

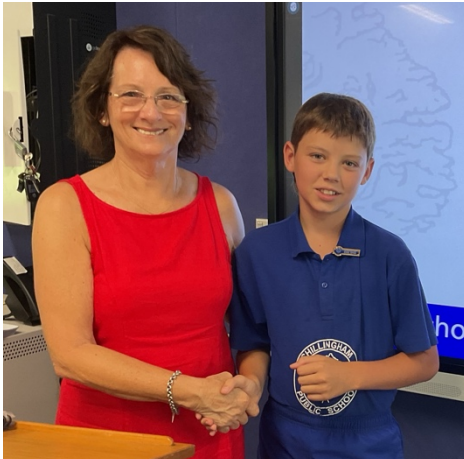
# Chillingham Public School



Success through Teamwork

20 February 2025 ~ Week 4

## Introducing our Leaders for 2025



### Important Dates

Friday 21 February  
Last day to place Book  
Club orders

**Canteen Open**  
Spaghetti Meal Deal

### **VISION STATEMENT**

Our students are happy, literate lifelong learners. We empower them with the knowledge, skills and confidence enabling them to make a positive contribution to society. Chillingham Public School is a great school. Join us.



## Principal's Desk

Thank you to everyone who attended the P&C's AGM and our first general meeting on Friday. I would like to congratulate and announce the committee members for 2025:

President: Louise Medcalf

Vice President: Mary O'Brien

Treasurer: Erika Thomson

Secretary: Jody Crocker

Canteen Committee: Mary O'Brien, Erika Thomson and Michael Lestrangle, with the support of all P&C financial members and parent volunteers. Your support and commitment to the school is very much acknowledged and appreciated.

Thank you very much to the wonderful volunteers who have helped keep our canteen open for this term. The call went out – and you answered!! Your children really really appreciate 'Canteen Friday' and your help.

**REMINDER:** Please return 'student profiles' and 'update My Family Information' forms to the school office as a matter of importance.

I would like to touch on some important DoE 'housekeeping' items; keeping students and their families, staff and school visitors safe is my priority as School Principal.

- Car park safety: please reverse into carparks, if there are no empty car spaces available, wait on the street and enter the gate as spaces become available, please do not double park. Congested car parks lead to low visibility, naturally providing a less than safe and ideal environment. Students should be escorted by their parent from the pick-up area directly to the car with minimal delay to give waiting parents the same opportunity.
- Smoking and vaping on or in government facilities: Smoking and vaping are strictly prohibited in all schools nationwide, including a 4-metre berth from any pedestrian entry or exit of a public building. Thank you for refraining from smoking or vaping whilst visiting our school for all purposes.
- Parent amenities: There is a staff toilet which is to be used by parents or visitors should nature call while on school grounds. Students are NOT allowed to enter the staff toilet (even with their parent) for any reason.
- Road safety: please encourage and lead by example when crossing the road, in particular at the busy times before and after school.
- Animals on school grounds: Pets on school grounds are strictly limited to companion animals, and relevant documentation may be required, please let me know if this is relevant to your family.

Thank you in advance for your understanding and support: **Success through Teamwork.**

Regards  
Vicki Roach  
Principal



Our 'buzzie'  
for this week



## Student Celebrations



Merit Award Recipients: Hunter, Willow, Nellie

Bees Knees Recipients: Chad, Peppa, Will

## Happy Birthday

Luke ~ Saturday 22 February



## Parents & Citizens' Association



**Next Meeting:** Friday 14 March at 2:30pm in Ms. Roach's classroom

**Canteen News / This week's Meal Deal:** Spaghetti Bolognese



**Canteen Volunteers:** Thank you to everyone who returned the canteen roster. We still have a few dates that need to be filled for this term; **7 March, 21 March, and 28 March.** Please let Ms. Crocker know if you can help in any way.

**Canteen Credit:** Credit is purchased in **advance** via Eftpos and is then used to pay for all P&C items until the credit runs out and at which time credit can be topped up. It's important to understand that the credit must be paid for in advance, and that it is **not an IOU system.** Please see Ms. Crocker at the office or via telephone if you would like to participate in this convenient method of payment.



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