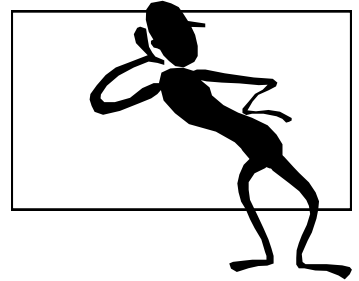


# MIDDLE SCHOOL NEWS

Monday December 4th 2017



## DATES TO

### REMEMBER:

#### DEC

##### Fri 8th

House Sports  
9:15 til 11:15

##### Monday 11th

2018 Booklists  
sent home.  
Parent Helpers  
afternoon tea.

##### Wed 13th

Christmas concert

##### Fri 15th

Baxter Brownlow  
Grade 3- 6

##### Wed 20th

Reports go home

##### Thurs 21st

Curriculum Day  
Michael Ymer PD

##### Fri 22nd

Last day—  
dismissal 2.30pm

## **HOUSE SPORTS and ACTIVITY DAY**

This Friday is our House Sports. The races will be held in the morning between 9:00 and 11:15 am and all parents, friends and family members are welcome to come along and cheer us on. Children are encouraged to wear House Colours but remember "NO FACE PAINT"

Following the races the students will be split into their multi-aged groups for a day of fun activities.

## **2018 BOOKLISTS**

- Booklists for next year will be distributed on Monday 11th December
- Please complete and return the lower section by Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December
- Please check the payment option available
- Book collection day is Monday 29<sup>th</sup> January 2018 between 9:00am and 11:00am
- If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the office on 5971 1391

## **BIG WRITE**

There is no Big Write this week.

## **PARENT HELPERS AFTERNOON TEA**

Next Monday the staff will be hosting a special afternoon tea to thank all their parent helpers. Invitations were sent home today. If you missed yours please contact your child's teacher.

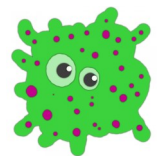
## **CHRISTMAS CONCERT**

Please keep the evening of Wednesday 13th December free for our Christmas Concert. All students are asked to wear Christmas t-shirts or Christmas colours (red, white and green), Christmas hats, tinsel, reindeer ears, etc.



## **CHICKEN POX**

Yes it is that time of the year and we have had one confirmed case of Chicken Pox in the Middle School. We ask all parents to be vigilant and check any rashes carefully.



## **END OF TERM - NO BUS**

Due to our early dismissal on the last day of term, Friday 22nd December there will be no town bus running for students to catch home. Parents with children who normally catch the bus will need to make other arrangements for them to get home on this day.

## **BAXTER BROWNLOW**

On Friday 15th December the Middle and Senior School will be celebrating Brownlow Day. Like the AFL Brownlow we have a special ceremony where all our Brownlow votes for 2017 Sport are read out. PAV will be putting on a special lunch for this day and orders for these lunches were sent home last week. Orders and money are due back at school on Tuesday 12th December. On the day the children are invited to dress up in their Sporting Gear for the celebrations. Some ideas students have used in the past have been wearing their medals, uniforms of teams they play for or uniforms of teams they support etc. If your child chooses to dress for the occasion they must come to school in their school uniform and change at recess for the event.