and questions at Agritech STEM day

SCHOOL FEES

School fees are now due. The fee structure for this year as per previous years is \$60 for the first child and \$50 for each child thereafter. The payment of such fees is not compulsory; however, parents are strongly encouraged to support the school in this manner. Fees can be paid via the parent payment portal on our website.

BILLY BLOOD DROP CHALLENGE

Calling all staff, parents, grandparents, aunts and uncles! We are taking part in the Billy Blood Drop Challenge this year in a bid to give blood, ultimately saving lives of people in our community. The challenge opens on 1 June and concludes on 31 October. Let's make a difference and donate. Please see the attached flyer.

ASSEMBLY

Our next assembly will be on Thursday 27 June at 2.30pm. Our K/1 class will be presenting their class item. We'd love to see you there.

5/6 FUTURES EXCURSION

Year 5/6 students had a wonderful, interactive day investigating different technologies currently being researched for agriculture. We loved playing with cow fit bits, drones and testing the sugar in fruit using a refractometer. A great day!

Our focus is

Respect

It looks like;

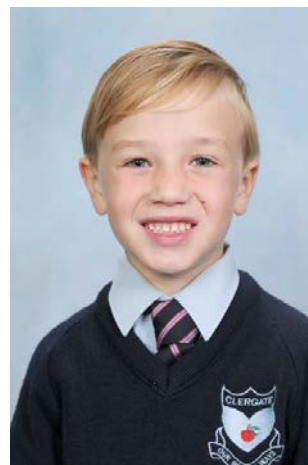
- Respect is thinking and acting in a positive way about yourself or others.
- Respect is thinking and acting in a way that shows others you care about their feelings and their well-being.

For example;

- You are quiet in a library to show that you care about (respect) others' need to read without interruption.
- You don't call people names because you care about (respect) their feelings.
- You don't hit or otherwise hurt people because you care about (respect) their well-being.
- You don't interfere with other people's right to look, think, or act differently than you because you care about (respect) their feelings and well-being.

STUDENT OF THE WEEK

The student of the week for Week 7 is Billy. He received his award for always having beautiful manners, a positive attitude towards all work, being kind and supportive of other students, eager to learn and work at a high standard and for being respectful to all staff. Congratulations Billy!



Our merit award recipients



5/6 Agritech

Musica Viva

CLERGATE PUBLIC SCHOOL P&C PRESENTS



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LIFE OF
PETS 2
SUMMER

Saturday 22nd June 4pm
Ticket prices \$15 each.
\$5 popcorn & drink combo
can be pre purchased.
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