Prep Enrolments 2017

We had an enjoyable morning on Friday inducting our new Prep parents for 2017. Thanks to all that were able to attend this morning. From 2017, it will be compulsory for all Queensland children to undertake the Prep Year, prior to commencing Year 1. If you are yet to pick up an enrolment package, please do so from the front office ASAP. Knowing our enrolments before the end of the year assists us with planning classes for 2017.

PBL Committee Meeting

This afternoon is our last meeting for Term 3. We have several parent representatives on our committee as well as staff from all areas of the school. The WESS 4B’s are an important part of our schools everyday and we encourage families to discuss the 4B’s regularly at home also and talk to the children about the focus lessons each week.

Indigenous Transition Session

As per flyers sent home to relevant families, this session will be held in the library on Thursday from 12.30. Please sign in at the school office first and you will be directed to the library. This session is for families that have children entering High School in 2017.

Ride Ready – Quad Bike Safety

The Queensland Government’s Ride Ready campaign aims to reduce the number of quad bike deaths and injuries in Queensland. Riders are encouraged to undertake rider training, always wear helmets, never double and never load more than the bike can handle. As we are aware that many of our children use Quad Bikes this campaign provides useful information for families.

Intensive Swimming Years 3-6

Swimming will commence in Week One of Term 4. Notes should have been returned to school. If you have not yet returned the note please do so ASAP, so that timetables/staffing can be organised.

Tallebudgera Camp – Year 6

A reminder that this camp is held at the end of next term. Families are able to ‘pay off’ the costs of the camp to the office. Please make contact with the office ASAP if you are unsure of the cost for the camp and you have confirmed that your child will be attending.

Enjoy your week.

Marina Clarke
Acting Principal
Curriculum Updates - Parent/ Teacher Interviews

Thank you to all parents for embracing the new online system for booking parent/teacher interviews. It has been a huge success. If you still require an interview or need to change your interview time please contact the office or your child’s class teacher to book in for an interview. Educating your child is the responsibility of the school, the individual and the home.

Yours in learning,

Amelia Sutton

Acting Deputy Principal/Master Teacher

Camp payments to be finalised by the end of October please.

Looking for something fun to do these School Holidays?

Anglicare Southern Queensland will be running a free School Holiday Program in September for children and young people aged between 5 and 15 years. Activities will include science experiments, craft, sports and free rock climbing (11yrs – 15yrs only).

Where: Warwick Indoor Recreation and Aquatic Centre
When: Thursday 22nd September 2016 10am-2pm, Tuesday 27th September 2016 10am-2pm
What you need: Participants are required to bring their lunch, drink bottle and a hat. A Parent/Guardian will need to sign all children in and out each day.
How to register: Bookings are essential and can be made by calling 1300 114 397

Fundraiser

Guess how many lollies are in the jar.
Where – Front of the Art Room
Time – 11 o’clock till 11.15
From – Monday 5th September to Tuesday 13th September
Cost – 50c per guess or 3 guesses for $1.00

The Uniform Shop will be open each Friday from 2:45 till 3:15.

The Uniform Shop will be changing its day commencing next term. They will be opening Wednesday instead of Friday.

School Banking every Friday in the art room.
Student of the Week

Week 8

P/1K  Jett
P/1M  Nevaeh
1/2K  Andre
1/2S  Elliotte
3/4G  Hayleigh
3/4M  Leyland
3/4N  Taleah
5/6G  Taeyah
5/6S  Krysta
5/6W  Noah

Playgroup - Every Thursday
8:50am - 11:00am

CHOIR every Tuesday
8:15am for years 2-6 in the music room.

No cash can be accepted at the office after 12pm.

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Dates to Remember

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Thurs 15/9 TYME (Instrumental music students)
Friday 16/9 Ball Games Carnival
Friday 16/9 Last Day of Term 3
Tuesday 4/10 First Day of Term 4

From the Tuckshop

Due this week to equipment failure there will be NO WEEKLY SPECIALS, I do apologise for the inconvenience. There will however, still be lunch available from the lunch section of the menu. We still have potato pies available $4.50 this week.

Due to family commitments I am unable to continue with being Canteen Coordinator from next term. If anyone is interested in this position please contact me on 0478 708 264 and we can talk about this position.

Kind regards
Sharon Nicholson

Staff Profile

Name
Barbara Asquith-Charlton
Favourite Food
Cheese
Interests
Horses, Cycling, reading
Favourite Holiday Destination
Tasmania

Dress Up Day

When – Wednesday 14th September
What to wear – Red, Blue and White
Gold coin donation

Weekly Focus—Week 9 Term 3

This week we will be focussing on — Be a Learner in play areas. Teachers will be explicitly teaching and modelling how students enact the following behaviours:

* I share equipment
* I follow the rules of the game
* I learn how to use borrowed equipment
* I solve disagreements fairly