



The Risk Public School

- newsletter -

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- Be Safe - Be Respectful - Be a Learner -



Welcome to Week 4,

Cross Country

What a fantastic day it was at The Risk Public School for the District Cross Country! The sun was shining for most of the event, and the students enjoyed themselves despite the muddy conditions. Thank you to the staff at The Risk, especially Tracey for her exceptional organisation of the event, and Lisa Marvin for expertly setting up the course.

A special thanks to David Grieve, who consistently supports The Risk by allowing us to utilise his paddocks for this event. The P & C did an outstanding job, raising \$1000 at the canteen.

Congratulations to all our students for their participation and for demonstrating safe and respectful behaviour. The sportsmanship and determination displayed by our Risky Runners was evident throughout the day, making us incredibly proud.

Wishing you a fantastic fortnight ahead!

Lisa

Dates to Remember

Thursday 29 May	Healthy Harold @ The Risk PS
Friday 30 May	Zone Cross Country @ Corndale
Sunday 1 June	Market Day at The Risk PS
Monday 9 June	Public Holiday
Friday 27 June	Combined schools athletics carnival at The Risk
Tuesday 1 July	NAIDOC Day at Collins Creek
Friday 4 July	Last Day of Term 2



Thursday, 22 May, 2025

Term 2, Week 4

Cross country Results

Well done to the following students

Liam 7th, Oscar 8th & Adam 10th - Boys 5 - 7 years 600m

Sylis 8th (reserve) - Boys 8 - 9 years 2000m

Breanna 1st & Charlotte 4th - Girls 8 - 9 years 2000m

Zachery 9th - Boys 11 years 3000m

Rachel 1st - Girls 11 years 3000m

Toby 6th (reserve) - Boys 12 - 13 years 3000m

Mila 9th - Girls 12 - 13 Years 3000m



Congratulations to Rachel, Breanna, Charlotte, Sylis and Toby who have qualified for the Zone Cross Country to be held at Corndale on Friday 30 May.

Healthy Harold at The Risk PS

On Thursday May 29, The Risk PS will welcome Healthy Harold for an engaging day with our local small schools. Collins Creek and Wiangaree PS will join us for a fun-filled learning experience.

The Life Education Program was designed to support our young people to ensure that they can confidently face the increasingly tough challenges in their lives and empower them to make safer and healthier choices through education. Along with their mascot "Healthy Harold" Life Education aims to provide a unique learning environment with trained educators who use an innovative teaching and learning approach to engage students.

Students will rotate through various activities, including a session with the Healthy Harold van, a Football Australia (soccer) coach and an inspiring talk by author Jake Milton from the Byron Bay Writer's Festival.

A meal deal will be available. Kindly provide your child's permission via the Sentral app or by completing the attached permission note.

Simultaneous Storytime

Yesterday, we celebrated National Simultaneous Storytime. This year, we read *The Truck Cat*, written by Deborah Frenkel and illustrated by Danny Snell. Infants and primary students came together for a literacy session filled with activities centred around this book. At noon, we joined thousands of Australians in reading the book simultaneously.

Mobile Library

The Mobile Library visits The Risk every second Friday (odd weeks, 3, 5, 7, 9). We are fortunate to have this service provided by the Kyogle Council. If you would like your child to access the Mobile Library van, please ensure they return their books on the correct Friday. Additionally, if they have a library card at home and wish to use the mobile van, they need to bring their card to school.



STUDENTS OF THE FORTNIGHT!

PBL - School Communication - playing games



Infant Class: Olivia - for her consistent effort in learning.

Primary Class: for being an enthusiastic learner and committed to doing her best work.

Jump Rope for Heart

During Term 2 students are participating in Jump Rope for Heart. Jump Rope for Heart is the Heart Foundation's primary school skipping challenge that helps kids move more, have fun, and raise funds for life-saving research and programs.

This year we've got a goal to see our student Heart Heroes at The Risk PS to log **40 hours of skipping** throughout the program!

Register your child online, so they can receive the full benefits of the program and participate in online fundraising, simply follow the link below to get started. www.jumprope.org.au/parents or complete the cash sponsorship form attached to the newsletter.



Student Parliament Market Stall is open

together we learn

P&C News

Due to the weather forecast, the P&C have decided to postpone the Market Day until Spring this year. The new date is Sunday 31 August. Please save the date!

Kindergarten Information Session

Thank you to families that attended the information session. Families have given their preferences for Orientation days and they will be announced before the end of the term.



Attendance Reward Party

During term 1, there were 5 students with an attendance rate of 95% or above!

One student with 100% attendance.

It is on again, students with 85% attendance or above will be invited to a rewards lunch at the end of the term. Please remember - every day matters! Help your child to improve their attendance by scheduling holidays, appointments and other event during the school breaks. **Did you know**, if a student is absent for more than three days, a medical certificate is required to enable the school to record the absence as justified. Please contact the school when your child is sick to ensure the correct reason is recorded.

ATTENDANCE REWARD LUNCH

85% OR ABOVE ATTENDANCE

Students that maintain an attendance rate of 85% and above will be invited to an attendance reward lunch at the end of Term 1. If your child is sick, please provide a note to their teacher to justify their absence. If the child's absence is justified it will not be counted as an absence for this initiative. After 3 school days children require a medical certificate to justify their absence. More information can be found on the Department of Education website.

ATTENDANCE MATTERS!

How missing school adds up 📅

1 day

per fortnight
equals to

4 weeks

per year
equals to

Over 1 year

missed across K-12



**Patterns of lateness
can have a serious
impact on your child's
education.**

11 - 14 August



The Primary School Mobile Dental Program is visiting soon!

The Northern NSW Local Health District Primary School Mobile Dental Program will be visiting The Risk Public School from the 11th until the 14th of August 2025.

All primary school children who have returned the dental consent forms will be seen.
For parents that wish to attend their child's appointment, staff will be in contact to arrange an appointment.

Toothache or emergency appointments will be prioritised.
Please return your child's forms no later than Friday the 4th of July.



Brush your teeth morning and night



Eat more fruit and veges



Choose water as a drink



Have regular dental check-ups

Pies and Sausage Rolls
are available for lunch
Friday 23 May



\$3.50

- thank you to the P&C -



Jacket Potatoes
with various toppings

\$3.50

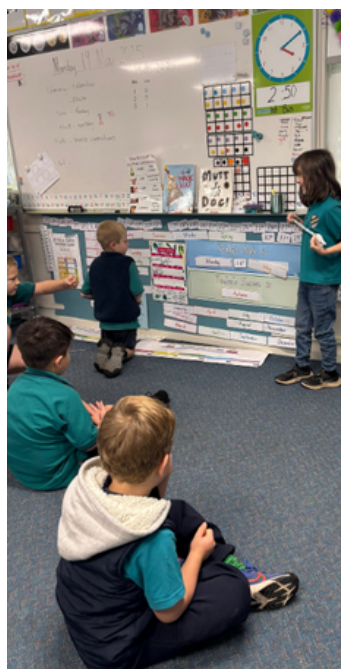
Friday 30 May

**SUNDAY
1 JUNE**

**THE RISK
MARKET**

Postponed
until spring

Book a stall today, call
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Smashing Watermelons



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