

MYPO NEWS

Mypolonga Primary School & Community Newsletter

'The standard you walk past is the standard you accept.' White Ribbon; 'Breaking the Silence'



We Roar as One!

You may notice a significantly smaller newsletter this fortnight. It is fitting at this point to acknowledge the wonderful work Necia does to put together our outstanding newsletter. She is currently on leave in Thailand, hence this abridged version!

The future is in good hands.

The science curriculum has sustainability outcomes across all year levels and it is so heartening to see our students connecting their learning to real-world actions and challenges. The timing of the 'War on Waste' has seen our students galvanised to make a difference. Our Eco-warriors are investigating ways to decrease the waste we generate and are passionate about change. We ask you to partner with your children to support them to create their own better futures and we will keep you updated as to how you can do this.

We are in the process of being accredited as a White Ribbon school. Kerry, Amy and I attended professional learning to start the process last week and we were very impressed that the focus was one of male empowerment and respectful relationships. We are looking to involve the wider school community in our learning about this very serious issue.

Warm regards
Rita



Term3 Week 4 13th August 2018

Term 3 Assembly Roster
Week 4: Linton, Elouise,
Logan
Week 5: Brady, Alarah,
Makayla S

Masterclass

Thank you to everyone who nominated to do a Masterclass. We have a wide variety available and we really appreciate your support.

Did you know?

In the northern Pacific Ocean, there exists the North Pacific subtropical gyre, a slow moving, clockwise spiral of currents created by a high-pressure system of air currents. The area is an oceanic desert, filled with tiny phytoplankton, but few big fish or mammals. But the area is filled with something besides plankton: rubbish, many tonnes of it, mostly plastic. It's the largest landfill in the world and it floats in the middle of the ocean.



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