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Calendar

UPCOMING EVENTS



Thursday 6th June Book Club orders due

Friday 7th June **Curriculum Day -**Students not required at school on this day

Monday 10th June Queen's Birthday -**Public Holiday**

Tuesday 11th June 'Preps for 2014' Parent Information Evening @ 7pm.

Mon 24, Tues 25, Wed 26, Thurs 27 June **Student Progress** Discussions

Principal's News

It has been brought to our attention that there are several cases of Head Lice across the school. Whilst this is annoying and frustrating for families it is important to understand that anyone can have head lice. They are not a reflection of the person's health or hygiene and should not be used as a means of teasing or torment. The management of head lice can be time consuming but does not have to be difficult or expensive.

(Please refer to our website for some helpful hints).

Staff have noticed that some students are wearing jumpers that are the same colour as our uniform but with variations e.g. hoodies. Please note these are not part of our uniform policy, which has been verified by school council, therefore students will be asked to remove them if they are worn to school.

We would like to acknowledge the outstanding positive attitude towards education that the majority of our families have, which is demonstrated through punctual attendance. Attendance is not just about being at school, it is also about being on time. Congratulations to all those students and families who are being organised each morning and getting to school on time. Please remember – any time after 9.00 requires a late pass from the office.

Please remember that Friday is a **<u>Curriculum Day</u>** and Monday is the Queen's Birthday Public holiday – students are **NOT** required at school – we hope you all enjoy your four day weekend.

Cheryl Van Deursen – Principal

House Points

1st Cameron 2nd Bakewell 3rd Childers 4th

Russell

Quote:

'Lost time is never found again'

SCHOOL NEWS

Student Birthdays



Happy Birthday to the students who celebrate their birthdays this week

Michael L.

Tyler S.

Iemma C.

Nicholas W.

Stars of the Week

Congratulations on all your wonderful efforts this week!

Grade	Student	For being	
Prep PAM	Max P.	Co-operative	
Junior BA	Zaelyn W.K.	Co-operative	
Junior HM	Bryson L.	Confident	
Junior MC	Jamie H.	Responsible	
Middle LB	Kayla P.T.	Co-operative	
Middle MD	Arwen G.	Co-operative	
Middle SG	Liam G.	Co-operative	
Senior IW	Heath G.	Co-operative	
Senior MR	Rhys Y.	Supportive	
Senior RP	Connor C.	Persistent	
P.E.	Will M. (SMR)	Persistent	
Art	Courtney P. (MLB)	Confident	
Personal			
Dev	Tiffany I. (SIW)	Respectful	
Assistant Principal	Ryan A. (JBA)	Resilient	
Principal	Logan C. (MLB)	Responsible	

From the Office

Education Maintenance Allowance

If you are the holder of either a health care or pension card and did not apply for the Education Maintenance Allowance at the start of the year, can you please see the office for a form to apply for the second installment? To be eligible your card must be valid on 15/06/13

Medication: With the start of the cold and flu season your child may need to take medication at school. We are only able to administer medication if we have a signed form and the medication is in the original packaging.

Prescription medication must have the chemist label and your child's name.

Please see the office for a form.

Lunches: We are noticing an increase in the number of students having lunches delivered during the day, instead of bringing their lunch to school with them. We appreciate that this may occur from time to time, for various reasons. However, we are not in a position to refrigerate perishable foods or heat up hot foods for students.

CURRICULUM NEWS

Student Progress Discussions

Accompanying this week's newsletter is a form regarding this term's Student Progress Discussions. These discussions (previously referred to as Parent/Teacher Interviews) are being held during the last week of this term.

Monday 24, Tuesday 25, Wednesday 26, Thursday 27 of June 2013

Discussions between school and home are a vital form of communication that helps teachers and parents to share information about the progress and future learning goals of students.

In the past, Parent/Teacher Interviews have only involved the parents and the teachers. We now appreciate the importance and value of having the student present and being part of the discussion. It is not compulsory for students to attend, though we do welcome their attendance. This is something we will continue to work on with the students and promote within our school community.

We are looking forward to seeing all of you at our <u>Student Progress Discussions</u> this term. Please fill out the form and return to your youngest child's home group teacher as soon as possible.

Di Fernand - Assistant Principal



The Library has been a busy place these last few weeks with the Book Fair and students using the Library at lunchtimes for reading. Students are also able to borrow books before and after school. There is a variety of books for children from Prep to Grade 6 to read in the Library and to borrow to read at home.

Students must make sure they return their borrowed books by the due date.

Letters have been sent home regarding overdue books. If books are not returned, families are being asked to pay a \$5.00 'Lost Book Fee' to help cover the cost of replacing the book. This is being done to:

- ensure our property is returned punctually
- make sure books are accessible for all students
- encourage our students to be responsible

Library Opening Hours are:

Monday	8.30 – 8.50am	1.55 – 2.10pm,	3.15 - 3.30pm
Tuesday	8.30 - 8.50am	1.55 – 2.10pm,	3.15 – 3.30pm
Wednesday	Closed		
who would a	0.30 0.50	4.55 2.40	2.45 2.20

Thursday 8.30 - 8.50am 1.55 - 2.10pm, 3.15 - 3.30pm **Friday** 8.30 - 8.50am 1.55 - 2.10pm, 3.15 - 3.30pm

Mrs Pedic is available to help students with their borrowing choices and to answer any questions.

Remember – to be able to borrow from our Library, all students **MUST** have a Book Bag. This helps to protect our books.

The Book Fair held recently was a great success and it was pleasing to see so many students purchase items. We hope you enjoy your books!!!







School Uniform

Beleza is currently offering 20% off the price of their current stock of bomber jackets.

School Banking Information!

