

Awaba Public School



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Term 4 - Week 1 Newsletter

Important Dates

Sunday 28th October – 2nd November - Stage 3 Camp

Tuesday 6th November - Year 5 Linkages Toronto High

Wednesday 28th Nov - Year 5 Captains Speeches

Tuesday 4th December - Year 6 Orientation THS

Wednesday 12th Dec – School Christmas Concert

Friday 14th Dec – Student academic reports sent home

Wednesday 19th Dec – Last day for students and Pool Day

Welcome Back!

Welcome back to term 4! It's going to be a great one. This term we will be continuing on with the Big Day Out excursions, transition for Kindergarten and year 5 and 6 and the You've Been Spotted program. Students in stage 3 are off to camp in week 3 and we wish them well. Students' final academic reports are coming up and the next installment of report book work samples are set to follow. We will be enjoying pool day at Speers Point Pool on the last day of school, as it is back in action again this this year. The annual Christmas Concert is set for Wednesday the 12th of December and will be hosted once again in our school grounds. Also, lookout for the weekly 15 Minutes of Fame and the Photography Club in our weekly newsletter.

2018 School Camp

Students leave on Sunday the 28th October and return on Friday afternoon the 2nd November.

We can confirm that the cost for this year's camp is \$300 + \$10 travel. Thank you to those families that have paid the confirmation deposits. Please pay the next installment of your camp costs this week.

NB – Full Payment for camp needs to be paid before Friday 19th October 2018 at the school office.

Report Books

It's time to start sending in report books again please, in preparation for the end of year reports.

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Small Schools Touch Football

On Thursday in week 10 term 3, the touch football Team went to Sydney. We lost the first 2 games, with Swannie being our only decent player. In our last game fortunelately, we played a very inexperienced team. This meant we smashed them 9 tries to 1, without Swannie playing! I scored 2 miracle tries. One was half the field and the other was from 10m out. Some kids were subbed off for showboating. Although I showboated, my try was a miracle, so Mr. Gray let me off. Riley K scored off an intercept due to some poor dummy-half work from the opposition, as well as another regular try. In the 1st game Swannie scored 3 and in the 2nd one he scored 4. A great day was had by all. We would sincerely like to thank the P&C for making our travel possible and thank you to the people who could accompany us for support. By Jared Young

Transition Activities

Kindergarten Orientation continues on into next term on the 9th and 30th of November.

Year 2 will enjoy a number of visits to the 3456 room next term beginning in week 4

Year 5 students have a small lessons day at Toronto High School (THS) on November the 6th - 9.30-1.50pm

Year 6 students have a transition day too coming up on the 4th of December at THS.

Notes, where applicable, will be out on Newsletters.

<u>Next week is Environment Week</u>
Students will be learning how to reduce their environmental footprint!

15 Minutes of Fame

Name: Sara Ashmore Heroes: my husband Scott

Food: roast dinner or a good BBQ

Movies: Pretty Woman

Books: Power of One by Bryce

Courtney

Music: most music, in particular Meant To Be – Florida Georgia Line and Vivaldi – Four Seasons Loves: spending time with family and friends and a good board

Hates: nothing, too strong a word Interests: violin, sewing, music, family and travel

Theory on life: You get out of life what you put in so live everyday to the fullest

Wildest Desire: Climb the Eiffel

Tower

Biggest drag: Grocery shopping



Photography Club

A few years ago Mr Mac. introduced a weekly photography club. The students have expressed interest in this again. Each week we will set a theme for students and parents to get snapping. Bring in your best photo of the week on a memory stick, on Friday mornings, and we will pick a photo of the week to be included in the newsletter and printed for the foyer.

Next weeks theme is water.



Our White Mulberry tree is loaded and we picked two bucket loads yesterday. We had a terrific time in the bushes. Some people ate more than they collected. Today Miss Tip will turn our first crop into jam!