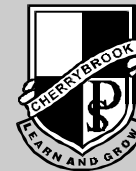


NEWSLETTER

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Term 3 Week 2

Tuesday 4 August 2009

RELIEVING PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

... .. Mrs Glynis Bridgwood

Welcome back to another term filled with quality teaching and learning at Cherrybrook PS.

A very warm welcome is extended to our new students and their families. We are confident that you will thoroughly enjoy being part of the Cherrybrook PS community. I encourage you all to become a part of the school community by coming along to our P&C meetings.

CLASS CHANGES

There has been a slight restructure of classes this semester due to enrolments. The following classes have been affected:-

We now have four kindergarten classes instead of five with Mrs Craig's KC being merged into the other Kindergarten classes.

Mrs Craig has taken on the role of class teacher to 1B and 1B is now located in the larger classroom in G block.

Following Mrs Marriott's retirement, Mrs Brooks has become the class teacher of 5J.

A huge congratulations to all of the students involved in our class restructure for the way that you have made the transition so smoothly.

Mrs Stewart is still working in the Head Office of the DET as a Project Officer for Disability Programs and we are at this stage unsure of the date of her return.

STAFF CHANGES

We welcome Mrs Kylie Thomas as our new School Administrative Officer replacing Mrs Mary Bryant in the office.

We also welcome back Mrs Ward following leave. Miss Rachel Kelly has taken Long Service Leave this term. Mrs Carol Hare who is also a specialist music teacher is replacing Miss Kelly.

Mr Cowen has taken on the role of coordinator for both the chamber choir and senior choir, Mrs Thorogood and Mrs Hare will be coordinating the junior choir and

Miss Croker will be taking the Year 2 choir. Mrs Anselin and Mr Cowen will be organising the Hills Music Festival. An enormous thank you to these teachers for stepping into these roles so willingly. We are blessed at Cherrybrook PS to have so many talented teachers.

CONGRATULATIONS

During the school holidays, Tyler Pickles from 4/5C played in the Sydney Badminton Association Juniors Winter Open tournament. Tyler claimed victory as the winner of the boys double under 11's. We are all very proud of Tyler's sporting achievement. Well done, Tyler.

RELIEVING DEPUTY PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

... .. Mr Glen Lakeman

SCHOOL ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

Last Friday the School held its annual Athletics Carnival. The 3-6 students (and some Year 2 students who turn 8 this year) were involved in a variety of track and field events which were a culmination of the cyclical sport activities held during Term 2. The K-2 students participated in a number of track and novelty events. All students appeared to have a great day participating in many events and supporting their House with enthusiasm. A list of results from the school carnival and students selected for the Zone athletics carnival will be posted in an upcoming newsletter. A special congratulations to Emma S who broke the 9 yrs 100m record from 2006 (Eliza W who finished 2nd in the same event also went under the existing record). Thank you to all the parents and family members who supported the students on the day and to the staff who organised the carnival and acted as officials during the day. A special thank you to the parents who assisted in the role as officials during the carnival. It is very much appreciated that you gave up your time to ensure that the carnival ran smoothly and efficiently.

YEAR 6 CANBERRA/SNOWY EXCURSION

Next week Year 6 head to Canberra for their much anticipated three day excursion beginning on Monday. Along with visiting many places in Canberra, as part of their Government Unit, they will be spending a day in the Snowy Mountains at Perisher. We hope they have a fantastic time and come back

with lifelong memories from their excursion. Let's hope the weather is just right!!

BAND NEWS

The bands have been back in full swing after the holiday break and are sounding great. Thank you to Mrs Walkden-Brown for taking the main band last week to ensure that they had continuity in their program. Congratulations to Liam F for achieving a Bronze award for his efforts in band. Liam will receive his award at the next Primary Assembly.

Main Band Parent Roster for this week is:
Wednesday 5 August 2009 - The Farrant family
Friday 7 August 2009-The Doughty family

PSSA NEWS

PSSA begins again this Friday with games for the soccer and netball to be held at Cheltenham oval against Beecroft. All teams are well placed to make a run at the finals with just 3 or 4 rounds remaining. Please ensure that all players bring the necessary clothing on the day.

SPELLING BEE

The school Spelling Bee for years 3-6 will be held over the next two weeks. We wish the competitors selected from each class all the best for the competition.

YEAR 6 FAREWELL

A meeting for the Year 6 Farewell will be held on Wednesday 5 August at 3:15pm in the school library. A note regarding this meeting was sent out last week. We hope to see many Year 6 parents attend, or indicate by note that they will assist in preparing a fantastic night for the students. Unfortunately the original note had an error regarding the date in which the Farewell is to be held. The correct date for the Farewell is Wednesday 9 December. Banner Day for Year 6 will be held the following day.



CANTEEN NEWS

If you are available to assist in the canteen for a day or even an hour or two, please drop in and see us or phone 9875 3269.

This week's Roster:

Wednesday 5 August:

Heather Laherty, Priya Desai,
11-1.45: Shyama Ratnam.

Thursday 6 August:

Cassandra Collins, Dhami Chanmugan,
Sharrie Hodder.

Friday 7 August:

Alanna Paterson, Alison Baker, Sharrie Hodder, Karen Seamons.

Next Week's Roster:

Monday 10 August:

Debbie Prater, Pru Struik,
11-1.15: Fiona Fleming.

Tuesday 11 August:

Elaine Checkley, Brenda Magill, Vida David.

Wednesday 12 August:

Kimberley Macri, Petron Cloeraine,
11-1.15: Donna Walker, Sam Macri.

Thursday 13 August:

Cassandra Collins, Sharrie Hodder.

Friday 14 August:

Sharon Smith, Cassandra Collins, Maju Jacob, Felicity King.

We thank all of the above parents and helpers/carers for their time given in helping to provide this service for the children of Cherrybrook Public School.

Nicole Digby and Sue Canty.
Canteen Managers

BOOKCLUB ISSUE 5

Money collection days for issue 5 will be Tuesday 11 August and Wednesday 12 August between 8.35 am and 8.55 am in the library.



Please make any cheques payable to Scholastic Australia.

Thankyou
Book Club Co-ordinators

DIARY DATES

5 August	5/6 Spelling Bee 3-6 Assembly OC Placement Test
6 August	Year 1 Bush Tuckerman
7 August	K-2 Assembly
10 August	Year 6 Canberra Excursion
11 August	Year 6 Canberra Excursion Kinder Gym
12 August	Year 6 Canberra Excursion Year 2 Airport Excursion

***WE NEED YOU, ALL
STRING PLAYERS WE
ARE LOOKING FOR
YOU TO JOIN US***



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