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Weekly News Week 6

Hello,

The children are very excited about Swimming Week and our Assembly tomorrow. They have been rehearsing very hard and look forward to performing it to you tomorrow morning at 9:40am at the STARplex Hewiston Theatre. We hope to see you all there to enjoy their very merry Assembly, we're very proud of them!

Swimming Week

Please ensure your children bring the following named items in a separate bag every day: towel, bathers, goggles, change of underwear (if needed) and Asthma puffer or Epi-pen (if required).

Please make sure that all these items as well as clothing and shoes are clearly labelled with your child's name.

Our class swimming time will be at **11:50am**. We will aim to be at the pool 10 minutes prior to our lesson to get changed.

Children are able to wear their PE uniform all of this week. However if its easier to send girls in their summer uniform dresses, that is okay too.

Spelling - Week 6 -ir

This week we will focus on the 'ir' spelling.

Weeks 5, 6 and 7 are dedicated to learning the 'er' sound which can be written as er—herb, ir-dirt and ur-hurt.

The er sound is challenging because there are no rules to help decide which spelling to use. Once your child knows the different spellings that make the er sound they will need to rely on their visual memory and choose the one that 'looks' right.

Tricky words - which and were

Maths

This week in Maths the children will continue learning about early multiplication and division.

We will also be looking at time, o'clock, half past, quarter to and quarter past in digital and analogue format.

Year 1 STARplex Assembly

Our amazing Christmas Assembly is tomorrow, Tuesday 21st November. Both Year 1 classes will be performing our 'A-Z of Christmas' Assembly at STARplex Theatre at 9.40am.

We ask that all the children come dressed in Christmas clothes (e.g. Christmas colours; red, green, gold etc. or Christmas costumes; elves, angels, Santa's or Christmas themed t-shirts etc.)

<u>Children must bring their swimming bag and school uniform</u> to change in to at the pool after our assembly.

Thanks so much for your support with helping your child practise their speaking role and the Christmas Carols that we're singing.

Kind Regards, Kimberley Helps & Amy Penna.

Take Note.

Week 6

Tuesday November 21st

Year 1 STARplex Christmas Assembly starting at 9.40am.

Swimming Week

Mon 20th - Fri 24th November

Our swimming lesson is at 11:50am. You are welcome to come and watch your child's lesson.

The lesson will run for approximately 40 minutes.

Children can wear their PE uniform all week if they wish.

The children are expected to change themselves in the private change rooms.

We kindly remind you that, just like Term 1, no parents are permitted in the change rooms to assist with getting their child dressed/undressed.

Thank you for your co-operation.

Friday 8th December

Junior School Christmas Concert STARplex Hewitson Theatre

Week 9 - Wednesday 13th

<u>December</u>

South Speech Day Last day of Term 4

Library

Borrowing will finish this week (Week 6). All library books must be returned by Friday 1st December.

Sharing Topic this week

Make a Christmas card or decoration for the class.

